

# Tracing Your Roots: Online

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- ▶ Free Genealogy Websites
- ▶ Online Books
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- ▶ Online Learning
  - ▶ Webinars
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# Free Genealogy Websites: Family Search

- ▶ A service provided by The Church of the Latter Day Saints
- ▶ [www.FamilySearch.org](http://www.FamilySearch.org)
  - ▶ Build an online Tree
  - ▶ Search records
    - ▶ Census, IGI
  - ▶ Genealogies
    - ▶ Other member trees
  - ▶ Books
  - ▶ Webinars/Videos
  - ▶ Wiki
    - ▶ Great resource for tracking down records and resources.

# Free Genealogy Websites: US GENWEB

- ▶ The [USGenWeb](#) Project! We are a group of volunteers working together to provide free genealogy websites for genealogical research in every county and every state of the United States. This Project is non-commercial and fully committed to free genealogy access for everyone.

# Free Genealogy Websites: NARA (National Archives and Records Administration)

- ▶ [www.Archvies.gov/research/genealogy](http://www.Archvies.gov/research/genealogy)
  - ▶ Tips
  - ▶ Resources
  - ▶ Tutorials
  - ▶ Workshops

# Free Genealogy Websites:

## New England Historic Genealogical Society

- ▶ [www.AmericanAncestors.org](http://www.AmericanAncestors.org)
- ▶ It provides family historians access to more than 1 billion records spanning the U.S. and beyond, including one of the most extensive online collections of early American records, and the largest searchable collection of published genealogical research journals and magazines. Special strengths in our content include English, New England (Connecticut, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, Rhode Island, and Vermont), New York, Pennsylvania, and Virginia materials.
- ▶ [Guest User Account](#)

# Free Genealogy Websites: Ancestry

## ▶ Ancestry

### ▶ Free Trial Period

- ▶ After trial period ends you will still be able to view and build your tree, but will not have access to records in ancestry or be able to connect with other Ancestry users.

### ▶ Ancestry Library Edition

- ▶ Available for FREE at Broward County Library
- ▶ Access to:
  - ▶ US Census records
  - ▶ Social Security Index
  - ▶ Public Ancestry Trees

### ▶ Ancestry Blog

<https://blogs.ancestry.com/ancestry/>

# Free Genealogy Websites: I Seek Dead People

- ▶ [Findagrave.com](http://Findagrave.com)
- ▶ [BillionGraves.com](http://BillionGraves.com)
- ▶ [Interment.net](http://Interment.net)
- ▶ [EpochLegacies.org](http://EpochLegacies.org)





# Online Books:

- ▶ Family Search
- ▶ [Archive.org](#)
- ▶ [Google books](#)
- ▶ [Hathitrust.org](#)
- ▶ [WorldCat](#)

# Newspapers

- ▶ [Newspapers.com](#)
  - ▶ 7 day Free Trial
- ▶ [Ancestor Hunt](#)
- ▶ Library of Congress
  - ▶ [Chronicling America](#)
- ▶ [Google News Archive](#)
- ▶ [Old Fulton NY Post Cards](#)
- ▶ [Online Historical Newspapers](#)
- ▶ WorldCat



# Online Learning

## ▶ Webinars

### ▶ Ancestry

- ▶ <http://www.ancestry.com/cs/us/videos>
- ▶ <https://www.youtube.com/AncestryCom>
- ▶ [https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Q97Zh\\_ZlUg](https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=3Q97Zh_ZlUg)

### ▶ LegacyFamilyTree

- ▶ <http://familytreewebinars.com/>

### ▶ Familysearch.org

- ▶ [https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Family\\_History\\_Library\\_Classes\\_and\\_Webinars](https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Family_History_Library_Classes_and_Webinars)

# Online Learning

## ▶ Blogs

- ▶ Ancestry and FamilySearch
- ▶ [Ancestry Insider](#)
- ▶ [Family History Daily](#)
- ▶ [Vita Brevis](#)
- ▶ [Genealogy Tip of the Day](#)
- ▶ [Genealogy Guys](#) (Podcast)
- ▶ [Lisa Louise Cook's Genealogy Gems](#)
- ▶ [Dear Myrtle](#)

# Happy Hunting!

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