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Guide to the
Eudora Welty correspondence with William Jovanovich

1964-1989

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Summary

Creator: Welty, Eudora, 1909-2001

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Abstract: Collection consists of correspondence between Eudora Welty and her publisher, William Jovanovich. Also included is correspondence between Jovanovich and Vanderbilt professor Michael Kreyling.

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Creator history

Eudora Welty (1909-2001) was an American author of short stories and novels about the American South. William Jovanovich was an American publisher and president of Harcourt Brace Jovanovich.

Scope and content note

Collection consists of correspondence between Eudora Welty and William Jovanovich. Topics discussed include her work on the books *The Shoe Bird* (1964), *Moon Lake and Other Stories* (1980), and *Collected Stories* (1982); a book party held for Welty at the St. Regis Hotel; and her National Book Award received in 1983. Also included is correspondence between Jovanovich and Vanderbilt professor Michael Kreyling regarding Kreyling's book *Author and Agent: Eudora Welty and Diarmuid Russell*.

Key terms

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Welty, Eudora, 1909-2001