List of Founding Fathers of the United States

Founding Fathers of the United States of America

George Washington — Benjamin Franklin — John Adams — Thomas Jefferson

Alexander Hamilton — James Madison — John Jay

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Who are the founding fathers of the united states

1. George Washington, Founding Father & 1st President of the United States of America
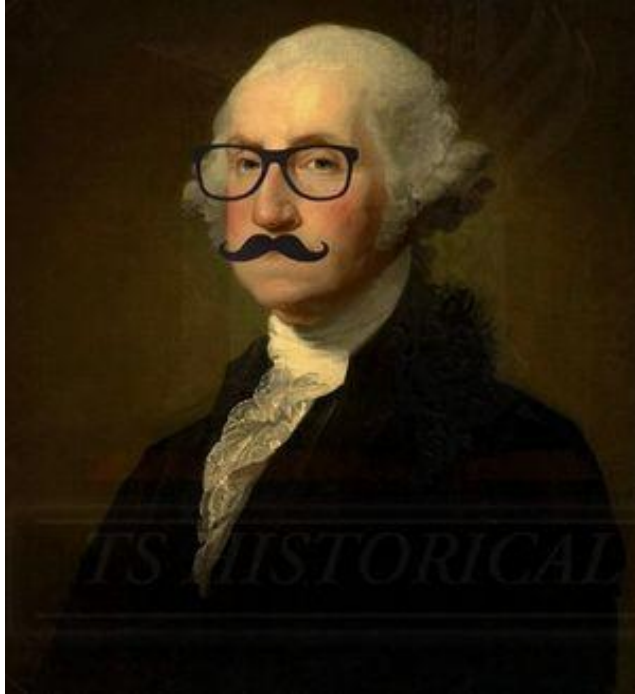
George Washington, Founding Father & 1st President of the United States

George Washington was the **Founding Father** & **1st President of the United States of America**. **George Washington** could not have dreamed of becoming **president of the United States of America**; that title did not exist then. George Washington was born on February 22, 1732, in **Westmoreland County**, **Virginia**, & Died on December 14, 1799, At **George Washington's [Mount Vernon](#)**, **Mount Vernon**, **VA**.

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## 2. Benjamin Franklin Founding Father of the United States

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Benjamin Franklin was an **American Statesman**, **Scientist**, **Writer**, **Printer**, and **one of the Founding Fathers of the United States of America**. Benjamin Franklin was born on 17 January 1705, in **Boston, Massachusetts**, & on 17 April 1790, in **Philadelphia**, **Pennsylvania**, United States.

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### 3. John Adams, Founding Father & 2nd President of the United States
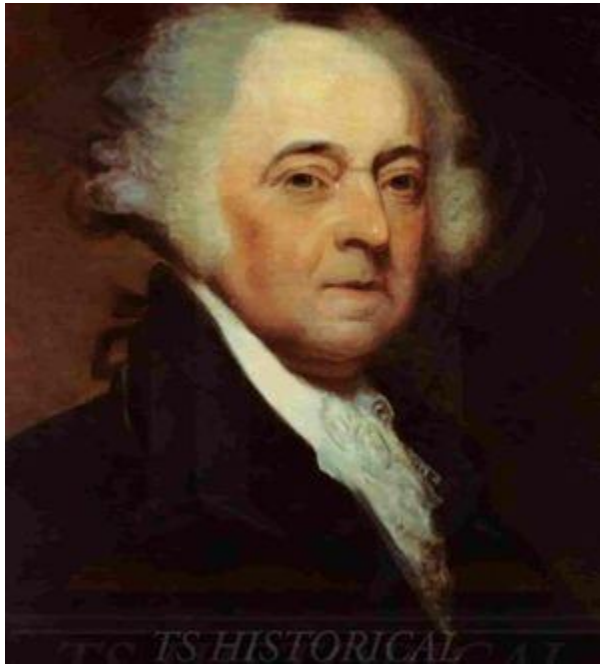
John Adams, Founding Father & 2nd President of the United States

John Adams was an **American statesman**, **lawyer, diplomat**, **author**, and **one of the Founding Fathers of the United States of America**. who lived from October 30, 1735, to July 4, 1826. From 1797 to 1801, he served as the nation's second president. John Adams was born on October 30, 1735, in **Braintree**, **Massachusetts Bay**, **British America** (now **Quincy**), & Died on July 4, 1826, (age 90), in **Quincy**, **Massachusetts**, **United States**.

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4. Thomas Jefferson, Founding Father & 3rd President of the United States
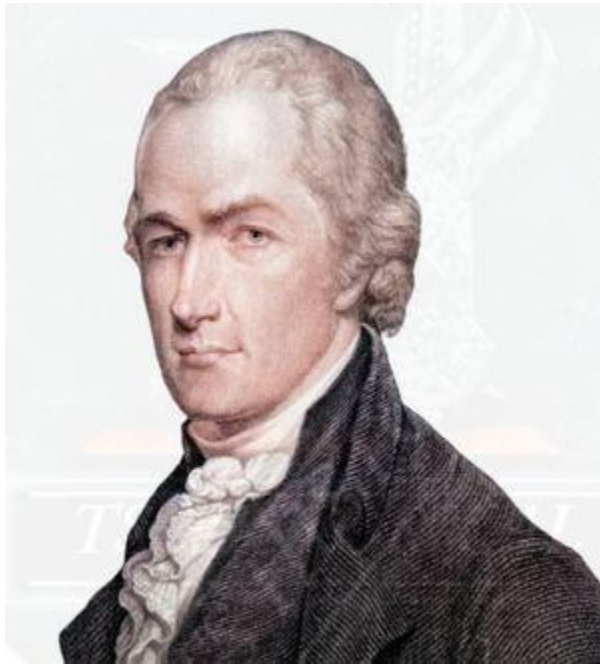

Alexander Hamilton, Founding Father of the United States of America

Alexander Hamilton was a political renegade and **one of the founding fathers of the United States**. In addition to founding the **Liberal Party**, the country's financial framework, the American Coast Service, and the New York Times daily, he was a significant defender and interpreter of the U.S. Constitution. Alexander Hamilton was born on January 11 in Charlestown, & Died on July 12, 1804, in Manhattan.

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5. James Madison Founding Father and 4th president of the United States of America
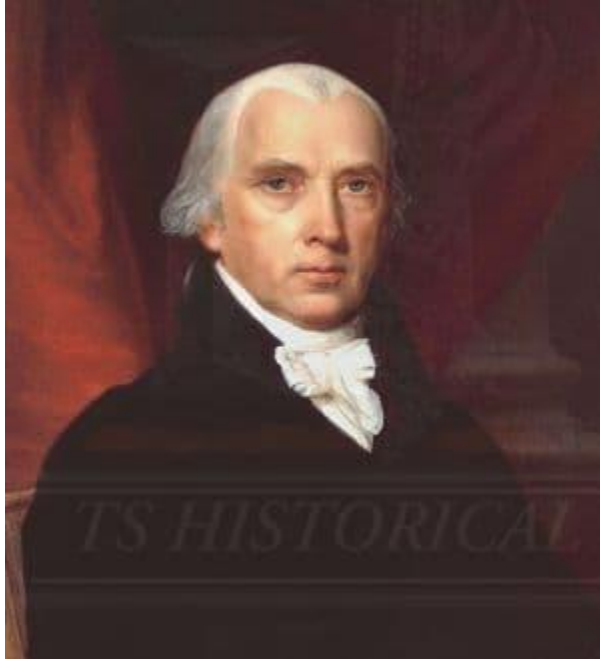
James Madison Founding Father and 4th president of the United States of America

James Madison was an **American Statesman**, **Diplomat**, **Founding Father**, and 4th president of the United States of America was born in **Port Conway**, **Virginia**, around March 16, 1751, and passed away in **Montpelier**, **Virginia**, on June 28, 1836. (1809–17).

See full Biography of James Madison

6. John Jay Founding Father of the United States

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John Jay was a **Founding Father of the United States** who served the new nation in both law and diplomacy. John Jay was born on Dec. 12, 1745, in **New York**, **United States** & died on May 17, 1829, in **Bedford**, **New York**, **United States**.

See full biography of John Jay

Faqs about the founding fathers of the united states

Who was the most important founding father?

George Washington was the most important founding father of the United States of America

Who was the 1st Founding Father?

George Washington was the 1st Founding Father of the United States of America.

Why are they called Founding Fathers?

The term "**Founding Fathers**" describes the men who helped found, or establish, the United States of America in the late 18th and early 19th centuries.

Is Abraham Lincoln A Founding Father?

Abraham Lincoln was not a **Founding Father of the United States of America.** He was the 16th President of the United States of America.