

# Introductory Information

Please take a few minutes and read the Introductory information. It explains how to use the family number that is unique to each family and how to use that information to build a family tree. It also contains other useful information to understand how the genealogical data is presented.

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## Introduction

There has been a desire for a number of years to put in print the genealogy of the Doucet Family. We want to, first of all, record a history for our children, and secondly, record a history for cousins, far and near. This labor is one of sharing information about a family, and then one of gaining joy, as others begin to know of the heritage that is theirs. The Doucet family may not be "great" in the eyes of the world as measured by producing great public figures. But it is great because it is a family who worked hard, believed in God and who, in their own way, provided an example for the later generations to follow. This family was a family of pioneers who helped establish colonies in Acadie (Nova Scotia) and in Louisiana. These people were patriotic, serving in the military to support their government in protecting their beliefs. But above all, these people were dedicated to their families, people who built homes and tilled the soil. These people are our family, providing each succeeding generation with life and heritage. In honor of them we search and write. This is primarily the genealogy of the descendants of Germain Doucet, born about 1595 in France. It is organized by generations, listing each known descendant's family and extending their lines from this earliest known Doucet on the North American continent to the present. Following the genealogy of this main Doucet family are entries on families and individuals that have not been linked at the present into this main family. This is a beginning. The record is obviously not complete. This project began by tracing the male descendants' families to provide a basic frame-work to begin "fleshing" out the family tree. Over time additional information was received from others researching the Doucet family. This has all been added to the family tree. This project will continue as research is done to include as many of the descendants and their families as possible. Ideas, comments and, most importantly, information are solicited in trying to put together a more complete picture. It is not the intent to embarrass any person. The only desire in compiling this material is to share with cousins, near and far, their ancestry. Forgiveness is asked of anyone who might be offended by any item of information contained herein.

## Organization of Data

Below are two items on how the genealogical data is organized using family numbers and how families that descend from two different lines that intermarry are handled to avoid duplication.

## The Numbering System

One of the primary purposes for presenting the genealogical data in the format used is to assist in developing one's family tree. To simplify this endeavor, a numbering system was designed to aid you in constructing your own family tree, trace other families and to determine your relationship to other members of the Doucet family. Each individual is given a "family number." This family number is devised as follows: a. Members of each family are numbered according to the chronological order of their birth, where it is known, or in the order shown in the source document. b. The families are then arranged in sequential order according to their family number. Although all children are numbered, there will be numbers missing in the sequential listing of families in subsequent generations due to only listing those with known families. The majority of the information pertains to descendants of Germain Doucet, born about 1595. All family numbers of his descendants begin with the number one, followed by a period (1.). All of the descendants of his first child (Pierre) will have 1.1 as the first two digits of their family numbers, and all descendants of Pierre's first child (Anne) would have 1.1.1 as the first three digits of their family numbers. Nearly all of the Doucets in Louisiana, except those from Terrebonne and Lafourche Parishes, are descended from Michel Doucet, born in 1722, whose family number is 1.4.3.4.2. Those in Terrebonne and Lafourche Parishes are primarily descended from Jean Baptiste Doucet (1.4.2.1.3-5) and

Francois Doucet (1.4.2.1.3-6). The descendants of Pierre Doucet (of Alabama) are also included. Their family numbers begin with the letter P (P.). The above rules for the family numbers are then followed. To make it easier to read the family numbers I have used a dash between the fifth and sixth digits and between the tenth and eleventh digits. After each family number is a number like this: (01-M1000). This number is a reference number for the family. It is included to make the information easier to locate when using the index to find an individual. The first two digits indicate the generation the family is found in. The first digit after the M indicates the child of Germain that the family group descends from.

#### **Same Family Descending from Two Different Lines**

There are instances where two individuals married who were both lineal descendants of Germain Doucet. For consistency and to avoid confusion and duplication of information, the children will be listed and the family continued under the husband. It is noted under the wife where to find the children.

#### **Constructing a Family Tree**

Below are two items on how to construct your own family tree and how to determine relationships of individuals within the family tree.

#### **How to Construct Your Own Family Tree**

To trace your family, use the Index of Names to locate yourself or your ancestor who is in the genealogical data. This will provide you with a family number. Next, drop the last digit of the family number and turn back to the preceding generation to find that person's parents and family. Follow this process until you go back as far as you can. Write down each family in numerical order and you have your family tree.

#### **Determining Relationships**

Once the numbering system is understood it becomes simple to find how you are related to any other member of the family using the family numbers and the attached Relationship Chart.

a. If two people are in the same generation:

(1) Find your family number.

(2) Find the family number of the other person to which you want to determine the relationship to.

(3) Count back, beginning with the last digit, until you get to the first common number. Count the last digit as "0", the next to last digit "1", etc.

(4) Find the number on the Relationship Chart and trace down the column and across the line until they intersect. This is the relationship.

Example: Your number is:

1.4.3.4.2-1.4.1.6.4-5.3.1

Other number is:

1.4.3.4.2-1.3.8.1.6-3.4.3

Count back to common number (1):

0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7

Go down the "7" column until it intersects with the "7" row

Relationship: 6th Cousins

b. If two people are from different generations:

(1) Follow the first three steps above.

(2) To determine the relationship of the younger generation to the older generations, go down the left side until you find the larger of the two numbers. Then go across the top until you find the smaller number. The intersection of the column and line shows the relationship.

(3) To determine the relationship of the older generation to the younger generation, go down the left side until you find the smaller of the two numbers. Then go across the top until you find the larger number. The intersection of the column and line shows the relationship.

Example: Your number is:

1.4.3.4.2-1.4.1.6.4-5.3.3

Other number is:

1.4.3.4.2-1.4.1.6.4-5.3.1.1

Count back to common number (3):

Your number: 0, 1

Other number: 0, 1, 2

Relationship of younger generation to older generation:

Go across row "2" until it intersects with column "1"

Relationship: Nephew or Niece

Relationship of older generation to younger generation:

Go across row "1" until it intersects with column "2"

Relationship: Uncle or Aunt

Since the same numbering system is used throughout the separate branches of the family, the explanation shown above applies also to them. To determine your relationship to members of the other branches of the family, count the number of generations back to your common ancestor. For example, if each of you are five generations removed from the common ancestor, then you are fourth cousins. If one of you is five generations and the other is four generations removed from the common ancestor, then you are third cousins, once removed.

### RELATIONSHIP CHART

(Columns 9 - 15 continue below)

	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8
0	cp	p	gp	ggp	2ggp	3ggp	4ggp	5ggp	6ggp
1	s	b	u	gu	2gu	3gu	4gu	5gu	6gu
2	gs	n	1c	1c1r	1c2r	1c3r	1c4r	1c5r	1c6r
3	ggs	gn	1c1r	2c	2c1r	2c2r	2c3r	2c4r	2c5r
4	2ggs	ggn	1c2r	2c1r	3c	3c1r	3c2r	3c3r	3c4r
5	3ggs	2ggn	1c3r	2c2r	3c1r	4c	4c1r	4c2r	4c3r
6	4ggs	3ggn	1c4r	2c3r	3c2r	4c1r	5c	5c1r	5c2r
7	5ggs	4ggn	1c5r	2c4r	3c3r	4c2r	5c1r	6c	6c1r
8	6ggs	5ggn	1c6r	2c5r	3c4r	4c3r	5c2r	6c1r	7c
9	7ggs	6ggn	1c7r	2c6r	3c5r	4c4r	5c3r	6c2r	7c1r
10	8ggs	7ggn	1c8r	2c7r	3c6r	4c5r	5c4r	6c3r	7c2r
11	9ggs	8ggn	1c9r	2c8r	3c7r	4c6r	5c5r	6c4r	7c3r
12	10ggs	9ggn	1c10r	2c9r	3c8r	4c7r	5c6r	6c5r	7c4r
13	11ggs	10ggn	1c11r	2c10r	3c9r	4c8r	5c7r	6c6r	7c5r
14	12ggs	11ggn	1c12r	2c11r	3c10r	4c9r	5c8r	6c7r	7c6r
15	13ggs	12ggn	1c13r	2c12r	3c11r	4c10r	5c9r	6c8r	7c7r

### Columns 9 through 15

	9	10	11	12	13	14	15
0	7ggp	8ggp	9ggp	10ggp	11ggp	12ggp	13ggp
1	6ggu	7ggu	8ggu	9ggu	10ggu	11ggu	13ggu
2	1c7r	1c8r	1c9r	1c10r	1c11r	1c12r	1c13r
3	2c6r	2c7r	2c8r	2c9r	2c10r	2c11r	2c12r
4	3c5r	3c6r	3c7r	3c8r	3c9r	3c10r	3c11r
5	4c4r	4c5r	4c6r	4c7r	4c8r	4c9r	4c10r
6	5c3r	5c4r	5c5r	5c6r	5c7r	5c8r	5c9r
7	6c2r	6c3r	6c4r	6c5r	6c6r	6c7r	6c8r
8	7c1r	7c2r	7c3r	7c4r	7c5r	7c6r	7c7r
9	8c	8c1r	8c2r	8c3r	8c4r	8c5r	8c6r
10	8c1r	9c	9c1r	9c2r	9c3r	9c4r	9c5r
11	8c2r	9c1r	10c	10c1r	10c2r	10c3r	10c4r
12	8c3r	9c2r	10c1r	11c	11c1r	11c2r	11c3r
13	8c4r	9c3r	10c2r	11c1r	12c	12c1r	12c2r
14	8c5r	9c4r	10c3r	11c2r	12c1r	13c	13c1r
15	8c6r	9c5r	10c4r	11c3r	12c2r	12c1r	14c

### Abbreviations

cp = common progenitor

p = parent

s = son or daughter

b = brother or sister

c = cousin

u = uncle or aunt

n = nephew or niece

gp/ggp = grandparent/great grandparent

gs/ggs = grandson or daughter/great grandson or daughter

gu/ggu = grand uncle or aunt/great grand uncle or aunt

gn/ggn = grand nephew or niece/great grand nephew or niece

r = removed

1, 2, etc, used with: gg or c = 1st, 2nd, etc: 2c = 2nd Cousins

1, 2, etc, used with: r = 1 time, 2 times, etc: 3c4r = 3rd Cousins, 4 times removed

#### **Documentation**

We have tried to document each entry as completely, but as briefly, as possible. Citations are explained in the Bibliography. A list of abbreviations used is included under Abbreviations.

A number of genealogists have researched and published genealogical works pertaining to the early Acadian families. Each has their strengths and weaknesses. By far the greatest weakness is the lack of documentation within their publications. As noted in the genealogical data, Stephen White's *Dictionnaire Genealogique des Familles Acadiennes* is used as the basis for the first three generations of Germain's descendants. Bona Arsenault, Cyprien Tanguay and others' data is used to supplement White's information.

Donald Hebert's research is used as the basic source material for the early Louisiana period. This information is supplemented by data from the US Census records. With Hebert, the same general format is followed that he used in his books.

Information has been provided by individuals doing research. This is noted in the bibliography and in the family groups. Some of the research has been posted to individual web sites. Where this has happened, a link can be found to the web site on the Links page. Other information has been provided in a paper format, of which the webmaster has a copy on file.

#### **Spelling of Names**

As you get into genealogical research you realize rather quickly that there is a great inconsistency in the spelling of names. In order to be consistent, we have tried to use the name of the person shown at his or her birth or baptism/christening. Sometimes this was not their full name. You will find some entries with part of the name in brackets or two names with a slash between them to show a more complete name.

#### **Bona Arsenault**

Bona Arsenault has published two "series" of *Historie et Genealogie des Acadiens*. The first series consisted of two volumes published in 1965. The second series consisted of six volumes published in 1966. There are a number of discrepancies between the two series. Many of these are slight, such as a different name or birth date. However, there are two or three major differences. The names and dates will follow the second series, unless there is other reliable information contradicts it. You will be able to see in the documentation that is used. The original intent to indicate all differences between the two series. However, it was felt that that could be more confusing than logical. Anyone who has a question concerning the differences may consult the two "series" or may feel free to contact the webmaster.

#### **Abbreviations - Vital Statistics**

**Item**

**Abbreviation**

About  
 Acadie (refers to Acadian Ch Records, 1707-48)  
 Born  
 Baptism/Christening  
 Burial  
 Census  
 Church  
 Courthouse  
 Died/Deceased  
 Divorce  
 Married/Marriage  
 Month  
 Page  
 Relationship outside Marriage  
 Succession  
 Supplement  
 Volume  
 Weeks  
 Widow/Widower  
 Year  
 Number  
 Spelling uncertain/name unknown

abt  
 A  
 b  
 c  
 bur  
 C or Cen  
 Ch  
 CH  
 d  
 div  
 m/marr  
 mo/mth  
 p  
 r  
 succ  
 Suppl  
 v  
 wks  
 wid/widr  
 yr  
 #  
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#### Abbreviations - Locations

The abbreviations listed here are used in the documentation within the family groups. The two letter abbreviations (old) were used by Hebert, and are followed where he is the source. The three letter abbreviations are used primarily with IGI documentation, and were developed to avoid duplicate abbreviations.

<b>City/Town, County/Parish, State/Province/Country Abbreviation (Church - Catholic, unless noted) (Canada)</b>	<b>New</b>	<b>Old</b>
Mission, (no county), British Columbia (BC)		MSM
Albert County, New Brunswick (NB)		ALB
Baie-Sainte-Anne, Northumberland, New Brunswick		BSA
Barachois, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		BRC
Bathurst, Gloucester, New Brunswick (Sainte Famille)		BTH
Batiscan, New Brunswick		BTS
Beausejour, New Brunswick		BSJ
Beresford, Gloucester, New Brunswick		BRF
Berthier en Haut, New Brunswick		BEH
Cap Pele, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		CPW
Cape Bauld, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		CBW
Caraquet, Gloucester, New Brunswick		CRO
Carleton, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		CLW
Chipoudy, Albert, New Brunswick		CHP
Claire Fontaine, Kent, New Brunswick		CFK
Fontain, Kent, New Brunswick		FTN
Isle d'Mac, New Brunswick		IDM
Lapraire, New Brunswick		LPR
Little Cape, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		LCW
Marysville, York, New Brunswick		MYV
Memramcook, Westmoreland, New Brunswick		MEM
Miramichi, Northumberland, New Brunswick		MIR
Norte Dame de St Nyac, New Brunswick		NDS
Paspebiac, New Brunswick		PAS

Richibucto, Kent, New Brunswick	RHB	
St Charles, Sur Rich., New Brunswick	SCS	
Saint John, Saint John, New Brunswick (Holy Assumption)	SJS	
St Ours, New Brunswick	STO	
St Paul, New Brunswick	STP	
St Thomas, New Brunswick	STT	
Salisbury, New Brunswick	SLB	
Tracadiech, New Brunswick	TRA	
Verennes, New Brunswick (see Varennes, NS)	VER	
Port-Au-Port, Newfoundland, Newfoundland (NF)	PAP	
_____, Ile Saint John, Nova Scotia (NS) (see PEI)	ISJ	
Amherst, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	AMH	
Annapolis Royal, Annapolis, Nova Scotia (see Note)	ARA	AR
Avonport, Kings, Nova Scotia	AVN	
Beaubassin, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	BBS	Be
Belle Isle, Annapolis, Nova Scotia	BIA	
Belliveau Cove, Digby, Nova Scotia	BLV	
Bridgetown/Wilmot, Annapolis, Nova Scotia	BTW	
Brule, Nova Scotia	BRU	
Brule Corner, Pictou, Nova Scotia	BCP	
Cape Breton County, Nova Scotia	CBC	
Cap-De-Sable (Cape Sable), Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	CDS	
Cape Sable Island, Shelburn, Nova Scotia	CSI	
Cheticamp, Inverness, Nova Scotia	CHT	
Church Point, Digby, Nova Scotia (Sainte Marie)	CPD	
Clare, Digby, Nova Scotia	CLR	
Cobequid, Colchester, Nova Scotia	CBQ	
Denmark, Colchester, Nova Scotia	DEN	
Digby, Digby, Nova Scotia (Trinity Anglican)	DIG	
East River, Pictou, Nova Scotia	ERP	
Eel Brook, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	EBY	
Fort Belcher, Colchester, Nova Scotia	FTB	
Glace Bay, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia	GBC	
Grand Digue, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	GDC	
Grand Pre, Kings, Nova Scotia (St Charles aux Mines)	GPK	GP
Halifax, Halifax, Nova Scotia	HLX	
Hubbard's Point, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	HPY	
Inverness, Inverness, Nova Scotia	INV	
Joggins, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	JOG	
Kentville, Kings, Nova Scotia	KNT	
Londonderry, Colchester, Nova Scotia	LDD	
Louisbourg, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia	LSB	
Louisville, Nova Scotia	LSV	
Marshville, Pictou, Nova Scotia	MRS	
Meadowville, Pictou, Nova Scotia	MEA	
Meteghan, Digby, Nova Scotia (Etoile De La Mer)	MGH	
Minudie, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	MIN	
Muse Point, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	MPY	
Musquodovoit, Halifax, Nova Scotia	MUS	
New Waterford, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia	NWF	
North River, Colchester, Nova Scotia	NRC	
Onslow, Colchester, Nova Scotia	ONS	
Oxford Junction, Cumberland, Nova Scotia	OXJ	

Pictou County, Nova Scotia	PIC
Pisiquit, Hants, Nova Scotia	PSQ
Plympton, Digby, Nova Scotia (Sainte Croix)	PLY
Port Royal, Annapolis, Nova Scotia (see Note) (St Jean Baptiste)	PRA PR
Port Toulouse,, Nova Scotia	PTS
River John, Pictou, Nova Scotia	RVJ
Riviere aux Canard, Kings, Nova Scotia	RAC
Quinan, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	QUI
Sainte Anne, Nova Scotia	STA
St Mary's Bay, Digby, Nova Scotia	SMB
Salmon River, Digby, Nova Scotia (Saint Vincent De Paul)	SLM
Shepody, Colchester, Nova Scotia	SHE
Sydney, Cape Breton, Nova Scotia (St George)	SYD
Tatamagouche, Colchester, Nova Scotia	TAT
Tiverton, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	TVT
Truro, Colchester, Nova Scotia	TRU
Tusket Wedge, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	TKW
Tusket, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	TSK
Varenes, Nova Scotia (see Verennes, NB)	VAR
Wedgeport, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	WPT
Weymouth, Digby, Nova Scotia	WYM
Windsor, Hants, Nova Scotia	WIN
Yarmouth, Yarmouth, Nova Scotia	YAR
Yarmouth County, Nova Scotia	YAC

**NOTE:** The original settlement of the colony of Acadie was Port Royal, Annapolis, Nova Scotia (located at Latitude 44 degrees, 43 minutes North, Longitude 65 degrees, 36 minutes West). After the British captured the colony, Port Royal's name was changed (about 1710) to Annapolis Royal, Annapolis, Nova Scotia. At some later time another settlement was begun in Richmond County, Nova Scotia, also called Port Royal (located at Latitude 45 degrees, 32 minutes North, Longitude 61 degrees, 6 minutes West). This has created some confusion in the records of some researchers. The Acadians were at the original settlement and not the Richmond County settlement as far as references to Port Royal apply.

<b>City/Town, County/Parish, State/Province/Country Abbreviation (Church - Catholic, unless noted)</b>	<b>New Old</b>
_____, Plautagenet, Ontario (ON)	PCO
Campbellton, Elgin, Ontario	CAP
Maxwell, Gray, Ontario MXW Montague, Lamark, Ontario	MTG
Plantagenet, Prescott, Ontario	PLN
Riceville, Prescott, Ontario	RCV
Sandwich, Essex, Ontario (Assumption)	SDW
Belmont, Prince Edward Island (PE)	BLM
Charlottetown, Queens, Prince Edward Island	CTQ
Malpeque, Princes, Prince Edward Island	MPQ
Port Lajoie, Queens, Prince Edward Island ** see Charlottetown, Queens, PEI	PLJ
Rustico, Queens, Prince Edward Island	RUS
Saint Pierre De Nord, Kings, Prince Edward Island	SPN
South Rustico, Queens, Prince Edward Island (St Augustine)	SRQ
Springbrook, Queens, Prince Edward Island	SPG
Summerside, Princes, Prince Edward Island	SUM
Tignish, Princes, Prince Edward Island	TGN
_____, La Pointe de l'Eglise, Quebec (QU)	LPE
Almaville, Champlain, Quebec (Norte Dame De La Presentation)	AMV
Becancour, Nicolet, Quebec	BCN Bc
Berthierville, Berthier, Quebec	BRT

Cap-Saint-Ignace, Montmagny, Quebec	CIM CS
Cap-Saint-Ignace, L'Islet, Quebec	CIL
Carleton, Bonaventure, Quebec (Sainte Anne De Ritigouche)	CLT
Charlesbourg, Quebec, Quebec	CSB Cb
Deschambault, Portneuf, Quebec	DCB Ds
Drummondville, Drummond, Quebec	DRM
Grose Morn, Gaspé, Quebec	GMG
Grosse Coques,, Quebec	GCO
Isle Dupas, Berthier, Quebec	IDB ID
Kamouraska, Kamouraska, Quebec	KMR Ka
L'Anse des Belliveau,, Quebec	LDB
Maskinonge, Maskinonge, Quebec	MSK Ma
Miquelon, Abitibie, Quebec	MQL
Mont Carmel, Kamouraska, Quebec	MTC
Montreal, Montreal, Quebec	MON
Nicolet, Nicolet, Quebec	NCL Nc
Norte Dame De Quebec, Quebec, Quebec	NDQ
Norte Dame du Cap, Quebec	NDC ND
Plessisville, Megantic, Quebec	PLS
Pointe aux Trembles, Hochelaga, Quebec	PAT PT
Quebec, Quebec, Quebec	QUE Qu
Repentigny, L'Assomption, Quebec	RPT Rp
Riviere Ouelle, Kamouraska, Quebec	ROK RO
Saint Alexis De Matapedia, Bonaventure, Quebec	SAM
Saint Antoine de Chambly, Quebec	SAC SC
Saint Celestin, Nicolet, Quebec	STC
Saint Charles, Quebec	STH
Saint Francois de Sud, Montmaguy, Quebec	SFS SF
Saint Gregoire, Nicolet, Quebec	STG
Saint Joseph De Mekimac, Champlain, Quebec	SJM
Saint Maurice, Champlain, Quebec	STM
Saint Michel, Yamachiche. Quebec	SMY
Saint Pierre du Sorel, Richelieu, Quebec	SPS SP
Saint Roch Des Aulnaies, L'Islet, Quebec	SRA
Sainte Anne De La Pocatiere, Kamouraska, Quebec	SAP SA
Sainte Eulalie, Nicolet, Quebec	STE
Sainte Genevieve De Berthier, Berthier, Quebec (possible church at Berthierville)	SGB
Shawinigan Sud, St Maurice, Quebec	SWS
Shawinigan, Champlain, Quebec (Norte Dame De La Presentation)	SHW
Sorel, Richelieu, Quebec	SRL
Trois-Rivieres, St Maurice, Quebec	TRS TR
Yamachiche, St Maurice, Quebec (St Michel)	YAC Ya
<b>(United States other than Louisiana)</b>	
Fort Des Allabamons,, Alabama	FDA
Mobile,, Alabama	MBL
Saint David, Aroostook, Maine	STD
Van Buren, Aroostook, Maine (St Bruno)	VBA
Attleboro, Bristol, Massachusetts	ATT
Boston, Suffolk, Massachusetts	BOS
Braintree, Norfolk, Massachusetts	BRT
Brimfield, Hampden, Massachusetts	BRM
Brookfield, Worcester, Massachusetts	BKF
Cambridge, Middlesex, Massachusetts	CAM

Charlestown (Boston), Suffolk, Massachusetts	CHL
Concord, Middlesex, Massachusetts	CON
Fall River, Bristol, Massachusetts	FRB
Fitchburg, Worcester, Massachusetts	FCH
Foxboro, Norfolk, Massachusetts	FOX
Gloucester, Essex, Massachusetts	GLO
Hawley, Franklin, Massachusetts	HAW
Lancaster, Massachusetts	LAN
Leicester, Worcester, Massachusetts	LEI
Littleton, Middlesex, Massachusetts	LTL
Lowell, Middlesex, Massachusetts	LOW
Lynn, Essex, Massachusetts	LYN
Marlborough, Middlesex, Massachusetts	MBR
Marshfield, Plymouth, Massachusetts	MSH
Norwood, Norfolk, Massachusetts	NOR
Palmer, Hampden, Massachusetts	PAL
Peabody, Essex, Massachusetts	PEA
Reading, Middlesex, Massachusetts	RDG
Rockport, Essex, Massachusetts	RPT
Salem, Essex, Massachusetts	SAL
Springfield, Hampden, Massachusetts	SPF
Stoneham, Middlesex, Massachusetts	STN
Sudbury, Middlesex, Massachusetts	SUD
Wakefield, Middlesex, Massachusetts	WFD
Watertown, Suffolk, Massachusetts	WAT
Wilmington, Middlesex, Massachusetts	WLM
Worcester, Worcester, Massachusetts	WOR
Detroit, Wayne, Michigan	DTR Dt
Saint Louis, Saint Louis, Missouri	SLS
Concord, Merrimack, New Hampshire	CCD
Derry, Rockingham, New Hampshire	DER
Londonderry, Rockingham, New Hampshire	LON
Winchester Twp, Cheshire, New Hampshire	WNC
Portland, Multnomah, Oregon	PTL
Pawtucket, Providence, Rhode Island	PAW
Providence, Providence, Rhode Island	PRO
_____, Hardin, Texas	HCT
_____, Liberty, Texas	LCT
Beaumont, Jefferson, Texas	BMT Bt
Ironwood, Liberty, Texas	IWD
<b>(Louisiana)</b>	
Abbeville, Vermillion, Louisiana	ABV Ab
Arnardville, St Landry, Louisiana	ARV Av
Baton Rouge, E. Baton Rouge, Louisiana (St Joseph)	BRE BR
Baton Rouge Diocese Archives	BRD BRD A
Bayou Goula, Louisiana	BYG
Bell City, Calcasieu, Louisiana	BCC
Breaux Bridge, St Martin, Louisiana	BBS
Carencro, Lafayette, Louisiana	CRN
Ca Cecelia, St Martin, Louisiana	CEC Ce
Church Point, Acadia, Louisiana (Our Lady of the Sacred Heart)	CPA CP
Crowley, Acadia, Louisiana (St Michael)	CRW Cr

Donaldsonville, Ascension, Louisiana (Ascension)	DNV Dv
Eunice, St Landry, Louisiana (St Anthony)	EUN Eu
Evangeline, Acadia, Louisiana (St Joseph)	EVG Ev
Galliano, Lafourche, Louisiana	GLL Ga
Golden Meadow, Lafourche, Louisiana	GML GM
Grand Coteau, St Landry, Louisiana (St Charles Borromeo)	GCS CC
Houma, Terrebonne, Louisiana (St Francis de Salas)	HOM Ho
Iota, Acadia, Louisiana (St Joseph)	IOT Io
Jennings, Jefferson Davis, Louisiana (Our Lady of Peperual Help)	JEN Je
Kaplan, Vermillion, Louisiana	KAP Kp
Lake Charles, Calcasieu, Louisiana	LCC LC
Lafayette, Lafayette, Louisiana (Cathedral of St John the Evangelist)	LAF La
LaRose, Lafourche, Louisiana (Our Rosary)	LRL LR
Leeville, Lafourche, Louisiana	LVL
Lockport, Lafourche, Louisiana (Holy Savior)	LPT Lp
Loreauville, Iberia, Louisiana (St Joseph)	LOR Lo
Marksville, Avoyelles, Louisiana	MKS
Maurice, Vermillion, Louisiana	MRC Mr
Mermentau, Acadia, Louisiana (St John the Evangelist)	MER Me
Morley, Louisiana	MOR
Napoleonville, Assumption, Louisiana	NPL
New Iberia, Iberia, Louisiana (St Peter)	NII NI
New Orleans, Orleans, Louisiana (Cathedral of St Louis, King of France)	NOO NO
Opelousas, St Landry, Louisiana (St Landry)	OPL Op
Paincourtville, Assumption, Louisiana	PCV
Plattenville, Assumption, Louisiana (Assumption)	PLT PI
Pointe Coupee, Pointe Coupee, Louisiana (St Francis)	PCP PC
Raceland, Lafourche, Louisiana (St Mary's Nativity)	RLD RI
Rayne, Acadia, Louisiana (St Joseph)	RYN Ra
St Gabriel, Iberville, Louisiana	SGI SG
St Gabriel Acadien Records	SGA
St James, St James, Louisiana	SJJ SJ
St Martinville, St Martin, Louisiana (St Martin de Tours)	SMV SM
Thibodaux, Lafourche, Louisiana (St Joseph)	TBD Th
Ville Platte, Evangeline, Louisiana (Sacred Heart)	VPE VP
Washington, St Landry, Louisiana (Immaculate Conception)	WSH Wa
Youngville, Lafayette, Louisiana (St Anne)	YGV Yv

Below is a list of the Parishes that are located in southern Louisiana, most of them located in that portion of the state referred to as Acadiana.

<b>Parish</b>	<b>Created</b>	<b>Parish Created From</b>
Acadia	1886	St Landry
Ascencion	1807	St James
Assumption	1807	(original parish)
Avoyelles	1807	(original parish)
Calcasieu	1840	St Landry
East Baton Rouge	1810	(original parish)

Evangeline	1911	St Landry
Iberia	1868	St Martin, St Mary
Jefferson Davis	1913	Calcasieu
Lafayette	1823	St Martin
Lafourche	1807	(original parish)
Orleans	1807	(original parish)
Rapides	1807	(original parish)
St James	1807	(original parish)
St Landry	1807	Avoyelles, Rapides
St Martin	1807	(original parish)
St Mary	1811	Assumption
Terrebonne	1822	Lafourche
Vermillion	1844	Lafayette

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