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Resources For Researching Your Family History

Here are some resources for researching your family history. The first part of the list is for Internet sites, and at the end are resources you can use instead of or in addition to the internet. Some Internet sites can be used for free, some charge money. Many of them include “how to get started” articles. Several of the general genealogy sites include links specific to African American genealogical research.

General Genealogy Sites

www.ancestry.com
www.genealogy.com
www.myheritage.com
www.myfamily.com
www.footnote.com
www.worldvitalrecords.com
www.cyndislist.com
www.familysearch.org
www.usgenweb.org
www.rootsweb.com
www.newenglandancestors.com

African-American Genealogy Sites

www.afrigenes.com
www.ccharity.com

Transatlantic Slave Trade records

www.slavevoyages.org

Professional Genealogists

www.apgen.org
www.icapgen.org
www.bcgcertification.org

Non-Internet Based Resources

County Courthouses
National and State Archives
Family History Centers (associated with the Mormon Church, or LDS)
Local history centers and museums
Public and university libraries
Church records
Cemeteries
Family members
Other people connected to the family or location

Mission

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