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The Allemania Club, the largest of Cincinnati's many Jewish recreational clubs, was often used as a forum for discussion of literary, historical, and philosophical topics



Genealogy print titles and Online resources

Call No. 929.1072 qA962, 2004

Title: Avotaynu guide to Jewish genealogy
edited by Sallyann Amdur Sack & Gary Mokotoff.

Publication Info. Bergenfield, N.J.: Avotaynu, 2004.

Call No. 929.108992 qZ93, 1996

Author: Zubatsky, David S., 1939-

Title: Sourcebook for Jewish genealogies and family histories
by David S. Zubatsky and Irwin M. Berent.

Publication Info. Teaneck, N.J.: Avotaynu

Call No. R929.108992 Z93

Author: Zubatsky, David S., 1939-

Title: Jewish genealogy: a sourcebook of family histories and genealogies
David S. Zubatsky, Irwin M. Berent.

Publication Info New York: Garland Pub., 1984.

Call No. 929.1089924 qJ59, 1992

Title: Jewish genealogy beginner's guide / edited by Irene Saunders Goldstein;
compiled by Jewish Genealogy Society of Greater Washington.

Publication Info. Vienna, VA (P.O.B. 412, Vienna 22183-0412): The Society Edition 3rd ed.

Call No. 929.1089924074 qP924, 1999

Author: Preisler, Julian H.

Title: Jewish genealogy resources: Mid-Atlantic states
compiled by Julian H. Preisler.

Publication Info. Apollo, Pa.: Closson Press, c1999. Edition 1st ed.

Call No. 929.10899240477 qW423, 1999

Author: Weiner, Miriam.

Title: Jewish roots in Ukraine and Moldova: pages from the past and archival
inventories / by Miriam Weiner in cooperation with the Ukrainian State
Archives and the Moldovan National Archives.

Publication Info. Secaucus, N.J.: Miriam Weiner Routes to Roots Foundation;
New York, N.Y.: YIVO Institute for Jewish Research, c1999.



Call No. Periodical

Title: Lineage.

Publication Info. Commack, NY: Jewish Genealogical Society of Long Island



Call No. 929.108992407 S341, 1996

Author: Schleifer, Jay.

Title: A student's guide to Jewish American genealogy
by Jay Schleifer.

Publication Info. Phoenix, Ariz.: Oryx Press



Call No. 920.0092924 R815, 1990

Author: Rosenstein, Neil, 1944-

Title: The unbroken chain: biographical sketches and the genealogy of
illustrious Jewish families from the 15th-20th century / Neil Rosenstein.

Publication Info. New York: CIS Publishers; Elizabeth, N.J.: Computer Center
for Jewish Genealogy



Call No. Periodical

Title: Toledot.

Publication Info. Flushing, N.Y. Toledot Press.

Call No. Periodical

Title: Mishpacha.

Publication Info. Vienna, Va. Jewish Genealogy Society of Greater
Washington

Call No. Periodical

Title: the Kol.

Publication Info. [Cleveland, Ohio]: Jewish Genealogy Society of Cleveland,
2006

Call No. 929.3089924 qJ593, 1987

Author: Jewish Genealogy Society of Greater Washington.

Title: Index to Jews appearing in the U.S. Emergency Passport Applications, 1915-1926 / prepared by the members of the Jewish Genealogy Society of Greater Washington; introduction by Suzan F. Wynne.

Publication Info. Vienna, VA: Jewish Genealogy Society of Greater Washington

Call No 929.1072 qB644, 1996

Author: Blatt, Warren.

Title: FAQ: frequently asked questions about Jewish genealogy / by Warren Blatt.

Publication Info. Teaneck, NJ: Avotaynu

Call No. 016.929108992 qE47, 1998

Author: Ellmann-Krüger, Angelika G.

Title: Library resources for German-Jewish genealogy / by Angelika Ellmann-Krüger with Edward David Luft.

Publication Info. Teaneck, NJ: Avotaynu

Call No. 929.1072 M716 2015

Author: Mokotoff, Gary, author.

Title: Getting started in Jewish genealogy / by Gary Mokotoff.

Publication Info. New Haven, CT: Avotaynu, [2015]

Call No. Periodical

Title: Jewish Genealogical Society newsletter.

Publication Info. New York, N.Y. Jewish Genealogical Society

Call No. Periodical

Title: the Jerusalem quarterly.

Publication Info. Jerusalem Middle East Institute

Call No. 929.10899240477 qW423, 1999

Author: Weiner, Miriam.

Title: Jewish roots in Ukraine and Moldova: pages from the past and archival inventories / by Miriam Weiner in cooperation with the Ukrainian State Archives and the Moldovan National Archives.

Publication Info. Secaucus, N.J.: Miriam Weiner Routes to Roots Foundation; New York, N.Y.: YIVO Institute for Jewish Research, c1999.

Call No. Newspaper

Title: The American Israelite.

Publication Info. Cincinnati, Ohio: Chas F. Schmidt & Co.



Books written by Isaac Mayer Wise



Call No. Fiction

Author: Wise, Isaac Mayer, 1819-1900, author.

Title: The combat of the people, or, Hillel and Herod: a historical romance of the time of Herod I by Isaac M. Wise.

Publication Info.: Cincinnati, Ohio: Printed and published by Bloch & Co. at the Office of the Israelite and Deborah, 1859.

Call No. 113 W81 1876

Author: Wise, Isaac Mayer, 1819-1900.

Title: The cosmic God: a fundamental philosophy in popular lectures

By Isaac M. Wise. Publication Info. Cincinnati: Office American Israelite and Deborah, 1876.

Call No. 296 W81.2

Author: Wise, Isaac Mayer, 1819-1900.

Title: The essence of Judaism: for teachers and pupils, and for self-instruction by Isaac M. Wise.

Publication Info. Cincinnati, Ohio: Bloch & Co., 1868.

Call No. 296 W81.3

Author: Wise, Isaac Mayer, 1819-1900.

Title: Selected writings of Isaac M. Wise: with a biography / by the editors, David Philipson and Louis Grossmann; published under the auspices of the Alumnae Association of the Hebrew Union College.

Publication Info. Cincinnati: Robert Clarke Co., 1900.

Call No. 270.1 W812 1883

Author: Wise, Isaac Mayer, 1819-1900.

Title: Three lectures on the origin of Christianity / by I.M. Wise.

Publication Info. Cincinnati: Bloch & Co., publishers, 1883.

Selected books on the history of the Jewish Community in Cincinnati

Call No. 362.110977 J59Zk 2015
Author: Krome, Frederic, author.
Title: the Jewish Hospital & Cincinnati Jews in medicine
Frederic Krome.
Publication Info. Charleston, SC: The History Press, [2015]

Call No. 296 qP554b
Author: Philipson, David, 1862-1949.
Title: The oldest Jewish congregation in the West: Bene
Israel, Cincinnati / by David Philipson.
Publication Info. Cincinnati: Rockdale Avenue Temple,
[1924]

Call No. 296.097717 S528
Title: Shalom Cincinnati: a welcome guide
to our Jewish community.
Publication Info. Cincinnati, Ohio:
Jewish Federation of Cincinnati

Call No. R296 W81Zm2 1969
Author: Marcus, Jacob Rader, 1896-1995
Title: the Americanization of Isaac Mayer Wise.
Publication Info. Cincinnati: American Jewish Archives,
c1969.

Call No. 305.8920977 qS246
Author: Sarna, Jonathan D.
Title: the Jews of Cincinnati
by Jonathan D. Sarna and Nancy H. Klein.
Publication Info. Cincinnati, Ohio: Center for Study of
the American Jewish Experience, Hebrew Union College-
Jewish Institute of Religion, 1989. Edition 1st ed.

Call No. 977.178004924 F495 2007
Author: Fine, John S.
Title: Jews of Cincinnati
John S. Fine and Frederic J. Krome.
Publication Info. Charleston, SC: Arcadia Pub., c2007

Call No. 977.17800496 qH324 2009a
Author: Harshaw, John W., Sr., author.
Title: Cincinnati's West End: through our eyes
John W. Harshaw, Sr.
Publication Info. [United States]: CreateSpace, ©2009.





Helpful Websites for Jewish History and Genealogy

Origins of the Jewish Community of Cincinnati: 1817-1860

History unfolded: U.S. newspapers and the Holocaust

Hebrew Union College: Recommended genealogy websites