

Indian Prairie Public Library's Genealogy Databases

Ancestry Library Edition (ProQuest)—Provides billions of U.S. and international collections including vital records, censuses, military records, immigration files, and more. In library use only.

HeritageQuest Online (ProQuest)—U.S. collections include federal censuses 1790 to 1940, genealogy and local history books; PERSI index; Freedman's Bank Records, 1865 to 1874, Revolutionary War Pension and Bounty Land Applications; and U.S. Serial Set.

Chicago Tribune Historical Archives (NewsBank)—Obituaries and death notices from 1860 to 1984, and major stories from the 1920s through 1984.

How to Access IPPL Genealogy Databases within the library

- Available to anyone from within the library on the Adult Services' database computers located near the Ask Us Desk. The database computers have no time limitations, but you cannot access the Internet.
- Available on a personal laptop/tablet through the library's website. Go to <http://ippl.info>, click Research, and select Genealogy or go directly to the genealogy web page <http://genealogy.ippl.info>. Ancestry Library Edition can be used within the library at www.ancestrylibrary.com
- Available to Indian Prairie cardholders on the Internet computers and laptops located by the Computer Help Desk. Indian Prairie cardholders are guaranteed 90 minutes of use. Two Internet stations are available for guests and non-cardholders to use for 30 minutes; time may be extended if no one is waiting.
- Printing is available from all of these options. See the Computer Help Desk for more information.

How to Access IPPL Genealogy Databases outside the library

IPPL cardholders can use databases outside of the library. Go to ippl.info, click Research, and select Genealogy or go directly to the genealogy web page <http://genealogy.ippl.info>. You will need to enter an Indian Prairie Library card to open the database. (Ancestry Library Edition cannot be accessed outside of the library).

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