

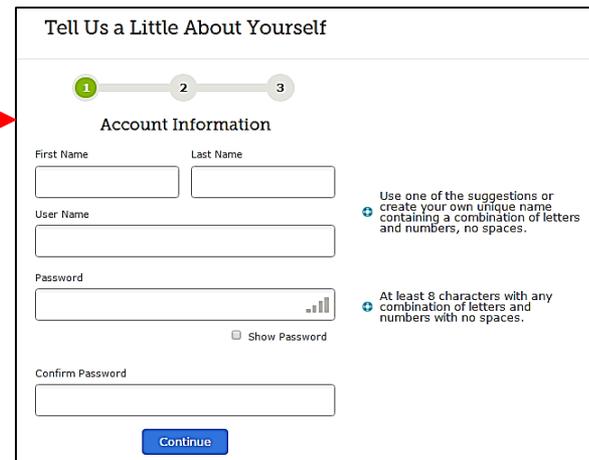
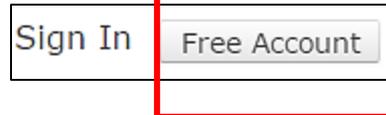
Tuesday, February 14, 2017

How to Get on to FamilySearch.org

1. You do not need a flash drive.
2. Turn on the computer – upper left on the keyboard.
3. You will be shown the home page.
4. Click on the icon of Chrome. 
5. Type in: www.familysearch.org
6. You will then come to the Start Page of FamilySearch.org 



2 options:

The image shows a registration form titled "Tell Us a Little About Yourself". At the top, there is a progress indicator with three steps, where the first step is highlighted in green. Below the title, the form is divided into sections. The first section is "Account Information", which includes fields for "First Name", "Last Name", "User Name", "Password", and "Confirm Password". There are also checkboxes for "Show Password" and "Use one of the suggestions or create your own unique name containing a combination of letters and numbers, no spaces." and "At least 8 characters with any combination of letters and numbers with no spaces." A blue "Continue" button is at the bottom of the form.

For a helpful video:

https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=5KLea_DPxb4&index=4&list=PLD22C493E525CC8D7 (5 minutes)

Start Page

Sign in

Sign In to FamilySearch

Username

rristic

Password

.....

Stay signed in for 2 weeks

Sign In

[Forgot your username or password?](#)

OR



Sign In with LDS Account

By clicking the Sign In button, I agree to the [FamilySearch Rights and Use Information](#) (Updated 2/3/2015) and have read the [Privacy Policy](#) (Updated 3/18/2014).

Top Menu

Bottom Menu

Your Pictures Can Be Here

The screenshot shows the FamilySearch homepage with several annotations:

- A red star is placed above the FamilySearch logo.
- A red arrow labeled "Top Menu" points to the "Search" link in the top navigation bar.
- A red box highlights the "Search" link in the top navigation bar.
- A red arrow labeled "Bottom Menu" points to the "Search" icon in the bottom navigation bar.
- A red box highlights the "Search" icon in the bottom navigation bar.
- A red arrow labeled "Your Pictures Can Be Here" points to the "Genealogy: Ancestors Remembered" section.

The homepage content includes:

- Header: FamilySearch logo, navigation links (Family Tree, Memories, Search, Indexing), and user options (Sign In, Free Account).
- Main Banner: "Make Discoveries" with a "Search historical records" button.
- Bottom Menu: Fan Chart, Photos, Family Tree, Search, Indexing, Family Booklet.
- RootsTech Registration is Live! Sign up now for discount pricing.
- My Family: Stories That Bring Us Together. Add your information into Family Tree. Learn More.
- Genealogy: Ancestors Remembered. Celebrate and share your family heritage in a way that is only possible through photographs. Get started.

Tuesday, March 14, 2017, 10:00 a.m.

Karen Ristic

More Strategies for Finding your Ancestors on FamilySearch.org

Wouldn't it be great if FamilySearch could read your mind and find the exact information you need about your ancestor? Do you ever get frustrated when you put in your search terms and the results are not what you expect or want? As good as FamilySearch is at anticipating your needs, there are some things you can do to get better and more accurate results. This presentation provides expert strategies for finding your ancestors (beside Historical Records) on FamilySearch:

Searching

- 1. Genealogies***
- 2. the FamilySearch Library Catalog***
- 3. Books***
- 4. The Wiki***
- 5. Online Genealogy Records by Location***
- 6. Research Outlines***



There will be time for you to try out In the lab classroom to search for your ancestor using these strategies.



FamilySearch.org

Searching, Searching, Searching...

1. Genealogies



2. FamilySearch
Library Catalog

3. Books

4. The Wiki

5. Online
Genealogy Records

6. Research
Outlines

1. Search Genealogies (Pedigree Resource File)

https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Pedigree_Resource_File

Search Genealogies

Genealogies are trees submitted to FamilySearch that can help you fill out your family lines within Family Tree. Accuracy of the data in these genealogies varies from tree to tree; we encourage you to validate all data.

Search by: **Relationship** AF Number

DECEASED ANCESTOR'S NAME

First Names

Last Names

SEARCH WITH A LIFE EVENT:

Birth | Marriage | Residence | Death | Any

SEARCH WITH A RELATIONSHIP:

Spouse | Parents

Spouse's First Names

Spouse's Last Names

Father's First Names

Father's Last Names

Mother's First Names

Mother's Last Names

Submission ID:

Match all terms exactly

Search

All ▼

Reset

LEARN ABOUT GENEALOGIES

GUILD OF ONE-NAME STUDIES

A collection of lineage-linked sourced genealogies from the Guild of One-Name Studies.

COMMUNITY TREES

A collection of sourced genealogies from specific times.

ORAL GENEALOGIES

A growing collection of genealogies obtained by interviewing people in various parts of the world. Entries include names, family relationships, and dates and places of events. No corrections or merges are made.

PEDIGREE RESOURCE FILE

A growing collection of genealogies submitted by users including hundreds of millions of ancestors. Entries include names, family relationships, and dates and places of events. No corrections or merges are made.

ANCESTRAL FILE

A static collection of genealogies submitted by users, prior to 2003, including 40 million ancestors. Entries include names, family relationships, and dates and places of events. Submissions were merged to eliminate duplication.

INTERNATIONAL GENEALOGICAL INDEX (IGI)

Information for over 430 million ancestors contributed by members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-day Saints. Each record contains one event, including birth, baptism (christening), marriage, or death.

Contribute your research to the FamilySearch.org community

Make your family tree available here to help other researchers. Your submissions remain in your control, preserved indefinitely, to review or remove as you see fit.

Submit Tree



1. Search User Submitted Genealogies (cont.)

Search User Submitted Genealogies

User Submitted Genealogies is a set of lineage linked conclusion trees provided to FamilySearch by users. This data comes from the Ancestral File, the Pedigree Resource File and other user submissions.

Search by: **Relationship** AF Number

Include: Ancestral File Pedigree Resource File

Match all terms exactly

First Names

Robert

Last Names

Ellis

Father's First Names

Father's Last Names

Mother's First Names

Mother's Last Names

Spouse's First Names

Spouse's Last Names

Search by Life Events:

Birth | Marriage | Residence | Death | Any

Birthplace

Year (Range)

Kentucky

1836

1836

Submission Number:

Search

Reset

2. Search FamilySearch Catalog

https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Introduction_to_the_FamilySearch_Catalog

FamilySearch Catalog

Search the catalog of genealogical materials (including books, online materials, microfilm, microfiche, and publications) made available by FamilySearch. Many items can be loaned to local family history centers around the world.

Learn more about the catalog and how to access materials.

SEARCH BY:

Place | Surnames | Titles | Author | Subjects | Keywords

Place

SEARCH FOR:

Call Number | Film/Fiche Number

SEARCH THESE FAMILY HISTORY CENTERS:

Search

Reset

Go here if records
are not
microfilmed

Other Catalogs to Consider:



WorldCat is the world's largest network of library content and services. WorldCat libraries are dedicated to providing access to their resources on the web, where most people start their search for information.



ArchiveGrid is a collection of nearly two million archival material descriptions, including MARC records from WorldCat and finding aids harvested from the web.

2. Search FamilySearch Catalog (cont.)

FamilySearch Catalog

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Catalog is in **BETA**. Visit the previous version.

Search by:

Places | Surnames | Titles | Authors | Subjects | Keywords

Places

United States, Kentucky, Shelby

Search for:

Call Numbers | Film/Fiche Numbers

Search these Family History Centers:

Any

Las Vegas

Search

Reset

Search Results for FamilySearch Catalog

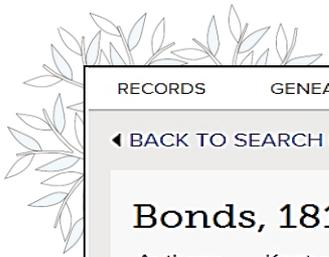
Notes ▼

1792, created from Jefferson County.

Part of United States, Kentucky

Places within United States, Kentucky, Shelby ▶

- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Biography (2)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Cemeteries (2)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Census - 1850 - Indexes (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Census - 1850 (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Census - 1870 (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Church history (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Church records (2)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Court records (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Genealogy (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Guardianship (3)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - History (7)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Land and property (4)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Maps - Indexes (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Maps (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Military records - Revolution, 1775-1783 (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Newspapers (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Occupations (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Officials and employees (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Periodicals (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Probate records (8)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Public records (2)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Taxation (2)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Vital records - Indexes (1)
- ▶ United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Vital records (14)



RECORDS GENEALOGIES **CATALOG** BOOKS WIKI

◀ BACK TO SEARCH RESULTS

Bonds, 1816-1854

Authors: Kentucky. County Court (Shelby County) (Main Author)
 Format: Manuscript/Manuscript on Film
 Language: English
 Publication: Salt Lake City, Utah : Filmed by the Genealogical Society of Utah, 1961
 Physical: 1 microfilm reel ; 35 mm.
 References: (Digital Collection) Kentucky probate records, 1727-1990

Notes
 Kentucky Probate Records are available online, click here.
 Microfilm of original in the county courthouse, Shelbyville.
 Includes index to deceased.

Subjects
Locality Subjects
 United States, Kentucky, Shelby - Probate records

2. FamilySearch Catalog

(cont.)

Results

Location
 Family History Library

View this catalog record in WorldCat for other possible copy locations

Film Notes (This family history center has 1 of 1 films/fiche.)

Note	Location	Collection/Shelf	Film/DGS
Bonds	Family History Library	United States & Canada Film	259272



2. Search FamilySearch Catalog

Ordering Films (cont.)

Get access to billions of records

- FamilySearch's Microfilm Ordering service is your gateway to a vast collection of genealogical and historical records. The service allows you to reserve and loan films to family history centers and affiliate libraries. The loan is free, but there is a small shipping and handling charge for each film. **\$7.50 for 90 days, \$18.75 for extended loan.**

Ordering is simple:

- Sign in using FamilySearch Accounts with the link in the top right corner of the Start Page. If you do not have an account, clicking the Sign In link will prompt you to Register.
- Locate the microfilm number(s) you want to order from the [Family History Library Catalog](#) located on FamilySearch.org to be delivered to the Las Vegas Library.

Note: Before ordering any film, check to make sure the Family History Library Catalog does not have a digital copy online. Select your loan type, enter the microfilm number, and click Search. Repeat this step for additional items.

- When you are ready to submit your loan order, click the shopping cart in the upper right portion of the screen. You will then have a chance to review and confirm your order. After you submit your order, all films will be delivered to your designated family history center.

2. Requesting Copies from the Library (cont.)

- **All requests for information copied from films, book pages, CDs, marriage, death or birth certificates, wills and/or deeds, etc. will be copied in digital format and emailed to patrons in a zipped PDF or JPG file format.** There is no charge for this service if we are able to email to information to patrons.
- **If a patron does not have an email address, we can mail the information to the patron using the US Postal Service.** However, as much as possible, we will rely on emailing all requests for information through the internet. If patrons do not own a computer or do not have an email address, they can request to have the information emailed to their local Family History Center, where they can print the information at the center.
- Patrons should request copies by submitting their request: [Photoduplication Request Form](#). All requests **MUST** include the following information:
 - Film or Fiche number
 - Item number
 - Name of Individual(s) referred to in the record
 - Title of the record
 - Name of parents, spouse, grantor, grantee, etc.
 - Event type (Birth, Death or Marriage)
 - Complete event date and place
 - Event place (county, parish, township, etc.)
 - Volume or page number
 - Registration or Certificate Number
 - Any other information that will help us locate your record.

FAMILYSEARCH
WHERE GENERATIONS MEET

Photoduplication is a service provided to FamilySearch patrons who would like copies of records or pages in books that can be found in the Family History Library, but not elsewhere.

Please fill out the form below:

First Name

Last Name

Email Address

Address Line 1

Address Line 2

City/Province

Zip/Postal Code

Country

Phone Number

How many duplicates are you requesting? (Limit of 5 per request)
Please use the slider below to select the number of duplicates you are requesting.

1 2 3 4 5

3. Search (Books)

https://books.familysearch.org/primo_library/libweb/action/search.do?vid=FHD_PUBLIC

Family History Books is a collection of more than 200,000 digitized genealogy and family history publications from the archives of some of the most important family history libraries in the world. The collection includes family histories, county and local histories, genealogy magazines and how-to books, gazetteers, and medieval histories and pedigrees. The valuable resources included in Family History Books come from the following partner institutions:

- [Allen County Public Library](#)
- [Brigham Young University Harold B. Lee Library](#)
- [Brigham Young University Idaho David O. McKay Library](#)
- [Brigham Young University Hawaii Joseph F. Smith Library](#)
- [Church History Library](#)
- [Family History Library](#)
- [Houston Public Library - Clayton Library Center for Genealogical Research](#)
- [Mid-Continent Public Library - Midwest Genealogy Center](#)
- [Historical Society of Pennsylvania](#)
- [Onondaga County Public Library](#)
- [University of Florida, George A. Smathers Libraries](#)
- [Arizona State Library, Archives and Public Records](#)

3. Search Books (cont.)

Family History Books

Ellis Family

Search

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Brigham Young University Hawaii Joseph F. Smith Library

Church History Library

Family History Library

Houston Public Library - Clayton Library Center for Genealogical Research

Mid-Continent Public Library - Midwest Genealogy Center

Libraries

Results

Results 1 - 10 of 19,836 for All records

Sorted by: Relevance

Material Type

Books (10,352)
Other (6,898)
Periodicals / Serials (2,586)
More options

Collection

Family History Library (14,955)
Allen County Public Library (3,058)
Family History Archive - Internet Archive (2,382)
Houston Public Library - Clayton Library Center for Genealogical Research (938)
Mid-Continent Public Library - Midwest Genealogy Center (587)
More options

Language

English (19,739)
Dutch (18)
French (15)
German (6)
Danish (3)
More options

Author/Creator

Colson, Robert Ellis (22)
Finks, Betty Lou (7)
Aycok, Jane Everline, 1967- (3)
Purchase, Wendell B. (2)
Guenther, Sandra E. (Sandra Eileen Ellis), 1934- (2)
More options

Suggested New Searches

by this author/creator:



History of the Ellis family and descendants of William Ellis of Bideford, Prince Edward Island

Ellis, Preston

Book

Details

Title: History of the Ellis family and descendants of William Ellis of Bideford, Prince Edward Island

Author: Ellis, Preston

Description: William Ellis, the progenitor of the Prince Edward Island Ellis family, was born in Bideford, England to James and Mary Totton Ellis. He married Hannah Penrose and they immigrated to Canada in 1814. There on Prince Edward Island, the Ellis family became q

Language: English;English;English

Provenance: Owning Institution:Family History Library, FamilySearch International; http://www.familysearch.org/

Patron Usage Instructions: https://www.familysearch.org/terms; Protected



Ellis family history, 1705-1928

Colson, Robert Ellis

Book

Details

no



The Ellis family

Foos, Katharine Jane (Strickle), 1838-

Book

Details

yes

4. Search Wiki

https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Main_Page
https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Help:Wiki_Basics



Research Articles

Browse by country
Browse by topic
Research Process
Wiki Tools
About the Wiki
Wiki Home

2

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Research Wiki

Get research advice, or learn where to find record collections in our **76,439** articles

Search by place or topic (not individual):

Shelby County, Kentucky



- About the Wiki
- Wiki Tools
- Success Stories

Search Tips:

- Start with broad localities, then click through to smaller ones
Example: England
- Use keywords, not phrases
Example: Hispanic Resources



Beginning Genealogy

- Start your family history
- Select computer software
- Organize your records
- Research Principles

More research helps



Find Records by Place

- United States
- England
- Germany
- Ireland

All countries



Research Tools

- Looking for the Research Outlines?
- Census Records
- Research Forms

More research tools

Search results for "Shelby County, Kentucky"

Shelby County, Kentucky Search

[Content pages](#) [Multimedia](#) [Help and Project pages](#) [Everything](#) [Namespace](#) Results **1 – 20** of **138** for **Shelby County, Kentucky**

There is a page named "Shelby County, Kentucky" on this wiki.

Shelby County, Kentucky

...cky]] [[Image:Gotoarrow.png]] [[Shelby County, Kentucky|Shelby County]]" Guide to ""Shelby County Kentucky genealogy."" Birth records, marriage records, death records, census record 21 KB (2,730 words) – 03:31, 8 July 2013



4. Using the Wiki (cont.)

Shelby County, Kentucky

[Edit This Page](#)

[United States](#) ↻ [Kentucky](#) ↻ [Shelby County](#)

Guide to Shelby County Kentucky genealogy. Birth records, marriage records, death records, census records, family history, and military records.

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Contents [hide]

- 1 Shelby County Kentucky Courthouse
- 2 Shelby County Kentucky History
 - 2.1 Parent County
 - 2.2 Boundary Changes
 - 2.3 Record Loss
- 3 Shelby County Kentucky Places/Localities
 - 3.1 Populated Places
 - 3.2 Neighboring Counties
- 4 Shelby County Kentucky Genealogy Resources
 - 4.1 African American Research
 - 4.2 Biographies
 - 4.3 Cemeteries
 - 4.4 Census
 - 4.5 Church
 - 4.6 Court
 - 4.7 Genealogy
 - 4.8 Land
 - 4.9 Local Histories
 - 4.10 Maps
 - 4.11 Military
 - 4.12 Miscellaneous
 - 4.13 Newspapers
 - 4.14 Obituaries
 - 4.15 Probate
 - 4.16 Taxation
 - 4.17 Vital Records
 - 4.17.1 Birth
 - 4.17.2 Marriage
 - 4.17.3 Unsorted
- 5 [Shelby County Kentucky Genealogy Societies and Libraries](#)
 - 5.1 Family History Centers
- 6 Shelby County Kentucky Genealogy Websites
- 7 Shelby County Kentucky Genealogy References



Kentucky Online Records

Shelby County, Kentucky

Map



Location in the state of Kentucky



Location of Kentucky in the U.S.

Facts

Founded June 23, 1792
County Seat Shelbyville

Courthouse

Adopt-a-wiki page



This page adopted by:
KYGenWeb Project
who welcome you to contribute.

and its representatives
Shelby Co. KYGenWeb

Adopt a page today

4

5

Shelby County Kentucky Courthouse

Beginning Dates for Shelby County, Kentucky Government Records

Birth*	Marriage	Death*	Census	Deeds	Wills
1852	1792	1852	1810	1792	1794

*Many years between 1852 and 1911 are missing



5. Online Genealogy Records by Location

https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Online_Genealogy_Records_by_Location

Online Genealogy Records Wiki pages contain links to online records for different states, provinces, or countries. These online records may include birth records, marriage records, death records, biographies, cemeteries, censuses, church records, histories, immigration records, land records, maps, military records, native races, naturalizations, newspapers, obituaries, or probate records.

Contents

- 1 U.S. Online Genealogy Records by State
- 2 U.S. Online Genealogy Records by Record Type
- 3 Major U.S. Cities Online Genealogy Records
- 4 Africa—Online Genealogy Records currently available
- 5 Asia and the Pacific—Online Genealogy Records currently available
- 6 British Isles—Online Genealogy Records currently available
- 7 Canada Online and North America Genealogy Records
- 7.1 North America
- 8 Europe—Online Genealogy Records currently available
- 9 Mexico, Central America, and the Caribbean—Online Genealogy Records currently available
- 10 South America—Online Genealogy Records currently available

6. Research Outlines

https://familysearch.org/wiki/en/Research_Outlines#Research_Outlines_on_the_Wiki

Research Outlines on the Wiki

For decades, the Family History Library has published research outlines which instruct patrons in genealogical techniques and list the best records to use in family history research. In 2009 they retired research outlines for several reasons.

In 2008 they copied all the research outlines to the wiki and began updating them. They then split the long outlines into separate articles. A research outline on paper might have 40 pages covering many topics such as census, vital, and land records. In the wiki, each topic is covered in a separate article. So if you're used to referencing the Church Records section of the Pennsylvania Research Outline, on the wiki you would find the same information by doing a search on the terms Pennsylvania church and selecting on the Search Results page, the article named "Pennsylvania Church Records."

Copies of Original Research Outlines

Even with the enhanced research information in Wiki articles, some researchers still use the outlines as they contain valuable information about genealogy and the records that are applicable to today's research.

The original outlines were converted into .pdf files by the BYU Family History Library and are now hosted on their website.



6. Research Outlines (cont.)

RESEARCH OUTLINE England

New York Research Outline

Table of Contents

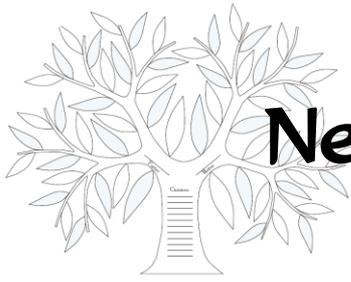
- Records Of The Family History Library
- Family History Library Catalog
- Archives And Libraries
- Bible Records
- Biography
- Cemeteries
- Census
- Church Records
- Court Records
- Directories
- Emigration And Immigration
- Gazetteers
- Genealogy
- History
- Land And Property
- Law And Legislation
- Maps
- Military Records
- Names, Personal
- Native Races
- Naturalization And Citizenship
- Newspapers
- Occupations
- Orphans And Orphanages
- Periodicals
- Probate Records
- Societies
- Taxation
- Town Records
- Vital Records
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 - Latin America
 - Non-locality Outlines
 - Other Countries
 - Scandinavia
 - Specialty U.S. Outlines
 - United States (all 50 states)

This outline describes major sources of information about families from New York. As you read this outline, study the *United States Research Outline* (30972), which will help you understand the terminology and the content and uses of genealogical records.



S. C. Computer / Genealogy Workshop

Next Genealogy Computer Workshop

Tuesday, 10:00 am, April 11, 2017

Karen Ristic

Open Lab for FamilySearch

***Come anytime from 10:00 am
to 12:00 pm Tuesday, April 11th to the
Computer Lab for individual help with
your genealogy and. . .***

