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ABSTRACT

INTERVIEWEE NAME: Patricia Prater Rubit

COLLECTION: 4700.2500

IDENTIFICATION: Mossville resident

INTERVIEWER: Teresha Ussin

SERIES: Mossville History Project - Oral History Day

INTERVIEW DATES: January 23, 2015

FOCUS DATES: 1950s-1980s

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Tape 4418

Born March 17, 1947 at Saint Patrick's hospital in Lake Charles, Louisiana; father was Elwood Prater, Sr.; her mother was Ester Mae Vincent; lists grandparents and great-grandparents; earliest memories of Mossville; family move in 1965 to San Francisco, California for educational opportunities; history of Mt. Zion Baptist Church; entertainment options for the youth; her work in San Francisco at Pacific Bell; changes she saw in the community upon her return; the positive qualities the community had, such as harmony, togetherness, and pride.

TAPES: 1 (T4418)

TOTAL PLAYING TIME: 14 minutes

PAGES: 2 pages index; 11 pages transcript

PHOTOGRAPHS / PHOTOGRAPHER: Two photographs taken during interview, including one with interviewer Ussin. Photographer Kyle Tanglao.

OTHER MATERIALS: Biographical data form; Interview questions (2 pgs); Correspondence

RESTRICTIONS: none