



**Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans**  
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*Diocese of San Diego*  
CALIFORNIA, OCEANSIDE

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**San Luis Rey Mission**

**W-195**

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Access: Some restrictions apply

History:

1798-1834 (closed)	Franciscans (Santo Evangelico Province, Mexico City, Mexico) established and administered San Luis Rey de Francia Mission (Aguas Calientes), Oceanside
1835-1846 (sold)	Aguas Calientes Indians administered San Luis Rey Mission ranch; in 1846, Jean Baptiste Charbonneau (Shoshoni, 1805-1866?) served as alcalde [mayor] of the mission
1865-1880, 1890-1892	Diocesan priests administered San Luis Rey
1880-1890	Diocesan priests attended San Luis Rey from San Juan Capistrano; a fire destroyed some sacramental records, 1886-1892
1892-ca. 1900 (no longer Indian)	Franciscans (now Santa Barbara Province, Oakland, California) administered San Luis Rey

Diocesan priests from San Luis Rey attended San Antonio de Pala Mission (Cahuilla, Campo, and Cupeño), Pala, 1890-1904 (transferred to diocesan priests).

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1865-1886, 1892-ca. 1900

Volume: Several volumes

Description: Sacramental records for San Luis Rey Mission.