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**Robert D., Sr. and Lula Arrington Smith
Papers, (1898-1993)**

Center for Restoration Studies
Manuscripts #466

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About this collection

Title: Robert D., Sr. and Lula Arrington Smith Papers

Creator: Robert D., Sr. and Lula Arrington Smith

Identifier/Call Number: Center for Restoration Studies Manuscripts #466

Physical Description: 3 linear feet (3 boxes)

Dates (Inclusive): 1898-1993

Dates (Bulk): 1898-1993

Location: Center for Restoration Studies

Language of Materials: English

Scope and Content Note: This collection includes genealogical information, correspondence between Robert D. Smith, Sr., Lula Arrington Smith, and their family members. There are sermons, lessons, ledger books, and poetry authored by Smith. Additionally, there are many photographs, mainly of family members.

Biographical Note: Robert D. Smith, Sr. preached in Churches of Christ in Texas for over fifty years. He was the brother of George Dallas Smith and uncle of Lawrence Leon Smith, Sr. Other relevant materials in the Center for Restoration Studies include: George Dallas Smith Papers, MS#28; Paul Smith Papers, MS#187; and Lawrence Leon Smith, Sr. Papers, MS#384.

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Subjects and Keywords

Churches of Christ -- History -- 20th century

Poetry

Sermon charts

Inventory

Box 1

[First Folder] Finding Aid
Genealogical information on the Smith family
Correspondence

Box 2

Correspondence
Sermons and lessons written by Robert D. Smith, Sr.
Poetry by Robert D. Smith, Sr.

Box 3

Photographs
Ledger books
Sermon chart with a pointer
Two Bibles and a scrapbook