



Ancestry Library Edition

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Where do you come from? How did you get here? What did your ancestors do? Everyone has a story to tell and ProQuest has the tools to grow and nurture your family tree.

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Ancestry Library Edition will bring you closer to your family history. It is the leading resource of its kind and provides the most genealogical information available online.

Ancestry Library Edition is the result of a partnership between MyFamily.com and ProQuest. Exclusively distributed in the library market by ProQuest, *Ancestry Library Edition* offers a wide and diverse variety of unique content allowing you to trace your family history.

Content

With more than 5 billion names from over 4,000 collections, *Ancestry Library Edition* contains:

- **United Kingdom and Ireland Census Collection**
- **England & Wales Civil Registration Index**
1837–present
- **Immigration Collection**, including Passenger Lists and Naturalisation Petitions
- **Military Collection**, including World War I Draft Registration Cards and the Civil War Service Records
- **Family and Local History Collection**
- **US Federal Census Collection**
- **BT Phone book Archives**

Many of the key genealogical resources featured in *Ancestry Library Edition* have not previously been available electronically in libraries, for example the Immigration Collection, featuring New York and San Francisco Passenger Lists and the New York Petitions for Naturalisation Index.

Features

Ancestry Library Edition has been designed exclusively for the library market and features:

- **Improved functionality.** You are welcomed by a clean and appealing home page, improved global search box allowing more restricted searching, improved library authentication and unlimited simultaneous users anywhere in the library

- **Breadth and depth of content.** *Ancestry Library Edition* contains a wealth of international material, giving relevance to many countries. The fact that it contains so many resources eliminates the need to search across multiple databases
- **Quality.** The content in *Ancestry Library Edition* is chosen for its authority and relevance
- **Search Tips.** Enhanced search tips offer simple instructions on how to access and use key databases
- **Help Files.** Dynamic Help files have been created specifically for the Library market

Ancestry Library Edition is continuously expanding with new content being added every business day. *Ancestry Library Edition* is ideal for any Public Library, Local Studies library or department, national and state libraries, specialist organisations for example family history societies, schools, colleges and universities.

HeritageQuest Online™

ProQuest's *HeritageQuest Online* offers libraries a unique, growing collection of research materials for tracing family history and American culture. Beginning or professional genealogists can now use this powerful online library, with original page images for all documents, from the convenience of their home or at the library. Indexes and original page images mean no additional trips, inter-library loan requests or work by researchers or staff.

HeritageQuest Online is the marriage of ProQuest's *Genealogy and Local History Online*, a collection of over 25,000 family and local histories, and content from *HeritageQuest*, the largest genealogical data, products, supplies and equipment provider to consumers and institutions in the United States.

HeritageQuest Online contains over 25,000 family and local history books, the entire US Federal Census, PERSI™, Revolutionary War Pension and Bounty Land Warrant Application Files, and other expanding collections.

ProQuest Obituaries™ – NEW!

ProQuest Obituaries provides more than 10 million obituaries and death notices from top US national newspapers, dating back to 1849. It provides obituaries and death notices in full-image format, allowing researchers to view a reproduction of the actual record as it appeared. Some obituaries and death notices included a photograph and, where possible, they have been included in the product. *ProQuest Obituaries* cross-searches more than 150 years of history from diverse sources, allowing users to easily search the entire database and significantly reduce research time.

How do Ancestry Library Edition, HeritageQuest Online and ProQuest Obituaries differ?

Ancestry Library Edition, *HeritageQuest Online* and *ProQuest Obituaries* are three very different, but complementary, genealogy resources with different editorial approaches. The only overlap between *Ancestry Library Edition* and *HeritageQuest Online* is census images and indexes. Other material is different in depth, breadth, format and content. *Ancestry Library Edition* contains much more international content, and has a wider breadth of content through citation delivery. Since *ProQuest Obituaries* takes its material from leading US newspapers, its coverage of obituaries is extremely unique.

Microfilm Collections

ProQuest offers a comprehensive collection of genealogy and local history titles in microfilm. The collection assembles and preserves genealogies, local histories, primary source materials and genealogical and local history serials relating to the US, Canada, Great Britain, Ireland and many other countries of immigration to North America, making it an unprecedented resource and a major conservation project. For more information visit www.umi.com



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