

**Title:** Glazer, Frank Collection

**Reference Code:** Mss-2657

**Inclusive Dates:** 1949 – 2015

**Quantity:** 0.03 cu. ft.

**Location:** Sm Mss

**Abstract:** Frank Glazer was one of the most renowned pianists of his time. He was born in Chester, Wisconsin, in February 1915, the sixth child of Jewish immigrants from Lithuania. The family moved to Milwaukee in 1919, where Frank began his piano lessons at age four. When he was 17, he traveled to Germany to study with Artur Schnabel and, when he returned to the U.S., with Arnold Schoenberg. He earned a reputation as a piano virtuoso, performing around the world with leading orchestras such as the New York Philharmonic and Boston Symphony Orchestra. He was a faculty member of the Eastman School of Music for 15 years and was Artist-in-Residence at Bates College. He passed away in January 2015, just weeks shy of his 100<sup>th</sup> birthday.

**Scope and Content:** The collection consists of newspaper clippings, concert programs, brochures, correspondence, obituaries and other ephemera.

**Access and Use:** No restrictions

**Language:** English

**Notes:** The collection was donated by the Peck School of the Arts, University of Wisconsin-Milwaukee, June 2018.