

Lynching in America: Confronting the Legacy of Racial Terror

SUPPLEMENT: Lynchings by County

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African American Lynching Victims in the South, 1877-1950

Number of Lynchings per County/Parish

ALABAMA		Monroe	18	Logan	1
Autauga	4	Montgomery	12	Lonoke	11
Baldwin	1	Morgan	3	Miller	6
Barbour	5	Perry	1	Mississippi	8
Bibb	15	Pickens	15	Monroe	12
Blount	3	Pike	5	Nevada	2
Bullock	3	Russell	5	Ouachita	10
Butler	12	Shelby	7	Phillips	244
Calhoun	3	St. Clair	7	Poinsett	2
Chambers	2	Sumter	7	Polk	1
Cherokee	2	Talladega	5	Pope	2
Chilton	12	Tallapoosa	4	Prairie	2
Choctaw	7	Tuscaloosa	8	Pulaski	6
Clarke	6	Walker	4	Sebastian	1
Clay	1	Washington	3	Sevier	5
Cleburne	2	Wilcox	6	St. Francis	6
Coffee	2			Stone	2
Colbert	12	ARKANSAS		Union	6
Coosa	2	Arkansas	18	White	3
Covington	7	Ashley	9	Woodruff	2
Crenshaw	4	Boone	2		
Cullman	3	Bradley	2	FLORIDA	
Dale	3	Calhoun	5	Alachua	19
Dallas	15	Chicot	3	Baker	6
Elmore	13	Clark	6	Bay	2
Escambia	1	Cleveland	5	Bradford	5
Etowah	1	Columbia	3	Brevard	1
Franklin	2	Conway	4	Broward	1
Geneva	2	Craighead	5	Calhoun	4
Greene	1	Crittenden	7	Charlotte	1
Hale	2	Cross	2	Citrus	7
Henry	13	Desha	10	Clay	1
Houston	7	Drew	8	Collier	1
Jackson	3	Faulkner	3	Columbia	21
Jefferson	29	Garland	3	DeSoto	3
Lamar	5	Grant	2	Duval	7
Lauderdale	2	Hempstead	9	Escambia	5
Lawrence	2	Hot Spring	1	Franklin	2
Lee	4	Howard	1	Gadsden	4
Limestone	3	Jackson	3	Hamilton	6
Lowndes	14	Jefferson	7	Hardee	1
Macon	1	Johnson	2	Hernando	11
Madison	10	Lafayette	6	Hillsborough	5
Marengo	4	Lee	15	Holmes	5
Marion	1	Lincoln	8	Jackson	9
Mobile	7	Little River	10	Jefferson	1

Lafayette	11	Clinch	2	Lowndes	4
Lake	3	Cobb	1	Macon	3
Lee	3	Coffee	7	Madison	7
Leon	4	Colquitt	8	Marion	3
Levy	8	Columbia	6	McDuffie	2
Liberty	1	Cook	1	McIntosh	3
Madison	16	Coweta	3	Meriwether	7
Manatee	5	Crawford	1	Miller	9
Marion	18	Crisp	7	Mitchell	11
Miami-Dade	3	Dade	2	Monroe	8
Orange	33	Decatur	10	Montgomery	10
Palm Beach	2	DeKalb	3	Morgan	2
Pasco	6	Dodge	8	Murray	2
Pinellas	2	Dooly	8	Muscogee	6
Polk	20	Dougherty	1	Newton	1
Putnam	3	Douglas	1	Oconee	12
Santa Rosa	4	Early	24	Oglethorpe	4
Seminole	2	Echols	4	Peach	2
St. Johns	1	Effingham	4	Pierce	8
Sumter	3	Elbert	2	Pike	3
Suwannee	13	Emanuel	8	Polk	1
Taylor	14	Fayette	3	Pulaski	11
Volusia	3	Floyd	4	Quitman	1
Washington	1	Forsyth	1	Randolph	7
		Franklin	1	Richmond	1
GEORGIA		Fulton	37	Schley	4
Appling	3	Glascock	1	Screven	3
Baker	8	Glynn	3	Seminole	3
Baldwin	1	Gordon	1	Spalding	7
Barrow	1	Grady	2	Stephens	1
Bartow	3	Greene	2	Stewart	5
Bibb	6	Gwinnett	3	Sumter	1
Bleckley	2	Habersham	6	Talbot	5
Brantley	1	Hancock	3	Taliaferro	2
Brooks	18	Haralson	1	Tattnall	5
Bryan	3	Harris	8	Taylor	1
Bulloch	9	Henry	1	Telfair	2
Burke	4	Houston	5	Terrell	1
Butts	2	Irwin	3	Thomas	8
Calhoun	9	Jackson	1	Tift	4
Camden	2	Jasper	10	Toombs	3
Campbell	1	Jefferson	3	Troup	3
Candler	1	Jenkins	5	Turner	2
Carroll	2	Johnson	6	Twiggs	5
Catoosa	2	Jones	5	Union	1
Chatham	2	Lamar	3	Walker	1
Chattahoochee	1	Laurens	6	Walton	9
Chattooga	3	Lee	9	Ware	4
Clay	7	Liberty	4	Warren	4
Clayton	4	Lincoln	6	Washington	2

Wayne	9
Webster	1
Wheeler	2
Whitfield	5
Wilcox	6
Wilkes	4
Wilkinson	3
Worth	2

KENTUCKY

Adair	1
Allen	1
Anderson	1
Ballard	3
Barren	1
Boone	4
Bourbon	2
Breathitt	1
Breckinridge	4
Caldwell	3
Carlisle	1
Christian	3
Clark	2
Cumberland	1
Daviess	3
Fayette	4
Fleming	2
Floyd	1
Franklin	2
Fulton	19
Gallatin	1
Graves	6
Grayson	1
Green	1
Hancock	1
Hardin	2
Harlan	1
Harrison	1
Hart	2
Henderson	4
Henry	2
Hickman	1
Hopkins	2
Jessamine	2
Knott	1
LaRue	1
Laurel	1
Lincoln	1
Livingston	1
Logan	12

Marion	2
Marshall	3
Mason	4
McCracken	6
McLean	1
Meade	4
Mercer	1
Metcalfe	1
Montgomery	1
Nicholas	3
Ohio	1
Oldham	1
Owen	1
Pike	1
Rowan	1
Scott	1
Shelby	5
Simpson	2
Spencer	1
Todd	8
Trigg	4
Union	3
Warren	5
Washington	2
Wayne	1
Webster	1
Whitley	1
Woodford	2

LOUISIANA

Acadia	1
Allen	2
Ascension	1
Assumption	3
Avoyelles	4
Bienville	10
Bossier	27
Caddo	51
Calcasieu	4
Caldwell	4
Catahoula	9
Claiborne	11
Concordia	14
DeSoto	4
East Baton Rouge	3
East Feliciana	5
Evangeline	7
Franklin	7
Grant	6
Iberia	26

Iberville	7
Jackson	4
Jefferson	12
Jefferson Davis	3
Lafayette	6
Lafourche	51
Lincoln	8
Livingston	1
Madison	11
Morehouse	16
Natchitoches	2
Orleans	14
Ouachita	37
Plaquemines	2
Pointe Coupee	14
Rapides	11
Red River	2
Richland	13
Sabine	1
St. Bernard	4
St. Charles	3
St. Helena	3
St. James	6
St. John the Baptist	4
St. Landry	8
St. Martin	2
St. Mary	4
St. Tammany	9
Tangipahoa	24
Tensas	30
Union	4
Washington	12
Webster	9
West Baton Rouge	3
West Carroll	9
West Feliciana	9
Winn	2

MISSISSIPPI

Adams	3
Alcorn	5
Amite	14
Attala	5
Benton	3
Bolivar	14
Calhoun	2
Carroll	19
Chickasaw	6
Claiborne	5
Clarke	10

Clay	8
Coahoma	14
Copiah	11
DeSoto	12
Forrest	9
Franklin	13
George	2
Greene	1
Grenada	7
Hancock	2
Harrison	13
Hinds	22
Holmes	10
Humphreys	9
Issaquena	7
Itawamba	1
Jackson	8
Jefferson	6
Jefferson Davis	1
Jones	5
Kemper	21
Lafayette	7
Lamar	1
Lauderdale	16
Lawrence	2
Leake	2
Lee	2
Leflore	22
Lincoln	10
Lowndes	19
Madison	6
Marion	2
Marshall	4
Monroe	14
Montgomery	10
Neshoba	5
Newton	7
Noxubee	10
Oktibbeha	6
Panola	5
Pearl River	3
Perry	1
Pike	13
Pontotoc	1
Prentiss	1
Quitman	8
Rankin	9
Scott	9
Sharkey	6
Simpson	10

Smith	7
Stone	7
Sunflower	12
Tallahatchie	12
Tate	9
Tishomingo	4
Tunica	10
Union	1
Walthall	4
Warren	12
Washington	12
Wayne	1
Webster	1
Wilkinson	9
Winston	11
Yalobusha	3
Yazoo	20

NORTH CAROLINA

Alamance	2
Anson	2
Avery	1
Beaufort	1
Bertie	2
Bladen	1
Buncombe	4
Burke	1
Cabarrus	2
Camden	1
Carteret	1
Chatham	6
Cleveland	1
Craven	2
Davidson	1
Duplin	2
Edgecombe	2
Forsyth	1
Franklin	3
Gaston	3
Granville	6
Guilford	1
Halifax	1
Haywood	1
Iredell	3
Johnston	3
Lenoir	4
Mecklenburg	2
Moore	2
Nash	1
New Hanover	21

Northampton	1
Onslow	2
Pender	1
Person	1
Polk	1
Richmond	3
Rockingham	2
Rowan	6
Rutherford	1
Sampson	2
Stokes	2
Union	3
Vance	2
Wake	1
Warren	2
Washington	3
Watauga	1
Wayne	2
Wilson	2

SOUTH CAROLINA

Abbeville	5
Aiken	14
Allendale	4
Anderson	5
Bamberg	4
Barnwell	13
Beaufort	1
Berkeley	2
Cherokee	2
Chester	1
Chesterfield	2
Clarendon	4
Colleton	10
Dorchester	3
Edgefield	6
Fairfield	3
Florence	9
Georgetown	1
Greenville	4
Greenwood	15
Hampton	5
Jasper	1
Kershaw	3
Lancaster	2
Laurens	11
Lexington	8
McCormick	2
Newberry	3
Oconee	5

Orangeburg	8
Pickens	4
Saluda	2
Spartanburg	3
Sumter	3
Union	4
Williamsburg	3
York	9

TENNESSEE

Bedford	5
Bledsoe	2
Campbell	3
Cannon	1
Carroll	4
Claiborne	3
Coffee	8
Crockett	6
Davidson	4
Decatur	2
Dickson	3
Dyer	7
Fayette	3
Franklin	3
Gibson	7
Giles	6
Hamilton	4
Hardeman	1
Hardin	2
Haywood	2
Henderson	3
Henry	2
Humphreys	1
Jefferson	1
Johnson	1
Knox	1
Lake	13
Lauderdale	8
Lawrence	1
Lewis	3
Lincoln	5
Loudon	1
Macon	1
Madison	3
Marshall	8
Maury	5
Meigs	1
Montgomery	1
Moore	8
Morgan	2

Obion	18
Putnam	2
Rhea	6
Roane	1
Robertson	11
Rutherford	5
Shelby	20
Smith	1
Stewart	3
Sullivan	1
Sumner	5
Tipton	3
Unicoi	1
Warren	1
Wayne	2
Weakley	5
Williamson	6
Wilson	2

TEXAS

Anderson	22
Angelina	2
Austin	2
Bastrop	3
Baylor	1
Bee	1
Bell	2
Bexar	1
Bosque	2
Bowie	9
Brazoria	8
Brazos	6
Burleson	1
Burnet	1
Caldwell	3
Cameron	1
Camp	1
Cass	8
Cherokee	2
Collin	1
Colorado	6
Comal	1
Comanche	2
Cooke	2
Coryell	1
Dallas	2
Delta	3
Denton	2
DeWitt	1
El Paso	1

Ellis	1
Falls	7
Fannin	1
Fayette	3
Fort Bend	4
Freestone	8
Galveston	1
Goliad	1
Grayson	2
Gregg	4
Grimes	8
Guadalupe	3
Hardin	2
Harris	4
Harrison	15
Henderson	1
Hill	2
Hopkins	5
Houston	2
Hunt	3
Jackson	1
Jasper	1
Jefferson	1
Kaufman	2
La Salle	1
Lamar	7
Lavaca	2
Lee	1
Leon	2
Liberty	2
Limestone	5
Madison	3
Marion	4
Matagorda	1
McLennan	17
Milam	5
Montgomery	7
Morris	3
Nacogdoches	2
Navarro	4
Newton	3
Nueces	2
Orange	5
Panola	3
Polk	3
Red River	6
Reeves	1
Robertson	8
Rockwall	1
Runnels	1

Rusk	5	Nelson	2
Sabine	10	Newport News	1
San Augustine	1	Northumberland	1
San Jacinto	1	Nottoway	2
Shelby	2	Page	2
Smith	3	Petersburg	1
Tarrant	1	Pittsylvania	1
Taylor	1	Prince Edward	1
Throckmorton	1	Rappahannock	1
Titus	1	Roanoke (city)	2
Travis	4	Rockingham	1
Trinity	1	Russell	2
Tyler	6	Scott	1
Upshur	3	Smyth	1
Val Verde	1	Suffolk	1
Van Zandt	1	Surry	1
Walker	9	Sussex	2
Waller	5	Tazewell	10
Washington	2	Virginia Beach	1
Wharton	4	Warren	1
Wood	2	Warwick	2
Zavala	1	Washington	1
		Wise	3
		Wythe	3

VIRGINIA

Accomack	1
Alexandria	2
Alleghany	3
Amelia	1
Amherst	2
Bath	1
Bland	1
Brunswick	2
Campbell	1
Charles City	1
Charlotte	2
Charlottesville	1
Culpeper	2
Danville	5
Dinwiddie	1
Essex	1
Fauquier	2
Fluvanna	1
Franklin	1
Frederick	1
Halifax	3
Henry	1
King William	2
Loudoun	3
Louisa	1
Mecklenburg	2

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