

## George Washington

## **FAST FACTS:**

- Born on February 22, 1732
- 1st President of the United States
- Commander–In–Chief during the Revolutionary War
- Nicknamed "Father Of His Country"
- Married to Martha Custis Washington
- Died at the age of 67 in 1799
- Only president to receive 100% of electoral votes

## **FAMOUS QUOTES:**

"Happiness and moral duty are inseparably connected."

"Discipline is the soul of an army. It makes small numbers formidable; procures success to the weak, and esteem to all."

"It is infinitely better to have a few good men than many indifferent ones."

"We have abundant reason to rejoice, that, in this land, the light of truth and reason has triumphed over the power of bigotry and superstition, and that every person may here worship God according to the dictates of his own heart."

"Every post is honorable in which a man can serve his country."

"Few men have virtue to withstand the highest bidder."

"To be prepared for war is one of the most effectual means of preserving peace."