Family History on the Internet

INTRODUCTION

Books

Turbo Genealogy: An Introduction to Family History Research in the Information Age, 1997
Netting Your Ancestors: Genealogical Research on the Internet, 1998
Everything Online Genealogy Book (The), 2000
Complete Idiot's Guide to Online Genealogy (The), 2000
Genealogy Basics Online: A Step-by-Step Introduction to Finding Your Ancestors through the Internet, 2000
Genealogy Online: Researching Your Roots, 5th Ed., 2001
Complete Beginner's Guide to Genealogy, the Internet, and Your Genealogy Computer Program (The), 2001
Genealogy Online for Dummies, 3rd Ed., 2001
Genealogist's Computer Companion, 2002


Free software downloads

Family Search Internet Genealogy Service <http://www.lds.org/genealogy/>
Personal Ancestral File (PAF) 5.1 (Build 5.1.12)
Personal Ancestral File (PAF) Companion Evaluation Version 5.1
Personal Ancestral File (PAF) Companion Upgrade.
Ancestry <http://aft.ancestry.com/> Ancestry Family Tree
Legacy Family Tree <http://www.legacyfamilytree.com/> Legacy Family Tree 4.0
Comparing Genealogy Software Programs <http://www.cagenweb.com/rwilson/comparison.htm>
Ancestor Detective <http://www.ancestordetective.com/> Genealogical Web Site Watchdog
Gensuck, Controversial Issues About Genealogy <http://www.gensuck.com/>

COMMUNICATE

EMail tutorial <http://www.lib.utah.edu/navigator/email/email.html>
Wabash College Digital Information System, Introduction to Network Etiquette,
Mailing List Sites

RootsWeb.com Mailing Lists <http://lists.rootsweb.com>
Genealogy Resources on the Internet <http://www.rootsweb.com/~jfuller/gen_mail.html>
Publicly Accessible Mailing Lists <http://paml.net/>
Topica <http://www.liszt.com/>
**"Mailing Lists - The Genealogist's Most Powerful Internet Tool", Mark Howells,
<http://www.oz.net/~markhow/writing/hammer.htm>
Writing a Productive Genealogy Query - Latham Family Homepage,
<http://hometown.aol/Jonnalogy/Homepage.html>.
Internet Genealogy, Part 1, Getting Started on the Net, Lesson 2 - Creating Effective Queries, Marthe Arends, Online Pioneers, <http://www..genealogy.com/201/lesson2/course2_01.html>
Good Queries are Clear-Specific-Simple-Concise <http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/newsqueriesgood.htm>

Bulletin Boards

Genealogy.com Genforum <http://genforum.genealogy.com/>
National Genealogical Society Queries <Chatfield@ngsgenealogy.org>
Lineages Free Genealogy Queries <http://www.lineages.com/queries/default.asp/>
Heritage Quest Query Center <http://www2.heritagequest.com/eventcenter/qcenter.htm>
Genealogy@Sierra Home <http://community.sierra.com/WebX?14@69.zHxOaXpEtu5^0@.ee741d2>
SEARCH
Family Search Internet Genealogy Service <http://www.familysearch.org/>
RootsWeb <http://www.rootsweb.com/>
U. S. GenWeb <http://www.usgenweb.org/>
Ancestry.com <http://www.ancestry.com/>
Cyndi's List <http://www.cyndislist.com/>

Subscription sites
Genealogy.com Genealogy Library Collection

Search Engines
About.com http://about.com/
AltaVista http://altavista.com/
AOL Anywhere http://aolsearch.aol.com/
Ask Jeeves http://askjeeves.com/
DMOZ Open Directory Project http://dmoz.org/
Excite http://my.excite.com/myexcite/my.jsp
Fast (All the Web) http://www.alltheweb.com/
Overture.com http://overture.com/
Google http://www.google.com/
HotBot http://hotbot.lycos.com/
InfoSpace Web Search http://infospace.com/
FindIt.com http://findit.com/
Go.com http://infoseek.go.com/
Mammon.com http://mammon.com/ (under construction)
MSN http://www.msn.com/
NBCI http://nbci.msnbc.com/nbci.asp
Northern Light http://northernlight.com/
Sprinks http://sprinks.about.com/
Vivisimo http://vivisimo.com/
Yahoo! http://www.yahoo.com/

Search Engines: Top Ten Things to Remember <http://www.cyndislist.com/search.htm>
MetaSearch Engines <http://searchenginewatch.com/links/metacrawlers.html>
Dogpile <http://www.dogpile.com>
Mamma <http://www.mamma.com>
MetaCrawler <http://www.metacrawler.com>
Search.com <http://www.search.com>

Genealogy Search Sites
The Genealogy Home Page <http://www.genhomepage.com/>
Lineages.com <http://www.lineages.com/>
Next of Kin <http://www.lineages.com/NextofKin/>
Helm's Genealogy Toolbox <http://onlinegenealogy.com/>
Pro Genealogists <http://progenealogists.com/genealogy sleuthb.htm>
<http://progenealogists.com/genealogy sleuthi.htm>
Distant Cousins <http://distantcousin.com/>
GENDEX WWW Genealogy Index <http://www.gendex.com/gendex/>
Surname Web <http://www.surnameweb.org/>

SHARE
Server.com Online Applications (r) <http://server.com/index.html>
MyFamily.com <http://myfamily.com>
FamilyBuzz.com <http://familybuzz.com>
FreeWebSpace.net <http://www.freewbspace.net>
FindYourHosting.com <http://www.findyourhosting.com>
Tripod <http://www.tripod.lycos.com>
Yahoo! GeoCities Your Home on the Web <http://geocities.yahoo.com/>
Genserv Genealogical GEDCOM Server System <http://www.genserv.com/>
Higginson Book Company <http://www.higginsonbooks.com/newbook.htm>
DMT Publishing <http://www.dmtpublishing.com/>
Genealogy Publishing Service <http://www.genealogybookstore.com/publishing/>

EDUCATION

Newsletters
  Monday: The Family History Compass, Juliana Smith
  Tuesday: Alternating Columns: Kip's Tips ,Kip Sperry's and Digital Genealog, Drew Smith
  Wednesday: Dick Eastman Online
  Thursday: GC Extra, Liz Kerstens
  Friday: "Along Those Lines.,” George G. Morgan
Family Tree Magazine Update <http://www.familytreemagazine.com>
Treasure Map's Monthly Genealogy E-mail Newsletter < http://www.amberskyline.com/treasuremaps/>

Tutorials
Kimberly Powell <http://genealogy.about.com/library/weekly/aa072100a.htm>
ANCESTORS <http://www.kbyu.org/ancestors/>
Treasure Maps - the How-to Genealogy Site <http://www.amberskyline.com/treasuremaps/>

Online Classes
Brigham Young University Independent Study <http://ce.byu.edu/is/>
FamilyTreeMaker.com Online University <http://familytreemaker.genealogy.com/university.html>
Introduction to Genealogy - An Online Course <http://www.ngsgenealogy.org/edu_1IntroCourse.htm>
Digital University <http://www.digitaledu.com/courses/social/SLGN01.html>

TOOLS
Itools <http://www.itools.com/>
Forms and charts
Family History Library <http://www.familysearch.org>
Everton <http://www.everton.com/learn/showcontent.php?id=1385>
Ancestry <http://www.ancestry.com>
Family Tree Magazine <http://familytreemagazine.com/forms/download.html>
Lineages <http://lineages.com/FirstSteps/Basic.asp>
Soundex Card <Deseret Census Service <http://www.censusresearch.com>
Relationship Chart <http://homepages.rootsweb.com/~hornbeck/chart.htm>
Lineages.com Relationship Chart <http://www.lineages.com/reading/relationships.asp>

Library Catalogs
Library of Congress WWW/Z3950, Gateway to Library Catalogs <http://lcweb.loc.gov/z3950/>
Allen County Public Library <http://www.acpl.lib.in.us/>
Periodical Source Index (PERSI) <http://www.acpl.lib.in.us/genealogy/persi.html>
LibDex - The Library Index <http://www.libdex.com/whatis.html>
Libweb <http://sunsite.berkeley.edu/Libweb/>
Lib-web-cats <http://staffweb.library.vanderbilt.edu/Breeding/libwebcats.html>
Mid-Continent Public Library <http://www.mcpl.lib.mo.us/>
Golden West Marketing <http://www.gwest.org/gwm3.htm>

Maps

U. S. Census Bureau Reference Maps
<http://factfinder.census.gov/servlet/ReferenceMapFramesetServlet?_lang=en
Lycos Roadmaps <http://maps.lycos.com/>
MapQuest <http://www.mapquest.com/>
MSM Map Point <http://mappoint.msn.com/>
Hamrick Software - U. S. Surname Distribution <http://www.hamrick.com/names/>

White / Yellow Pages

Teldir.com <http://www.teldir.com/>
BellSouth.com http://www.bellsouth.com/ 
InfoSpace <http://www.infospace.com/>
Bigfoot - the Communications Powerhouse <http://bigfoot.com/>
Who Where? <http://whowhere.lycos.com/>
Yahoo People Search <http://people.yahoo.com/>

Calendars

Calendar Zone <http://calendarzone.com/>
CalendarHome.com <http://calendarhome.com/>
Java Perpetual Calendar <http://www.execcp.com/~mikeber/calendar.html>
TimeandDate.com <http://timeanddate.com/>
Greenheart Internet Services <http://www.greenheart.com/>
Bill Hollon’s Web Site <http://www.greenheart.com/billh/index_.html>
Roman numeral and date conversion <http://guernsey.net/~sgibbs/roman.html>
Perpetual Calendar <http://wiskit.com/calendar.html>
Birthdate Calculator <http://shad.foxsports.lycos.com/rams_patriots.html>

Soundex

Surname to Soundex Converter <http://www.geocities.com/soundexconverter/soundex.html>
Obtaining EDs for the 1930 Census in One Step (Large Cities)
<http://home.pachell.net/spmorse/census>
NARA 1930 Census Microfilm Locator <http://1930census.archives.gov/>

Dictionaries / Word Lists

Genealogy.com, Glossary of Genealogical Terms and Abbreviations
<http://www.genealogy.com/Glossary/glossary.html
NetLingo.com < http://www.netlingo.com/
FreeDict.com <http://www.freedict.com/>
United States Postal Codes <http://www.usps.gov/ncsc/lookups/abbr_state.txt>
Country and County Codes - British Isles <http://www.genuki.org.uk/big/Regions/Codes.html>
Extended Character Codes - International Characters
<http://cgi.rootsweb.com/~genbbs/HINTS/ForeignChar.htm

Translation Aids

Altavista.com <http://babelfish.altavista.com/>
FreeTranslation.com <http://freetranslation.com/>
InterTran <http://www.tranexp.com:2000/InterTran?>
Gist-in-Time <http://www.alis.com/translate_online.html>

Bookstores

Obituary Lookup Volunteers <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~obitl/>
Willow Bend Books <http://www.willowbend.net/default.asp>
Ye Olde Genealogie Shoppe <http://www.yogs.com/>

**Volunteer Assistance**
- Books We Own <http://www.rootsweb.com/~bwo/index.html>
- Genealogy Helplist <http://www.helplist.org/index.shtml>
- Obituary Lookup Volunteers <http://freepages.genealogy.rootsweb.com/~obitl/>

**Professional Help**
- Board for Certification of Genealogists <http://www.bcgcertification.org/>
- International Commission for the Accreditation of Professional Genealogists (ICAPGen)
  - http://www.icapgen.org/
- Accredited Genealogist <http://www.accreditedgenealogists.org/>
- Association of Professional Genealogists (APG) <http://www.apgen.org/>
- Determining When You Need a Professional Genealogist*Myra Vanderpool Gormley, CG
  - Genealogy.com Learning Center
- So You're Going to Hire a Professional Genealogist <http://www.apgen.org/articles/hire.html>