



## **PATHFINDER: WOMEN'S HISTORY, UNITED STATES**

### **ENCYCLOPEDIAS**

- Black Women In America: An Historical Encyclopedia (R/920.72/B627)  
Encyclopedia of American Women and Religion (R/200.82/B473en)  
Jewish Women in America: An Historical Encyclopedia (R/920.72089924/J59)  
Women and Music in America Since 1900: An Encyclopedia (R/780.82/W872)  
Women and the Military: An Encyclopedia (R/355.0082/S553wo)

### **REFERENCE BOOKS**

- The ABC-CLIO Companion to Women in the Workplace (R/331.4/S358ab)  
The ABC-CLIO Companion to Women's Progress in America (R/305.40973/F939ab)  
Handbook of American Women's History (R/305.4/H236)  
One Hundred Years of American Women Writing, 1848-1948 (R/810.99287/058)  
Revolutionary Women in the War for American Independence: A One-Volume Revised Edition of Elizabeth Ellet's 1848 Landmark Series (R/973.3082/E45re)  
The Roads They Made: Women in Illinois History (R/305.409773/W562ro)  
Statistical Abstract of the United States (Reference Desk/R/317.3/U58) Check Index  
UNDER: Women  
Timelines of American Women's History (R/305.4/H468ti)  
Working Americans 1880-2005 Volume VI Women at Work (R/305.50973/W926)

### **INTERNET RESOURCES**

<http://www.army.mil/cmh-pg/topics/women/Women-USA.htm>

<http://www.rochester.edu/SBA/suffragehistory.html>

### **PERIODICAL INDEX**

Readers' Guide to Periodical Literature UNDER: Names of specific women; Name of specific topic

### **FULL TEXT**

In Chicago Tribune UNDER: Names of specific women; Name of Topic and women

In Historical Chicago Tribune UNDER: Names of specific women; Name of Topic and women

In MasterFILE Premier (some full text) UNDER: Names of specific women; Name of Topic and women

In WilsonSelectPlus UNDER: Names of specific women; Name of Topic and women

## **BOOKS**

Check the Online Catalog under the following: Women United States History; Name of Topic and Women; Names of specific women

Or, you may want to browse in the following areas: 305.4 area; Biography under last name of person important in U.S. Women's History

The Niles Library has a number of books that include information about women's history in the United States. (A few of these books also include information about women in other countries.) Listed below are some examples:

African American Women in the Struggle for the Vote, 1850-1920 (324.623/T315af)

American Women in the Progressive Era, 1900-1920 (305.40973/S358am)

American Women of the Gulf War (956.704424082/H344am)

American Women Poets 1650-1950 (811.0099287/A512)

American Women Scientists: 23 Inspiring Biographies 1900-2000 (500.82/R464am)

America's Women: Four Hundred Years of Dolls, Drudges, Helpmates, and Heroines (305.40973/C712am)

Band of Sisters: American Women at War in Iraq (956.704431082/H753ba)

Born for Liberty: A History of Women in America (305.4/E92bo)

Breaking New Ground: American Women 1800-1848 (305.4/Y68go)

A Century of Women: The Most Influential Events in Twentieth-Century Women's History (305.40973/F312ce)

Century of Struggle: The Woman's Rights Movement in the United States (324.623/F619ce)

The Colonial Mosaic: American Women 1600-1760 (305.4/Y68ka)

Count on Us: American Women in the Military (355.0082/N274co)

Decades of Beauty: the Changing Image of Women, 1890s-1990s (391.00904/M961de)

Failure is Impossible! The History of American Women's Rights (J/305.42/K33fa)

The Fight For Women's Right to Vote in American History (324.623/N248fi)

First Generations: Women in Colonial America (305.4209032/B512fi)

Founding Mothers: the Women Who Raised Our Nation (973.30922/R643fo)

From Ballots to Breadlines: American Women 1920-1940 (305.4/Y68de; J/305.4/Y68de)

Good Women of A Well-Blessed Land: Women's Lives in Colonial America (305.40973/M647go)

Generations: A Century of Women Speak About Their Lives (305.420922/M631ge)

A History of the American Suffragist Movement (324.623/W362hi)

I Dwell In Possibility: Women Build a Nation, 1600-1920 (305.40973/L935i)

In Defense of a Nation: Servicewomen in World War II (355.0082/H747in)

Laborers for Liberty: American Women 1865-1890 (305.4/Y68la; J/305.4/Y68si)  
Ladies of Liberty: the Women Who Shaped Our Nation (973.40922/R643la)  
Latinas: Hispanic Women in the United States (305.48868073/G245la)  
Let Me Play: the Story of Title IX, the Law That Changed the Future of Girls in America  
(796.082/B658le)  
The Limits of Independence: American Women, 1760-1800 (305.4/Y68sa)  
North American Indian Women (970.00497/S697no)  
Our Mothers' War: American Women at Home and at the Front During World War II  
(940.53082/Y43ou)  
Pushing the Limits: American Women 1940-1961 (305.4/Y68ma; J/305.4/Y68ma)  
The Religious History of American Women (200.82/R382)  
Rosie the Riveter: Women Working on the Home Front in World War II  
(331.40973/C716ro; J/331.4/C716ro)  
"To Toil the Livelong Day:" America's Women at Work, 1780-1980 (331.40973/T627)  
The Road to Equality: American Women Since 1962 (305.4/Y68ch)  
The Tried and the True: Native American Women Confronting Colonization  
(305.4/Y68em)  
They Also Served: American Women in World War II (940.541273/G893th)  
An Unfinished Battle: American Women 1848-1865 (305.4/Y68si)  
Women in American Indian Society (970.00497/E39)  
Women of the American Revolution (J/973.082/S631wo)  
Women's Rights in the United States: A Documentary History (305.42/W872la)  
The Women's Rights Movement: Moving Toward Equality (305.4209/M928wo)  
The Women's Rights Movement: Opposing Viewpoints (305.42/W872op)  
Women's Struggle for Equality: the First Phase, 1828-1876 (305.4209/M439wo)  
Women's Voices, Women's Lives: Documents in Early American History  
(305.40973/W872)

(If a book you are interested in is checked out, one of the reference librarians can put it on hold for you.)

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