



Archival Collection Finding Aid

TITLE: Laura McGuire Millennium Collection

ACCESSION NUMBER: 2000.5

CREATOR: McGuire, Laura K.

INCLUSIVE DATES: 1999-2000

QUANTITY: 0.3 cubic ft. (1 box)

LANGUAGE: English

ABSTRACT: At the end of 1999, Canadian photographer Laura McGuire collected items related to the end of the millennium and the Year 2000 problem, better known as Y2K. The Laura McGuire Millennium Collection contains photographic prints that were taken by her in the Detroit area at the end of 1999. Subjects of these prints include a water sellout, the border crossing between Detroit and Windsor, a survival supply store, and sunset at Belle Isle on New Year's Eve. Other items include a t-shirt; a book about Y2K; a special edition of *The New York Times*; Y2K brochures; and a newspaper clipping. Of note is a doll wearing a dress knitted by 102 year old Lottie Slomczynski which bears a note stating, "Looking forward to the Millennium to have lived in 3 centuries."

ACCESS RESTRICTIONS: The collection is open for research.

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