

Stor E Telling
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American Journeys

Eyewitness accounts of North American exploration, from the Vikings in AD1000 to the mountain men in the Rockies 800 years later.

<http://www.americanjourneys.org/index.asp>

Countdown to Millennium ~ An Oral History Project

A goldmine for teachers! Lesson plans, interview and videotaping techniques and radio interviews with the people of Appalachia.

<http://www.tcomschool.ohiou.edu/cdtm/index.htm>

I Hear America Singing

A portal to thousands of materials showcasing sound recordings, moving images, manuscripts, photographs and oral histories.

<http://www.loc.gov/rr/perform/ihashome.html>

Library of Congress American Memory & Learning Page

Lesson plans, photographs, documents, videos, audio, maps, etc. The place to begin when using primary source documents! <http://memory.loc.gov/> The Learning Page link

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/ndlpedu/index.html> also offers special resources for teachers.

Oral History Association

The organization brings together all persons interested in oral history as a way of collecting memories.

<http://omega.dickinson.edu/organizations/oha/>

Oral History Online ~ Suffragists Oral History Project

Seven major figures in twentieth-century suffragist history are represented with full-length oral histories.

<http://bancroft.berkeley.edu/ROHO/online/suffragists.html>

Oral Tradition - Utah State University: Educational Resources

I offered this site in 2002 but it bears repeating. Five separate “how to” sections on collecting oral histories make it a snap!

<http://www.usu.edu/oralhist/edu.html>

Prairie Diaries ~ NPR

Features diary entries from Kansas residents created for the "A Day in My Community" a historical record of their lives at the beginning of the millennium.

<http://www.npr.org/features/feature.php?wfld=1468140>

Southern Oral History Program

Over 2,900 interviews documenting the Civil Rights Movement. <http://www.sohp.org/>

Survivors of the Shoah

More than 50,000 eyewitness testimonies in 57 countries and 32 languages from Holocaust survivors and witnesses.

<http://www.vhf.org/>

The Great Chicago Fire

Eyewitness accounts, newspaper articles and essays on the great conflagration.

<http://www.chicagohs.org/fire/index.html>

Veterans History Project

Focuses on World War I, World War II, Korean, Vietnam, and Persian Gulf wars.

<http://www.loc.gov/folklife/vets/about.html>

Voices From the Days of Slavery: Former Slaves Tell Their Stories

Listen to former slaves describe their lives through interviews conducted between 1932 and 1975.

<http://memory.loc.gov/ammem/vfshtml/>

Voices of Civil Rights

Their goal is to "collect and preserve thousands of firsthand accounts of the Civil Rights Movement as a living memorial

<http://www.voicesofcivilrights.org/index.html>

What did you do in the war, Grandma?

Twenty-six interviews with women who served in WW II.

http://www.stg.brown.edu/projects/WWII_Women/tocCS.html

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