



Joseph Rasmussen Collection (SP0115)

Collection Number: SP0115

Collection Title: Joseph Rasmussen Collection

Dates: 1874-1978, circa 2000

Creator: Rasmussen, Winfred Joseph, 1955-2025

Abstract: The Joseph Rasmussen Collection contains postcards, travel guides, and highway maps of Missouri.

Collection Size: 1 cubic foot
(85 folders, 1,086 postcards)

Language: Collection materials are in English.

Repository: The State Historical Society of Missouri

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Donor Information: The papers were donated to the State Historical Society of Missouri by Beverly Rasmussen on December 29, 2025 (Accession No. SPA0154).

Related Materials: Additional materials related to the Joseph Rasmussen Collection can be found in the following collections:

[John F. Bradbury, Jr. Postcard Collection](#) (R1551)

[Lynn Morrow Map Collection](#) (R1519)

[Missouri United States Highway 66 Collection](#) (SP0080)

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Historical Note:

Winfred Joseph “Joe” Rasmussen was born on February 13, 1955, to Wayne and Loretta Rasmussen. After graduating from Waynesville High School in Waynesville, Missouri, he married Beverly Frizzle. The couple owned and operated Jobe Internet Service in St. Robert, Missouri, in the early 2000s. They later moved to Plato, Missouri, where they owned a small Alpaca ranch. After their retirement, the couple traveled extensively. Joe Rasmussen died on November 23, 2025.

Arrangement:

The collection has been arranged into the following 2 series:

Maps
Postcards

Scope and Content Note:

Maps

This series contains 22 maps of Missouri, including the official Missouri Highway Map created by the Missouri Highway Commission. The maps that are dated 1893 and 1900 include Missouri counties and roads. The remaining highway maps were printed by oil companies such as Standard, Conoco, and D-X Sunray. Also included in this series is a guidebook titled *Missouri Family Vacation Guide*, printed by the Missouri State Division of Resources and Development. This series is arranged chronologically by publication date.

Postcards

This series contains 1,086 postcards printed between 1874 and the early 2000s. The majority of the postcards include images of towns and attractions throughout the state of Missouri, including Missouri’s Highway 66. There are also postcards from towns and attractions throughout the United States. The folder titled “Missouri miscellaneous” contains postcard books with a variety of towns and landscapes such as the Missouri Ozarks. This series is arranged by location and then chronologically.

Container List:

Maps

Box 001	f. 1	Missouri, Rand McNally & Co., 1893
	f. 2	Missouri, 1900
	f. 3	AutoTrails Map, District No. 19, Kentucky, Tennessee, Missouri, 1923
	f. 4	Missouri Highway Map, Standard Oil Company, 1935
	f. 5	Lake of the Ozarks Map & Resort Guide, 1936
	f. 6	Missouri Highway Map, Conoco Travel Bureau, 1936

- f. 7 *Missouri Family Vacation Guide*, circa 1950s
- f. 8 Missouri Highway Map, D-X Sunray Oil Company, 1950
- f. 9 Lake of the Ozarks Map & Resort Guide, 1952
- f. 10 St. Louis, Missouri, Tourist Map, circa 1960s
- f. 11 Missouri Highway Map, Conoco Travel Bureau, 1964
- f. 12 Missouri Highway Map, Texaco, 1965
- f. 13 Missouri Highway Map, Skelly Oil Company, 1970
- f. 14 Missouri Official Highway Map, 1961-1964
- f. 15 Missouri Official Highway Map, 1969-1972
- f. 16 Missouri Official Highway Map, 1974, 1976

Postcards

- Box 002
- f. 17 Arlington, Missouri, no date
 - f. 18 Bagnell Dam, Miller County, Missouri, 1929-1970, no date
 - f. 19 Belle, Missouri, circa 1900-1920, no date
 - f. 20 Bennett Spring State Park, Missouri, 1921-1962, no date
 - f. 21 Birch Tree, Missouri, 1911, no date
 - f. 22 Boonville, Missouri, 1931, no date
 - f. 23 Cabool, Missouri, circa 1950, no date
 - f. 24 Camdenton, Missouri, 1940-1965, no date
 - f. 25 Carthage, Missouri, no date
 - f. 26 Cassville, Missouri, no date
 - f. 27 Columbia, Missouri, 1966-1990, no date
 - f. 28 Crocker, Missouri, 1910-1940, no date
 - f. 29 Cuba, Missouri, 1912-1945, no date
 - f. 30 Devils Elbow, Missouri, 1930-1952, no date
 - f. 31 Dixon, Missouri, 1910-1916, no date
 - f. 32 Eldon, Missouri, 1907-1963, no date
 - f. 33 Eminence, Missouri, 1927-1941, no date
 - f. 34 Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, 1941-1965, no date
 - f. 35 Fulton, Missouri, 1969, no date
 - f. 36 Ha Ha Tonka, Camden County, Missouri, 1906-1958, no date
 - f. 37 Hannibal, Missouri, circa 1930, no date
 - f. 38 Hazelwood, Missouri, no date
 - f. 39 Higginsville, Missouri, no date
 - f. 40 Houston, Missouri, 1941-1972, no date
 - f. 41 Iberia, Missouri, 1910
 - f. 42 Independence, Missouri, no date
 - f. 43 Jefferson City, Missouri, 1874-1964, no date
 - f. 44 Jerome, Missouri, 1914-1919, no date
 - f. 45 Joplin, Missouri, 1948
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 - f. 48 Lake Ozark, Missouri, circa 1920-1954, no date
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	f. 54	Marshall, Missouri, 1908, 1915
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	f. 56	Montauk, Missouri, 1948, no date
	f. 57	Mountain Grove, Missouri, 1911-1931, circa 1960, no date
	f. 58	Mountain View, Missouri, 1962
	f. 59	Mt. Vernon, Missouri, no date
	f. 60	Newburg, Missouri, 1913-1962, no date
	f. 61	Noel, Missouri, 1942, no date
	f. 62	Notch, Missouri, 1908
	f. 63	Osage Beach, Missouri, 1935-1957, no date
	f. 64	Phillipsburg, Missouri, 1909
	f. 65	Richland, Missouri, 1907-1953, no date
Box 002	f. 66	Rockaway Beach, Missouri, no date
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	f. 68	Salem, Missouri, 1910-1961, no date
	f. 69	Sedalia, Missouri, no date
	f. 70	Sikeston, Missouri, no date
	f. 71	Springfield, Missouri, 1949, 1971
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	f. 77	Sullivan, Missouri, 1907, no date
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	f. 80	Waynesville, Missouri, 1943-1973, no date
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