

Famous men in American history

Famous men, who played an important role in the development, and the contribution of the history of the world, are one of the most interesting aspects in history which we need to learn about. This article is part of the series of articles which talks about famous men in history. Our series about famous men in history consist of **famous men** in history such as in Africa, famous men in Europe, famous men in Canada and much more. This article focuses uniquely on famous men in the history of the United States of America. In this article, you will know about the following; the names of famous men in American history, what were the **famous men in American history** known for, and their contribution in the history of the United States of America.

List and names of **famous men** in the history of the United States of America

John Adams, Louis Armstrong, Benedict Arnold, John Brown (abolitionist), César Chávez, Crazy Horse, Frederick Douglass, W. E. B. Du Bois, Thomas Edison, Henry Ford, Benjamin Franklin, John Glenn, Ulysses S. Grant, Alexander Hamilton, Ernest Hemingway, Patrick Henry, Andrew Jackson, Thomas Jefferson, John Paul Jones (naval officer), John F. Kennedy, Martin Luther King, Jr., Robert E. Lee, Meriwether Lewis, Abraham Lincoln, Charles Lindbergh, James Madison, John Marshall (jurist), Thurgood Marshall, Joseph McCarthy (politician), James Monroe, J. P. Morgan, Thomas Paine, Elvis Presley, Ronald Reagan, Jackie Robinson, Franklin D. Roosevelt, Theodore Roosevelt, John Smith (colonizer), Harry S. Truman, Mark Twain, Booker T. Washington, George Washington, James Watson, Walt Whitman

famous men in American history and what were they known for in United States history

John Adams: one of the most **famous men** in the history of the United States of America is John Adams. John Adams was the second president of the United States of America. He is the United States president who is known to have signed a treaty with Napoleon Bonaparte in 1800 that prevented war between the United States and France. President John Adams is also known to be the first United States president to live in the White House. The white house during that period was known as the Executive Mansion.

Louis Armstrong: Louis Armstrong was an American trumpet player, jazz player, cornet, and, singer as well. He was also known to be a bandleader and one of the most popular entertainers as well. Armstrong was one of the most innovative, outstanding and influential musicians of the 20th century. Louis Armstrong is known for assisting in putting in to place a style known as swing, which in the long run became the basis for several jazz and rhythm-and-blues which is known as R and B music. He was one of the most outstanding black who became popular and overcame racism with his with his skills in trumpet, jazz, cornet, singing and entertainment.

Benedict Arnold: Benedict Arnold was an American military leader, who differentiated himself throughout the first stage of the American Revolution. He was known to betray the American cause after helping a great deal at the first stage of the American Revolution. He carried out an act of

treason by planning to surrender the American fort to the British. He was accused of treachery with the enemy.

John Brown: John Brown was popularly known as Old Brown of Osawatomie. He was an abolitionist of slavery. Endeavour to put an end to slavery through forceful means by greatly increasing tension between North and South in before the period of the American Civil War. John Brown a white slavery abolitionist became famous as an irreconcilable foe of slavery for his fight against proslavery terrorists from Missouri.

César Chávez: César Chávez was a Mexican American labour leader. He was known to be the cofounder of United Farm Workers of America (UFW) labour union. His labour grew nationwide and gained the attention of migrant farmworkers. He is known to have helped in improving the working and living conditions of migrants workers in the United States.

Frederick Douglass: Frederick Douglass is one of blacks' most ***famous men in American history***. He was a black American who escaped from slavery. After his escape from slavery, he came up with ways to put an end to slavery through the publications of his autobiography. He was known for his campaigns to put an end to slavery through his publications. Douglass remains the most outstanding African American journalist, orator, and antislavery leader of the 19th century

Crazy Horse: crazy horse was a Native American. He was the chief of Oglala Sioux. As the chief of this great tribe of the Native Americans, Horse was famous to have played an important role in resisting the expansion of the white people in the western part of the United States of America.

W. E. B. Du Bois: W. E. B. Du Bois was a Black American who was a historian and sociologist as well. He became famous and was known for detailing the challenges and experiences of black Americas. Du bois was also known for advancing the civil rights of blacks and promoting pan-Africanism. These activities gave him many credits in the eyes of all.

Thomas Edison: Thomas Edison is one of the most famous men in America and the world as well. He was an American inventor and one of the greatest inventors in the history of all times. His inventions are remarkable, peculiar and unique. Edison is known for inventing several beneficial devices, together with a practical electric light bulb and the phonograph.

Henry Ford: Ford was an American industrialist. Ford was well known for his pioneering achievements and accomplishments in the industry of automobile. The first automobile known as Quadricycle was created by Ford in 1896. Henry Ford is widely known and remembered for his creation at home and abroad.

Benjamin Franklin: Franklin was an American scientist, diplomat, inventor, printer, author, and philosopher as well. Franklin was one of the unique ***famous men***, and a greatly respected person of the colonial period of America. Benjamin Franklin was known for Contributing greatly to the creation of the United States of America. He was also known for representing the United States of America overseas in the aspect of electricity experiments and for developing inventions.

John Glenn: John Glenn was once the United States of America senator and an astronaut as well. Glenn was known and famous because he was the first American person to orbit the earth. Glen is also known to be the oldest man or person to have ever gone to space in history.

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