

Title Interview with Cecile Foster

Date 2001 August 3

Primary Maker Cecile Foster

Medium digitized audio cassette tape

Description Audio cassette tape of an interview with Cecile Foster, who were interviewed by Fiona Vernal on August 3, 2001. Ms. Foster's mother-in-law, Lydia Haughton was present at the interview and makes a few comments at the beginning. Topics discussed include Foster's childhood in Jamaica; education; Lydia filing for her son and daughter-in-law (Cecile) to come to America; Foster's impressions of the cold climate; setting goals for her life in America; her first job at a grocery store in Hartford; her job history; managing five children, a job, and

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a husband; dealing with co-workers and Black customers; returning to Jamaica; how she dealt with leaving her children for two years to migrate; her kids being teased for their accents; retirement in Jamaica; life as a young returnee in Jamaica; and the pace of life in Jamaica. 2013.26.36a-d consists of two sides, the tape, and a J-card.

Dimensions Duration (side 1): 47 Minutes, 28 Seconds Duration (side 2): 45
Minutes, 41 Seconds Duration (total runtime): 1 Hour, 33 Minutes, 9 Seconds