

Collection Summary

ID Number: CS 003

Title: Abode of the Message

Extent: 11 Folder(s)

Span Dates: 1976 – 2008

Language: English

Geographic Location: New Lebanon, New York

Abstract: This collection consists of a description of the community submitted to the Fellowship for Intentional Community and some writings and pamphlets from the community. It includes material on the Omega Institute for Holistic Studies and photographs of the Worship Hall from the community taken in 1980. Photographs of the community can be found at:

<http://digitalarchives.usi.edu/digital/collection/CSIC/search/searchterm/abode%20of%20the%20message>

Selected Search Terms

Subjects: Communal living; Collective settlements; Housing, Cooperative; Collective farms; Commune; Sufism

Historical Notes: The Abode of the Message was founded in 1975 and serves as the headquarters of Sufi Order International North America and main campus of Suluk Academy. The Abode of the Message was established as an in-residence, economically self-sustaining spiritual community for the purpose of promoting the religious teachings of the Sufi Order." It is located on the grounds of and utilizes some of the buildings of the Mount Lebanon Shaker Village in New Lebanon, NY. <http://www.theabode.org/>

Administrative Information

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Articles, publications, announcements	1976-1987	Folder 2	Filing Cabinet 11-A
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Conference and Program Guides	1978-2008	Folder 6	Filing Cabinet 11-A
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