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Descriptive Inventory

## MSS 116 WARMAN, Jean, b. 1939 – Collector

1 box. 7 folders. 141 items. 1990-1992. Originals and photos.

1991.146.1

#### **BIOGRAPHY**

Jean Warman was working for the law firm of Taft, Settinius and Hollister in Cincinnati, Ohio, when the Persian Gulf War started. Her son, Ronald William Hamilton (b.1957), was called up for active duty in August 1990. To help alleviate her fears and to provide moral support at home, Jean joined the forces of Operation Orange Ribbon. Founded in August 1990 by Ellen Lambing, Operation Orange Ribbon began by asking people to display an orange ribbon as a sign of their support of American service personnel in the war. Its chief goal was to distribute orange ribbons, but the organization also organized support groups and carried out letter-writing and package-sending campaigns to troops. Jean lives with her husband, David Warman, in New Richmond, Ohio.

#### THE COLLECTION

The collection consists chiefly of clippings and promotional materials related to Operation Orange Ribbon, a Cincinnati-based patriotic organization that distributed orange ribbons and bows as a means of showing support for the men and women serving in the Persian Gulf War. Also includes war letters written by Ronald W. Hamilton to Jean Warman, his mother; war letters from Samuel Herrera, a pen pal of Warman's during the war; and a group of war letters from other service personnel.

#### SHELF LIST

BOX 1		1990-1992	141 items
Folder 1	Descriptive Inventory		1 item
Folder 2	Jean Warman - Correspondence concerning the collection	1991-1992	5 items

Folder 3	Ronald W. Hamilton - Letters from	1990-1991	16 items
Folder 4	Samuel Herrera - Letters from	1990-1991	6 items
Folder 5	Jean Warman - Letters from service personnel and their family members	1990-1991	11 items
Folder 6	Operation Orange Ribbon - Materials	1991	12 items
Folder 7	Operation Orange Ribbon - Clippings	1990-1991	90 items

### **BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD**

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> Desert Storm letters (33) from several Persian Gulf War service personnel, particularly Warman's son, Ron W. Hamilton, and a pen pal, Samuel Herrera. Includes promotional material and newspaper clippings related to Operation Orange Ribbon, a Cincinnati-based organization that demonstrated support for those serving in the war.

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## SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Bush, George Herbert, b. 1924 B1,F7 Hamilton, Ronald William, b.1957 B1,F3

Hamilton, Ronald William, b.1957 - Photos, 1991 B1,F3

Herrera, Samuel B1,F4

Herrera, Samuel - Photos, 1991 B1,F4 Lambing, Ellen – Photos, 1991 B1.F6

Lambing, Ellen – Relating to, 1991 B1,F6&7

Operation Orange Ribbon - Persian Gulf War, 1991 - Cincinnati, Ohio, 1990-1991 B1.F6&7

**Patriotism** 

Persian Gulf War, 1991 – Military life B1,F3-5

Soldiers, 1991 B1,F3-5

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