Summary

Creator: Nichols, Jack

Title: Jack Nichols papers

Date: 1962-1994

Size: .6 linear feet (2 boxes)

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Abstract: Jack Nichols is a gay activist and senior editor of the online daily newspaper Gay Today. He was co-editor of Gay (one of the earliest gay newsweeklies) and is the author of numerous books and articles including The Gay Agenda: Talking Back To The Fundamentalists, Men's Liberation, Welcome to Fire Island, and co-author, with his late lover Lige Clarke, of I Have More Fun With You Than Anybody, and Roommates Can't Always Be Lovers. Collection consists of correspondence, photocopies of manuscripts, photographs, and printed matter. Correspondence, 1965-1973, includes letters to Nichols and Clarke; and copies are of autobiographical notes and Nichols's serial autobiography. Also, photographs, ephemera, and clippings of news articles about Nichols and Clarke and columns they wrote for gay periodicals.

Access: Advance notice required.

Conditions Governing Access:
Selected letters closed until 2047.

Preferred citation: Jack Nichols papers, Manuscripts and Archives Division, The New York Public Library

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**Key Terms**

**Occupations**
Authors
Journalists

**Titles**
Gay (Periodical)

**Subjects**
Gay activists
Gay men
Homosexuality

**Genre/Physical Characteristic**
Photographic prints

**Names**
Nichols, Jack
Clarke, Lige
Lindsay, John V. (John Vliet)
Russell, Bertrand, 1872-1970