

# Internet Sites for Genealogists

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## General Genealogy

### **Cyndi's List** ([www.cyndislist.com](http://www.cyndislist.com))

Over 260,000 links to genealogy-related sites. Searched by 150 topics--location, family name, biographies, subjects, etc. Many links to paid sites.

### **Roots Web** ([www.rootsweb.com](http://www.rootsweb.com))

Portal for many free genealogy sites. Maintains mail lists. A member of the Ancestry.com community.

### **U.S. GenWeb** ([www.usgenweb.com](http://www.usgenweb.com))

County sites created by volunteers. Good way to contact local researchers.

### **Family Search\*** ([www.familysearch.org](http://www.familysearch.org))

Database maintained by the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints (LDS). Allows searching for your ancestors on line; provides valuable research tips; provides printable research guidelines for countries/regions of the world. Access to LDS Family History Library Catalog.

### **Family History Archives (BYU)** ([www.lib.byu.edu/fhc](http://www.lib.byu.edu/fhc))

Digital images of more than 5,000 family and local histories. Family history center.

### **Heritage Quest Online** ([www.library.pima.gov](http://www.library.pima.gov))

Free at Tucson FHC or with public library card from home. Census, local and

### **Linkpendium\*** ([www.linkpendium.com](http://www.linkpendium.com))

Links to more than 2 million genealogy web sites. Searched by surname or state. Linkpendium is developed by Karen Isaacson and Brian Leverich, founders of RootsWeb genealogical community site.

### **Newspapers on Microfilm (Library of Congress)** ([www.loc.gov/rr/news/](http://www.loc.gov/rr/news/))

The Serial & Government Publications Division maintains one of the most newspaper collections in the world—9,000 U.S. title and 25,000 non-US titles.

### **Online Genealogy Records and Resources** ([www.deathindexes.com/sites.html](http://www.deathindexes.com/sites.html))

Online death indexes and vital records

### **Free Public Records** ([www.publicrecordsources.com](http://www.publicrecordsources.com))

Comprehensive list of free record sites for civil, criminal, driving, and real estate records, etc.

### **Genealogy Research Guides, Tips and Online Records** ([www.researchguides.net/index.htm](http://www.researchguides.net/index.htm))

Portal to all types of U.S. online records as well as information on finding people, software, and some foreign country sites.

### **Ohio Historical Society** ([www.ohiohistory.org/textonly/links/arch\\_hs.html](http://www.ohiohistory.org/textonly/links/arch_hs.html))

Links to U.S. State Archives and Historical Societies. Wealth of information, but content varies tremendously from state to state.

## Fee Sites:

### **Ancestry.com** ([www.ancestry.com](http://www.ancestry.com)) (\$300 World Deluxe - \$155 US)

Subscription site; complete contents available at Mesa FHC and SLC Family History Library; limited contents at other Family History Centers. One of the most extensive research sites for US research.

### **Godfrey Memorial Library** ([www.godfrey.org](http://www.godfrey.org)) (\$35/65 a year)

Millions of names in more than 800 state and country resources. This site is free at Tucson FHC.

### **Genealogy Bank** ([www.GenealogyBank.com](http://www.GenealogyBank.com)) (\$69.95 a year)

Product of News Bank, Inc. Collection of genealogical materials, historical newspapers, books, and documents, (obituaries from 1977 to present), social security, etc. Newspapers added daily.

### **Newspaper Archives** ([www.newspaperarchive.com](http://www.newspaperarchive.com)) (\$95.88 yr - \$7.99 mo)

79 million historical newspaper pages, adding 80,000 pages a day.

**Accessible Archives** ([www.accessible.com/accessible](http://www.accessible.com/accessible)) (\$49.95 yr)

Online access to newspapers, magazines, and county histories for mid-Atlantic States. Full-text databases.

**World Vital Records (FamilyLink.com, Inc)** [www.worldvitalrecords.com](http://www.worldvitalrecords.com) (\$49 yr – \$5.95 mo – free at Tucson FHC) Census, birth, marriage, death, military, immigration, family trees, directories, court, land, probate, reference, links to Google Books.

### **Foreign sites:**

**Canada:** Canadian Genealogy Centre ([www.genealogy.gc.ca](http://www.genealogy.gc.ca))

Physical and online services of the Library and Archives Canada.

**British Isles:** Genuki -- UK and Ireland Genealogy ([www.genuki.org.uk](http://www.genuki.org.uk))

Portal to genealogical information pages for England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, the Channel Islands and the Isle of Man.

**Denmark:** Denmark Databases (<http://homepage.mac.com/sootica/Sites/DenmarkFAQ>)

Covering the whole country of Denmark. Site created by volunteers, the Danish National Archives, and LDS Church. Databases cover the Danish Census, Emigration from Denmark

**Italy:** Italian Genealogy ([http://lancione-laura.tripod.com/italian\\_genealogy\\_links.htm](http://lancione-laura.tripod.com/italian_genealogy_links.htm))

Access transcribed religious, civil, and immigration documents and an abundance of genealogy groups with helpful members. Web-based resources and a number of links.

### **Blogs:**

**Genealogy Blog Finder** ([www.blogfinder.genealogue.com](http://www.blogfinder.genealogue.com))

A listing of blogs by categories

**Everton Publishers** ([www.genealogyblog.com](http://www.genealogyblog.com))

Regular updates as to what is happening in the world of genealogy including frequent

**Eastman Online Newsletter** (<http://www.eogn.com>)

Daily newsletter that brings you up-to-date information on genealogy community.

### **Miscellaneous Interesting Sites:**

**Online County Histories, Biographies & Indexes**

([www.genealogybranches.com/countyhistories.html](http://www.genealogybranches.com/countyhistories.html))

Portal to online County Histories, Biographies, & Indexes

**Libraries on the Web** (<http://lists.webjunction.org/libweb>)

Online searchable directory of libraries.

**American Historical Society Affiliates** ([www.historians.org/affiliates](http://www.historians.org/affiliates))

Online searchable directory of societies affiliated with the AHS

**Random Acts of Genealogical Kindness** ([www.raogk.org](http://www.raogk.org)) Free genealogy research by volunteers.

### **Volunteer Opportunities**

**Family Search Indexing\*** ([www.familysearchindexing.org/en/index.jsp](http://www.familysearchindexing.org/en/index.jsp))

Volunteers extract family history information from digital images of historical documents to create searchable indexes that assist everyone in finding their ancestors. FamilySearch and partnering societies provide a variety of project to index. When indexing is completed, the information will be made available free of charge.

**RootsWeb** ([www.rootsweb.com](http://www.rootsweb.com))

Go to “How to Volunteer” to find out the number of ways to contribute your information and/or contribute your time to RootsWeb and its hosted sites.