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COPLAN, David, Basotho sung poetry, migrant workers, audio cassettes, transcripts 1983-1994

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The collection consists of audio cassettes and transcripts.

#### COLLECTION DESCRIPTION

The collection consists of recordings of Basotho sung poetry. This oral project was undertaken to record and document the sung poetry of Basotho migrant workers in South Africa. The poetry and interviews with some of the singers were recorded on tape-cassettes and there are transcripts in Sotho and English.

#### CLASSIFICATION

Audio recordings

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