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**A Finding Aid to the
Ferdinand M. Isserman Papers
Manuscript Collection No. 6**



Collection Summary

Title	Ferdinand M. Isserman Papers
Dates	1870-1971 (bulk 1919-1967)
Collection Number	MS-6
Repository	The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives
Creator	Isserman, Ferdinand Myron, 1898-1972
Extent	15.4 linear feet (26 Hollinger boxes and 4 oversize boxes)
Language of the Material	English

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch

Ferdinand M. Isserman was born on March 4, 1898 in Antwerp, Belgium. His family immigrated to the United States in 1906, settling in Newark, New Jersey, Isserman attended schools in both Antwerp and Newark, graduating from Newark's Central High School in June 1914.

In September 1914, Isserman entered Hebrew Union College (HUC) where, in conjunction with the University of Cincinnati, he studied for his bachelor's degree while training for the rabbinate. In 1917, he received a Bachelor of Hebrew Letters degree from HUC. In 1919, Isserman completed the requirements for a bachelor's degree from the University of Cincinnati and three years later (June 1922) he was ordained a rabbi. While in school, Isserman participated in various extra-curricular activities. He was on both the University of Cincinnati and the HUC basketball teams (lettering in basketball at the University of Cincinnati), he served as president of the HUC Literary Society in 1920-1921, and in 1921-1922 he was president of the HUC student body.

Upon ordination, Isserman became Assistant Rabbi under Rev. Dr. Harry W. Ettelson at Rodeph Shalom Congregation in Philadelphia, Pennsylvania. He remained in this position for three years, during which he studied at the University of Pennsylvania, receiving a Master of Arts degree in comparative religion in 1924.

In 1925, Isserman assumed the position of rabbi of the Toronto Hebrew Congregation ("Holy Blossom") in Canada. In Toronto, Isserman distinguished himself by arranging Canada's first pulpit exchange between a Christian minister and a Jewish rabbi.

In 1929, Isserman became rabbi of Temple Israel in St. Louis, Missouri, where he remained through 1963. Isserman visited Nazi Germany three times (in 1933, 1935 and 1937) and participated in many civic as well as Jewish oriented organizations. Some of his more prominent activities included: conducting weekly Jewish programs on local radio stations (1932-1963), holding an annual Institute on Judaism for the Christian Clergy at Temple Israel (1937-1962), serving as president of the University of Missouri Jewish Student Foundation (1940-1947), spending one year overseas during World War II with the American Red Cross (1943), serving as first president of the combined Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion Alumni Association (1950-1951), chairing both the American Jewish Tercentenary Committee of St. Louis and the American Jewish Tercentenary Committee of Missouri (1954), serving as the American chairman of the World Union for Progressive Judaism (1955-1956), and chairing the Thomas C. Hennings Jr. Memorial Committee (1960).

Rabbi Isserman's participation in the Central Conference of American Rabbis (CCAR) deserves special note. He was very active with the CCAR's Commission on Justice and Peace from 1942 through 1950, serving as chairman from 1942 through 1945. In 1942, Isserman helped organize and presided over the Commission's American Institute on Judaism and A Just and Enduring Peace, in 1945 he organized the Commission's Institute on Judaism and Race Relations, and in 1950 he helped organize the CCAR's Institute on Reform Jewish Theology Today.

Isserman died in March, 1972.

Scope and Content

Contains correspondence, minutes, reports, addresses, sermons, lectures, photographs, newsclippings, and miscellaneous items which trace the career and activities of Ferdinand M. Isserman.

Arrangement

Organized into four (4) series: A. General, 1870-1971; B. Sermons and Addresses, 1922-1968; C. Photographs, 1922-1968; D. Miscellaneous, 1914-1968.

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Index Terms

Subjects	Jews -- Missouri -- Saint Louis / Rabbis / Reform Judaism
Personal Names	Isserman, Ferdinand M. (Ferdinand Myron), 1898-1972
Corporate Names	Central Conference of American Rabbis / Temple Israel (Saint Louis, Mo.)
Media	Lectures / Minutes / Photographs / Scrapbooks / Sermons

Series A. General, 1870-1971

Extent 3.8 linear feet (9.5 Hollinger boxes)

Scope and Content Note Series A contains correspondence, minutes, reports, lectures, addresses and miscellaneous items, which reflect Isserman's rabbinic career (particularly at St. Louis Temple Israel) and his participation in the Central Conference of American Rabbis, the American Jewish Tercentenary celebrations, the HUC-JIR Alumni Association, the University of Missouri Jewish Student Foundation along with many other Jewish and civic organizations.

The series is alphabetically arranged by correspondent, organization or subject of correspondence.

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Series B. Sermons and Addresses, 1922-1968

Extent 6.4 linear feet (16 Hollinger boxes)

Scope and Content Note This series consists of notes for, and typescript and manuscript copies of, many of Isserman's sermons and addresses. Rabbi Isserman's views on the world, national and local politics, contemporary literature, and controversies are often seen through these writings.

Arrangement The series is divided into two (2) subseries: 1. General, and 2. Radio Sermons and Addresses.

Subseries 1. General, 1922-1968, undated

Extent 4.6 linear feet (11.5 Hollinger boxes)

Arrangement This subseries is arranged chronologically.

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Arrangement This subseries is arranged chronologically.

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Series D. Miscellaneous, 1914-1968, undated

Extent 5.2 linear feet (0.5 Hollinger box and 5 oversize boxes)

Scope and Content Note Series D contains personal and biographical material and five oversize boxes of scrapbooks concerning Rabbi Isserman's activities.

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Appendix A: Index to General Sermons

Note: The following list is an index to the titles of the sermons, addresses, and lectures contained in Series B. Sermons and Addresses, Series 1. General Sermons. The list is arranged alphabetically. All spellings of Hebrew words are Isserman's. Untitled sermons, addresses and lectures are not included in the list. References are to boxes and folders, i.e. 9/1 = Box 9, Folder 1.

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