



Use this database to find:

1. Birth, marriage, and death records from New England and New York
2. Church, town, land, and tax records from New England and New York
3. Records on the 1620s Great Migration and on 1800s Irish immigration
4. Family Bibles and coats of arms

How to get there:

- Go to SJCP's Local & Family History website (www.libraryforlife.org/localhistory)
- Click on **Digital collections and databases**
- Click on **New England Ancestors**
- **Note:** This database is only available in library branches

Search for Your Ancestors

First Name Last Name

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To do a basic search:

- Type the name of a person
- Click on **Go**

Category Search Region Search Chronological Search

First Name Last Name

SOUNDEX search:

Categories: All

Databases: All

Search Clear

To do an advanced search:

1. Click on **More Search Options**
2. Enter the name of the person you are interested in, and check off the soundex option to check search for alternate spellings
3. Choose a category, region, or chronological search
4. Choose a category, region, or time if you'd like
5. Choose a particular database if you'd like
6. Click on **Search**

NewEnglandAncestors.org answers questions like:

1. My great-great-grandmother lived in Massachusetts in the 1800s. When exactly did she die?
2. I have Irish ancestors that came over during the Potato Famine, but I can't find any records about them.
3. I'm trying to find early church records from Connecticut.
4. One of my ancestors died in Onondaga County, New York. I'd like to know who was named in his will.