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Descriptive Summary

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Collection number: 993
Creator: Padgett, Ron
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Abstract: Ron Padgett (1942- ) was a poetry workshop instructor at St. Mark's-in-the-Bowery, New York City (1968-69), poet in various New York City Poets in the Schools programs (1969-76), writer in the community, South Carolina Arts Commission (1976-78), director of St. Mark's Poetry Project, New York City (1978-81), and the director of publications for the Teachers and Writers Collaborative (1982- ). The collection consists of correspondence from poets to Padgett, and some manuscripts.

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Biography
Padgett was born on June 17, 1942, in Tulsa, Oklahoma; A.B., Columbia University, 1964; poetry workshop instructor, St. Mark's-in-the-Bowery, New York City, 1968-69; poet in various New York City Poets in the Schools programs, 1969-76; co-founded Full Court Press publishers in 1973; writer in the community, South Carolina Arts Commission, 1976-78; director, St. Mark's Poetry Project, New York City, 1978-81; director of publications, Teachers and Writers Collaborative, beginning in 1982; published works include: Seventeen: collected plays (with Ted Berrigan, 1965), Sky (1966), Arrive by

Scope and Content
Collection consists of correspondence from poets, including Aram Saroyan and Thomas Clark, to American poet Ron Padgett, and some manuscripts of Padgett.

Indexing Terms
The following terms have been used to index the description of this collection in the library's online public access catalog.

Padgett, Ron--Archives.
Poets, American--New York--New York--Archival resources.
Manuscripts for publication.

__Papers, ca. 1965__-

Creator/Collector: Padgett, Ron

Physical Description: (1 box)

Scope and Content Note
Padgett is an American poet. The Collection consists of correspondence from other poets, including Aram Saroyan and Thomas Clark, and some manuscripts of Padgett.

1. American poetry--20th century
2. Poets, American--Correspondence, reminiscences, etc.

I. Ashbery, John
II. Clark, Thomas
III. Saroyan, Aram
IV. Whalen, Philip