



P R E S E N T S :

"Sifting Through the Cookbooks for Our Female Ancestors"

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Saturday, March 15, 2025 at 10:30am Eastern

Virtual Program via Zoom. Go to wnygs.org to register.

This program is open to the public.

Program Description: There's something special about cooking that can bring us back to a particular place, time, conversation, experience, family. Eleanor Brinsko will be looking at the history of the evolution of home cooking and how we can use these recipes, cookbooks, and experiences to help us further our genealogical research and family history presentation. Get a head start on this presentation by digging out the family recipes, church cookbooks, and newspaper clippings of recipe entries. Unfortunately, we will not be providing the food; we'll leave that up to you.

Eleanor Brinsko is a genealogist who does Scandinavian-American genealogy by looking at genealogical and social trends on both sides of the Atlantic. Eleanor has given lectures for the Wisconsin Historical Society and public libraries, genealogical societies, and family reunions across the country. She taught a graduate-level genealogy course for the University of Wisconsin-Madison's iSchool and contributed the PBS Show "Henry Louis Gates Jr.'s 'Finding Your Roots.'"

