



**Guide to Catholic-Related Records in the West about Native Americans**  
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Holdings of Catholic-related records about Native Americans:

Inclusive dates: 1831-1986, n.d.

Volume: Approximately .2 cubic foot

Description: 8 collections include Native Catholic records:

Manuscript Collections

/1 "Evans, Family Collection, WH1746"

Inclusive dates: 1928?

Volume: 1 folder

Description: "A Christmas Pilgrimage in the Southwest" and notes by Anne  
Evans; re: Franciscan Indian missions in New Mexico

/2 "Research Notes, Mss M590"

Inclusive dates: 1831-1930

Volume: 1 folder

Description: Letters (50 leaves) by Archbishop J.B. Lamy to the Sisters of  
Loretto Motherhouse in New Mexico; transcripts with historical and  
biographical notes.

Photographic Collections

/3 "Ernest Knee Collection, 94"

Inclusive dates: 1940-1950

Volume: 2 photographs

Description: Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Church, Taos Pueblo, New Mexico.

/4 "Photographs of the Southwest, 64"

Inclusive dates: 1925-1926

Volume: 1 photograph

Description: St. Joseph/ San Jose Church, Laguna Pueblo, New Mexico by Laura Gilpin.

/5 "Nancy Wood Taos Pueblo Collection, 102"

Inclusive dates: 1985-1986

Volume: 10 photographs

Description: Taos Pueblo, New Mexico with Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Church and cemetery, abandoned mission, and Tiwa Indian festival.

/6 Williams Henry Jackson/ Detroit Photographic Collection, 85"

Inclusive dates: 1880-1910

Volume: At least 40 prints

Description:

- A. Arizona, San Xavier del Bac Mission, Tucson, 1 print
- B. New Mexico missions, several prints:
  - 1. Acoma Pueblo, San Estevan del Rey Mission
  - 2. Ohkay Owingeh/ San Juan Pueblo, St. John the Baptist Mission
- C. California missions, 33 prints:
  - 1. Carmel, San Carlos Borromeo de Carmelo Mission
  - 2. Mission Hills, San Fernando Rey de España Mission
  - 3. Pala, San Antonio de Pala Mission
  - 4. San Diego, San Diego de Alcalá Mission
  - 5. San Francisco, San Francisco de Asís Mission
  - 6. San Gabriel, San Gabriel Arcángel Mission
  - 7. San Juan Bautista, San Juan Bautista Mission
  - 8. San Juan Capistrano, San Juan Capistrano Mission
  - 9. San Luis Rey, San Luis Rey de Francia Mission
  - 10. Santa Barbara, Santa Bárbara Mission
  - 11. Solvang, Santa Inés Mission

/7 "Horace Swartley Poley Collection, 37 and 38"

Inclusive dates: 1899-1925, n.d.

Volume: 66 prints

Description: Franciscan Indian missions in New Mexico:

- A. Acoma Pueblo, San Estevan del Rey Mission
- B. Cochiti Pueblo, San Buenaventura Mission
- C. Isleta Pueblo, San Agustín Mission
- D. Jemez Pueblo, San Diego Mission
- E. Nambe Pueblo, San Francisco Mission
- F. Ohkay Owingeh/ San Juan Pueblo, St. John the Baptist Mission
- G. Picuris Pueblo, San Lorenzo Mission
- H. Pojoaque Pueblo, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Mission
- I. San Felipe Pueblo, San Felipe Mission
- J. San Ildefonso Pueblo, San Ildefonso Mission
- K. Sandia Pueblo, Nuestra Señora de los Dolores y San Antonio Mission
- L. Santa Ana Pueblo, Santa Ana Mission
- M. Santa Clara Pueblo, Santa Clara Mission
- N. Santa Cruz Pueblo, Santa Cruz de la Canada/ Holy Cross Mission
- O. Santo Domingo Pueblo, Santo Domingo de Guzmán Mission
- P. Taos Pueblo, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Church
- Q. Tesuque Pueblo, San Diego Mission
- R. Tucumcari, San Jose de Tucumcari Mission
- S. Zuni Pueblo, Nuestra Señora de Guadalupe Mission

/8 "Anne Evans Collection, Mss M241"

Inclusive dates: 1925

Volume: 16 prints

Description: Franciscan Indian missions in New Mexico:

- A. Acoma Pueblo, San Estevan del Rey Mission
- B. Cochiti Pueblo, San Buenaventura Mission
- C. Isleta Pueblo, San Agustín Mission
- D. Laguna Pueblo, San Jose Church
- E. Ohkay Owingeh/ San Juan Pueblo, St. John the Baptist Mission
- F. San Felipe Pueblo, San Felipe Mission
- G. San Ildefonso Pueblo, San Ildefonso Mission
- H. Santa Ana Pueblo, Santa Ana Mission
- I. Zia/ Sia, Nuestra Señora de la Asunción Mission