

CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM

- I. Sermon Transcripts
- II. Transcripts of Personal Histories
- III. Life of Jim Jones: episodes and anecdotes
 - A. As told by Jim Jones himself
 - B. As told by others (Lynetta, Marceline, Jack)
- IV. History of Peoples Temple
 - A. As told by Jim Jones
 - B. As told by others (memories, reflections)
 - C. Documents: articles, memorabilia, etc. *(need to sub categorize)*
- VI. Testimonies by general public: letters, statements, etc.
- VII. Conspiracy materials - documents, writings, articles, letters, etc.
- VIII. Healing testimonies: include personal healings, stories of a supernatural or extra-ordinary nature
- IX. Guyana community - current and history of community, crises

Peoples Forum: Under 4C
 Diary of Guyana community - ~~VII~~ IX

Life of Jim Jones - breakdown: (under III A and IV B)

- 1 -childhood
- 2 -Indianapolis years
- 3 -Redwood Valley Years
- 4 -San Francisco years
- 5 -Exodus and Guyana

Statements about Jim Jones and Peoples Temple of a General Nature
 by Members (separate category) (V)

In each folder of classification, place a sheet that details the documents within that folder for reference. If an item would apply to another category, so designate by code of the other category.

Keep a running diary on the community.

Include recent developments and details, plus documentation, of efforts against us by conspiracy.

Number and code EACH AND EVERY DOCUMENT - keep a separate index.
 Code the classification first, then the document number, then the nature of the document.

CORRESPONDENCE

PETITIONS

NEWS ARTICLES - check to see that this is being done in US - Laurie

PHOTOGRAPHS

GLACY'S DEPARTMENT - send back a note on this

TAPES BEING MADE HERE - check with Maria

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Order to proceed:

Basic idea: to transform notes, scriblings, letters, various kinds of peices of paper, tape recordings, etc. into a cbherent system of classified documents.

Secondary procedure: To develop from these classified documents a series of publications. Non-strategic documents should be compiled for publication as papers of Peoples Temple - this would be a compilation of the total scope of the work of Peoples Temple, comprising history, reflections, letters, statements, personal memoirs, photographs, news articles, statements, activities, etc.

Tertiary procedure: To develop several publications drawing from the compiled documents and commentaries, as follows:

- A publication centering around the life and struggle of Jim Jones
- A publication built around a series of autobiographical sketches of various people who are part of the Jonestown community, with appropriate supplementary sections.
- A publication centering around the efforts to destroy the Temple and Jim Jones
- A publication centering around the healing ministry of Jim Jones
- A publication centering around reflective and essay-type writing by several people who are part of Peoples Temple.
- A pictorial study of the Jonestown community
- Annotated compilation of materials concerning the ministry of Rev. Jim Jones - involvement, organization, structure of church, etc. etc.