

Elder Video Catalog			
Name:	Mary Jourdan	Accession #:	OHE-23-24-25
Date:		Length:	P1-22.5 P2-29.05 P3-4
Description			
Boarding School ☐ Military ☐ Government ☐ Language ☐ Gaming ☐			
DOB: 1911 Place of Birth: Town of Hobart Mother: Lavina (Doxtator) Father : Wittey Powless Siblings: 3 sisters and 4 brothers Julia, Lillia, Edmond, Eli, Robert, and Irene Grandparents: Henry and Electa Doxtator Spouse: Children: 13 children- Barbra, Virgil, Ronald, Evon, Patricia, Kenneth, Judy, Henratti, Henry Jr, Tracey, John, Charles, and Diane <u>Additional Information</u> Her and her siblings were all born with in their home. Lavina, her mother, died when Mary was just one and a half years old. Her grandfather lost his land due to taxes, and worked on tax free land. Mary spoke Oneida. When she was about nine years old, she went to Tomah school for a year, and came back home. She returned to Tomah when she was 11 years old. Mary quit school in seventh grade. Her grandmother mad baskets, corn soup, and corn bread. Green Bay University had paper work on the taxes. Mary got married when she was 19 years old. In her lifetime she traveled to New York and Canada. She belonged to an Episcopal church. She was a part of the Senior Gill and Junior Gill. This is where she made quilts. Mary also taught the Oneida language for 12 years. She notes to Oneida Nation to join in on what Oneidas are doing. Her advice is to be honest, hospitable, help people, and not look down on people.			
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