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CORRESPONDENCE

Personal correspondence include communication with Michael S. Hart's parents, Barter Exchange Incorporated, tenants at Hart's Urbana residence, and Project Gutenberg collaborators.

Personal, (15 folders), 1966-67, 1974-2000, 2003-10

Box 4 and 5:

Personal Letters, (18 folders), 1975-2003

Restricted folders pertaining to Michael S. Hart's personal relationships cannot be viewed without written permission of the University Archivist.

Box 6:

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Project Gutenberg

Brainstorming Names for Project Gutenberg, c. 1971  
Correspondence, (15 folders), 1985-96

Box 7:

Correspondence, (15 folders), 1997-2011  
Gift Records, 1996  
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Letters of Support for Project Gutenberg, (3 folders), 1996  
Literary Archive Foundation  
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Arbitron, 1980  
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Bennett Hart, 1990-91  
 Hymen Hart, 1975, 1978, 1980, 1986, 1990  
 Letters to Mom and Dad, c. 1975  
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 Ayn Rand, c. 1986  
 Joe Secor, 1978-95  
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## UNDATED NOTES

Notes on Paper  
Notes on Envelopes  
Notes on Letter-Size Paper  
Notes on Notecard Size Paper  
Notes on Unusual Materials  
Notes on Post-It! Notes

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Apartment Rent Deposit Slips, 1981-85  
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Car Insurance, 1996-2004  
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Financial Information, 1983-2002  
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 The World Almanac and Book of Facts, New York City: New York World-Telegram, 1941

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ARTIFACTS

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 Boy Scout Eagle Scout Sterling Ring with Red, White, and Blue Enamel, Size 12  
 Buttons  
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 Compact Disks  
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 Conference and Exhibition Name Tags  
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Expanded Cinema Group Permanent Pass

Fortune Cookies Fortunes

“He likes to flirt, but toward you his intentions are honorable.”

“Something of much value will soon be presented to you.”

“You will be wise not to seek too much from others.”

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Orange Super Pro “Fly-Hart”

Yellow Imperial All Pro 180, “The Arctic Circle and Beyond,” 2005

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State of Washington Aluminum Tax Token, 1935 Revenue Coin

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#### COMPUTER MEDIA

All recoverable computer media data has been transferred to University Archives servers.

Computer Disk, (1)

Diskettes, (94)

Hard Drives, (8)

Box 16:

## OVERSIZE

Copy of Declaration of Independence used to type the first e-book, 1971  
Gutenberg Illuminated Leaf Replica

## ELECTRONIC RECORDS

Online Electronic content:

Contains a sample of the electronic content from the Michael S. Hart electronic records, including articles, press releases and newsletters related with the Project Gutenberg, as well as some of Hart's political and creative writings.

Processing Note: These files have been re-arranged from their original order by archival staff, in order to facilitate access in the online environment. This work was completed in February 2015.

Nearline Electronic Content

Contains all the electronic contents from the Michael S. Hart electronic records, including correspondence, article parts, article drafts, article reprints, book excerpts, press releases, newsletters, song lyrics, digital and digitized photographs, audiovisual material, website files and software files concerning the creation of eBooks and the Project Gutenberg. Materials also relates to Hart's political and creative writings and personal life

Processing Note: In February 2015, archives staff took the following actions to prepare a nearline access version of Michael S. Hart's electronic records: (1) Ran virus-scan program on the files; (2) Used Identity Finder, TreeSize Pro, and DROID to extract metadata in order to facilitate appraisal and processing decisions; (3) Used TrID file extension identifier to analyze and append missing file extensions on a number of files during processing; (4) Used Aid4mail to migrate EML email files to MBOX; (5) Deleted files containing proprietary, confidential, and sensitive information from online and nearline access copies. Electronic materials came in two accessions, which were kept separate so that provenance can be tracked.