



Richard Samuel Bratman and Joyce Rosenberg Bratman Papers (K1146)

Collection Number: K1146

Collection Title: Richard Samuel Bratman and Joyce Rosenberg Bratman Papers

Dates: 1967-1974

Creator: Unknown

Abstract: This collection consists of photocopies of newspaper clippings from the *Kansas City Jewish Chronicle* covering the Bratt family and their contributions to the Kansas City area Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner (BIAV) congregation and the Jewish community.

Collection Size: 0.02 cubic foot
(2 folders)

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 Richard and Joyce Bratman on September 17, 2009 (Accession No. KA1756).

Notes: This collection is associated with the Jewish Community Archives of Greater Kansas City.

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Historical Note:

Congregation Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner traces back to the nineteenth century. In 1894, the Tefereth Israel Congregation was founded. In 1959, the congregation moved to 83rd and Holmes in Kansas City, Missouri, as part of a merger with two other congregations, Beth Abraham and Beth Medresh Hagadol, becoming Beth Israel Abraham. In 1960, it merged with Voliner Anshei Sefard to become Congregation Beth Israel Abraham and Voliner (BIAV). As the congregation changed in the 1980's, BIAV decided to move to Overland Park, Kansas, where it would be closer to other Jewish institutions. As of 2019, the congregation is located near the intersection of 99th Terrace and Antioch Road in Overland Park.

Arrangement:

This collection has been arranged into one folder.

Scope and Content Note:

The Richard Samuel Bratman and Joyce Rosenberg Bratman Papers contain photocopied newspaper clippings dated 1967 to 1974. The clippings discuss several Bratt family members and their contributions to the BIAV congregation. The clippings also discuss the dedication of the synagogue's Bratt-Kaufman social hall, the creation of Bratt family scholarships for the Hebrew Academy of Greater Kansas City, and the selection of Jacob Bratt to serve as the BIAV congregation's honorary president. There is also a photocopy of an event program that lists past presidents of the congregation up until 1968.

Container List:

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