

Castro Valley Library Genealogy Class Notes
3600 Norbridge Avenue, Castro Valley, CA 94546
1st/3rd Wednesdays 10:30-12:30
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1. Announcements
 - Next Class: 2 October 2024
 - Reschedule 16 October class to 30 October
2. Using Newspapers to Learn More from the 1950 Census
 - <https://blog.newspapers.com/using-newspapers-to-learn-more-from-the-1950-us-census/>
3. Conduct Your Searches Using Wildcards
 - FamilySearch: <https://www.familysearch.org/en/blog/searching-with-wildcards-in-familysearch>
 - Ancestry: https://support.ancestry.com/s/article/Searching-with-Wild-Cards?language=en_US
4. Five Tips for Searching Historical Records
 - <https://www.familysearch.org/en/help/helpcenter/tips-for-searching-historical-records?cid=EM-00041650&lid=ktj3je4kdt>
5. FamilySearch Library Learning Resources (www.familysearch.org/en/library/)
 - Learning Resources
 - FamilySearch Library Technology Skills
 - FamilySearch Quick Start
 - FamilySearch Research Wiki
 - Family Tree Essentials
 - Get Genealogy Help
 - Homeland Research Videos
 - Library Webinars
 - Research Essentials
 - RootsTech Videos
6. Sources
 - The Family History Guide (thefhguide.com)
 - i) Begin to Research > Knowledgebases > General and United States Research
 - (1) Overview > Basis Research > Genealogical Proof Standard
 - (2) Overview > Next Steps > Evidence
 - (3) Sources
 - Family Tree Webinars (familytreewebinars.com)
 - ii) Webinar Library > Free > Sources and Citations Made Simple, Standard, and Powerful
 - FamilySearch (familysearch.org)
 - iii) Search > Research Wiki > Cite Your Sources (source footnotes)
 - Family Tree Magazine (familytreemagazine.com)
 - iv) Explore By Topic > Strategies > The Genealogical Proof Standard: An Expert Explanation for

Guiding Your Research

- Ancestry (ancestry.com)
 - v) Ancestry Online Trees: Using Web Links (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=Kl-4kh9-pZo>)
- Cyndi's List (cyndislist.com)
 - vi) Categories > C > Citing Sources
- You Tube (youtube.com)
 - vii) 10 Source Citations for Genealogists from Evidence Explained (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1mv091Toqs4>)
 - viii) Citing Your Sources (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=uDxnLFz9UHc>)
 - ix) How to Cite Your Sources in Genealogy (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=SNmntyIMd2g>)
 - x) How to Cite Your Sources Like a Pro (<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=e3BhkikIv-E>)