A Finding Aid to the
Neil Brief Papers

Manuscript Collection No. 814
Collection Summary

Title
Neil Brief Papers

Dates
1962-1970

Collection Number
MS-814

Repository
The Jacob Rader Marcus Center of the American Jewish Archives

Creator
Brief, Neil, 1934

Extent
2 linear feet.

Language of the Material
English

Administrative Information

Biographical Sketch
Neil Brief was born in Brooklyn, New York on October 10, 1934. Ordained by the Hebrew Union College-Jewish Institute of Religion in 1960, he served the Ventura County Jewish Council and Temple Beth Torah from 1962 to 1970 before spending 33 years as rabbi of Ezra Habonim-The Niles Township Jewish Congregation in Skokie, Illinois.

Scope and Content
Correspondence, reports, clippings, and other materials concerning the Ventura County Jewish Council and Temple Beth Torah of Ventura, California arranged in chronological order.

Arrangement
This collection is arranged in one (1) series: A. General.

Terms of Access
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Preferred Citation
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Index Terms

Subjects
Military chaplains

Personal Names
Brief, Neil, 1934-

Corporate Names
Temple Beth Torah (Ventura, Calif.) / Ventura County Jewish Council (Calif.)

Series A. General, 1962-1970

Box and Folder Listing

Box 1. Folder 1. Brief, 1962
Box 1. Folder 2. A—L, 1963
Box 1. Folder 3. M—Z, 1963
Box 1. Folder 4. Pulpit Committee.
Box 1. Folder 5. A—L, 1964
Box 1. Folder 6. A—L, 1965
Box 1. Folder 7. M—Z, 1965
Box 1. Folder 8. M—Z, 1966
Box 2. Folder 1. A—L, 1968
Box 2. Folder 3. Correspondence, 1969
Box 2. Folder 4. Correspondence, 1970