

Basic Detail Report

Title Cape Verdeans in Connecticut Community History Project

Interview

Date 1996-1999

Primary Maker Antonia Ignacio Ramalho Sequeira

Medium photographic print image

Description 2015.196.378.1: Image showing Antonia Sequeira (right)

interviewing Mary Santos Sullivan while looking at family photographs, at Mary's

home in July 1996. The interview was part of the Cape Verdeans in Connecticut

Community History Project. 2015.196.378.2: Image showing a black and white

portrait of Maria “Duducha” Teixeira, an experienced singer of morna and

coladeira from West Haven. Her first stage performance was at age 12. She

trained as a beautician, learned five languages, and had six children.

2015.196.378.3: Image showing a Cape Verdean pano, a woven cloth from the

islands that was traditionally used in dancing. The pano is tied around a

dancer's waist or folded and beaten as a drum, especially on the island of

Santiago. This pano is in the CHS collection (2015.204.0), purchased for the

Community History Project in 1999.