



Before Oral Collection
 Interview with
 George Bacos
 2004

Interview Description
 This interview was conducted on April 9, 2004, at the National Hellenic Museum, and the interview took place in the oral history room. BACOS, 67 years old, is a retired meat wholesaler and precision inspector. He was born in Greece in 1937, in the village of Koutselas, near the town of Bacoyannis. He is the son of George and Maria Bacos. He has two children, a son and a daughter. He is married to his wife, Maria, who is also of Greek descent. He has been in the United States since 1967, where he has lived in Chicago, Illinois. He has worked for the Cook County Sheriff's Office for many years. He is currently employed as a precision inspector at the University of Chicago. He has a degree in Business Administration from the University of Chicago. He is a member of the National Hellenic Museum and the Greek American Chamber of Commerce. He is also a member of the Holy Trinity Greek Orthodox Church in Chicago. He has a passion for his heritage and is proud to share his story with the oral history collection.

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| OBJECT ID | Bacos, George |
| OBJECT NAME | Oral History |
| LANGUAGE | English |
| OBJECT COLLECTION | National Hellenic Museum Oral History Collection (OH1) (is part of) |
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OBJECT DESCRIPTION

George Bacos. - Last Names: Koutselas; Bacoyannis - Village/City: - Sites/Neighborhoods (in Greece): - Region/Areas: - Transportation: - Occupations (in Greece): - Occupations (in US): wholesale meat dealer; precision inspector; chief inspector - Sites/Neighborhoods (in US): Chicago, Illinois - Historic Events: World War II - Church/Parish: Saint Constantine and Helen Greek Orthodox Church - Locations (point of entry): - Locations (the "spread"): Chicago; Elmwood Cemetery - Residences ("current"): - Year/Decade of migration: - Organizations/Affiliations: Koraeas, parochial school; A.O. Sexton; Englewood High School; swimming team; University of Chicago; Chicago Air College; Bell and Howell; Cook Electric

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