

## Free Online Archives and Digital Collections for Historians and Genealogists

As genealogists and historians, we strive to know more about our ancestors and other subject people. It is imperative, especially as family historians that we research and understand the locales, surroundings, and events that occurred during their lifetimes.

While we constantly look for new records, we must also research history, including local history. There are an ever-increasing number of Free Online Archives and Digital Collections that can assist us in our quest. In these top notch online archives you will find an abundance of historical information plus genealogical records.

Alabama	<a href="#">Alabama Department of Archives and History</a>	California	<a href="#">Calisphere</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Alabama Department of Archives and History Digital Collections</a>	California	<a href="#">Los Angeles Public Library, Collections and Resources</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Alabama Maps</a>	California	<a href="#">Online Archive of California</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Alabama Mosaic</a>	California	<a href="#">Sacramento History Online</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Auburn University Digital Library</a>	California	<a href="#">San Fernando Valley History Digital Library</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Birmingham Public Library Digital Collections</a>	California	<a href="#">University of Southern California Digital Library</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">Encyclopedia of Alabama</a>	Colorado	<a href="#">Colorado Encyclopedia Digital Collections</a>
Alabama	<a href="#">University of Alabama Special Collections</a>	Colorado	<a href="#">Colorado State Archives</a>
Alaska	<a href="#">Alaska Digital Archives</a>	Colorado	<a href="#">Colorado Virtual Library</a>
Alaska	<a href="#">Alaska State Library</a>	Colorado	<a href="#">Denver Public Library Digital Collections</a>
Alaska	<a href="#">Alaska, Western Canada and United States</a>	Colorado	<a href="#">History Colorado Archives</a>
Alaska	<a href="#">SLED: Statewide Library Electronic Doorway</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">Connecticut Digital Archive</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Arizona Archives Online</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">Connecticut History Illustrated</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Arizona Memory Project</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">Connecticut History Online</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Arizona State University Libraries Online Col-</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">Connecticut State Library Digital Collections</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Digital Arizona Library</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">ConnecticutHistory.org</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Northern Arizona University - Colorado Plat-</a>	Connecticut	<a href="#">Yale University Digital Collections</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">Through Our Parents' Eyes: History &amp; Culture</a>	Delaware	<a href="#">Delaware Collections Gateway</a>
Arizona	<a href="#">University of Arizona Digital Collections</a>	Delaware	<a href="#">Delaware Digital Archives</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">Arkansas Digital Archives</a>	Delaware	<a href="#">Delaware Public Archives</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">Arkansas State Library Digital Collections</a>	Delaware	<a href="#">University of Delaware Digital Collections</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">Central Arkansas Library System Digital Col-</a>	Florida	<a href="#">Central Florida Memory Digital Collections</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">The Butler Center for Arkansas Studies/</a>	Florida	<a href="#">Florida Memory</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">The Encyclopedia of Arkansas History &amp; Cul- ture</a>	Florida	<a href="#">Publication of Archival Library &amp; Museum Materi- als (PALMM)</a>
Arkansas	<a href="#">University of Arkansas Libraries Digital Collec-</a>	Florida	<a href="#">University of Florida Digital Collections</a>
California	<a href="#">Anne T. Kent California Room (Marin County</a>	Florida	<a href="#">University of South Florida Digital Collections</a>
California	<a href="#">California Digital Archives</a>	Georgia	<a href="#">Digital Library of Georgia</a>
California	<a href="#">California Digital Library (CDL)</a>	Georgia	<a href="#">Georgia Historic Books</a>
California	<a href="#">California Revealed</a>	Georgia	<a href="#">Georgia State University Digital Collections</a>
California	<a href="#">California State Library Online Resources</a>	Georgia	<a href="#">Georgia's Virtual Vault</a>
California	<a href="#">California State Library, San Francisco Sutro</a>	Georgia	<a href="#">The New Georgia Encyclopedia</a>

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Georgia	<a href="#">University of Georgia Digital Collections</a>	Kansas	<a href="#">Kansas University Digital Collections</a>
Hawaii	<a href="#">Hawaii State Archives Digital Collections</a>	Kansas	<a href="#">The Kansas Collection</a>
Hawaii	<a href="#">Ulukau Hawaii Electronic Library</a>	Kentucky	<a href="#">ExploreUK</a>
Hawaii	<a href="#">University of Hawaii at Manoa Digital Collections</a>	Kentucky	<a href="#">Kentucky Digital Library</a>
Hawaii	<a href="#">University of Hawaii eVols Digital Repository</a>	Kentucky	<a href="#">Kentucky Historical Society</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Digital Atlas of Idaho</a>	Kentucky	<a href="#">Kentucky State Digital Archives</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Digital Collections from the Idaho State Archives and Research Center</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">Historic New Orleans Collection</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Idaho State Archives</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">LDMA (Louisiana Digital Media Archive)</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Idaho State Archives Digital Collections</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">Louisiana Digital Library</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Idaho State Historical Society</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">LSU Digital Collections</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">Stacks, The Idaho Digital Repository</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">Resources for Research in New Orleans</a>
Idaho	<a href="#">University of Idaho Special Collections &amp; Archives</a>	Louisiana	<a href="#">Tulane University Digital Library</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Chicago Public Library Digital Collections</a>	Maine	<a href="#">Digital Maine Repository</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Encyclopedia of Chicago</a>	Maine	<a href="#">Maine Historical Society</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Homicide in Chicago 1870-1930 (Northwestern University)</a>	Maine	<a href="#">Maine Memory Network</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Illinois Digital Archives</a>	Maine	<a href="#">University of Maine Special Collections</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Illinois Periodicals Online</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">Archives of Maryland Online</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Illinois State Archives Databases</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">Digital Maryland</a>
Illinois	<a href="#">Northern Illinois University Digital Library</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">Maryland Center for History and Culture</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Allen County Public Library Genealogy Center</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">Maryland State Archives</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Ball State University Digital Media Repository</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">Maryland State Archives Online Exhibits</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana Digital Archives</a>	Maryland	<a href="#">WHILBR: Western Maryland's Historical Library</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana Historical Society – Digital Image Collections</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">American Centuries...view from New England</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana Hosted Digital Collections</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">Boston College Digitized Collections</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana Memory</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">Digital Commonwealth</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana State Library, Collections</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">Massachusetts Archives - Digital Records</a>
Indiana	<a href="#">Indiana University Digital Collections</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">Massachusetts Historical Society - Digital Collections</a>
Iowa	<a href="#">Iowa Digital Library</a>	Massachusetts	<a href="#">Massachusetts Libraries - Digital Collections</a>
Iowa	<a href="#">Iowa Heritage Digital Collections</a>	Michigan	<a href="#">Archives of Michigan</a>
Iowa	<a href="#">Iowa State Historical Society Digital Archives</a>	Michigan	<a href="#">Michigan County Histories and Atlases</a>
Iowa	<a href="#">Iowa State University Digital Collections</a>	Michigan	<a href="#">Michiganology</a>
Kansas	<a href="#">Kansas Historical Society State Archives</a>	Michigan	<a href="#">The Making of Ann Arbor</a>
Kansas	<a href="#">Kansas Memory</a>	Michigan	<a href="#">The Making of Modern Michigan</a>

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Michigan	<a href="#">University of Michigan Bentley Historical Library</a>	New Jersey	<a href="#">New Jersey State Library Digital Collections</a>
Michigan	<a href="#">Virtual Motor City</a>	New Jersey	<a href="#">Princeton University Library - Digital Collections and Initiatives</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">Minnesota Digital Library</a>	New Jersey	<a href="#">The Rutgers Oral History Archives</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">Minnesota Historical Society</a>	New Jersey	<a href="#">West Jersey History Project</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">Minnesota People Records</a>	New Mexico	<a href="#">New Mexico Archives Online</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">MNopedia</a>	New Mexico	<a href="#">New Mexico Digital Collections</a>
Minnesota	<a href="#">University of Minnesota Digital Conservancy</a>	New Mexico	<a href="#">New Mexico History State Records Center &amp; Archives</a>
Mississippi	<a href="#">Mississippi Department of Archives and History Collections</a>	New Mexico	<a href="#">New Mexico State Library Digital Collections</a>
Mississippi	<a href="#">Mississippi Digital Archives</a>	New Mexico	<a href="#">University of New Mexico Digital Repository</a>
Mississippi	<a href="#">Mississippi Digital Library</a>	New York	<a href="#">Digital Culture of Metropolitan New York</a>
Mississippi	<a href="#">Mississippi History Resources</a>	New York	<a href="#">Hudson River Valley Heritage</a>
Mississippi	<a href="#">University of Southern Mississippi Digital Collections</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York Heritage Digital Collections</a>
Missouri	<a href="#">Missouri Digital Heritage</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York Public Library Digital Collections</a>
Missouri	<a href="#">Missouri State Archives</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York Public Library Digital Projects</a>
Missouri	<a href="#">Missouri Valley Special Collections</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York State Archives Digital Collections</a>
Missouri	<a href="#">Missouriana Digital Text Collection</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York State Historical Literature (Cornell)</a>
Missouri	<a href="#">University of Missouri Digital Library</a>	New York	<a href="#">New York State Library Collections</a>
Montana	<a href="#">Montana Historical Society Online Collections</a>	New York	<a href="#">Syracuse University Library Digital Collections</a>
Montana	<a href="#">Montana Memory Project</a>	New York	<a href="#">U.S. Military Academy Digital Collection</a>
Nebraska	<a href="#">History Nebraska</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">Davidson College Digital Collections</a>
Nebraska	<a href="#">Nebraska Memories</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">Digital Durham</a>
Nebraska	<a href="#">Nebraska Western Trails</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">DigitalNC - Digital Heritage Center</a>
Nevada	<a href="#">Nevada Cooperative Libraries Automated Network Digital Collections</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">East Carolina University Digital Collections</a>
Nevada	<a href="#">ONE-Online Nevada Encyclopedia</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">NCpedia</a>
Nevada	<a href="#">University of Nevada, Las Vegas Digital Collections</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">North Carolina Digital Collections</a>
Nevada	<a href="#">University of Nevada, Reno Digital Archive</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">North Carolina State Archives</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="#">New Hampshire Archives</a>	North Carolina	<a href="#">University of North Carolina Digital Collections</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="#">New Hampshire History Network</a>	North Dakota	<a href="#">Digital Horizons</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="#">University of New Hampshire Library - Internet Archive</a>	North Dakota	<a href="#">North Dakota State Archives</a>
New Hampshire	<a href="#">University of New Hampshire Library Digital Collections</a>	North Dakota	<a href="#">North Dakota State University Digital Collections</a>
New Jersey	<a href="#">New Jersey Digital Highway</a>	North Dakota	<a href="#">State Historical Society of North Dakota</a>
New Jersey	<a href="#">New Jersey State Archives Collections</a>	Ohio	<a href="#">Akron-Summit County Public Library Archival Collections</a>



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Ohio	<a href="#">Cleveland Public Library Digital Gallery</a>	Rhode Island	<a href="#">Brown University Library Collections</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">Greater Cincinnati Memory Project</a>	Rhode Island	<a href="#">Providence Public Library Digital Collections</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">Ohio History Central</a>	Rhode Island	<a href="#">Rhode Island State Digital Archives</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">Ohio Memory</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">Lowcountry Digital Library</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">State Library of Ohio Collections</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">SCIWAY</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">The Cleveland Memory Project</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">South Carolina Department of Archives and History Digital Collections</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">The Digital Shoebox Project: Historical Treasures of Southeastern Ohio</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">South Carolina Department of Archives and History, Archives</a>
Ohio	<a href="#">The Encyclopedia of Cleveland History</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">South Carolina Digital Library</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">Encyclopedia of Oklahoma History and Culture</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">South Carolina Encyclopedia</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">Oklahoma Digital Prairie</a>	South Carolina	<a href="#">University of South Carolina Digital Collections</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">Oklahoma Historical Society</a>	South Dakota	<a href="#">Digital Library of South Dakota</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">Oklahoma State Archives</a>	South Dakota	<a href="#">South Dakota Digital Archives</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">The Gateway to Oklahoma History</a>	South Dakota	<a href="#">South Dakota State Historical Society</a>
Oklahoma	<a href="#">University of Oklahoma Western History Collections</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">Archives of Appalachia</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Oregon Blue Book</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">Digital Library of Tennessee</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Oregon Digital</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">Great Smoky Mountains Regional Project</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Oregon History Project</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">Tennessee Virtual Archive</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Oregon Multicultural Archives</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">The Tennessee Encyclopedia of History &amp; Culture</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Oregon State Archives</a>	Tennessee	<a href="#">Volunteer Voices</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Salem Online History</a>	Texas	<a href="#">East Texas Digital Archives</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">Southern Oregon Digital Archives</a>	Texas	<a href="#">Preservation Houston: Museum of Houston</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">State Library of Oregon Digital Collections</a>	Texas	<a href="#">Texas State Library and Archives Commission</a>
Oregon	<a href="#">The Oregon Encyclopedia</a>	Texas	<a href="#">The Handbook of Texas Online</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Archives Records Information Access System (Pennsylvania State Archives)</a>	Texas	<a href="#">The Portal to Texas History</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Chronicles: The Annals of Dickinson College</a>	Utah	<a href="#">BYU Library Digital Collections</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Digital Collections at the State Library of Pennsylvania</a>	Utah	<a href="#">University of Utah Digital Collections</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Historic Pittsburgh</a>	Utah	<a href="#">Utah Division of State History Digital Collections</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Historical Society of Pennsylvania Digital Library</a>	Utah	<a href="#">Utah History Encyclopedia</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Penn in the Age of Franklin, 1740-1790</a>	Utah	<a href="#">Utah State Digital Archives</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">Pennsylvania State Archives</a>	Utah	<a href="#">Utah State University Digital History Collections</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">PhillyHistory.org</a>	Utah	<a href="#">Utah's Online Library</a>
Pennsylvania	<a href="#">POWER Library: Pennsylvania's Electronic Library</a>	Vermont	<a href="#">Middlebury College Digital Collections</a>



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Vermont	<a href="#">University of Vermont Libraries Digital Collections</a>	Wisconsin	<a href="#">University of Wisconsin Digital Collections</a>
Vermont	<a href="#">Vermont Folklife Center</a>	Wisconsin	<a href="#">Wisconsin Electronic Reader</a>
Vermont	<a href="#">Vermont Historical Society</a>	Wisconsin	<a href="#">Wisconsin Local History and Biography Articles</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Encyclopedia Virginia</a>	Wisconsin	<a href="#">Wisconsin Pioneer Experience</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Old Dominion University Libraries Digital Col-</a>	Wyoming	<a href="#">University of Wyoming Libraries--Digital Collec-</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">The Library of Virginia</a>	Wyoming	<a href="#">Wyoming State Archives Digital Collections</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Virginia Commonwealth University Digital Col- lections</a>	Wyoming	<a href="#">Wyoming State Library Digital Collection Suite</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Virginia Memory</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">A Digital Collection Celebrating the Founding of the Historically Black College and University (HBCU)</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Virginia Tech Image Base</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">American Indians of the Pacific North- west (University of Washington Libraries)</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">Virtual Jamestown</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Columbia River Basin Ethnic History Archive</a>
Virginia	<a href="#">VMI Digital Collections</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Digital Commons Collections</a>
Washington	<a href="#">Central Washington University Archives and Special Collections</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Digital Library of Appalachia</a>
Washington	<a href="#">Digital Collections (Everett Public Library)</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Digital Public Library of America</a>
Washington	<a href="#">HistoryLink.org: The Online Encyclopedia of Washington State History</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Documenting the American South</a>
Washington	<a href="#">University of Washington Libraries Digital Col- lections</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Library of Congress Digital Collections</a>
Washington	<a href="#">Washington State Archives - Digital Archives</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Mountain West Digital Library</a>
Washington	<a href="#">Washington State Library Digital Collections and Resources</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">National Archives Online Exhibits</a>
Washington	<a href="#">Washington State University Libraries Digital Collections</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Northwest Digital Heritage</a>
West Virginia	<a href="#">e-WV: The West Virginia Encyclopedia</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">PastPerfectOnline Collections</a>
West Virginia	<a href="#">West Virginia Division of Culture and History</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Pioneering the Upper Midwest: Books from Mich- igan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin, ca. 1820-1910</a>
West Virginia	<a href="#">West Virginia University Libraries Digital Col- lections</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Plains to Peak Collective</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="#">Dictionary of Wisconsin History</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Scandinavian Immigrant Experience Collec- tion (Pacific Lutheran University)</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="#">Digital Collections (University of Wisconsin, Milwaukee Libraries)</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Smithsonian Digital Library</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="#">Online Collections at the Wisconsin Historical Society</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Upper Mississippi Valley Digital Image Archive</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="#">Recollection Wisconsin</a>	Multi State	<a href="#">Western Waters Digital Library</a>
Wisconsin	<a href="#">The State of Wisconsin Collection</a>		