Northeast Georgia Mountains Region

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Counties

County	Creation Date	County Seat	Courthouse Record Loss*
Banks	1858	Homer	No
Barrow	1914	Winder	No
Dawson	1857	Dawsonville	No
Elbert	1790	Elberton	No
Forsyth	1832	Cumming	Yes
Franklin	1784	Carnesville	No
Habersham	1818	Clarkesville	Yes
Hall	1818	Gainesville	Yes
Hart	1853	Hartwell	Yes
Jackson	1796	Jefferson	No
Lumpkin	1832	Dahlonega	No
Madison	1811	Monroe	No
Rabun	1819	Clayton	No
Stephens	1905	Toccoa	No
Towns	1856	Hiawassee	No
Union	1832	Blairsville	Yes
White	1857	Cleveland	No

*A courthouse loss does not mean all records were lost, contact the courthouse for available records.

Cities

Alto
Auburn
Blairsville
Bowman
Braselton
Canon
Carnesville
Clarkesville
Clayton
Clermont
Cleveland
Colbert
Comer
Commerce
Cornelia
Cumming
Dahlonega
Danielsville
Dawsonville
Demorest
Dillard
Elberton
Flowery Branch
Franklin Springs
Gainesville
Gillsville
Hartwell
Helen
Hiawassee
Homer
Hoschton
Jefferson
Lakemont
Lavonia
Lula
Martin
Maysville
Mountain City
Mt. Airy
Oakwood
Rabun Gap
Royston
Sautee Nacoochee
Sky Valley
Suches
Tallulah Falls
Talmo
Tiger
Toccoa
Winder
Young Harris

Genealogical Societies

- East Georgia Genealogical Society, Inc., Winder http://www.rootsweb.com/~gaeggs
- Savannah River Area Genealogical Society, Hartwell, www.srvgs.wordpress.com

Historical Societies

- Banks County Historical Society, Homer, www.bankscountyhistoricalsociety.org

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- Dawson County Genealogical and Historical Society, Dawson, www.dawsoncountyga.gov/hngsociety
- Historical Society of Forsyth County, Cumming, http://rootsweb.com/~gafchs
- Habersham County Historical Society, Inc., Cornelia, Facebook
- Northeast Georgia Historical and Genealogical Society, Gainesville, Facebook
- Northeast Georgia History Center, Gainesville, http://www.negahc.org
- Rabun County Historical Society, Clayton, http://www.rabunhistory.org
- Stephens County Historical Society, Toccoa, http://www.toccoahistory.com
- Union County Historical Society, Blairsville, http://www.unioncountyhistory.org

Repositories

- Young Harris College, https://www.yhc.edu/library/archives-special-collections, Young Harris
- Sybil Wood McRay Genealogy Collection, Hall County Library, www.hallcountylibrary.org/genealogy , Gainesville
- Rabun County Public Library, Genealogy collection - www.rabuncountylibrary.org , Clayton

Resources

- Family Search Wiki –https://www.familysearch.org/wiki/en/Georgia,_United_States_Genealogy
- Georgia Archives – www.georgiaarchives.org , Morrow
- Georgia Historical Society, www.GeorgiaHistory.com, Savannah
- National Archives & Records Administration (NARA) – www.archives.gov/atlanta , Morrow
- Newberry Library – Atlas of Historical County Boundaries - www.digital.newberry.org/ahcb/
- University of Georgia Press, Georgia Open History Library, https://ugapress.manifoldapp.org/ , Athens