



## Collection Summary

### Title

Marks Family Bible

### Date

1849-1950

### Extent

1 archival box

### Name and Location of Repository

Midwest Genealogy Center, Independence (Mo.)

Reference code: MGC 1196-MFB

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### Name of Creator

Nellie Oleta (Griffitts) Marks

### Biographical History

Nellie Aleta Griffitts, the daughter of Perry Griffitts and Jessie Fender, was born on October 22, 1908 in Brighton, Missouri. She married Abner Jefferson Marks in Springfield, Missouri on December 11, 1926. She later married Joseph Allison Loven. Nellie died on April 12, 1989 and is buried in Brighton Cemetery.

### Scope and Content

This collection consists of the family Bible for Nellie Oleta Griffitts and Abner Jefferson Marks. The cover and some of the pages of the Bible are missing, but the family records sheets within the Bible are complete. This Bible contains some birth, death and marriage information for parents and grandparents as well as children. Dates were recorded in the family bible as late as the 1950. The names and dates were written at different times and in various handwriting.



## Collection Inventory

### System of Arrangement

These records are arranged in 1 series.

#### Series 1, Bible

Item 1, Family record sheets [scanned]

Item 2, Bible

## Rights and Access

### Conditions Governing Access

The collection is open for research use by appointment.

### Physical Access

The Bible is secured with cotton tying tape and wrapped in acid-free tissue paper.

### Conditions Governing Reproduction and Use

Permission to publish, quote, or reproduce must be secured from the Midwest Genealogy Center.

### Languages and Scripts of the Material

Materials in the collection are entirely in English.

### Immediate Source of Acquisition

This collection was donated by the Ozarks Genealogical Society.

### Accruals

No further accruals are expected for this collection.

### Existence and Location of Originals

Originals owned by the Midwest Genealogy Center.

### Notes

The following sources were consulted during the preparation of the biographical history:

- *Find A Grave*. Find A Grave. <http://www.findagrave.com>.