



An Index of 200 years in Monroe County, Indiana (1818 – 2018)

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Checklist for Research

Subject: _____

Researcher: _____ E-Mail: _____

Many of these resources are available online. For more information, contact us:

Monroe County History Center’s Research Library: 812-332-2517 ext. 4

Monroe County Public Library’s Indiana Room: 812-349-3080

1. African American Surname and Subject Index (c. 1855 - 1940) via Monroe County History Center
2. Book: <i>Bloomington and Indiana University</i> / Bloomington Restorations, Inc (2002)
3. Book: <i>Historic Treasures</i> by Forest M. "Pop" Hall (1922)
4. Book: <i>History of Lawrence and Monroe counties, Indiana</i> by Bowen (1914)
5. Book: <i>History of Morgan, Monroe, and Brown County Indiana</i> by Blanchard (1884)
6. Book: <i>Inventory of County Archives of Indiana No. 53 Monroe County</i>
7. Book: <i>Monroe County Family Heritage</i> (1987; 2007)
8. Church History Archives Index (1818- 1900) via Monroe County History Center
9. City Directories (incl. business ads, listings of officials)
10. Digital Collections: <i>At War & At Home, Monroe County Community Collection, Indiana Bedrock, Smithville News</i>
11. Digital Collections via the Monroe County History Center: <i>Photo Archives</i>
12. Family Files or Family History Files
13. <i>Indiana Magazine of History</i> (full text online) http://www.indiana.edu/~imaghist/
14. Indiana state repositories, incl. Indiana State Archives and Indiana State Library
15. Indiana University Libraries, incl. Indiana University Archives, Wylie Museum, Mathers Museum, Lilly Library ¹
16. Maps: County Plats, Fire Sanborn Insurance Maps, Indiana Maps Online
17. Microfilm: Newspapers (1824 - current) – see also HT Online database via http://mcpl.info/library-resources
18. Microfilm: Local History Files
19. Monroe County GIS
20. <i>Monroe County Historian</i> Index http://www.monroehistory.org/indexes-and-resources.php
21. <i>Monroe County Index</i> (incl. newspaper clipping vertical files, newspaper indexes, and more.)
22. Obituaries
23. Oral Histories
24. Resource list: Monroe County History Center http://www.monroehistory.org/indexes-and-resources.php
25. Online Databases: Ancestry.com, Fold3.com, Heritage Quest, Indiana Genealogical Society
26. Primary records for churches, coroner’s reports, court (civil & criminal), deeds, land, marriage, probate, schools, etc.
27. Resource list: <i>Inventory of Primary Documents for Monroe County</i> (1855 – 1875)
28. Resource list: Monroe County Public Library’s Genealogy Research Guide
29. <i>Rootsweb's IN-Monroe Listserv Archives</i> http://archiver.rootsweb.ancestry.com/th/index/INMONROE
30. Yearbooks

¹ Before the Monroe County Historical Society had a building in 1980, some of their collection was held by Indiana University Libraries.



Monroe County Public Library



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