



Locate your French Ancestors via Geneanet

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Geneanet is a website designed as a collaborative tool by and for genealogists. Geneanet can help you find your ancestors in France, Canada, Belgium, Italy, England, the United States and other countries. Geneanet is translated in several languages.

Registering for *Geneanet*:

There are 3 options to register:

1. Free account
2. Premium subscription US \$ 50/year
3. <https://familysearch.org/partneraccess> for members of The Church of Jesus Christ of Latter Day Saints.

Using *Geneanet*:

There are different ways to search Geneanet; below are some of the most important searches.

20 years Geneanet				
Family Tree	Search	Projects	Community	More
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Start your Family Tree	Search the Database	Cemeteries	Contacts	Blog
Import/Export a GEDCOM	Match your Family Tree	Memorials	Forums	Origin of Last Names
Personal Notes	Genealogy Library	Postcards	Collaborative Assistance	Origin of First Names
Your Archive and Pictures	Genealogy Society Indexes	Archival Registers	Sponsor a friend	Geneanet Labs
	1940 US Census 1841- 1901 English Census	Indexes		Search your French Ancestors
	Collections	Other Projects Your Sharing		

Family Tree

- Start your Family tree by importing a GEDCOM, create personal notes and add pictures

Search

- **Search the Database: with name and place** (with the Premium subscription you can also search for a husband and wife)
- Search the **Genealogy Library** and **Genealogy Society Indexes**
- Search United States and English Censuses

Projects

- **Postcards** (ancient and modern view if available)
- **Archival Registers:** has links to the Departments online

Community

- Geneanet will notify you whenever new information for your names is found
- Ask for help to procure a record that is not available online
- Ask for help reading a record (please do not abuse this offer)

More

- **Search your French Ancestors:**
 - French Record Keeping and what the records contain
 - Link to Online Departmental Archives
 - Link to Online Municipal Archives
 - Online Ship Lists & Emigration Records
 - Genealogical Societies

More information is available on Geneanet in French on the **Geneawiki**.