



Swiss-German Research Helps

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This list includes some of the most commonly used reference materials available to the Swiss researcher. They are available at the Family History Library and many of the family history centers.

MAPS AND ATLASES

- Switzerland Road Atlas 1:301,000 Hallwag Kümmerly + Frey ISBN: 3259015159 /3-25901515-9
- Swiss Navigator Cities Street Atlas, indexed with street plans for cities and villages. ISBN: 3259015167 / 3-259-01516-7
- Language map for Switzerland . http://athena.unige.ch/athena/helvetia/ch_lang.html
- Karte: Schweiz - map search <http://map.search.ch>

GAZETTEERS

- Schweizerisches Ortslexikon, Arthur Jacot. 1969. ISBN-10: 3765804037 ISBN-13: 9783765804038
- Ortsbuch der Schweiz Bern Sep.1928 FHL INTL Film 1181544 Item 2
- Verzeichnis Der Kirchenbücher Des Kantons Bern 1997. ISBN: 3-908222-04-4
- Geographisches Lexikon der Schweiz, 1902 FHL film 599323-26, FHL fiche 6053505.
- Die Ortschaften des Eidgenoessischen Freistaates Bern. FHL film 1183688 item 1-2

ENCYCLOPEDIAS AND DICTIONARIES

- Historisch-Biographisches Lexikon Der Schweiz, 1934. FHL fiche 6000814, FHL film 1181541-3
- Cassell's German Dictionary ISBN: 0025226509, 9780025226500
- Schweizerisches Orts-Lexikon. FHL film 1224567 Item 6

CORRESPONDENCE

- Address Book for Germanic Genealogy, 6th ed. Ernest Thode. ISBN: 0-8063-1342-0 □
Verzeichnis der Postleitzahlen. Swiss Postal codes. FHL film 1181534 item 4.
- Archivum. International Directory of Archives. ISBN: 3-598-212380
- Archive und Archivare in der Bundesrepublik Deutschland, Österreich und der Schweiz.
14. Ausgabe 1985-86
- https://www.familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Germany_Letter_Writing_Guide
- https://www.familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/France_Letter_Writing_Guide
- https://www.familysearch.org/learn/wiki/en/Italy_Letter_Writing_Guide

HANDBOOKS/GUIDES

- Genealogical Research in the French speaking parts of Switzerland, including Swiss Huguenot records. Olivier Clottu, 1969. FHL film 897215 item 24, FHL fiche 6039357.
- Atlantic Bridge to Germany, v.4, Charles M. Hall (includes Switzerland)
- Genealogical research sources in Switzerland. C.H. Peyer. FHL film 897214 item 38, FHL fiche 6039334.
- Handy guide to Swiss genealogical records, Jared Suess. 1978. ASIN: B0006E5CQ2
- <http://net.lib.byu.edu/fslab/researchoutlines/Europe/Switzerland.pdf> BYU Swiss research guide.
- <http://www.FamilySearchwiki.org> Swiss research guidance
- Swiss research forum <http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/forum/index.html>
- How to Research in Switzerland <http://www.swissclubchicago.com/genealogy.pdf>
- Gothic Handwriting Guide
https://wiki.familysearch.org/en/images/c/ca/German_Gothic_Handwriting_Guide.pdf
- Swiss research helps and links <http://theswisscenter.org/swissroots/genealogy>
- Familiennamenbuch der Schweiz Swiss Family Name Handbook
<http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/famnam-m.htm>
- Swiss name book online <http://hls-dhs-dss.ch/famn/index.php>

WEBSITES

- List of Evangelical parish records of Canton Basel. http://www.baselland.ch/mainkib_register-htm.283256.0.html
- This is a very helpful site for Canton Graubünden.
<http://www.mindspring.com/~philipp/che.html>
- Aargau gazetteer https://wiki.familysearch.org/en/images/3/36/Aargau_Gazetteer.pdf
- State archives Aargau https://www.ag.ch/de/startseite_portal/startseite_portal.jsp
- Map of Switzerland and Swiss cantons - Carte de Suisse et des cantons
http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/map_m.htm
- Marriage records and where to acquire them for Zürich Canton from 1525 to 1800
<http://www.genealogienetz.de/reg/CH/ver/chbull64.htm#schult>
- Canton Basel Community Website <http://www.baselland.ch/Gemeinden.273740.0.html>
- Canton Basel-Land Archive site <http://www.baselland.ch/Stichworte-A-Z.273427.0.html>
- Canton Bern State Archive <http://www.sta.be.ch/site/staatsarchiv>
- Canton Freiburg State Archive <http://www.fr.ch/aef>
- Swiss genealogy Cantons <http://www.genealogienetz.de/reg/CH/kanton-m.htm>
- Online gazetteer of Switzerland <http://search.ortsnamen.ch>
- Swiss Genealogy website <http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/ldsloc-m.htm>.
- Appenzell Online Church records
<http://www.ar.ch/departemente/kantonskanzlei/staatsarchiv/kirchenbuecher-online>
- Family Name Books for Switzerland <http://hls-dhs-dss.ch/famn/index.php>
- Gazetteer of Bern Canton <http://www.andrist.ch/ortschaften-be/band1/index.htm>

CHURCH AND CIVIL RECORDS

- Civil Registration Offices <http://www.hochzeitsportal.ch/index.asp?aktion=standesaemter>
- Catholic Church Website <http://www.thecatholicdirectory.com/index.cfm?worldmap=true>

GENERAL INFORMATION

- Swiss information from FEEFHS. <http://www.feefhs.org/links/switzerland.html>
- Switzerland Genealogy Links <http://www.genealogylinks.net/europe/switzerland/index.html>
- Currency Converter <http://www.xe.net/ucc/full.shtml>
- The Full Universal Currency Converter
http://www.xe.com/ucc/?utm_source=internal&utm_medium=TL&utm_content=NOGEO&utm_campaign=UCCin404TL
- Switzerland GenWeb <http://www.rootsweb.com/~chewgw>
- Swiss Genealogy Website <http://distantcousin.com/Links/Ethnic/Swiss.html>
- Swiss Family research on the net (In English, German, French or Italian)
<http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/german-d.htm>
- General Swiss Information website <http://www.swissinfo.ch>
- General information about Switzerland <http://www.swissworld.org/en>
- Libweb - Directory of Libraries in Switzerland <http://lists.webjunction.org/libweb/Switzerland.html>

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- Swiss Embassy website <http://www.eda.admin.ch/eda/en/home.html>
- Swiss Volhynian Database at www.Ancestry.com
- SwissGen LDS Locality Catalogue Switzerland <http://www.eye.ch/swissgen/ldsloc-m.htm>
- Swiss Federal Archives <http://www.bar.admin.ch>

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