

# Mile High Resources: Researching Jewish Families in Colorado Records 1/26/2020

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## CO Department of Health, Vital Records:

<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/cdphe/categories/services-and-information/birth-death-and-other-vital-records>

## Colorado State Archives: <https://colorado.gov/archives>

[https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/Archives%20Presentation\\_Genealogy.pdf](https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/Archives%20Presentation_Genealogy.pdf)

Index to Archives Holdings by City and County created 2013 by Dina Carson and CCGS:

[https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/atoms/files/Archives\\_FindingAids.pdf](https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/atoms/files/Archives_FindingAids.pdf)

Archives Search Finding Aid:

[https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/List%20of%20the%20records%20searchable%20using%20Archives%20Search%20%28Feb%202014%29\\_0.pdf](https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/List%20of%20the%20records%20searchable%20using%20Archives%20Search%20%28Feb%202014%29_0.pdf)

Archives Search: <https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/archives/archives-search>

Naturalizations:

<https://www.colorado.gov/pacific/sites/default/files/Naturalization%20Records%20held%20by%20the%20Colorado%20State%20Archives.pdf>

## Stephen H. Hart Library and Research Center at CO History Museum:

<https://www.historycolorado.org/visit-our-stephen-h-hart-research-center>

History Colorado Online Collection:

[http://5008.sydneyplus.com/HistoryColorado\\_ArgusNet\\_Final/Portal.aspx?lang=en-US](http://5008.sydneyplus.com/HistoryColorado_ArgusNet_Final/Portal.aspx?lang=en-US)

## Denver Public Library Genealogy, African American & Western History Resources:

<https://history.denverlibrary.org/genealogy>

Denver Public Library Catalog: <http://catalog.denverlibrary.org/>

Searchable Digital Image Collection Online: <http://digital.denverlibrary.org/cdm/photographs/>

## The National Archives–Denver: <https://www.archives.gov/denver>

Holdings Guide: <http://www.archives.gov/denver/holdings/guide.html>

Alphabetical List of Record Groups at the National Archives at Denver:

<https://www.archives.gov/denver/holdings/alpha-list>

Search the (nationwide) National Archive Catalog: <https://www.archives.gov/research/catalog>

Access to Archival Databases (AAD): <https://aad.archives.gov/aad/>

## Bureau of Land Management GLO Database: <https://gloreports.blm.gov/search/default.aspx>

Bureau of Land Management Colorado Office: <https://www.blm.gov/colorado>

## Boulder Carnegie Library for Local History: <https://localhistory.boulderlibrary.org/>

## **Beck Archives of the RMJHS at DU Penrose Library:**

<https://library.du.edu/collections-archives/specialcollections/beckarchives.html>

Special Collections Online Digital Collections Search: <https://specialcollections.du.edu/>

Archives Space Search: <https://duarchives.coalition.org/>

JCRS Searchable Database: <https://jcrs.library.du.edu/jcrs>

## **Global Genealogy Giant Websites**

*Ancestry:* <https://www.ancestry.com>

*FamilySearch:* <https://www.familysearch.org>

*FindMyPast:* <https://www.findmypast.com>

*MyHeritage:* <https://www.myheritage.com>

## **JewishGen**

Unified Search: <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/all/>

Intermountain Jewish News Obituary Surname Index: <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/USA/IJN.htm>

Feldman's Mortuary Database Index: <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/USA/DenverFeldman.htm>

Jewish Consumptives Relief Society Index (JCRS): <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/USA/JCRS.htm>

JewishGen Online Worldwide Burial Registry (JOWBR): <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/Cemetery/>

JewishGen Memorial Plaques Index Database: <https://www.jewishgen.org/databases/Memorial/>

**American Jewish Archives:** <http://prestohost54.inmagic.com/Presto/home/home.aspx>

**Center for Jewish History:** <https://access.cjh.org/>

Family History Collection includes Names Index to Industrial Removal Office Records:

<https://genealogy.cjh.org/family-collections>

Finding Aid to IRO Records:

[http://digital.cjh.org/view/action/singleViewer.do?dvs=1579990982103~545&locale=en\\_US&VIEWER\\_URL=/view/action/singleViewer.do?&DELIVERY\\_RULE\\_ID=6&frameId=1&usePid1=true&usePid2=true](http://digital.cjh.org/view/action/singleViewer.do?dvs=1579990982103~545&locale=en_US&VIEWER_URL=/view/action/singleViewer.do?&DELIVERY_RULE_ID=6&frameId=1&usePid1=true&usePid2=true)

NOTE: Portion of IRO microfilms available on Ancestry.com:

[www.ancestry.com/search/collections/ajhsremoval/](http://www.ancestry.com/search/collections/ajhsremoval/)

NOTE: DU Beck Archive IRO Colorado Correspondence 1903-1916:

<https://duarchives.coalition.org/repositories/2/resources/527>

## **Newspapers**

Colorado Historic Newspapers Collection: <https://www.coloradohistoricnewspapers.org/>

Library of Congress Chronicling America Historic American Newspapers: <https://chroniclingamerica.loc.gov/>

*The Ancestor Hunt Blog:* <http://www.theancestorhunt.com/newspaper-research-links.html#.XNye2Y5Kg2w>

*Ancestor Hunt* Historical Jewish American Newspapers Online:

<https://www.theancestorhunt.com/blog/historic-jewish-american-newspapers-online#.XizBHchKhPY>

World's Historical Newspaper Archives: <https://elephind.com/>

## **CO Laws and Court Records**

Centennial State Laws Article by *The Legal Genealogist* Judy G. Russell:

<https://www.legalgenealogist.com/2019/09/26/centennial-state-laws/>

CO Session Laws Digital Collection on CU Boulder Wise Law Library:

<http://lawcollections.colorado.edu/colorado-session-laws/>

Colorado District Courts 1<sup>st</sup>-22<sup>nd</sup>: <https://www.courts.state.co.us/Courts/District/Choose.cfm>

Law Library of Congress – Guide to Law Online – Colorado: <http://www.loc.gov/law/help/guide/states/us-co.php>

Finding Court Records in Colorado: <https://www.courtreference.com/Colorado-Courts.htm>

## **Other**

Find A Grave in Colorado (1,523,428):

[https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/search?firstname=&middlename=&lastname=&birthyear=&birthyearfilter=&deathyear=&deathyearfilter=&location=Colorado%2C+United+States+of+America&locationId=state\\_7&linkEdToName=&memorialid=&mcid=&datefilter=&orderby=](https://www.findagrave.com/memorial/search?firstname=&middlename=&lastname=&birthyear=&birthyearfilter=&deathyear=&deathyearfilter=&location=Colorado%2C+United+States+of+America&locationId=state_7&linkEdToName=&memorialid=&mcid=&datefilter=&orderby=)

BillionGraves in Colorado (645,701):

[https://billiongraves.com/search/results?cemetery\\_country=United%20States&cemetery\\_state=Colorado&year\\_range=5&size=15](https://billiongraves.com/search/results?cemetery_country=United%20States&cemetery_state=Colorado&year_range=5&size=15)

Rocky Mountain Online Archive: <https://rmoa.unm.edu/index.php>

CO State Genealogy Society: <https://www.cogensoc.us/>

CO Chapter Association of Professional Genealogists: <https://www.apgen.org/chapters/colorado/index.html>

## **Research Guides**

Ancestry Colorado State Research Guide: <https://www.ancestry.com/academy/courses/topic/research-united-state>

Ancestry Colorado Online Resources: <http://search.ancestry.com/Places/US/Colorado/Default.aspx>

FamilySearch Colorado Genealogy: [https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Colorado,\\_United\\_States\\_Genealogy](https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Colorado,_United_States_Genealogy)

FamilySearch Colorado Indexed Historical Records and Colorado Image Only Historical Records:

<https://familysearch.org/search/collection/location/30>

LDS Genealogy: <https://ldsgenealogy.com/CO/index.htm>

Cyndi's List Colorado: <http://www.cyndislist.com/us/co/>

Online Colorado Death Records & Indexes: A Genealogy Records Guide: <http://www.deathindexes.com/colorado/>

Legacy QuickGuide to Colorado Genealogy by Jennifer Baldwin: <https://legacy.familytreewebinars.com/legacy-quickguide-colorado-genealogy-p85.php>

NGS Research in Colorado by Kathleen Hinckley, 2010:

<https://ngsgenealogy.org/books/ngs-books?category=Research%20In%20the%20States>

## **Bibliography**

“Map Your U.S. Research: A Workbook for Genealogists” by Dina Carson, 2020 (county line histories)

“Pioneers, Peddlers, and Tsadikim: The Story of the Jews in Colorado” by Ida Libert Uchill, 1959

“The Centennial History of the Jews of Colorado” by Allen duPont Breck, 1961

“Exploring Jewish Colorado” by Phil Goodstein, 1992 (general and photographs)

“A Guide to the Jewish Rockies: Colorado, Montana, Wyoming” by Amy Shapiro, 1979 (general)

“Historic Jewish Denver” by Jeanne E. Abrams, 1982 (general)

“Images of America: Jewish Denver, 1859-1940” by Jeanne E. Abrams, Ph.D., 2007 (general and photographs)

“A Colorado Jewish Family Album, 1959-1992,” Rocky Mountain Jewish Historical Society and the Ira M. Beck Memorial Archives, Center for Judaic Studies, 1992 (general and photographs)

**Surnames Found in Beck Archive Collection Titles 1/22/2020:** ADELMAN, ADELSTEIN, ADELSTEIN, ALTMAN, AMBROSE, ANFENGER, ANFENGER, APPEL, ARKIN, ARNO, ASHERMAN, BARON, BECK, BERCU, BERGER, BERMAN, BERNSTEIN, BERNSTEIN, BERNSTEIN, BERRY, BERNSTEIN, BINSTOCK, BLOOM, BLOOMFIELD, BLUMBERG, BOSCOE, BRONFIN, BROWN, CARRASCO, CAYTON, CHAPPELL, CHERNOFF, CHERNOFF, DAVID, DAVIS, DUDDEN, EBER, EISEN, EISENSTAT, ELLER, ELSNER, ESSERMAN, ETTENSON, FAILING, FAIR, FARNAM, FEINGOLD, FENDRICH, FOGEL, FOGEL, FOSTER, FRANKEL, FREEMAN, FRIED, FRIEDMAN, FRIEDMAN, GAMZEY, GASS, GINSBERG, GOLDBERG, GOLDFAIN, GOLDHAMMER, GOLDSMITH, GOLDSTEIN, GOODSTEIN, GOODSTEIN, GORDEN, GORDON, GOTTESFELD, GRAZI, GREENWALD, GRIMES, GROSS, GROSS, GROSSMAN, GULDMAN, GULDMAN, GULDMAN, HARRIS, HARSHAM, HAUSMANN, HAYUTIN, HAYUTIN, HEIFETS, HEITLER, HELLER, HELLER, HILB, HIMELGRIN, HIRSCHFELD, HOFFMAN, HOFFMAN, HORNBEIN, HOWARD, HURWITZ, IDELSON, ISRAELSKI, JACOBS, JACOBS, JOSELEWITZ, JUDD, JUDENSTERN, KADISH, KAGAN, KALMAN, KAPLAN, KATZ, KAUVAR, KAUVAR, KELLER, KERN, KIESLER, KLEIN, KOBAY, KORNGOLD, KRUPP, KUPETZ, LADERMAN, LANDE, LEFKOWITZ, LEVITT, LEVY, LEVY, LEVY, LIEBERMAN, LIMON, LIVINGSTON, LOEB, LORBER, LOWENSTEIN, LUBY, MAKOVSKY, MARCHICK, MARCOVE, MEARS, MEDELSBERG, MEIR, MELLMAN, MILLER, MILLER, MILLER, MILSTEIN, MIZEL, MIZEL, MORRIS, MORRIS, MORRIS, MORRIS, MUHLSTEIN, NASHELSKY, NEUSTETER, OBERFELDER, ORNSTEIN, PAPER, PARK, PELLIS, PENCOL, PERLMUTTER, PERLOV, PETERMAN, PETERMAN, PINKHASOVA, PISKO, PISKO, PIZER, PREZANT, PRICE, RADETSKY, RADINSKY, RAYOR, RICH, RIFKIN, ROBINSON, ROBINSON, ROSE, ROSENBAUM, ROSENBAUM, ROSENBLUM, ROSENTHAL, ROTH, ROTHGERBER, ROTHMAN, ROTHSCHEIDT, RUBIN, SALIMAN, SALIMAN, SALIMAN, SALIMAN, SALOMON, SCHAYER, SCHLOSS, SCHOEN, SCHON, SCHWARTZ, SCHWATT, SHAMES, SHAPIRO, SHAPIRO, SHAPIRO, SHOENBERG, SHUBERT, SHWAYDER, SHWAYDER, SIEGEL, SIGMAN, SILVER, SILVERBERG, SILVERBERG, SIMON, SLADEK, SMITH, SOBOL, SONNEBORN, SPIVAK, SPIVAK, SPIVAK, SQUIRE, STEIN, STEIN, STEINHAUSER, STOOLE, STRELTZER, STRIKER, STRIKER, TEMPELHOF, TOBER, TOBIN, TOLTZ, TUCKER, UCHILL, VESTON, VINNIK, WAGMAN, WAGNER, WASSERMAN, WEDGLE, WEIL, WEIL, WEINBERG, WEINSTEIN, WEINSTEIN, WINOGRAD, WINTER, WISEBART, WISEBART, WOLFE, WOLFSON, ZIVIN

**Beck Archive Oral Histories 1/22/2020:** 60 in catalog includes group interviews. Search "B098" at <https://duarchives.coalition.org/> and for more information, can go to <https://specialcollections.du.edu/> to see if the oral histories are available online. Limited surname list includes: ALPERSTEIN, Pearl; BOSCOE, Sam; COHEN, Aaron; COHEN, William & Faye; COOK, Louis; COWAN, Max P.; FLAX, Sam; FRANKEL, Henry & Leona; GOLD, Charlotte "Lottie"; GRIMES, Ann; GRIMES, Max; KARSH, Wolfe; LEVY, Tily; MARCUS, Frieda; MILLENSON, Rose; MILLER, Minnette; NEUMANN, Dr. Alfred M.; SAKS, Harold; SAPIRO, Mr & Mrs. Robert; STEIN, Irene; THAL, Alfred.

**Congregational and Rabbinical Records Held at Beck Archive 1/22/2020:**

Beth David Sisterhood Articles of Incorporation  
 Beth haMedrosh Hagadol Congregation (BMH) Records  
 Beth Israel Congregation (Greeley, Colo.) Records  
 Collection on Rabbi Manuel Laderman  
 Collection on Rabbi William S. Friedman  
 Congregation Albert (Las Vegas, NM) Records  
 Congregation Emanuel Records  
 Congregation Israel (Leadville, Colo.) Records  
 Congregation Micah Records + Sisterhood Records  
 Congregation Mogen David Records  
 Congregation Shearith Israel (Tenth Street Shul) Records  
 Congregation Zera Israel Records and Scrapbooks  
 Hebrew Educational Alliance Records  
 JCRS Isaac Solomon Historic Synagogue Foundation Records  
 John Elsner, M.D. Collection  
 Oheb Zedek Congregation Cornerstone  
 Ohel Isaac Jacob Mizrahi Records  
 Orthodox Rabbis Records  
 Ostrover Synagogue Records  
 Pearl Street Temple Emanuel Synagogue Foundation Records  
 Rabbi C. E. Hillel Kauvar Papers  
 Rabbi Samuel Adelman Papers  
 Rabbi Samuel Weil Portraits  
 Rabbi Solomon S. Shapiro Publications  
 Rabbi Stanley M. Wagner Papers  
 Rabbi Yehudah Idel Idelson Collection  
 Rodef Shalom Records  
 Sons of Israel Congregation (Colorado Springs, Colo.) Drawing  
 Temple Aaron (Trinidad, Colo.) Records  
 Temple Sinai Slides  
 TRI-Sulom Congregation Records  
 Yeshiva Toras Chaim Records