

Transcribed Sturgeon Stories by Terry Slack.

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Yes, my name is Terry Slack and I have been very concerned about sturgeon, especially in the 1960's and 1970's. I fished on the Fraser River for 55 years, and noticed that the amount of sturgeon we were catching was not as much as in the late 1950's. So the 1960's and 1970's were times of concern regarding sturgeon to me. In the 1990's, I got the opportunity to serve as a Director of the Fraser River Sturgeon Conservation Society, and I was going to put something back to the river. I felt that it was important that we saw sturgeon increasing in numbers instead of decreasing in numbers. So, I joined the Fraser River Sturgeon Conservation Society chaired by Rick Hansen, and I have been with the Society as of 2009, and I will continue to work because, again, I have an obligation to put something back regarding sturgeon to the Fraser River.