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Biographical History

Thomas Lee Osborn (born December 23, 1923 – died February 14, 2013) was an American Pentecostal evangelist and author. He married Daisy Washburn Osborn in 1942 and they worked together as evangelists in the Pentecostal Church of God denomination. In 1944, they moved to Oregon and founded Mantaville Tabernacle, which they pastored until 1945. At that time, the Church sent them as missionaries to India. The couple returned to Oregon in 1946. They attended William Branham's healing meeting and became affiliated with the Voice of Healing organization. Between 1950 and 1964, the Osborns held large crusades in 40 countries, many featuring dramatic healings and largescale evangelism. In 1956, they began to publish *Faith Digest*, which reported on many of these crusades. In the 1960s, the Osborns turned their attention to teaching; Mrs. Osborn spoke to women worldwide. They published books, videos and audio cassettes of their teachings. Many of these works have been translated into a multitude of other languages. Mrs. Osborn passed away in 1995. Mr. Osborn continued in the ministry and their daughter LaDonna became CEO of Osborn Ministries International.

Scope and Content

The Osborn collections consists of the 23 volume *Faith Library* as well as a collection of audio and video tapes recording the messages and lessons of T. L. and Daisy Osborn and their daughter LaDonna Osborn. Also included are Manuals for the Life Discovery Bible Institute Bible Study Course. *The Faith Library in 23 volumes: 20th century legacy of apostolic evangelism: autobiographical anthology of T.L. Osborn* is a unique compendium of thousands of pages of historical data, periodicals, books, photographs, mission reports, letters, manuscripts, poems, brochures, leaflets, newsletters and diary notes, which together document his historic ministry of mass miracle evangelism in more than 80 nations.

The Osborn Collection is organized into two series:

Series I: *The Faith Library in 23 volumes: 20th century legacy of apostolic evangelism: autobiographical anthology of T.L. Osborn*, a compendium of thousands of pages of historical data, periodicals, books, photographs, mission reports, letters, manuscripts, poems, brochures, leaflets, newsletters and diary notes, which together document his historic ministry of mass miracle evangelism in more than 80 nations.

Series II: Audio and video recordings of the Osborns' teachings, including *Creation Realities* by Daisy Osborn, *Winning Our World* by T.L. Osborn and *Redemption* by LaDonna Osborn.

Subjects

Healing in the Bible Miracles Spiritual healing

Container List

Series I: The Faith Library in 23 volumes: 20th century legacy of apostolic evangelism: autobiographical anthology of T.L. Osborn.

Series Scope and Content Note

A compendium of thousands of pages of historical data, periodicals, books, photographs, mission reports, letters, manuscripts, poems, brochures, leaflets, newsletters and diary notes, which together document his historic ministry of mass miracle evangelism in more than 80 nations.

Series II: Audio-visual recordings.

Series Scope and Content Note

Audio and video recordings of the Osborns' teachings, including *Creation Realities* by Daisy Osborn, *Winning Our World* by T.L. Osborn and *Redemption* by LaDonna Osborn.

Box 1: Docu-Miracle films and teaching tapes of Daisy Osborn

Item	Description	Date/Note
	Docu-Miracle film: Filipino Passion, OSFO International World Missionary Church	1 video tape
	Docu-Miracle film: Java Harvest, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: Holland Wonder, OSFO International	1 video tape
	World Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: The Healer of Trinidad, OSFO International	1 video tape
	World Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: The Nakuru Crusade, OSFO International	1 video tape
	World Missionary Church	_
	Docu-Miracle film: Athens of India, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: Black Gold, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: Unlimited God, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: The Ghanaian, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	
	Docu-Miracle film: Miracle Worker, OSFO International World Missionary Church	1 video tape
	Docu-Miracle film: Luzon Reaper, OSFO International World	1 video tape
	Missionary Church	_
	Docu-Miracle Crusade Video: The India Crusade, Osborn Mass	9 video tapes and 1
	Evangelism	audio cassette
	Dr. Daisy Washburn Osborn, Bible Study course: Creation	12 audio cassettes
	Realities	
	Dr. Daisy Washburn Osborn, Bible Study course: Creation	Booklet, test and
	Realities teaching Manual	answer key

Dr. Daisy Washburn Osborn, Bible Study course: Creation	6 video tapes
Realities Lessons 8-13	

Box 2: Teaching tapes of T.L. Osborn

Item	Description	Date/Note
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, Bible Study course: Winning Our World,	12 audio cassettes
	course I	
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, Bible Study course: Winning Our World,	12 audio cassettes
	course II	
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, Bible Study course: Winning Our World,	booklet
	course I Manual	
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, Winning Our World, course I	13 video tapes
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, Winning Our World, course II	13 video tapes
	Dr. T.L. Osborn, The Christ Connection Miracle Tapes:	4 video tapes
	Experience, Response, Action, Credibility	

Box 3: Teaching tapes of LaDonna Osborn

Item	Description	Date/Note
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Bible Study course: Redemption I	12 audio cassettes
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Bible Study course: Redemption II	12 audio cassettes
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Redemption I	13 video tapes
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Redemption II	13 video tapes
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Redemption I: Foundation Realities Bible	Booklet, test and
	Study course Manual	answer key
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Redemption II: Discoveries for Living	Booklet, test and
	Bible Study course Manual	answer key
	Dr. LaDonna Osborn, Jesus & Women: Answers to Three Big	Small book
	Questions	