AUDREY MARSHALL BETA SIGMA PHI COLLECTION, CA. 1973-2008

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COLLECTION INFORMATION

VOLUME OF COLLECTION: 1 manuscript box, 3 folders color photographs

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BIOGRAPHICAL SKETCH

Audrey J. (Alford) Marshall, was born August 10, 1934, in Denhoff, North Dakota, and died July 2, 2008 in Pendleton, Indiana. She married Gaylord Marshall on August 31, 1952. They had three children, Timothy, Robin, and Christopher. Audrey lived in Pendleton most of her life. She was a 1953 graduate of Pendleton High School. She was an interpreter at Conner Prairie for twenty-one years. She was a member of The Red Hat Society and Beta Sigma Phi Sorority.

Beta Sigma Phi is primarily a social and cultural organization that incorporates service as part of its activities. The motto for Beta Sigma Phi is Life, Learning and Friendship. The letters, "Beta," "Sigma," and "Phi" were the first letters of the Greek words for life, learning, and friendship. Service is done locally and internationally and is a tribute to the character of the members. The cultural programs are important in Beta Sigma Phi. They are the basic element of the organization. Through these programs each member is encouraged to grow personally, while at the same time participating in the growth of her sisters. They are designed to broaden personal knowledge and understanding of self, friends, and the world. As a member of Beta Sigma Phi it is in our nature not only to give the best that is in us to ourselves and our sorority, but to give the best that is in us to our world.

Sources:
Wilson-St. Pierre Funeral Service and Crematory obituary
http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Beta_Sigma_Phi
SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE

**Series One** consists of various materials related to Audrey J. Marshall's membership in the local Beta Sigma Phi chapters. The Laureate Tau handbook, programs from several local events, and a certificate of her being elected to The Order of the Rose are included.

**Series Two** consists of assorted greeting cards Audrey J. Marshall received from her Beta Sigma Phi sisters over the course of her membership.

**Series Three** consists of several Anderson City Council of Beta Sigma Phi local directories as well as programs for various events held by the Anderson City Council.

**Series Four** consists of Indiana State Council of Beta Sigma Phi by-laws and constitution, as well as programs to several state events.

**Series Five** consists of official Beta Sigma Phi International procedural books.

**Series Six** consists of four local chapter sponsored cookbooks.

**Series Seven** consists of four larger Beta Sigma Phi International cookbooks from Audrey J. Marshall's cookbook collection; including Bicentennial '76, holiday, party ideas, and golden anniversary.

**Series Eight** consists of about seventy color photographs from various Beta Sigma Phi events that Audrey J. Marshall was involved in. Color photographs are in cold storage and require advance notice for retrieval.

**Series Nine** consists of two Pendleton High School alumni directories from 1993 and 1997.
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