



PATHFINDER: THE SEVENTIES

The Niles Public Library District has a variety of resources that may be useful if you would like information about the seventies.

REFERENCE BOOKS

AMERICAN DECADES:1970-1979 (R/973.9/A512; J/R/973.9/A512)

ART OF OUR CENTURY (R/709.04/A784; 709.04/A784)

CHRONICLE OF AMERICA (R/973/C557a)

CONGRESS AND THE NATION 1969-1980 (R/328.73/C749)

CQ ALMANAC 1976-1979 (R/328.73/C749al)

CURRENT BIOGRAPHY 1970-1979 (R/920.00904/C976ye)

DAILY LIFE IN THE UNITED STATES, 1960-1990 (R/973.92/M388da;
973.92/M388da)

DAY BY DAY: THE SEVENTIES (R/909.827/L581d)

EDITORIAL RESEARCH REPORTS 1977-1979 (R/328.73/C749re)

These analyze some of the issues that were important in the seventies.

FACTS ON FILE 1970-1979 (R/909.82/F142)

These are weekly summaries. You can check the indexes for topics.

ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF POPULAR MUSIC (R/781.6609/M367)

JOEL WHITBURN'S POP SINGLES ANNUAL (R/781.64016/W579si)

OUR TIMES: THE ILLUSTRATED HISTORY OF THE 20TH CENTURY
(R/909.82/093) UNDER: 1970-1979

PAGES OF TIME (R/380.10294/P134)

ST. JAMES ENCYCLOPEDIA OF POPULAR CULTURE (R/973.9/S143)

STATISTICAL ABSTRACT OF THE UNITED STATES (R/317.3/U58)

TIMETABLES OF SCIENCE (R/509/H477t)

TWENTIETH-CENTURY TEEN CULTURE BY THE DECADES
(R/305.235/R754tw)

VALUE OF A DOLLAR (R/332.41/V215)

This source has some information about prices in the seventies. (**Consumer Reports** and other magazines and newspapers from the seventies may also provide information about prices.)

WORKING AMERICANS (R/305.50973/W926)

WORLD ALMANAC AND BOOK OF FACTS (R/317.3/W927)

PERIODICAL INDEXES

These indexes may be useful if you want to find articles on specific topics.

CHICAGO TRIBUNE INDEX

READERS' GUIDE TO PERIODICAL LITERATURE

NEW YORK TIMES INDEX

FULL TEXT

The **Historical Chicago Tribune** covers the seventies. Check under specific events or names of people.

If you would like to find more recent articles about what happened in the seventies, you may also want to check in:

MasterFILE Premier (some full text) UNDER: Nineteen Seventies; Specific events in the seventies; Specific years in the seventies

WilsonSelectPlus UNDER: Nineteen Seventies; Specific events in the seventies; Specific years in the seventies

PERIODICALS

The following periodicals may be especially helpful:

CHICAGO TRIBUNE (From 1974-1979)

CONSUMER REPORTS (From 1975-1979)

NEW YORK TIMES

NEWSWEEK

TIME

BOOKS

Check the Online catalog under the following subject heading:
Nineteen Seventies

Or, you may want to browse in the following areas: 909.82; 973.924

The Niles Library has many different materials about the seventies. Here are some examples. (In many cases, you will also find additional books in the Niles Library about the subjects on this list. You may want to look at books that are shelved near the books that are mentioned on this list. Please also check with a reference librarian if you need help in locating additional books.) If a book you are interested in is checked out, one of the reference librarians can put it on hold for you.

General

[An Album of the Seventies \(J/973.92/H776a\)](#)

[America in the 1970s \(973.924/B967\)](#)

[Chronicle of the Twentieth Century \(909.82/C557\)](#) UNDER: Years for the seventies

[DK Visual Timeline of the 20th Century \(J/909.82/A217dk; 909.82/A217dk\)](#)

[A History of the Twentieth Century Volume Three \(909.82/G465hi\)](#)

[It Seemed Like Nothing Happened: The Tragedy And Promise of America in the 1970s \(973.924/C319it\)](#)

The 1970s (973.924/S849ni; J/973.924/S849ni)
Readers' Digest Our Glorious Century (973.92/093) UNDER: The Seesaw 1970's
The Seventies: The Decade That Changed the Future (909.827/B724)
The Seventies: From Hot Pants to Hot Tubs (973.924/E21se)
Time of Transition: the 70s (973.924/T583)
Wealth and Poverty (330.904/W362) UNDER: Sections for the seventies

African Americans

Into The Fire: African Americans Since 1970 (973.0496/Y68ke)

Art and Architecture

Art of Our Century (709.04/A784) UNDER: Years for the seventies
History of Art (709/J35hi) Check later chapters for information about the seventies

Cuba

Castro's Cuba in the 1970s (972.91/C355)

Fads

(The following books cover a number of decades)

Arts & Entertainment Fads (306.403/H711ar)
Panati's Parade of Fads, Follies, and Manias (306.0973/P187pa)

Fashion

Decades of Beauty (391.00904/M961de)
Fashions of A Decade: The 1970s (J/391.009047/H531fa; 391.009047/H531fa)
Fashion Sourcebooks: The 1970s (J/391.009047/P356ni)

Film

The Story of Cinema (791.4309/S557) Includes some information about the seventies.

Iran (The following books include some information about the seventies.)

In the Name of God: The Khomeini Decade (955.054/W952i)
444 Days: The Hostages Remember (955.0542/W456fo)
444 Days: The American Hostage Story (327.73055/M817)

Niles

History of Niles Illinois (R/977.31/T994; 977.31/T994hi; Hist Coll 977.31/T994; Ref Desk 977.31/T994)
Includes some information about Niles in the seventies.
Niles Centennial History 1899-1999 (977.31/N696; J/977.31/N696; R/977.31/N696; J/R/977.31/N696; Ref Desk 977.31/N696) Includes some information about Niles in the seventies.

Political Cartoons

The 1970s, Best Political Cartoons of the Decade (909.827/N714)

Presidents

President Nixon

Nixon: The Fifth Year of His Presidency (973.924/N736)

RN: The Memoirs of Richard Nixon (Biography/Nixon) UNDER: Years for the seventies

There are also many other biographies about President Nixon in the biography section.

President Ford

A Time to Heal: the Autobiography of Gerald R. Ford (Biography/Ford, G) Includes some information about the seventies

There is additional biographical information about President Ford in the biography section.

President Carter

Keeping Faith: Memoirs of a President (973.926092/C323ke)

The Presidency of James Earl Carter, Jr. (973.926092/C323ka)

There are also biographies about President Carter in the biography section.

Songbooks

Billboard Top Rock N Roll Hits of the 70s (781.66/B596se)

The New York Times Great Songs of the 70s: 81 Songs for Voice, Piano, and Guitar: Rock, Soul, Pop, Disco, Folk, Jazz, Broadway, and the Movies (782.42164/N532se)

Space Exploration

Illustrated History of NASA (629.409/K4li) Includes some information about the seventies.

Sports

Baseball: An Illustrated History (796.35709/W258ba) Has some information about the seventies.

Chronicle of the Olympics (796.48/C557) UNDER: Years for the seventies

Talkin' Baseball: An Oral History of Baseball in the 1970s (796.35709/P421ta)

Three Mile Island

Three Mile Island: A Nuclear Crisis in Historical Perspective (363.1799/W181th)

The Warning: Accident at Three Mile Island (363.1799/G781wa)

Vietnam War These books and many others in the 959 area include some information about the seventies.

The American Experience in Vietnam (959.70433/A512)

History of the Vietnam War (959.70433/W461hi)

10,000 Days of Thunder: A History of the Vietnam War (959.7043/C255te; J/959.7043/C255te)

Watergate

All The President's Men (973.924/B531al)

The White House Transcripts (364.132/N736)

Women

Born For Liberty: A History of Women in America (305.4/E92bo) UNDER: Politicization of Personal Life

The Decade of Women: A Ms. History of the Seventies in Word and Picture (305.40973/D291)

NOTE

This pathfinder was prepared to assist you in locating materials. If you have any questions or require assistance, please ask a Librarian on duty.

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