

Western Kentucky University

TopSCHOLAR®

Folklife Archives Finding Aids

Folklife Archives

8-27-2019

Feintuch, Burt, 1949-2018 (FA 1315)

Manuscripts & Folklife Archives

Western Kentucky University, mssfa@wku.edu

Follow this and additional works at: https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_fa_fin_aid



Part of the [Folklore Commons](#), and the [Music Commons](#)

Recommended Citation

Folklife Archives, Manuscripts &, "Feintuch, Burt, 1949-2018 (FA 1315)" (2019). *Folklife Archives Finding Aids*. Paper 1392.

https://digitalcommons.wku.edu/dlsc_fa_fin_aid/1392

This Finding Aid is brought to you for free and open access by TopSCHOLAR®. It has been accepted for inclusion in Folklife Archives Finding Aids by an authorized administrator of TopSCHOLAR®. For more information, please contact topscholar@wku.edu.

Manuscripts & Folklife Archives
 Department of Library Special Collections
 Western Kentucky University
 Bowling Green, KY 42101-1092

Descriptive Inventory

FA 1315 FEINTUCH, Burt, 1949-2018

4 boxes. 106 folders. 285 items. 1977-1985. Originals, typescripts, reel-to-reel audio tapes, and cassette tapes.

1985.203.1

COLLECTION NOTE

Burt Feintuch taught folk studies at Western Kentucky University from 1975 to 1988. The materials in this collection relate to his work at WKU and particularly his music recording field work, which chiefly included gospel music and fiddle tunes from south central and western Kentucky. Box 1 contains a folder of information related to the folklife festival held at the 1982 World's Fair held in Knoxville, Tennessee. It includes a promotional pamphlet and a copy of a report from the American Folklife Center at the Library of Congress titled "Preliminary Guidelines and Recommendations for Folklife Presentations" prepared by Mick Moloney. Folders 3-7 relate to planning and executing a statewide folklore panel sponsored by the Kentucky Center for the Arts. The first Kentucky Folklife Celebration was held at the Kentucky Center for the Arts in Louisville in Western Kentucky University in June 1984. Folders 8-11 contain information about the "Kentucky Folk Project" which was a data and recording collection endeavor. These folders contain tape logs for student field workers who recorded musical performances or interviews with Kentuckians about folkways. The fieldwork culminated in a multi-venue exhibit titled "Patterns Between the Rivers: Tradition in North Central Kentucky." Folders 12-27 contain information related to papers presented at the "Folklife and the Public Sector: Assessment and Prognosis" conference held at Western Kentucky University in April 1985.

Box 2 includes the manuscript (Folder 1) and page proofs (Folders 2-3) for Feintuch's book *Kentucky Folkmusic: An Annotated Bibliography* which was published by the University Press of Kentucky in 1985.

The remainder of the collection consists of audio recordings, chiefly musical performances. These recordings are chiefly of gospel music concerts or church services and old fiddle tunes or fiddle contests.

SHELF LIST

BOX 1	Program Files	1981-1985	142 items
Folder 1	Inventory	1981	2 items

Folder 2	1982 World's Fair folklife festival planning report and program	1981-1982	2 items
Folder 3	Correspondence	1982; 1985	3 items
Folder 4	Kentucky Center for the Arts – 1983-84 Folk Arts program and preliminary press releases	1983	2 items
Folder 5	NEA grant proposal for Director of Folk Arts and the Folk Arts Program for July 1984 – June 1985	1984	1 item
Folder 6	First Annual Kentucky Folklife Celebration: Letter and Kentucky Humanities Council and National Endowment for the Arts Grant Proposals	1984	3 items
Folder 7	First Annual Kentucky Folklife Celebration program, correspondence, news clippings and flyer	1984	16 items
Folder 8	Kentucky Folk Project, 1984-1985 – Indexes and update	1985	3 items
Folder 9	Kentucky Folk Project, 1984-1985 – Gregory Hansen's recording logs (numbered GH-85-19 to GH-85-31)	1985	13 items
Folder 10	Kentucky Folk Project, 1984-85 – Ann Taft's recording logs (numbered AT-85-1 to AT-85-23 – missing AT-85-4; AT-85-17)	1985	21 items
Folder 11	"Patterns Between the Rivers" – Folklife Exhibit, press articles and correspondence	1985	4 items
Folder 12	"Folklife and The Public Sector: Assessment and Prognosis" Conference at WKU, April 1985; and related papers	1985	8 items
Folder 13	"Folklife and The Public Sector" preliminary programs	1984	4 items
Folder 14	"Folklife and The Public Sector" rejected proposals for papers	1984	5 items
Folder 15	"Folklife and The Public Sector" Session 1, "Precepts and Platitudes in Public Programs"	1984	4 items
Folder 16	"Folklife and The Public Sector" Session 2, "Public Presentations: Rationales and Implications"	1984-1985	4 items

Folder 17	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 3, “Case Studies: National Programs and Policies”	1984	4 items
Folder 18	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 4, “Folklife and Education”	1984-1985	5 items
Folder 19	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 5A, “Folk Art Research and Programming: A Case Study of McKissick Museums	1985	1 item
Folder 20	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 5B, “Curricula and Careers”	1984-1985	5 items
Folder 21	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 6, “The Impact of Public Programs on Traditional Communities”	1984-1985	5 items
Folder 22	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 7, “State Folklife Programs: Development and Implications”	1984-1985	5 items
Folder 23	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 8, “The Anatomy of Cultural Conservation”	1982-1985	7 items
Folder 24	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 9A, “Establishing A State Folklife Office: A Case Study From Florida”	1984-1985	2 items
Folder 25	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 9B, “The Tennessee Community Heritage Project”	1985	5 items
Folder 26	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 10, “Public Programs and Cultural Change”	1984-1985	5 items
Folder 27	“Folklife and The Public Sector” Session 11, “Folklife and The Public Sector: Assessment and Prognosis”	1984-1985	3 items
BOX 2	<i>Kentucky Folkmusic</i>	1985	2 items
Folder 1	<i>Kentucky Folkmusic</i> – Manuscript	1985	1 item
Folder 2	<i>Kentucky Folkmusic</i> – Page proof, pages 1-100	1985	1 item (partial)
Folder 3	<i>Kentucky Folkmusic</i> – Page proof, pages 101-224	1985	1 item (partial)

BOX 3	Recordings	1976-1978	19 items
Folder 1	John Wesley Townsend, Russellville, Kentucky	1978	8 items
Folder 2	John Wesley Townsend, Russellville, Kentucky	1978	8 items
Folder 3	The Walker Family, Nobob, Kentucky	1976	3 items
BOX 4	Recordings	1977-1980	104 items
Folder 1	The Cross Family, Russellville, Kentucky	1979	3 items
Folder 2	The Cross Family #1, Mt. Union Baptist Church, Smiths Grove, Kentucky	1980	2 items
Folder 3	The Cross Family #2, Mt. Union Baptist Church, Smiths Grove, Kentucky	1980	2 items
Folder 4	The Cross Family #2 and The United Brotherhood Men's Choir, Mt. Union Baptist Church, Smiths Grove, Kentucky	1980	2 items
Folder 5	The Cross Family #1, Mt. Union Baptist Church, Smiths Grove, Kentucky	1980	2 items
Folder 6	Benton Shape Note Convention, Benton, Kentucky	1979	4 items
Folder 7	Archie Green – "Folklore and the Public Sector" lecture, Western Kentucky University, Bowling Green, Kentucky	1977	4 items
Folder 8	Fiddler's Contest, Etoile, Kentucky	1978	2 items
Folder 9	Jesus' Name Temple Pentecostal Church, Bowling Green, Kentucky (Archived tapes T-1232 through T-1236)	1980	8 items
Folder 10	The Cross Family #1 and #2, WKMS-FM, Murray, Kentucky (Archived tapes T-1061, T-1062)	1979	4 items
Folder 11	Mattie Baldry, Adairville, Kentucky	1980	4 items
Folder 12	Peanut Cantrell, McMinnville, Tennessee	1977	6 items
Folder 13	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1002)	1979	1 item
Folder 14	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1003)	1979	1 item

Folder 15	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1004)	1979	1 item
Folder 16	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1005)	1979	1 item
Folder 17	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1006)	1979	1 item
Folder 18	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1007)	1979	1 item
Folder 19	Western Kentucky Fiddle Championship (T-1008)	1979	1 item
Folder 20	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky. (T-1009)	1979	1 item
Folder 21	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky (T-1010)	1979	1 item
Folder 22	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky (T-1011)	1979	1 item
Folder 23	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky (T-1012)	1979	1 item
Folder 24	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky (T-1013)	1979	1 item
Folder 25	Keysburg Baptist Church, Keysburg (Logan County), Kentucky (T-1014)	1979	1 item
Folder 26	The Cross Family #1 of 4 tapes, at a singing at The First Born Church of the Living God, Franklin, Kentucky (T-1015)	1979	1 item
Folder 27	The Cross Family #2 of 4 tapes, at a singing at The First Born Church of the Living God, Franklin, Kentucky (T-1016)	1979	1 item
Folder 28	The Cross Family #3 of 4 tapes, at a singing at The First Born Church of the Living God, Franklin, Kentucky (T-1017)	1979	1 item
Folder 29	The Cross Family #4 of 4 tapes, at a singing at The First Born Church of the Living God, Franklin, Kentucky (T-1018)	1979	1 item
Folder 30	The Cross Family of Russellville, #1 of 2, Kentucky (T-1019)	1979	1 item

Folder 31	The Cross Family of Russellville, #2 of 2, Kentucky (T-1020)	1979	1 item
Folder 32	Carl and Mary Monday, Monroe County, Kentucky, [Isham Monday]; Anna Lee Maxey, Tompkinsville, Kentucky, [Uncle John Graves] (T-1021)	1978	1 item
Folder 33	Street Butler Interview #1 of 3 tapes, Todd County, Kentucky (T-1026)	1977	1 item
Folder 34	Street Butler Interview #2 of 3 tapes, Todd County, Kentucky (T-1027)	1977	1 item
Folder 35	Street Butler Interview #3 of 3 tapes, Todd County, Kentucky (T-1028)	1977	1 item
Folder 36	Joel Ed and Annie Chelf, #1 of 3 tapes, Magnolia, Kentucky (T-1029)	1977	1 item
Folder 37	J.E. and Annie Chelf, #2 of 3 tapes, Magnolia, Kentucky (T-1030)	1977	1 item
Folder 38	J.E. and Annie Chelf, #3 of 3 tapes, Magnolia, Kentucky (T-1031)	1977	1 item
Folder 39	Clorine Lawson, #1 of 2 tapes, Barren County, Kentucky (T-1032)	1977	1 item
Folder 40	Clorine Lawson, #2 of 2 tapes, Barren County, Kentucky (T-1033)	1977	1 item
Folder 41	Robert "Bud" Garrett, #1 of 3 tapes, Celina, Tennessee (T-1034)	1977	1 item
Folder 42	Robert "Bud" Garrett, #2 of 3 tapes, Celina, Tennessee (T-1035)	1977	1 item
Folder 43	Robert "Bud" Garrett, #3 of 3 tapes, Celina, Tennessee (T-1036)	1977	1 item
Folder 44	Gladys Pace, Barren County, Kentucky (T-1037)	1977	1 item
Folder 45	Mose Rager, #1 of 3 tapes, Drakesboro, Kentucky (T-1038)	1977	1 item

Folder 46	Mose Rager, #2 of 3 tapes, Drakesboro, Kentucky (T-1039)	1977	1 item
Folder 47	Mose Rager, #3 of 3 tapes, Drakesboro, Kentucky (T-1040)	1977	1 item
Folder 48	Taylor Chapel A.M.E. Church, Prayer service and revival, #1 of 4 tapes, Bowling Green, Kentucky (T-1041)	1977	1 item
Folder 49	Taylor Chapel A.M.E. Church, Prayer service and revival, #2 of 4 tapes, Bowling Green, Kentucky (T-1042)	1977	1 item
Folder 50	Taylor Chapel A.M.E. Church, Prayer service and revival, #3 of 4 tapes, Bowling Green, Kentucky (T-1043)	1977	1 item
Folder 51	Taylor Chapel A.M.E. Church, Prayer service and revival, #4 of 4 tapes, Bowling Green, Kentucky (T-1044)	1977	1 item
Folder 52	The Walker Family, #1 of 4 tapes, Summer Shade, Kentucky (Formerly of Nobob) (T-1045)	1977	1 item
Folder 53	The Walker Family, #2 of 4 tapes, Summer Shade, Kentucky (Formerly of Nobob) (T-1046)	1977	1 item
Folder 54	The Walker Family, #3 of 4 tapes, Summer Shade, Kentucky (Formerly of Nobob) (T-1047)	1977	1 item
Folder 55	The Walker Family, #4 of 4 tapes, Summer Shade, Kentucky (Formerly of Nobob) (T-1048)	1977	1 item
Folder 56	Gusty Wallace, with Skip Walker guitar, #1 of 2 tapes, Sulphur Well, Kentucky (T-1049)	1977	1 item
Folder 57	Gusty Wallace, #2 of 2 tapes, Sulphur Well, Kentucky (T-1050)	1977	1 item
Folder 58	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #1 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1225)	1979	1 item
Folder 59	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #2 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1226)	1979	1 item

Folder 60	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #3 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1227)	1979	1 item
Folder 61	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #4 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1228)	1979	1 item
Folder 62	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #5 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1229)	1979	1 item
Folder 63	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #6 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1230)	1979	1 item
Folder 64	The Cross Family, Fifth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #7 of 7 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1231)	1979	1 item
Folder 65	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #1 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1243)	1980	1 item
Folder 66	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #2 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1244)	1980	1 item
Folder 67	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #3 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1245)	1980	1 item
Folder 68	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #4 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1246)	1980	1 item
Folder 69	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #5 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1247)	1980	1 item
Folder 70	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #6 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1248)	1980	1 item
Folder 71	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #7 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1249)	1980	1 item
Folder 72	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #8 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1250)	1980	1 item
Folder 73	The Cross Family's Sixth Anniversary, Keysburg Baptist Church, #9 of 9 tapes, Keysburg, Kentucky (T-1251)	1980	1 item

BIBLIOGRAPHIC RECORD

FA FEINTUCH, Burt, 1949-2018 1977-1985
1315

Collection of folklife and folk arts by Burt Feintuch, ethnographer of traditional music and professor of folk studies at Western Kentucky University (WKU) from 1975 to 1988. Includes the session materials from the Folklife and the Public Sector: Assessment and Prognosis Conference at WKU, 1985, along with the manuscript and proof pages from his book *Kentucky Folkmusic*. Recordings of musicians and singers and interviews with the same in Barren, LaRue, Logan, Marshall, Metcalfe, Monroe, Muhlenburg, Todd, and Warren counties in Kentucky and Warren County, Tennessee.

4 boxes. 106 folders. 285 items. Originals, typescripts, reel-to-reel audio tapes, and cassette tapes.

1985.203.1

SUBJECT ANALYTICS

Baldry, Mattie (Thomas) Crumbold, 1895-1993 (Informant) B4,F11
 Big Singing – Benton, 1979 B4,F6
 Blues music B3,F1-2
 Butler, Street (Informant) B4,F34-35
 Cantrell, James Richard “Peanut,” 1897-1991 (Informant) B4,F12
 Chelf, Annie E. (Druen), 1896-1988 (Informant) B4,F36-38
 Chelf, Joel Edward, 1887-1987 (Informant) B4,F36-38
 Churches – Logan County B4,F20-25,58-73
 Churches – Warren County B4,F2-5,9,50-51
 Cross Family (musical group) B4,F1-5,10, 26-31,58-73
 Fiddle tunes B4,F8,14-19
 Folk music
 Folklife and the Public Sector: Assessment and Prognosis (conference) – Bowling Green, 1985
 B1,F12-27
 Folklife festivals
 Garrett, Robert “Bud,” 1916-1987 (Informant) B4,F41-43
 Gospel music
 Graves, John T., 1856-1934 – Relating to B4,F32
 Green, Archie, 1917-2009 (Informant) B4,F7
 Hansen, Gregory Alfred (Collector) B1,F9
 Jesus’ Name Temple Pentecostal Church – Bowling Green B4,F9
 Kentucky Center for the Arts – Louisville – Relating to B1,F3-11
Kentucky Folkmusic: An Annotated Bibliography – Relating to B2,F1-3
 Keysburg Baptist Church – Keysburg – Relating to B4,F20-25,58-73

Lawson, Clorine (Jones), 1917-2017 (Informant) B4,F39-40
 Maxey, Ann Lee (Informant) B4,F32
 Monday, Carl Eugene, 1915-1990 (Informant) B4,F32
 Monday, Isham, 1879-1964 – Comments about B4,F32
 Monday, Mary Jane (Carter), 1926-2013 (Informant)
 Mt. Union Baptist Church – Smiths Grove B4,F2-5
 Music and musicians
 Patterns Between the Rivers: Tradition in North Central Kentucky (exhibition), 1985
 B1,F8-11
 Public folklore
 Public folklore – Florida – Relating to B1,F24
 Rager, Moses “Mose,” 1911-1986 (Informant) B4,F45-47
 Shape note singing – Marshall County B4,F6
 Taft, Ann Celine (Collector) B1,F10
 Taylor Chapel A.M.E. Church – Bowling Green B4,F50-51
 Tennessee Community Heritage Program – Comments about B1,F25
 Townsend, John Wesley (Informant) B3,F1-2
 Walker Family (musical group) B3,F3; B4,F52-55
 Wallace, Robert Gustavus “Gusty,” 1890-1984 (Informant) B4,F56-67
 World’s Fair of 1982 – Knoxville, Tennessee B1,F2

Smith/Jeffrey 08/27/2019