

ORAL HISTORY COLLECTION

MAIN ENTRY: Surhoff, William James "B.J."

DATE OF INTERVIEW: July 1, 2010

LOCATION OF INTERVIEW: Lubbock, Texas

INTERVIEWER: Henry Crawford

FORMAT: File on Server, MiniDV

IDENTIFICATION NUMBER:

LENGTH OF INTERVIEW: 41 minutes

SCOPE AND CONTENT NOTE: William Surhoff talks about his baseball career. He also shares some of his experiences playing in Minor and Major league tournaments. This interview was conducted during the College Baseball Foundation's Hall of Fame (HOF) induction in Lubbock, Texas.

ABSTRACT:

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TIME STAMP

Background

0:00

Born in Bronx, New York
Mother is from Connecticut
Sibling's information
Family and children information
High school and Baseball

University of North Carolina, Chapel Hill

Baseball team
Degree in Sports Management

Baseball

0:09

Positions he played on the diamond
Coaches and managers
Learned from coaches

Minor league and Triple-A	
Baseball (continued)	0:20
Travelling	
Seniors and Co-players	
Biggest challenge	
Adjustments to his play	
Managers	0:30
All of them were critical to team's success	
Dealing with Press	
Ballparks	
Milwaukee	
Favorite three ball parks	
Final Comments	0:40
Honored to be inducted in Baseball Hall of Fame	
Interview ended	

DATE OF BIRTH OF INFORMANT: 1964

GENDER OF INFORMANT: Male

ETHNICITY OF INFORMANT: