ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION

MAIN ENTRY: Azar, Mary Virginia Still

DATE OF INTERVIEW: February 17, 2004

LOCATION OF INTERVIEW: Albuquerque, New Mexic (via Telephone)

INTERVIEWER: Daniel Sanchez

FORMAT: CD

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER: 3159 2121 3081

LENGTH OF INTERVIEW: 57 minutes

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE: Azar shares her interest and progress in sports

throughout her life. Also offers comparisons of the sports when she was growing up to how they are

played now.

ABSTRACT:

CD ONE TIME STAMP

Introduction 00

Background

Parents Siblings Father Mother

Childhood

Interest in sports Basketball & Tennis

College

Jr. High & High School sports

Basketball

Coach Fred Henson at Meadow Traveling with senior team

Lincoln High School Competitiveness Half court Basketball

Successes	
Rankin High School	
Girls Basketball	
Other Sports	
Cheerleading	
Tennis	
High School to College transition	
Basketball	
Tennis	
Tech	
Intramurals	
Jr & Senior Year Fencing	
Going out for the team	
Fencing credit class	
Fencing Team begins	
Competition teams	
Men competition teams	
Personal style & strategy	20
Wins	
Team member relations	
Travelling	
Recognition	
Ft. Worth Star Telegram	
Scrapbook	
Donated picture to sports bar in Albuquerque, New Mexico	
Balancing fencing and academics	
Campus support	
Fencing credit class	
Old Gym	
Dorm	30
Adult athletic career	
Adult Life	
First job	
Family	
Playing volleyball & tennis	
Coaching	
El Dorado Volleyball	
Volleyball clinic	
Pro Volleyball team in Albuquerque	
Return to volleyball	
Albuquerque Leagues	
Coaching volleyball	
Tennis	
Children playing sports	
Challenges of playing volleyball as an adult	39
Tournaments with the league	

Famous players	
Challenges of playing tennis as an adult	
Pro female tennis players	
Personal thoughts on women pursuing professional levels	
Granddaughters	
Audience numbers	
Texas women's sports vs. New Mexico women's sports	
Half-court basketball vs. full-court basketball	
Level of Competition	
Current interest in sports	
Grandchildren's interest in sports	49
Soccer	
Women in sports	
Height restrictions	
Granddaughters	
Triplet granddaughters	
Husband's sports	
Parents influence	55

DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT: 1932

GENDER OF INFORMANT: Female

ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT: