

# Jean Lafitte Bibliography

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Pirates and Privateers <http://www.cindyvallar.com/patriotpirate.html> . Pirates and Privateers mentions a brief history of some famous privateers and pirates, including Jean Lafitte.

Texas Hurricane History <http://www.hpc.ncep.noaa.gov/research/txhur.pdf>. Texas Hurricane History gives an account of the hurricane on September 12-14, 1818 and the involvement of Jean Lafitte.