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About this collection

Title: Bill R. Love Papers, 1979-1993

Creator: Bill R. Love

Identifier/Call Number: Center for Restoration Studies Manuscripts #490

Physical Description: 1.8 linear feet (4 boxes)

Dates (Inclusive): 1979-1993

Dates (Bulk): 1979-1993

Location: Center for Restoration Studies

Language of Materials: English

Scope and Content Note: The Bill R. Love Papers contain 1.8 linear feet of materials including book manuscripts, sermons, seminar notes, and general research files.

Biographical Note: [The following biographical note is excerpted from Bill R. Love's obituary, which ran in the *Houston Chronicle* from May 1-2, 2004]. Bill R. Love was born in Tucumcari, New Mexico, February 10, 1938, and passed away at home in Houston on April 30, 2004. Bill's family moved to Abilene, Texas, when he was in third grade. He completed his early schooling on the campus of Abilene Christian College where he went on to receive B.A. and M.A. degrees in Speech Communication. Bill married Deanna Bussie in December of 1960. From 1962 to 1967 they lived in Winnipeg, Canada where Bill served as minister for the Erin Street Church of Christ. Bill earned a Ph.D. in Speech Communication from Louisiana State University in 1972 while serving as minister for the LSU Church of Christ Student Center. In 1974, Bill became the preaching minister at Bering Drive Church of Christ in Houston where he served until 1996. At that time Bill began his work as the Director of Development for Lifeline Chaplaincy, a position he held until suffering a stroke in November of 1998. Although disabled, Bill spent the last five years of his life as an encouragement and inspiration to all who knew him.

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