Kathleen Gose fonds

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Fonds Description

Kathleen Gose fonds. – 1997-2008.

1 file folder of textual records.

4 CDs.

Biographical Sketch

Kathleen Gose was a lecturer in the UBC Department of English (1967-70), and was one of the creators of the Arts One programme. She and her husband, English professor Elliot Gose, were good friends with Jane Rule and her partner Helen Sonthoff. That friendship continued after Rule and Sonthoff moved to Galiano Island, and they exchanged both correspondence and visits until Rule's death in 2007.

Scope and Content

Fonds includes a folder containing six letters written by Jane Rule to Kathleen Gose between 1999 and 2007; a six-page type-written manuscript entitled "I Want to Speak Ill of the Dead" written by Rule in 1997; an interview with Jane Rule photocopied from the *Women's Review of Books* (2008), with a hand written note on it; and a copy of *The Active Page* (Galiano Island monthly magazine) from 2008, a memorial edition following Jane's death. Also included are four audio recordings on CD of stories by Jane Rule and read by her, recorded by Brook Bilney at Yeller House Studio, Galiano Island.

Notes

Acquired from Kathleen Gose's daughter Sarah Gose in September 2024.

Textual materials are stored with University Archives' vertical files as VF 124.

Audio recordings are listed as UBC AT 4058-1 to 4 and are stored separately.