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## Midcoast Friends Meeting Records

1964-2009

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## Background on Midcoast Friends Meeting

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As part of Vassalboro Quarterly Meeting from its inception, Midcoast has cared for worship grounds in Camden (1972-1978, Megunticook since 1985), Damariscotta (1969-1977), Orland (1972-1979), and at the prison in Thomaston (1996-present). Orland was set off as Narramissic Valley Monthly Meeting in 1979.

## Scope of collection

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Abbie Loring in Cape Cod Quaker attire, ca.1930.

Photo by Alton H. Blackington

## Inventory

Minutes

1964-2009

Midcoast Monthly

1964-1971

Box 1: 1

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1972-1977

Box 1: 2

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1978-1980

Box 1: 3

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1981-1984

Box 1: 4

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1985-1987

Box 1: 5

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1988-1990

Box 1: 6

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1991-1993

Box 1: 7

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1994

Box 1: 8

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1995-1996

Box 1: 9

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1997

Box 1: 10

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1998

Box 1: 11

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

1999

Box 1: 12

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2000

Box 2: 1

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2001

Box 2: 2

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2003

Box 2: 3

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2004-2006

Box 2: 4

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2007-2008

Box 2: 5

(11:C4)

Midcoast Monthly

2009

Box 2: 6

(11:C4)

Camden-Mid-Coast Monthly: Minutes  
1974-1983  
Bound vol.  
09:A3

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## Administrative information

### Access

The collection is open for research.

### Provenance

Gift of the New England Yearly Meeting of Friends Records, March 2016.

### Related Material

This collection is part of the [New England Yearly Meeting Records](#).

### Current contact for the meeting

[Midcoast Friends Meeting website](#) (accessed Nov. 2018).

### Processing Information

Processed by I. Eliot Wentworth, October 2018.

### Language:

English

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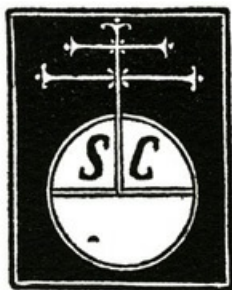
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