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### Gailyn Van Rheenen Papers, 1972-2016

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**Gailyn Van Rheenen  
Papers, (1972-2016)**

Center for Restoration Studies  
Manuscripts #455

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## **About this collection**

**Title:** Gailyn Van Rheenen Papers

**Creator:** Gailyn Van Rheenen

**Identifier/Call Number:** Center for Restoration Studies Manuscripts #455

**Physical Description:** 2 linear feet (2 boxes)

**Dates (Inclusive):** 1972-2016

**Dates (Bulk):** 1972-2016

**Location:** Center for Restoration Studies

**Language of Materials:** English, Kipsigis, and Kalenjin

**Scope and Content Note:** This collection includes newsletters, notes, correspondence, and photographs related to Van Rheenen's mission efforts in East Africa. There are also African wood carvings, paintings, and spears.

### **Administrative Information**

**Immediate Source of Acquisition:** Gailyn Van Rheenen

**Date of Acquisition:** March 2017

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**Accessioned by:** Brady Cox

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### **Subjects and Keywords**

Churches of Christ -- History -- 20<sup>th</sup> century

Africa

Missions

Artifacts

Photographs

## **Inventory**

### **Box 1**

[First Folder] Finding Aid

*Kipsigis Kommunique*, 1982-1989

Journal notes about the Bible in Kipsigis

Annotated Kalenjin Bible

Mission Alive - Newsletters, brochures, and workshop materials, 2005-2016

Correspondence, trip reports, journals

### **Box 2 and oversized materials**

African Mission Fellowship photograph album

Five wood carvings, two paintings, two spears, two spear heads, a water jug, and a basket

One of the carvings, the two paintings, the two spears, and two spear heads are located in oversized storage