

## RESEARCH CHECKLIST

### To find parents

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Biographies                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Death Records    |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Birth Records                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Histories |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burial Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Land Deeds       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Census Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Records |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Obituaries       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court Records (wills/estates) |   |

### To find birth date

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Biographies                   | <input type="checkbox"/> Directories          |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Birth Records                 | <input type="checkbox"/> Family Histories     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Burial Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Funeral Home Records |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Census Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Marriage Records     |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Church Records                | <input type="checkbox"/> Memorial Cards       |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Court Records (guardianships) | <input type="checkbox"/> Obituaries           |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Death Records                 |   |

To find immigration information

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| _____ Biographies              | _____ Naturalization Records |
| _____ Census Records           | _____ Obituaries             |
| _____ Declaration of Intention | _____ Ship Passenger Lists   |
| _____ Family Histories         |                              |

To find immigration information on the Web

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| _____ Ancestry Library Edition | _____ Ellis Island            |
| _____ Castle Garden            | _____ Ship Transcribers Guild |

To find birth, marriage, death, military, etc. on the Web

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| _____ American Obits & Death Notices | _____ Ohio Historical Society         |
| _____ Ancestry Library Edition       | _____ Online Searchable Death Indexes |
| _____ FamilySearch                   | _____ US Genweb/Rootsweb              |

## Source Checklist

### Compiled Information

- \_\_\_\_\_ Family Histories
- \_\_\_\_\_ County Histories
- \_\_\_\_\_ Family Papers
- \_\_\_\_\_ Online Submitted Family Information
- \_\_\_\_\_ Biographies
- \_\_\_\_\_ Family Bible

### Vital Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Birth Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Marriage Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Divorce Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Death Records

### Census Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Federal Census
- \_\_\_\_\_ State Census
- \_\_\_\_\_ Special Schedules (1890)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Quadrennial Enumerations

### Non-population Census Schedules

- \_\_\_\_\_ Agricultural
- \_\_\_\_\_ Manufacturing/Industrial Schedules
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mortality Schedules
- \_\_\_\_\_ Slave Schedules
- \_\_\_\_\_ Defective, Dependent, Delinquent Classes (1880)
- \_\_\_\_\_ Social Statistics Schedules

### Church Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Births/Baptisms
- \_\_\_\_\_ Marriages
- \_\_\_\_\_ Burials

### Court Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Wills
- \_\_\_\_\_ Estates
- \_\_\_\_\_ Guardianships
- \_\_\_\_\_ Civil Disputes

### Property Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Land Deeds
- \_\_\_\_\_ Plat Maps
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tax Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Mortgage/Rent Receipts
- \_\_\_\_\_ Vendor Licenses
- \_\_\_\_\_ Tavern Licenses

### Immigration Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Ship lists
- \_\_\_\_\_ Declaration of Intentions
- \_\_\_\_\_ Naturalization Records

### Military Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ Enlistments
- \_\_\_\_\_ Rosters
- \_\_\_\_\_ Draft Registrations
- \_\_\_\_\_ Military Service Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Pension Records

### Other Records

- \_\_\_\_\_ City/County Directories
- \_\_\_\_\_ Voting/Poll Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Poor House Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Vendor Licenses
- \_\_\_\_\_ Cemetery/Burial Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Obituaries/Death Notices
- \_\_\_\_\_ Memorial Cards
- \_\_\_\_\_ Funeral Home Records
- \_\_\_\_\_ Scrapbooks/Photograph Collections
- \_\_\_\_\_ Reunion Minutes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Township Meeting Minutes
- \_\_\_\_\_ Newspapers