



Guide to Catholic-Related Records outside the U.S. about Native Americans
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History: The French Province was established in 1976. However, the former Lyon Province (Lyon, France), founded in 1749 administered evangelization in Quebec and Louisiana until the Jesuits were expelled in 1767. Included were the Great Lakes and Ohio (Iroquois, Ojibwa, Ottawa, Wyandot, and others) and Mississippi River areas to the Gulf of Mexico (Apalache, Choctaw, Tunica, and others).

Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans in the United States are unknown. However, some pertinent records exist within the collection of Reverend Brotier, S.J.