

# African Americans in Kentucky Records

## Finding the Last Slave Holder

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This webinar is the second part of the series *Discovering African Americans in Kentucky Records*. It covers the importance of the where, when and how of the last slave holder, ways to search for the last slave holder and general information about slavery in Kentucky. The goal is to help participants in their African American genealogical research.

### **Research Difficulties**

- Time
- Method
- Emotional Impact

### **What We Seek and Why**

- Where
- When
- How

### **Research Method**

- Low-hanging Fruit
- Source of information
- Surname premise

### **The Clayborne Fox Case Study**

### **Where to Find Location-specific Information**

- Local historical societies
- University libraries
- Local public libraries
- Kentucky Department for Libraries and Archives
- Kentucky Historical Society
- KYGS.org
- Books (preferably source-cited)
- The internet
- Facebook Groups

### **Selected Online Resources:**

Ancestry.com

Atlas of Historical County Boundaries

FamilySearch

Google Books

HathiTrust

Library of Congress

The National Archives and Records Administration

United States Census Bureau

<https://www.ancestry.com>

<https://publications.newberry.org/ahcbp/>

<https://www.familysearch.org>

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