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Archives I have used for my research

National Archives, Washington, DC (Marriage Records, Military Service Records, Pension Records, Freedmen's Bureau Records on microfilm)

Southern Historical Collection—UNC Chapel Hill

North Carolina Collection—UNC Chapel Hill

Duke University Special Collections, Durham

University of South Carolina—South Caroliniana Collection, Columbia, S.C.

Virginia Historical Society, Richmond, VA.

Library of Virginia, Richmond, VA.

University of Virginia Special Collections—Charlottesville, VA.

Amistad Research Center—Tulane University, New Orleans

The Schomburg Library, NY, NY.

Massachusetts Historical Society, Boston

Connecticut Historical Society

Quaker Collection, Earlham College, IN

Selected Primary Sources

Documenting the American South-- docsouth.unc.edu

Born in Slavery: Narratives from the Federal Writer's Project, 1936-1938. (WPA interviews) At the Library of Congress American Memory site--
<http://lcweb2.loc.gov/ammem/snhtml/>

Charlie Crump interview--<http://memory.loc.gov/mss/mesn/111/217213.tif>

Ira Berlin, et. al., *Families and Freedom: A Documentary History of African-American kinship in the Civil War era.*

--- --*Remembering Slavery: African Americans talk about their personal experiences of slavery and emancipation*

----- *Freedom's Soldiers: the Black military experience in the Civil War*

*Records of southern plantations from emancipation to the great migration.
(Microfilm)*

A Guide to Records of Antebellum Southern Plantations from the Revolution through the Civil War.

Jean L. Cooper, *A Genealogical Index to the Guides of the Microfilm Edition of Records Runaway Ads by state—*

Freddie Parker, *Stealing a Little Freedom: Advertisements for Slave Runaways in North Carolina, 1791-1840*

William Andrews—*North Carolina Slave Narratives: the lives of Moses Roper, Lunsford Lane, Moses Grandy, and Thomas H. Jones.*

City Registers –for business people, trades people

Selected Secondary Sources

Herbert Gutman, *The Black Family in Slavery and Freedom*

Dorothy Redford--*Somerset Homecoming*

Walter Johnson—*Soul by Soul: Life in the Antebellum Slave Market*

Heather Andrea Williams, *Self-Taught: African American Education in Slavery and Freedom*

Michael Tadman, *Speculators and Slaves: Masters, traders, and slaves in the Old South.*