

100 Best Free Online Genealogy Websites

Everyone has their “go to” websites that they use often to find genealogy resources and information. Here is a list of 100 of my favorites; and everyone is Free!

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| Access Genealogy | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records |
| Advantage Archives | Digitized U.S. newspapers, over 100 million pages |
| Afrigenes | African-American Collections |
| Allen County Public Library Genealogy Center | Genealogy collections and records |
| American Battle Monuments Commission | U.S. World War I and II burials |
| American History & Genealogy Project | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records |
| Ancestry Free Index Collections | Genealogy collections and records |
| Ancient Faces | Miscellaneous searchable photo database |
| Atlas of Historical County Boundaries | County boundary changes in U.S. states |
| Automated Genealogy | Indices to Canadian Censuses |
| Behind the Name | Histories of thousands of first names and surnames |
| Billion Graves | Cemetery and Burial records |
| Canadian Virtual War Memorial | Registry of Canadians who have died serving in uniform |
| Canadiana | Digitized Canadian journals, books and other publications |
| CanGenealogy | Links to Canadian Genealogy websites |
| Castle Garden | Immigration records |
| Chronicling America | Digitized U.S. newspapers; over 20 million pages |
| Civil War Soldiers and Sailors Database | Civil War veteran records |
| Commonwealth War Graves Commission | U.K. World War I and II burials |
| Cyndi's List | List of links to genealogy related resources |
| Danish Demographic Database | Danish genealogy collections |
| David Rumsey's Historical Maps | 120,000 world-wide maps |
| Dawes Rolls | Native American genealogy collections |
| Dead Fred | Miscellaneous searchable photo database |
| Death Indexes | Links to death, cemetery, and obituary collections |
| Digital Commons Collections | College and University collections |
| Digital Library of Appalachia | Southern and Central Appalachian genealogy collections |
| Digital Library on American Slavery | African-American Collections |
| Digital Public Library of America | Search facility for genealogical collections and records |
| Digitalarkivet | Norwegian genealogy collections |
| Documenting the American South | Southern states genealogy collections |
| Elephind | Digitized world-wide newspapers; over 2,300 titles |
| Ellis Island | Immigration records |
| FamilySearch | Search facility for genealogical records |
| FamilySearch Catalog | Genealogical materials; mostly browsing |
| FamilySearch Wiki | Links and information for collections and records |
| Federation of Eastern European Family History Societies | Eastern European genealogy collections |
| FindAGrave | Cemetery and Burial records and tombstone photos |
| Free BMD | England and Wales birth, marriage, and death records |
| FreeCEN | UK Census Records |
| Freedmen's Bureau Online | African-American Collections |
| FreeREG | UK records from Parish Registers |
| Fulton History | Over 55 million digitized newspaper pages |
| Genealogy Trails | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records |
| Geni | Collaborative Family Tree |
| GENUKI | United Kingdom and Ireland collection links |
| German Genealogy Group | Mostly New York records |
| Google | Genealogy resources search |
| Google Books | Digitized books |
| Google News Archive | Digitized U.S. and Canada newspapers; over 2,000 titles |



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| Guild of One Name Studies | Worldwide Surname Research |
| HathiTrust | Digitized books and other printed materials |
| Historic Map Works | Historic digital map database |
| Historically Black Colleges and Universities | Primary Resources from HBCU libraries and archives |
| I Dream of Genealogy | List of links to genealogy related resources |
| Interment.net | Cemetery and Burial records |
| Internet Archive | Genealogy records, newspapers and related collections |
| Irish Genealogy | Variety of church & civil records including vital records |
| Italian Genealogical Group | New York City records |
| Jewish Gen | Jewish genealogy records |
| Jstor | Digital library of journals, books, and primary sources |
| Kartenmeister | German and Polish locations database |
| LDS Genealogy | List of links to genealogy related resources |
| Library and Archives Canada | Canadian genealogy records |
| Library of Congress Digital Collections | Genealogy collections and records |
| Linkpendium | List of links to genealogy related resources |
| Lowcountry Africana | African American Genealogy in SC, GA and FL |
| Midwest Genealogy Center | Regional genealogy plus railroad pension records |
| National Archives and Records Administration | Genealogy collections and records |
| National Archives of Ireland | Irish genealogy collections |
| National Archives Resources for Genealogists | Links to genealogical records and collections |
| National Cemetery Administration | Veterans cemetery records |
| National Library of Australia | Australian genealogy collections |
| National Library of Ireland | Irish genealogy collections |
| National Library of Scotland | Scottish genealogy collections |
| National Library of Wales | Welsh genealogy collections |
| Nationwide Gravesite Locator | Burial locations of Veterans and family members in VA national cemeteries |
| New Horizons Genealogy | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records, primarily New England |
| New York Public Library Digital Collections | Over 900,000 digitized items |
| Olive Tree Genealogy | Ship passenger lists and other genealogy records |
| One-Step Webpages by Stephen P. Morse | Links to search genealogical records and collections |
| PastPerfectOnline Collections | U.S. and Canada digitized museum, library, and archive collections |
| Patriot and Grave Registry | Revolutionary War grave and patriot information |
| Reclaim the Records | Genealogy collections and records |
| RootsWeb.com | Huge genealogy community |
| Sanborn Maps | Fire Insurance maps that show building details |
| Smithsonian Digital Library | Miscellaneous collections |
| The Ancestor Hunt | Links to genealogical records and collections |
| The Newberry Collections | Chicago-based genealogy library |
| The Official Land Records Site | Federal land title records from 1788 |
| The Portale Antenati | Italian genealogy collections |
| U.S. Census Bureau | Miscellaneous census-related collections and information |
| UK National Archives | UK genealogy collections |
| US GenWeb | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records |
| US GenWeb Archives | Transcribed U.S. genealogy records |
| Veridian Newspapers | Digitized world-wide newspapers, over 85 million pages |
| Volksbund German War Graves Commission | Germany World War I and II burials |
| Wie Was Wie | Dutch genealogy collections |
| WikiTree | Collaborative Family Tree |
| WorldGenWeb | World-wide genealogy records |

