OVERVIEW

**Donor:** Deloris (Soria) Diegel

**Accession Date:** October 2010

**Collection Number:** 068

**Quantity:** 1.7 linear feet

**Summary:** Three bibles, one theology book, one songbook, and a black shawl; all dating from 1873 to 1930.

**Languages:** German & English

**Links:**
- [Emily P. Reynolds Historic Costume Collection](#)

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BIOGRAPHY


Lydia (Kienzle) Wanner was born on February 16, 1916, to parents Christian and Katharina (Lang) Kienzle. She later married Gustav Diegel. Lydia (Kienzle) Wanner died on October 15, 1972, at the age of fifty-six. Gustav Diegel died on May 9, 1984, at the age of seventy-three.
Delmar Diegel was born on June 7, 1938, to parents Gustav and Lydia (Kienzle) Wanner. Delmar later married Deloris Soria. Delmar Diegel died on September 25, 2004, at the age of sixty-six.

Deloris (Soria) Diegel was born on October 4, 1936, to parents Max and Florence (DeLeon) Soria. Deloris Soria later married Delmar Diegel. Deloris Diegel is a resident of Wishek, North Dakota.

SCOPE AND CONTENT

The Deloris (Soria) Diegel Collection consists of five books and one shawl. A note along with the collection said, “German books belonged to Leah Kienzle Wanner and Lydia Kienzle Diegel (Sisters). Shawl purchased in Montana in the 1930’s.” The collection has been organized into two series: Book and Textile.

The Book Series contains five books dating from 1873 to 1908. Four of the books are in German and one is in English. Three of the books are bibles, one is a theology book, and one is a song book. The condition of the books ranges from good to poor.

The Textile Series is comprised of one shawl. The shawl has black beading on a black net, and it has a seam across the width of the center back. It is approximately 48” long x 19” wide.

SEPARATION RECORD

The shawl from the Deloris (Soria) Diegel Collection [2010.25.02] is housed at the Emily P. Reynolds Historic Costume Collection, NDSU. Advance notice is requested for the viewing of this item.

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BOOK SERIES

1. Aus dem Leben Davids, 1893

2. Glockenklänge Eine Liedersammlung für Sonntagsschulen und Jugendvereine
3. Hitchcock’s New and Complete Analysis of the Holy Bible, 1875

4. Die Bibel: oder die ganze Heilige Schrift des Alten und Neuen Testaments, 190


TEXTILE SERIES

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