

Family research Guide to searching in Arcinsys

The older Frankfurt church records (baptismal records 1533-1850, marriage records 1533-1848, death records 1565-1850, proclamation records 1603-1851) can be viewed online in the Hessian archive database Arcinsys.

Information about Arcinsys can be found on the homepage of the Institut fuer Stadtgeschichte:

[Institut für Stadtgeschichte Frankfurt - The Archives - Databases](#)

Archive holdings for genealogical research:

H.13.51 (Taufbücher / baptismal registers)	Duration: 1533-1850
H.13.52 (Heiratsbücher / marriage registers)	Duration: 1533-1848
H.13.53 (Totenbücher / death registers)	Duration: 1565-1850
H.13.54 (Proklamationsbücher / proclamation registers)	Duration: 1603-1851

Research in Arcinsys:

Example: baptism records 1751-1800

[Arcinsys | Startseite](#) (click on "English" at the bottom left)

First open the "Search" field at the top left, then click on "Identifier Search", then enter the following in the fields:

„Archives identifier“: ISG FFM

„Fonds identifier“: H.13.51

then click on "Search,"

then, on the right under "Action", click on "View content",

then, left (Gliederung) on the bullet point "4 1751-1800",

then, on the right-hand side of the individual volumes, on "Show details page",

then, on "Show digital copies",

than, at the top right, on "Im DFG-Viewer öffnen"

Other archival holdings relevant to genealogical research:

H.02.17 (Bürgerbücher / citizenship records)	Duration: 1311-1868
H.13.58 (Standesbücher der Vororte / civil registers of the suburbs)	Duration: 1672-1940
H.15.15 (Nachlassakten / estate records)	Duration: 1813-1920
H.15.16 (Nachlassakten Dörfer / estate records of the villages):	Duration: 1808-1879

The more recent Frankfurt civil registers dating from 1851 (or 1849 in the case of marriage records) can also be found in the Hessian archive database Arcinsys, but under the holdings of the Hessian State

Archive in Marburg:

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First, click on "Navigator" in the upper left corner

then left on the bullet point "Staatsarchiv",

then on "Hessisches Staatsarchiv Marburg / View content",

dann left on the bullet point "H Personenstandsarchiv Hessen (Standort: Neustadt/Hessen)",

then on "HStAM, 903 Frankfurt, Stadt / View content",

then left on the bullet point "2 Standesbücher und Personenstandshauptregister Institut für Stadtgeschichte Frankfurt/Main (Digitalisate)"

Under "2.13 Standesbücher Frankfurt vor 1876" on the left, you will find:

2.13.4 Geburtenbücher / birth registers 1851-1875	(1851-1866 with index of names)
2.13.5 Heiratsbücher / marriage registers 1849-1875	(1849-1868 with index of names)
2.13.6 Sterbebücher / death registers 1851-1875	(1851-1864 with index of names)

2.13.1 Namensverzeichnisse zu den Geburtenbüchern 1867-1875

(name indexes for birth registers 1867-1875)

2.13.2 Namensverzeichnisse zu den Heiratsbüchern 1869-1875

(name indexes for marriage registers 1869-1875)

2.13.3 Namensverzeichnisse zu den Sterbebüchern 1865-1875

(name indexes for death registers 1865-1875)

Matricula online (church records of the Catholic cathedral parish)

[Start | Matricula Online](#)

Click on the "Magnifying glass" button (location search).

Enter "Frankfurt am Main" in the 'Ort' search field, then click on "Suche"

Under "2. Frankfurt ...", click on „Dompfarrei, Kaiserdom St. Bartholomäus“.

Scroll down a little and then open the desired book by clicking on the camera icon (on the far left).