Genealogy Resources on the
National Archives and Records Administration's (NARA) Website

Did you know that NARA's website, **http://www.archives.gov**, includes a number of resources to help you with your genealogical research? Some useful links include:

- NARA's "**Start Your Genealogy Research**" webpage:
  http://www.archives.gov/research/genealogy/start-research/

  - The "**Beginning your Genealogical Research at the National Archives and Records Administration**" PowerPoint (located in the right upper corner of the "Resources for Genealogists" webpage)

  - For information about specific records, click on the "**Research Topics**" link

  - **Reference Reports** provide brief research strategies,
    http://www.archives.gov/research/genealogy/reference-reports.html

- The **Archives Library Information Center**'s webpage includes a list of genealogical resources, http://www.archives.gov/research/alic/reference/genealogy.html

- **Know Your Records Program** (for information about upcoming lectures, workshops, NARA news, etc.) http://www.archives.gov/dc-metro/know-your-records/

  - Click on the link for "Researcher News" to read NARA's newsletter

- US National Archives YouTube Channel, **Videos of Know Your Records lectures**,
  http://www.youtube.com/playlist?list=PLC641EF0E3F8AFDF9

- **Reference Information Papers (RIP),**
  http://www.archives.gov/publications/ref-info-papers/index.html

  Examples of publications include:

  - RIP 108, *Black Family Research: Records of Post-Civil War Federal Agencies at the National Archives*

  - RIP 109, *Military Service Records at the National Archives*

  - RIP 110, *Using Civilian Records for Genealogical Research in the National Archives Washington, DC, Area*

  - RIP 114, *Research in the Land Entry Files of the General Land Office*

- *Prologue: Quarterly of the National Archives and Records Administration*, http://www.archives.gov/publications/prologue/index.html

  - Click on the "**Genealogy Notes**" link for articles about Federal records of genealogical interest

- To order copies of frequently requested records, submit an online order or download an order form at http://www.archives.gov/contact/inquire-form.html#part-a

- If you have a specific research question, you may submit an electronic request by completing the "**I have a question about research and records at NARA**" form at http://www.archives.gov/contact/inquire-form.html#part-b