

Browse Ancestors Portal

These step-by-step instructions have been written specifically for **Linguaglossa**, Catania, Sicily. However, the procedures and approach described herein would be similar to the search strategies for other towns and provinces in Italy.

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STEP 3

Scroll down the “Italy Image Only Historical Records” section to find the “Italy, Catania” entries.

Italy, Catania, Arcidiocesi di Catania, Catholic Church Records, 1515-1941	1,762,909	01 Mar 2012	
Italy, Catania, Caltagirone, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1861-1941	1,252,189	17 Jun 2014	
Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration (Comune), 1820-1905	725,389	11 Apr 2013	
Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1866-1929	434,962	18 Jun 2014	
Italy, Catania, Diocesi di Acireale, Catholic Church Records, 1560-1950	283,415	09 Dec 2013	
Italy, Catania, Diocesi di Caltagirone, Catholic Church Records, 1502-1942	554,541	31 Jan 2013	

Italy Image Only Historical Records
 Can't find records for your ancestors when you search? Try our collections that haven't been indexed yet. Select a collection to start browsing the images.
* = Recently added or updated

Birth, Marriage, and Death			
Italy, Agrigento, Agrigento, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1866-1942	Italy, Catania, Arcidiocesi di Catania, Catholic Church Records, 1515-1941	1,762,909	01 Mar 2012
Italy, Agrigento, Civil Registration (State Archive), 1820-1865	Italy, Catania, Caltagirone, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1861-1941	1,252,189	17 Jun 2014
Italy, Agrigento, Sciacca, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1861-1929	Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration (Comune), 1820-1905	725,389	11 Apr 2013
Italy, Ancona, Ancona, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1862-1929	Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1866-1929	434,962	18 Jun 2014
Italy, Arezzo, Civil Registration (State Archive), 1314-1934	Italy, Catania, Diocesi di Acireale, Catholic Church Records, 1560-1950	283,415	09 Dec 2013
Italy, Ascoli Piceno, Civil Registration (State Archive), 1740-1880, 1915-1919	Italy, Catania, Diocesi di Caltagirone, Catholic Church Records, 1502-1942	554,541	31 Jan 2013
Italy, Asti, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1866-1910			

STEP 4

Click each of the “Catania” links to explore these webpages and see if **Linguaglossa** is listed. The

objective is to find the **Linguaglossa** Birth, Marriage, and Death Records.

NOTE

The “Italy Image Only Historical Records” have been sorted by province and town, and could include towns that are listed but

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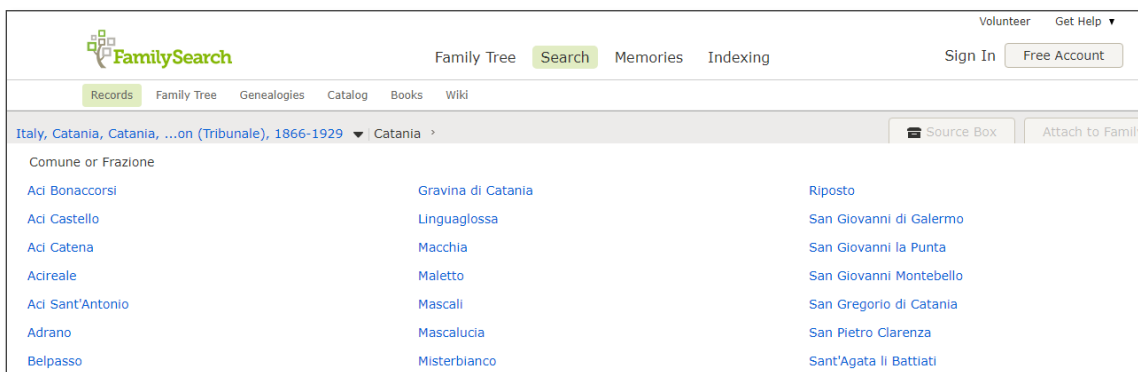
You want to see what other towns may be listed in **Catania**. You may have an ancestor who died in **Linguaglossa** but was born in a nearby town.

STEP 5

Access the **Linguaglossa** records that are included in “Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration (Tribunale), 1866-1929”

- Click [Italy, Catania, Catania, Civil Registration \(Tribunale\), 1866-1929](#)
- Click [Browse through 434,962 images](#)
- Click [Catania](#)

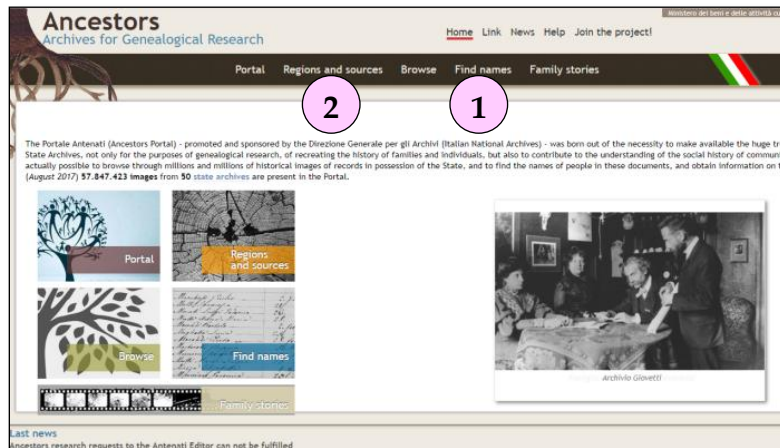
- You will now see Linguaglossa listed.



- Click [Linguaglossa](#) and you might be asked to “Please Sign In” with a FamilySearch account to see these records. This means you need to setup a FamilySearch account, which is free.

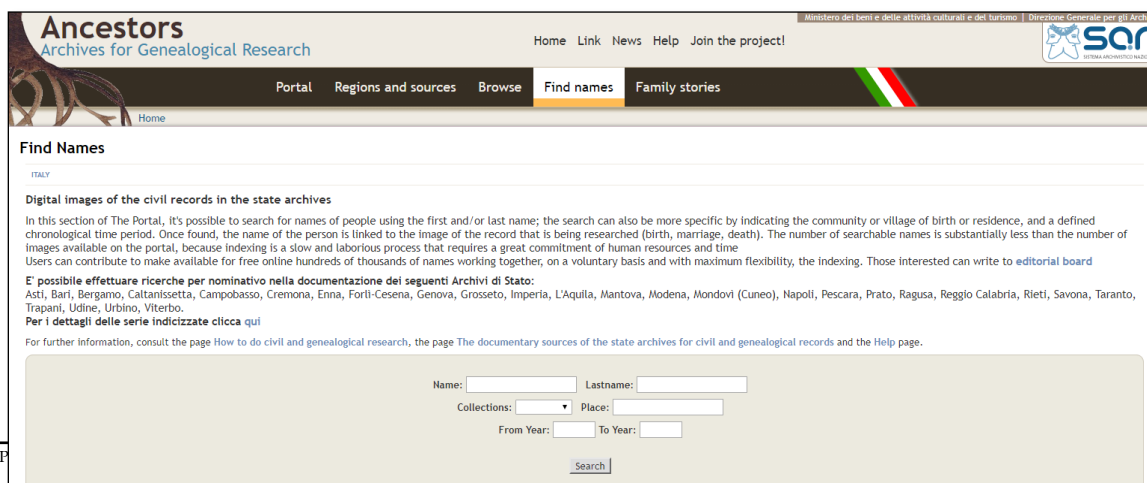
THE NATIONAL ARCHIVES OF ITALY’S ANCESTORS PORTAL

- The National Archives has some of the same records as FamilySearch and many records FamilySearch doesn’t have. It is always a good practice to search the National Archives of Italy in addition to FamilySearch.
- CLICK on <http://www.antenati.san.beniculturali.it/en>. There are two search options to consider: (1) “Find names” and (2) “Regions and sources.”



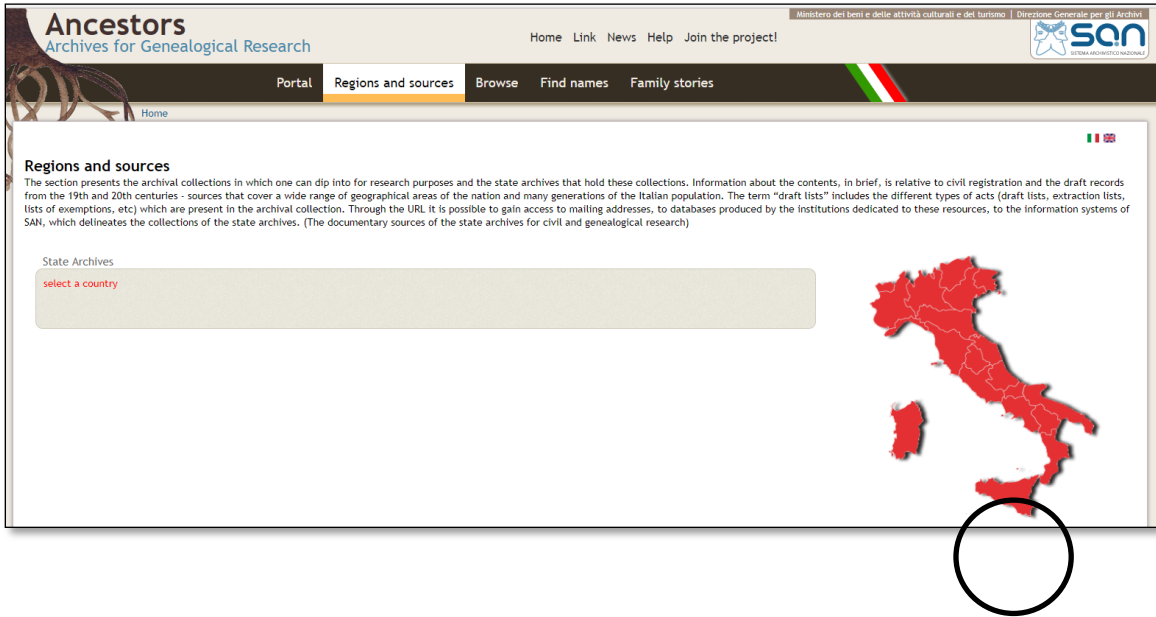
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on “Find names” and you will see the screen below.

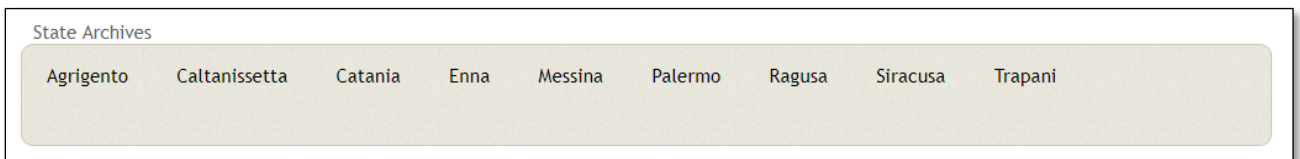


- a. First, be sure to check the Archivi di Stato (State Archives) to see if the records for the State Archives for your province (**Catania**) have been indexed and are included in this database. You'll see **Catania** is not listed, so that means **Catania's** records have not been indexed yet. However, records are being added everyday so you need to check back often to see if **Catania's** records have been added.
- b. On this screen, you can enter Lastname and Name, and narrow your search by selecting the type of Collection (Birth, Marriage, Death) you desire as well as inputting a Place or Year Range.

4. Now **CLICK** on **"Regions and sources"** and you will see this screen:



5. **CLICK** on the **"Sicily"** region and the State Archives of Sicily will appear.



- Now **CLICK** on **“Catania”** and you will see the following screen which states that **“Images not yet available”** for **Catania**. Again, you need to check back often to see if **Catania’s** record have been added.

State Archives

Agrigento Caltanissetta **Catania** Enna Messina Palermo Ragusa Siracusa Trapani

Archivio di Stato di Catania

Images not yet available

www.archivi-sias.it/consulta_archivi_albero.asp?ComplessiRootNode=300080000

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Information Civil state Military drafts

The Catania State Archives, with suboffice in Caltagirone, house documentary history for civil state research on persons and families who lived in the historical territory and in the communities of the present province. These cover the period from 1820-1939 and fall into 3 main categories: the civil state records (from the restoration to the Italian state); the draft information broken down in draft lists and military cover sheets, sources that show information on the young men called for the draft and their military service in the various bodies of the army. At the center, where records are freely searchable, staff assistance is available for ancestral research that will work also by correspondence. One may acquire copies of documents.