

# **VINCENT DIARIES**

**1976-2002 (bulk: 1984-1995)**

Collection number: GLC 45

The James C. Hormel Gay and Lesbian Center

San Francisco Public Library

2006

## **INTRODUCTION**

### **Provenance**

The Vincent Diaries were donated to The San Francisco Public Library by Elizabeth Stone in 2002.

### **Access**

The collection is open for research and available in the San Francisco History Center on the 6<sup>th</sup> Floor of the Main Library. The hours are: Tues.-Thurs. 10a.m.-6 p.m., Fri. 12 noon-6 p.m., Sat. 10 a.m.-6 p.m. and Sun. 12 noon-5 p.m.

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### **Size**

1 cubic foot (15 diaries, 2 folders, 1 book)

### **Processed by**

Timothy T. Wilson

### **Date Completed**

February 2006.

### **Preferred Citation**

[*Identification of item*], Vincent Diaries (GLC 45), The James C. Hormel Gay and Lesbian Center, San Francisco Public Library, San Francisco, CA.

### **Conservation Note**

During processing, the entire collection was refolded and re-housed in acid-free folders and boxes. All metal fasteners were removed and replaced with plastic clips where necessary.

## SCOPE AND CONTENT

The collection documents Vincent's life starting in 1984 and includes his years living with AIDS. The diaries were the basis for Elizabeth Stone's *A Boy I Once Knew* (Chapel Hill, NC: Algonquin Books, 2002) which recounts how she was affected by the bequest of these diaries from her former high school student.

## ARRANGEMENT NOTE

The material is arranged with the diaries at the beginning in chronological order. 2 folders follow in alphabetical order, and the advanced uncorrected proof of *A Boy I Once Knew* is the last item.

## CONTAINER LIST

### Diaries.

- 1984 (September 4 – November 30)
- 1985
- 1986
- 1987
- 1988
- 1989
- 1990
- 1991
- 1992
- 1992 (October 1 – November 16)
- 1993
- 1993 (May 19) – 1994 (January 5)
- 1994
- 1994 (September 10 - October 8)
- 1995 (January 7 – February 9)

Correspondence with Elizabeth Stone, 1976, 1995

Loose Ephemera

*A Boy I Once Knew* by Elizabeth Stone. Advanced uncorrected proof, 2002.