

SEARCHING FOR YOUR ANCESTRY LOCAL AND ONLINE

Start with family. Gather all you can from them, making sure to write down what you got from whom for later reference or corrections.

Very useful local sites for SE Georgia Area: [Wiregrass Genealogy](#) & [Huxford Genealogy Society](#) Most local libraries have research rooms with books for you to search for your kin from years past.

Also at our [Pines Library](#) System, (with a library card, of course) you can go to Galileo, then choose: **Browse by Subject**, then **Genealogy**. When you get in to that page, choose **HeritageQuest Online**. This place is almost the same as Ancestry.com. You can search for various items. You will also see Ancestry.com, but you will need to go to the library in person to search that site. If you do not live in our area, see if your local library system offers this service. The **court house** is a great place to search local deed, birth and death records, etc.

Places on the WEB: You have to BE CAREFUL because some people don't like to verify and you might get false info. Check out any info you get from all the online sites!

[Ancestry.com](#) ***** [Roots Web](#) ***** [Genealogy.com](#)
***** [Ancestry Magazine at Google.com](#)
[Find A Grave](#) ***** [Family Search](#) ***** [Genealogy Bank](#) *****

This is a link to a place with the [top 25 places to go to for Beginners!!](#)

Many of our ancestors came to the country via Mass. or Va. Here are the links to those genealogical societies.

[New England Historic Genealogical Society](#) ***** [Massachusetts Archives](#) *****
[Virginia Genealogical Society](#) ***** [Are you a Mayflower descendant?](#) *****
More: [Georgia Archives](#) Just do a search for your state or the state you believe your ancestors lived.

There may be a free book out there with your family line: [Archive.org](#) OR *****
[DAR](#) = Daughters of the American Revolution ***** [SAR](#)= Sons of the American Rev.

By Nationality

[Free Irish eBooks](#) ***** [German Genealoger](#)

I have not checked much into these sites yet. But, they are here to show you possibilities. Do your own searches!

Did your ancestors come through [Ellis Island](#)? Here are some links to help you research that information: <https://www.libertyellisfoundation.org/passenger-result>
<https://www.topviewnyc.com/packages/new-york-city-and-the-historical-ellis-island>

[5 Best Genealogy Programs in 2017](#)

DNA groups: If you have had your DNA done, join groups with your surnames.

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We hope you enjoyed the information about genealogy and what I have discovered.

[Books by Belinda Jo Adams](#)