



Daisy Hodge recalled life in Placedo, the Depression, WWII and the Pleasant Green Home Demonstration Club.



Felix Rivera recalled his Hispanic heritage as a life-long Victoria County resident and his work at the U.S. Post Office in Victoria.

The Victoria County Historical Commission seeks to capture the memories of Victoria County in a multicultural oral history project which combines audio taped interviews and photos.

Interviews, photos and other memorabilia are archived in the Victoria Regional History Center in the Victoria College-University of Houston-Victoria Library and the Victoria County Archives.

Participants are assured that their recorded recollections of times past will be used in a scholarly and ethical manner.

You are invited ...

To become a part of Victoria County's legacy. Your referrals are welcome. Please contact:

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Or any member of the Victoria County Historical Commission

A speaker and PowerPoint presentation are available for your club or organization.

Victoria County Historical Commission Oral History Project



Each year Victoria County loses many of its most valuable residents. Their memories of long-ago events, places and people—recorded by the Victoria County Historical Commission—will be a treasure for future generations.



Many participants allow family photos to be copied for our files.



Patsy Hand described growing up on McFaddin Ranch and being a boarder at Nazareth Academy.



Joseph Wyatt Sr. recalled his long association with The Victoria Rosebuds, an early Victoria baseball team.

Jerry Patton described his experiences in World War II at Foster Field and Ball Airport.



Jessie Brigham recalled Becky Lack Day Care Center, Hopkins School and her late husband, Floyd Brigham.

Please contact me: I would like to participate by giving an oral history interview:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____

I am recommending this person for an oral history interview:

Name: _____

Address: _____

Phone: _____

E-mail: _____