



Indiana History

Subject Guide



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Reference Titles

"REF" = REFERENCE COLLECTION, 1st Floor

Archaeology in America: An encyclopedia
REF E159.5 A68 2009

Abraham Lincoln companion REF E457.15.A153 2008

American Midwest: An interpretive encyclopedia
REF F351.A534 2007

The Indiana book of trivia REF F526.5 .C368 2007

Evansville metropolion [i.e. metropolitan] area Indiana
(Map) REF G4094.E9 2006

The Indiana book of quotes
REF PN6081 .I45 2005

Skirting the issue: Stories of Indiana's historical women
Artists REF N6530.I6 N48 2004

Election history for Indiana: Counties and media markets
(Map) REF G1201.F9 E5 2003

Here is your Indiana government
REF JK5601 .H47 (most current ed.)

The encyclopedia of Indiana 1999 (2 vols.)
REF F526 .E53 1999

Encyclopedia of Indiana Indians: Tribes, nations and people
of the woodlands areas (2 vols.) REF E78.I53 E53 1998

Indiana legends: Famous Hoosiers from Johnny Appleseed to
David Letterman REF CT233 .P75 1997

Hoosier faiths: A history of Indiana churches & religious
groups REF BR555.I6 R83 1995

Worldmark encyclopedia of the states
REF E156 .W67 1995

The Encyclopedia of Indianapolis
REF F534.I357 E63 1994

Indiana biographical dictionary: People of all times and all
places who have been important to the history and life of the
state REF CT233 .I53 1993

Indiana: A new historical guide REF F527 .I54 1989

The Indiana book of records, firsts, and fascinating facts
REF F526.5 .C38 1985

A biographical directory of the Indiana General Assembly
(2 vols.) REF JK5630 .B56 (1980-)

Chronology and documentary handbook of the state of Indiana
REF F526 .C47 (1978)

Indiana place names REF F524 .B34 1975

Indiana, a guide to the Hoosier state, compiled by workers
of the writers' program of the work projects administration
in the state of Indiana (1941) REF F524.3 .I5

A history of Indiana from its exploration to 1922 / An account
of Vanderburgh County from its organization (3 vols.)
REF F526 .E74 (1923)

Indiana 1820 census index REF F525 .J3

Indiana 1830 census index REF F525 .J35

Indiana 1840 census index REF F525 .J36

Index, 1840 federal population census, Indiana
REF F525 .I52 1975

Indiana 1850 census index REF F525 .J37

Dictionary of American biography (multiple vols.)
REF E176 .D563

Dictionary of American history (10 vols.)
REF E174 .D52 2003

Historical statistics of the United States, colonial times to 1970
(2 vols.) REF HA202 .B87 1976

Historical atlas of the United States
REF ATLAS STAND G1201.S1 H5 2003

The American heritage pictorial atlas of United States history
REF G1201.S1 A4 1966

Atlas of American history REF G1201.S1 A2 1943

**Selected electronic books available through the
NetLibrary database**

Dissent in the heartland: The sixties at Indiana University
(2002)

Harold S. Bender, 1897-1962 (1998)

Hoosier faiths: A history of Indiana churches & religious groups
(1995)

Citizen klansmen: The Ku Klux Klan in Indiana, 1921-1928
(1991)

Special Collections/University Archives, 3rd Floor

This department of the library will be very important to you in your research, as it houses several collections of interest. *Items from this department may not be checked out.* In addition, this department has shorter hours than the overall library (M-F 8-4:30), so plan your research accordingly. You might wish to contact Jennifer Greene at 464-1832 for further research help.

Regional History - A collection of past and present materials of Indiana, Kentucky, and Illinois which includes books, photographs, newspaper clippings, oral history interviews, postcards, manuscripts, Evansville city directories 1866-current, and newsletters. Several USI student papers are included in this collection.

Oral History - These oral history interviews with local citizens, civic and professional leaders, business men and women discuss their lives and give personal insights into the community's history. Included are German heritage, Black history, labor history, and World War II remembrances.

Additional Collections

- Black History
- Blair Photograph Collection
- Fragile Harmony Collection
- Indiana Labor History
- John Waring Doane Photograph Collection
- Local Business History
- Local Government
- Mueller Photograph Collection
- Bigham Photograph Collection

Recommended Web Sites

American Memory Project

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/ammemhome.html>

Indiana War Memorials <http://www.in.gov/iwm/index.htm>

Indiana Historical Bureau

<http://www.in.gov/history/index.htm>

Indiana State Archives <http://www.in.gov/icpr/index.htm>

Indiana State Museum <http://www.in.gov/ism/>

Indiana's Statehouse <http://www.in.gov/statehouse/>

Conner Prairie <http://www.connerprairie.org/>

Indiana Historical Society <http://www.indianahistory.org/>
Library - <http://www.indianahistory.org/library/>

Indiana WWW Sites

<http://www.wvec.k12.in.us/hometown/biblio.html>

Evansville, IN Local History Database <http://local.evpl.org/>

Indiana Local History/Genealogy

http://home.att.net/%7ELocal_History/IN_History.htm

INGenWeb <http://www.ingenweb.org/>

Videos: Selected titles, 1st Floor

Young Lincoln (DVD, 2005) 973.7092.Y68

Out of the shadows: Portraits of historic women artists
(DVD, 2005) 704.042.098


Growing up in Evansville (VHS, 1984) 977.2 .B5

Suggested Databases

- America: History & Life
- Biography Resource Center
- Academic Search Premier

How to access USI Rice Library's subscription databases from *off-campus*

1. Go to the library's home page www.usi.edu/library
2. Select **Databases**
3. Select **Databases A to Z**
4. Click on name of database you want to search
5. The **Database Login** page will appear
6. Enter your **MyUSI username** and **password**
7. Click **Login**

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- By phone: 812-464-1907; Toll-Free: 1-800-246-6173
- By email: <http://www.usi.edu/library/refquestion.asp>
- Visit the Rice Library reference desk to consult with a reference librarian.

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<http://www.usi.edu/library/qsHISTORY07.asp>