

BAILEY, I. G. (ISAAC GEORGE), 1847-1914.
I.G. Bailey and Thurman family papers, circa 1882-1995

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Abstract: Family papers of African American Baptist minister and church leader, Isaac G. and Susie E. Bailey and their daughter and son-in-law Sue Bailey and Howard Thurman and other members of the Bailey family. The collection tracks the political and religious pursuits of the family through three generations.
Language: Materials entirely in English.

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Collection Description**Biographical Note**

Reverend Isaac George Bailey (1847-1914) was born in Arkansas City to Perry and Virginia Bailey. Educated at Branch Normal College in Pine Bluff, Bailey served as pastor of First Baptist Church in Dermott, Arkansas, and Log Bayou Church in Tillar Station, Arkansas. He also served as president of the Southeast District Industrial Baptist Academy in Dermott and as moderator of the South-East District Baptist Association. Isaac Bailey was a major force within the Arkansas Baptist Convention and worked closely with the National Negro Business League and the Arkansas Baptist College. In 1866, he married Winnie White. They had two children: Charles H. Bailey and Maude Bailey Frazier, who served as assistant principal of the South-East Industrial Academy.

In 1884, Bailey married Susie E. Ford. Susie E. Ford (d. 1948) was the daughter of Elvie, a slave, and T. S. Ford, a Mississippi plantation-owner. Isaac G. and Susie E. Bailey were prominent religious leaders who served as colporteurs for the American Baptist Publication Society, selling Bibles and other religious books throughout Arkansas. Susie Bailey attended Sumner High School and Normal School in St. Louis. She served as president of Southeast District Baptist Women's Association and as an agent for the Women's American Mission Baptist Home Mission Society. Susie and Isaac Bailey had nine children, six of whom died before adulthood.

The Baileys' youngest child Sue Elvie was born on August 3, 1903. She attended a school, in Washington, D. C., operated by Nannie Helen Burroughs, an associate of her mother, and later the Lucretia Mott School in Washington. She subsequently attended Spelman Seminary and then Oberlin College, where she obtained a bachelor's degree in music in 1926. After graduation from Oberlin, Ms. Bailey joined the Music Department at Hampton Institute. In the summer of 1928, she joined the staff of the Young Women's Christian Association as the National Secretary for Colleges in the South.

On June 12, 1932, Sue Bailey married Morehouse College graduate Howard Thurman. In the fall of 1932, the couple moved to Washington, D.C., where Howard Thurman took a position as professor of Theology at Howard University. In October of 1935, the Thurmans began a seven-month tour of India, Burma, and Ceylon. On this tour, they had a three-hour conversation with Mahatma Gandhi. In 1940, Mrs. Thurman served as the founding editor of the *Aframerican Woman's Journal*, the official organ of the National Council of Negro Women. She continued in that capacity until 1943. In 1944, the Thurmans and Presbyterian minister Alfred G. Fisk

established the Church for the Fellowship of All Peoples in San Francisco. In 1949, Mrs. Thurman published *Pioneers of Negro Origin in California*. The Thurmans moved to Boston in 1953, where Dr. Thurman served as Dean of Marsh Chapel, Boston University, until 1966.

The Thurmans retired to San Francisco where they again became active in the Church for the Fellowship of All Peoples. Howard Thurman died in 1981. Mrs. Thurman died in San Francisco on December 25, 1996.

Scope and Content Note

The Bailey and Thurman families papers spans the years from 1882 to 1995. The collection tracks the political and religious pursuits of the family through three generations. It includes correspondence, writings, printed material, newspaper clippings, books from the Bailey library, photographs, legal documents, financial records, and general ephemera.

A large portion of the collection is made up of correspondence written to family members. The correspondence written to and by Isaac and Susie Bailey is of particular interest. It covers familial matters as well as those pertaining to the branches of the Baptist Missionary Association. In addition to their own letters, there is the correspondence to and from their children: Maude, vice principal of Southeast Industrial Academy; Isaac, Jr., a graduate of Howard University, printer/editor, and early member of Omega Psi Phi Fraternity; Dorcas Bailey; and Sue Bailey Thurman. The correspondence also includes a series of letters to Elias A. Morris, the son of Elias Camp Morris, prominent leader of the Arkansas Baptist Association and the National Baptist Convention. Additional material relates to Arkansas Baptist College, the Southeast Baptist Academy, the Southeast District Missionary Baptist Association, the Baptist Women's Southeastern District Association, and the Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society.

Within this collection there are also a number of writings by the Bailey family. One section focuses on those speeches, lectures, and reports written by Isaac and Susie Bailey. Religious in nature, these writings, generally affiliated with the Arkansas Baptist Association or the Southeast Baptist Association, cover a broad range of topics from motherhood to Christian responsibility. Another small section in the collection contains minutes and reports, largely handwritten, relating to various Baptist conventions and organizations.

The collection also contains a fair amount of printed material dating from 1880 to 1995. A significant part of the printed material in the collection highlights the Baileys' leadership in the development of Baptist organizations in Southeast Arkansas. Many of these documents were printed by African-American publishers and presses. The more contemporary documents relate to the dealings of Sue (nee Bailey) and Howard Thurman. This information includes an article on the Thurmans' trip to India where they met with Mahatma Gandhi. There is also information related to their affiliations with Spelman and Morehouse Colleges. In addition to these early pieces, there are also articles on Susie Bailey, Howard Thurman, and Sue Bailey Thurman, as well as published copies of smaller books, including Sue Bailey Thurman's *Pioneers of Negro Origin in California* (1949).

The next two sections consist of newspapers and newspaper clippings. The newspapers range in date from 1893 to 1948, and they cover a broad range of political and religious topics. There are a number of copies of the *Baptist Vanguard*, an African-American religious newspaper, as

well as numerous copies of the *St Louis Weekly Globe Democrat*. The newspaper clippings cover a broad range of subjects, including, but certainly not limited to, obituaries of Bailey family members, tributes, and honors and awards for the Bailey-Thurman family members.

The largest, single component of the collection is the photographic section. Although the majority of the photographs are undated, they can be loosely dated from the 1880s to 1996 and have been divided into several categories. The first consists of the early photographs of the Bailey family members. The second contains the photographs of Howard Thurman and Sue Bailey Thurman. There are photographs of them alone and/or attending various functions, whether together or individually. There is also an array of photographs of Howard Thurman, from professional portraits to more casual images. There are many family photographs, professional photographs divided by organizational affiliation, and travel photographs, including photographs with Mahatma Gandhi. Finally, there are the photographs taken without either Sue Bailey or Howard Thurman. These photos vary in subject matter; they include images used to illustrate Sue Bailey Thurman's *Pioneers of Negro Origin in California* as well as images of well-known African Americans. Additionally, there are a large number of photographs of others, mostly unidentified, although there are prominent individuals featured, including Nathan I. Huggins (who was raised by the Thurmans) and Wole Soyinka. Finally, there are the negatives/slides and miscellaneous photographs.

There is a small amount of financial and legal records in the collection. This covers the period from the late 1800s to approximately 1947. The financial records include receipts covering a broad range of services from product orders to deed payments. There is also a folder of banking materials including bank statements, deposit slips, and bankbooks for Mrs. Susie Bailey. The legal section consists of insurance policies, real estate records, as well as miscellaneous legal items.

Finally, there are several items of ephemera. These include devotional books about mothers, a miniature hymnal, election memorabilia, and cloth maps.

Arrangement Note

Organized into nine series: (1) Correspondence, (2) Writing by the Bailey family, (3) Minutes and reports, (4) Printed material, (5) Photographs, (6) Legal and financial records, (7) Ephemera, (8) Collected material, and (9) Audiovisual material.

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1	3	I. G. Bailey, 1910-1913
1	4	I. G. Bailey, undated
1	5	Susie E. Bailey, 1883-1899
1	6	Susie E. Bailey, 1900-1904
1	7	Susie E. Bailey, 1905-1909
1	8	Susie E. Bailey, 1910-1914
2	1	Susie E. Bailey, 1915-1919
2	2	Susie E. Bailey, 1920-1925
2	3	Susie E. Bailey, 1926-1929
2	4	Susie E. Bailey, 1930-1935
2	5	Susie E. Bailey, 1936-1939
2	6	Susie E. Bailey, 1940-1945
2	7	Susie E. Bailey, 1945-1948
2	8	Susie E. Bailey, undated
3	1	Sue Bailey Thurman, 1912-1938
3	2	Sue Bailey Thurman, 1941-February 1948
3	3	Sue Bailey Thurman, 1948-1995
3	4	Sue Bailey Thurman, undated
3	5	I. G. Bailey, Jr., 1906-1911
3	6	I. G. Bailey, Jr., 1912-1913
3	7	I. G. Bailey, Jr., 1914-1918
3	8	I. G. Bailey, Jr., undated
3	9	Dorcas Bailey, 1911-1917
3	10	Maude Bailey, 1900-1909
3	11	E. A. Morris, 1906-1913
3	12	Miscellaneous correspondence, 1855-1995
3	13	Miscellaneous correspondence, undated

Series 2
Writings by Bailey family,
Box 4 (folders 1 - 16)

Box	Folder	Content
4	1	Manuscript: "These Angels..." author unknown, holograph, undated
4	2	Manuscript: re Black History (incomplete), author unknown, holograph undated
4	3	Manuscript: "The doctrine of the gospel is as salt..." author unknown, holograph, undated
4	4	Manuscript: "We must study foreign missions..." (incomplete), author unknown, holograph, undated
4	5	Manuscript: "The Munificence of Arkansas" author unknown, typescript, undated
4	6	Manuscript: "The Past Week," (incomplete), author unknown, holograph, undated
4	7	Manuscript of a sermon, author unknown, holograph, undated
4	8	Manuscript: Re: Southeast Baptist Academy, (incomplete) author unknown, holograph, undated
4	9	Manuscript: "Training of Children," Susie Bailey, holograph, undated
4	10	Poem: "Rebellion" by Howard Thurman, typescript, undated
4	11	Speech: Address by Reverend I.G. Bailey at the 10th Anniversary of the Southeast District Association, holograph, undated
4	12	Speech: Susie Bailey regarding raising money for her school, holograph. undated
4	13	Speech: Address at Meeting in District of Columbia (incomplete), author unknown, typescript, undated
4	14	Speech: Welcome Address to Sisters of the Central District, author unknown, holograph
4	15	Speech: Address to the Sisters of the Bible Band regarding temperance, author unknown, holograph, n.d
4	16	Speech: "Her Life as Mother" / Tribute/eulogy to Sister Davis," author unknown, holograph, undated
4	17	Speech: Welcome Address to a woman's organization, author unknown, typescript, undated

Series 3**Minutes and reports, 1893-1946****Box 4 (folders 17-29); BV1**

Box	Folder	Content
4	18	Baptist Women's Southeast Arkansas Association, president's report, E.A. Smith (author), typescript, 1911
4	19	Executive Board (organization unknown), minutes, holograph, July 16, 1893
4	20	Executive Board of Mother's Conference, report, holograph, December 29 1894
4	21	Executive Board of the Southeast District Industrial Academy, minutes, holograph, March 20, 1905
4	22	Executive Board of the Mothers Fireside Schools of Pine Bluff, report, Susie Bailey (author), undated
4	23	Home Missionary Society, report, Susie Bailey (author), holograph, November 1930
BV1		Howard University freshman and sophomore class minute book, I.G. Bailey, 1911-1913
4	24	Moderator's report, (organization unknown), I.G. Bailey (author), Typescript, November 3, 1909
4	25	Southeast District Association, report, Mrs. R.N. Davis (author), holograph, undated
4	26	Southeast District Women's Association, report, Susie Bailey (author), holograph, undated
4	27	Southeast District Women's Association, report, Susie Bailey (author), holograph, undated
4	28	Superintendent of Sunday Schools of Bethany Church in Dermott, report, Susie Bailey (author), January 1946
4	29	Listing of Stockholders Officers (organization unknown), holograph, undated
4	30	Miscellaneous notes, undated

Series 4**Printed material, 1885-1986****Box 4 (folders 30-63) - Box 5; OP1-2****Pamphlets, brochures, broadsides**

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4	31	Arkansas Baptist College, Dedication of Library, May 23, 1948
4	32	Arkansas Baptist College, "Front Elevation of New Building" (broadside)
4	33	Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Conventional Letter, Little Rock August 23-28, 1887
4	34	Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Conventional Letter, Little Rock, November 21-25, 1900
4	35	Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Fiftieth Anniversary Golden Jubilee, November 19-25, 1917, Little Rock: Vanguard Print
4	36	Arkansas Baptist State Convention, Minutes of the Nineteenth Annual Session, August 23-28, 1918, Little Rock: Press Printing Company
4	37	Arkansas Baptist Women's Association, Minutes of the Forty-Fourth Annual Session, June 1918, Little Rock: The Baptist Vanguard
4	38	Bailey, I. G., Circular Letter of the Southeast District for circa June 1894 (4 copies)
4	39	Bailey, I. G., <i>Rules and Regulations of the Literal Society</i> , Arkansas City: Arkansas: Journal Print, 1885
4	40	Bailey, Susie, Bible Class Report. Women's American Mission Baptist Home Mission Society, undated (2 copies)
4	41	Bailey, Susie, Broadside, undated (2 copies) [Image 0807-023.tif]
4	42	Baptist Women's Southeastern District Association (held with The Friendship Baptist Church, Baxter, Arkansas), Programme, July 30-August 1, 1904
4	43	Baptist Women's Southeastern District Association (held with The Saint Morion Baptist Church), August 26-28, 1905, Programme
4	44	Baptist Women's Southeastern Association, Proceedings of the Thirteenth Annual Session, August 26-28, 1910
4	45	Baptist Women's Southeast Arkansas Association, Minutes of the 17th Annual Session, August 23-26, 1913
4	46	Blackall, C. R., "Beautiful Praise": An Order of Service for Children's Day 1890, American Baptist Publication Society
4	47	Blue, L. W., History of the Southeast District Baptist Association, undated (incomplete)
4	48	Booker, Joseph A., <i>How Shall We Raise It?</i> , Little Rock: Vanguard Print, undated
4	49	Booker, Joseph A., <i>The Self-Education of the Negro</i> , Little Rock: Arkansas Baptist College (reprint of Baptist Home Mission Monthly August 1903)

- 4 50 Boston University, Marsh Chapel, Religious Service bulletins, March-April, 1961
- 4 51 Catholic Interracial Council of Washington, Contemporary Religious Paintings, Barnett Aden Gallery, Washington, D. C., October 17-November, 1948
- 4 52 Chanticleer Farm Chamber Music Festival, Program, September 10, 1978
- 4 53 "China's Millions"
- 4 54 The Church for the Fellowship of All Peoples, 32nd Anniversary Celebration, Newsletter, October 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31, 1976
- 4 55 The Church for the Fellowship of All Peoples, Order of Worship, August 31, 1986
- 4 56 Delany, E.B. "Our Little Light Bearer," Foreign Mission Board National Baptist Convention, Louisville, Kentucky, undated
- 4 57 Dixie to Broadway: An exhibition of Black Americans on Stage, 1977 (4 copies)
- 4 58 Dolls for Democracy, "Toys Aid Thurman Campaign for Understanding," undated (2 copies)
- 4 59 Douglass Quilt Exhibit, Howard Thurman Trust Programs (3 copies) and Posters (2 copies)
- 4 60 Dunbar High School, Washington, D.C., Annual Commencement, June 20, 1934
- 4 61 First Baptist Church, Goddard, Kansas, January 1, 1933
- 4 62 Foard, Elder F.C.V. "I Am on the Right Side," Memphis, Tennessee, undated
- 4 63 Four County Track Meet, Dermott, Arkansas, Program, April 13, 1923
- 5 1 *Gospel of St. Luke* (Susie Bailey's copy)
- 5 2 Harris, H. H. (editor), *The Advanced Quarterly: International Lessons*, Philadelphia: American Baptist Publication Society, October 1892
- 5 3 Hawkins, Thomas [Dean] and Wallace Capel [M.D.], A Meritorious Tribute, June 14, 1980
- 5 4 Howard College Dramatic Club (broadside), April 15, 1912
- 5 5 Howard University Calendar, "Twelve Reproductions from the Living Madonna in Art Series," undated
- 5 6 Howard University, Commencement Program and Invitation, June 1917
- 5 7 Howard University Journal, Editorial Election, undated
- 5 8 Jackson, Sister M, Funeral Program, November 3, 1930
- 5 9 Jackson, Wallace Van, "The Countee Cullen Memorial Collection at Atlanta University," *The Crisis*, May 1947
- 5 10 Johnson, Georgia Douglas, Poem, "I Gaze Into the Sun, undated
- 5 11 Koshland, Daniel Sr., In Memory, 1979
- 5 12 Moore, Joanna, "I Will Hear What God the Lord Will Speak," September 4, 1891 (Photograph in OP3)
- 5 13 Moran, Ulysses Simpson, Funeral Program, September 3, 1966
- 5 14 Morehouse College, Interment Services for Sue Bailey Thurman, May 15, 1997

- 5 15 Morris, E. C., Thirty-Sixth Annual Address, Baptist State Convention of Arkansas, November 20, 1918
- 5 16 National Baptist Convention, Music and Official Programme, Twenty-Ninth Annual Session, September 15-21, 1909
- 5 17 National Baptist Convention, U.S.A, Program, Praise Services and Mortgage-Burning Ceremonies of the Morris Memorial Building, Nashville, Tennessee, December 10, 1942
- 5 18 National Baptist Young People's Union Board, BYPU Supplies, undated
- 5 19 Nurses' Sunday Lecture Series
- 5 20 Peabody, Lucy W., *Everyland Children*, Central Committee on the United Study of Foreign Missions, Lynn, Massachusetts: Nichols-Ellis Press, 1931
- 5 21 *The Peruna Almanac for 1900*
- 5 22 Pope, Howard W., "Anyone Can Be Saved and Kept By Jesus"
- 5 23 *The Preacher's Helper*, Vol. XXVI, No. 3, March 1909
- 5 24 *Raising up a Prophet...* (pp. 86-91), Text by Sudarshan Kapur (See Box 8 FF6 for photographs)
- 5 25 Smith, Ethel, "Have You Seen Woman: The Eternal Question," advertisement, undated
- 5 26 Smith, Trudi, *Sue Bailey Thurman: Building Bridges to Common Ground*, Boston: Trustees of Boston University, 1995
- 5 27 Southeast District Baptist Academy, Closing Exercises, April 21-22, 1904
- 5 28 Southeast Baptist Academy, Program, April 12, 1908
- 5 29 Southeast Baptist Association, Proceedings of the Twenty-Third Annual Session, November 1906
- 5 30 Southeast Baptist Women's Association (1st Session), held with Mt. Calvary Baptist Church, Baxter, Arkansas, July 1897 (2 copies)
- 5 31 Southeast District Baptist Association, Proceedings of the Twenty Ninth Annual Session, held with St. Paul Baptist Church, Dermott, Arkansas, October 29-November 1, 1913
- 5 32 Southeast District Baptist Women's Association, Program of the 32nd Annual Session. August 1929
- 5 33 Southeast District Baptist Women's Association, Program of the 33rd Annual Session, August, 1930
- 5 34 Southeast District Baptist Women's Association, Program of the 34th Annual Session, 1931
- 5 35 Southeast District Missionary Baptist Association, Proceedings of the Seventh Annual Session, held with Friendship Baptist Church, Baxter, Arkansas, July 30-August 3, 1890, Little Rock: Vanguard Print, Baptist College
- 5 36 Southeast District Sunday School Convention, Minutes of the Third Annual Session, May 11-13, 1893, Little Rock: Vanguard Print
- 5 37 Southeastern District Association, Program of the Minister's and Deacon's Union, June 1912

- 5 38 Southeastern District Baptist Association of Arkansas, Programme of the Twenty Fourth Annual Session, held with Silver Mount Baptist Church, Hudspeth, Arkansas, October 30-November 3, 1907
- 5 39 Spelman Seminary, Piano Recital by Advanced Pupils, May 3, 1918
- 5 40 Spelman Seminary, Piano Recital, April 22, 1921
- 5 41 State Agricultural and Mechanical Institute, Normal, Alabama, Religious Service, January 28, 1945
- 5 42 State Federation of Colored Women's Clubs, Proceedings of the Annual Sessions, 1913-1914, Fort Smith, Arkansas: J. W. Rice Printing, Co.
- 5 43 Steadwell, B. S. (ed.), *The Children's Code of Morals*, La Crosse, Wisconsin: The Light, undated
- 5 44 Southwestern Creek and Seminole District, Sunday School Convention, Proceedings of the Ninth Annual Session, July 24-27, 1913
- 5 45 Thurman, Sue Bailey, *Pioneers of Negro Origin in California* (1949)
- 5 46 Turner, Nephronia (Mrs.), Memorial Service, March 17, 1929
- 5 47 Vining, Elizabeth Gray, *Anthology with Comments*, Wallingford, Pennsylvania: Pendle Hill, 1951
- OP2 16 Washington, Little J.L: The Walking Bible and Prodigy, broadside, undated [See also: I.G. Bailey correspondence, 1882-1901]
- 5 48 Webb, Walter Jr., M.D., Memorial Service, February 5, 1976
- 5 49 "Where Are My Children?," Advertisement, Hiawatha Theatre, undated
- 5 50 Williams, Ralph C, *The Story of Amos' Fortune*
- 5 51 Woman's American Baptist Home Mission Society, Tidings, February 1911
- 5 52 Woman's Convention, Auxiliary to the National Baptist Convention, receipt, Louisville, Kentucky, 1907
- 5 53 Women Chicot County Association, Program of the Second Annual Session, August 11-13, 1898
- 5 54 Women's Southeast District Association, First Annual Session, July 23-25, 1897, Little Rock: Vanguard Print, 1897

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- 5 55 Obituaries, Bailey family
- 5 56 "Among Colored People" (About Susie Bailey) (3 copies)
- 5 57 *Hope*, October 1893
- 5 58 Article: Nannie Burroughs, "The Training School Situation."
- 5 59 Howard Thurman to begin teaching at University of Iowa
- 5 60 Sue Bailey Thurman 1937 Lecture Series (2 copies)
- 5 61 Sue Bailey Thurman to attend Townsend Affair
- 5 62 Family related clippings
- 5 63 "Meta Fuller Dies at 90" (1968)
- 5 64 Miscellaneous clippings

Newspapers

OP1 2 *Arkansas Survey*, n.d
OP1 2 *Baptist Vanguard*, April 28, 1893
OP1 2 *Baptist Vanguard*, August 11, 1893
OP1 2 *Baptist Vanguard*, March 31, 1898
OP1 2 *Baptist Vanguard*, May 2, 1898
OP1 2 *The Guardian*, June 30, 1906
OP1 2 *Hope*, July 1892
OP1 2 *Hope*, December 1895
OP1 2 *Mission Herald*, May 1916
OP1 2 *Pine Bluff Weekly Herald*, May 18, 1901
OP1 2 *Southeast Advocate*, August 29, 1907
OP1 1 *St. Louis Weekly Globe Democrat*, September 12, 1889
OP1 1 *St. Louis Weekly Globe Democrat*, December 8, 1896
OP1 1 *St. Louis Weekly Globe Democrat*, December 11, 1896
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OP1 1 *St. Louis Weekly Globe Democrat*, September 10, 1901
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OP2	7	Howard University Choir, Rankin Chapel [Thurman on right]
OP2	8	Howard University Committee [Thurman not pictured]
8	4	Morehouse College, San Francisco Bay Area Alumni Chapter Awards Dinner (1969) [Dr. Thurman guest of honor]
8	5	Morehouse College, Howard Thurman birthday celebration (1983)
8	6	Morehouse College, Dedication of Howard Thurman Tower of Bells (1995)
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11	9	M. Gandhi Memorial
11	10	Miscellaneous photographs
11	11	Miscellaneous photographs, (floral arrangements, furniture, etc.)

Series 6
Legal and financial records
Box 12 (folder 1-7)

Box	Folder	Content
12	1	Receipts
12	2	Insurance policies
12	3	Contracts
12	4	Real estate records
12	5	Real estate records
12	6	Bank statements
12	7	Certificates/Membership information to various organizations

Series 7**Ephemera****Box 12 (folders 8-18); OP 15-17 and 19-22; BV 2-4**

Box	Folder	Content
BV2-4		Bibles
12	8	Book(s) of Devotional Words about Mothers
12	9	Memorabilia from 14th Annual Session of the National Baptist Women's Convention
12	10	Campaign pin with Abe Lincoln's picture attached
12	11	Scholarship record- I. G. Bailey Jr.
12	12	Miscellaneous items
12	13	Miscellaneous items
12	14	Book list (By Departments) school not identified
12	15	Miscellaneous notes
12	16	Miscellaneous writings
12	17	Miscellaneous "Letter to Jesus"
12	18	Assorted addressed/empty envelopes
OP2	13	Cloth map of Palestine
OP2	14	Cloth map of Western Asia
OP2	15	Framed diploma for Josephine Ella Jamison from Industrial University, Branch Normal College (Isaac Bailey, Sr.'s Alma Mater), 1893
OP3	1	Scrapbook given to Howard Thurman
OP3	1	Scrapbook kept by Howard and Sue Bailey Thurman (re: Trip to India)
OP3	1	Cassette recording (Nathan I. Huggins Memorial Service)
OP3	1	Miniature Book of Hymns

Series 8
Collected material
Box 13

Box	Folder	Content
13	1	Slides and negatives of Sue Bailey Thurmond and family [Acc. 2004-06-02]
13	2	Slides and negatives of Sue Bailey Thurmond and family [Acc. 2004-06-02]

Series 9**Audiovisual material**

Box	Folder	Content
AV1	-	Coretta Scott King, Sue Thurman, and Howard Thurman interview, July 11, 1979 [tape 1] [Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bt3q6][Digital/ digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bt3rb]
AV1	-	Coretta Scott King, Sue Thurman, and Howard Thurman interview, July 11, 1979 [tape 2] [Digital/digitized copy available in the Reading Room: id bt3sg]
