Cora Latz and Etta Perkins photographs

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Descriptive Summary
Title: Cora Latz and Etta Perkins photographs
Collection Number: 2003-43
Creator/Collector:
Extent: 1 box (0.4 linear feet)
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Abstract: This collection consists of a three photo albums documenting the life Cora Latz and Etta Perkins, an interracial couple, shared together. The two met in 1972 and were together 26 years.
Language of Material: English
Access
Collection is open for research. Funding for processing this collection was provided by the Council on Library and Information Resources (CLIR).
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Acquisition Information
Scope and Content of Collection
This collection consists of a three photo albums documenting the life Cora Latz and Etta Perkins shared together. The two met in 1972 and were together 26 years. There is an album of their commitment ceremony, one of their twenty-fifth anniversary recommitment ceremony, and one filled with miscellaneous family and travel photos. There is also a photographs of Latz and one of Perkins. At the end of their lives, Latz and Perkins lived openly together at the Jewish Home for the Aged in San Francisco. Perkins, who converted to Judaism, was the only African American at the home. She died in November 1998 and Latz died shortly thereafter.
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