



The American presidents (John F. Kennedy and Thomas Jefferson)



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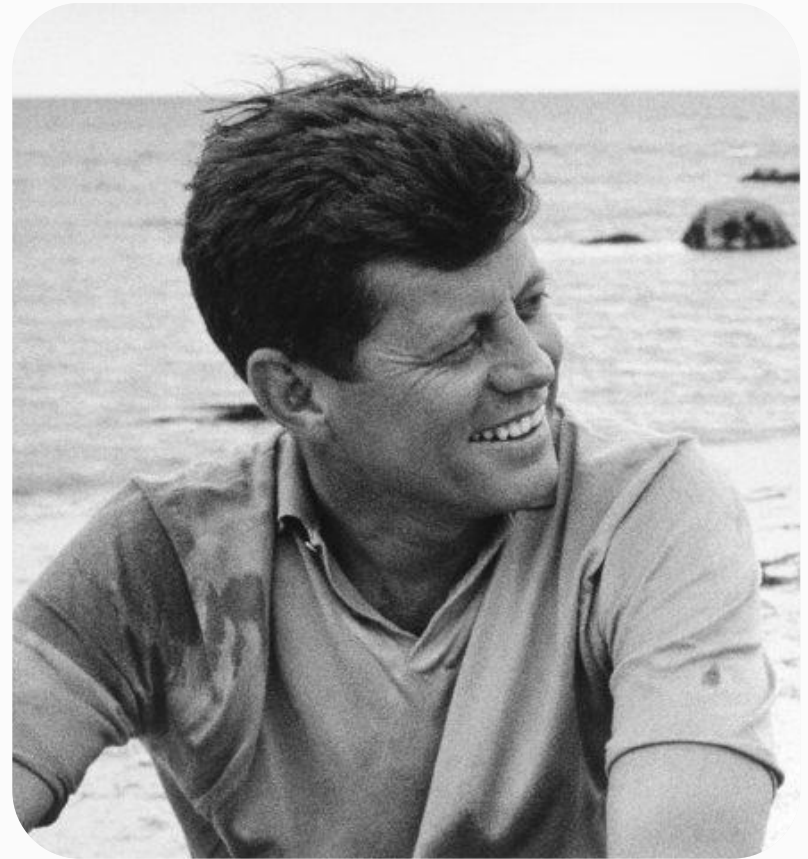
John Kennedy

(1917 — 1963)

the 35-th President
of the USA



- John F. Kennedy was the youngest man who has ever been elected President of the United States. His term ended after **two years and ten months** when he was ***shot to death*** in Dallas, Texas.



- John F. Kennedy was born on **May 29, 1917** in Brooklyn. Kennedy came from an Irish family that left Ireland during the 1840's . In America the Kennedys became rich and his father was a **politician** and millionaire.



1919

John (second from left), his younger sister Rosemary and older brother Joseph are watched over by their mother Rose.



- John had studied in London School of Economics, Harvard University.
- In 1940 Kennedy graduated from Harvard College.

*8 American presidents graduated from **Harvard***

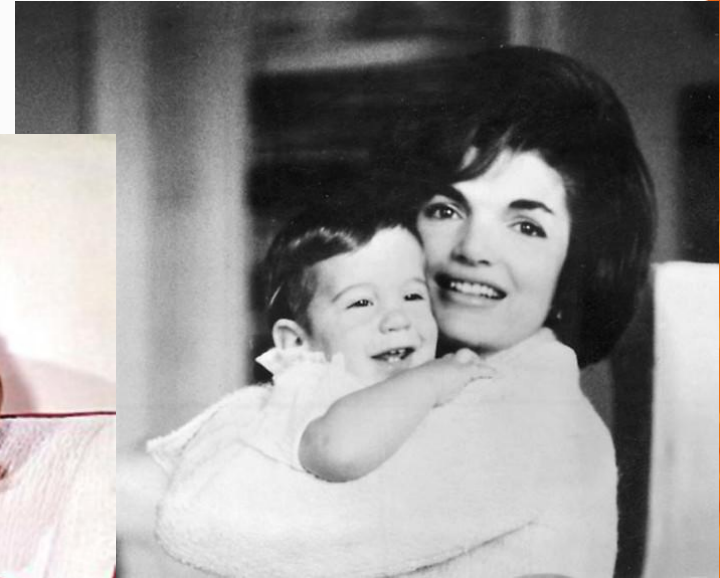
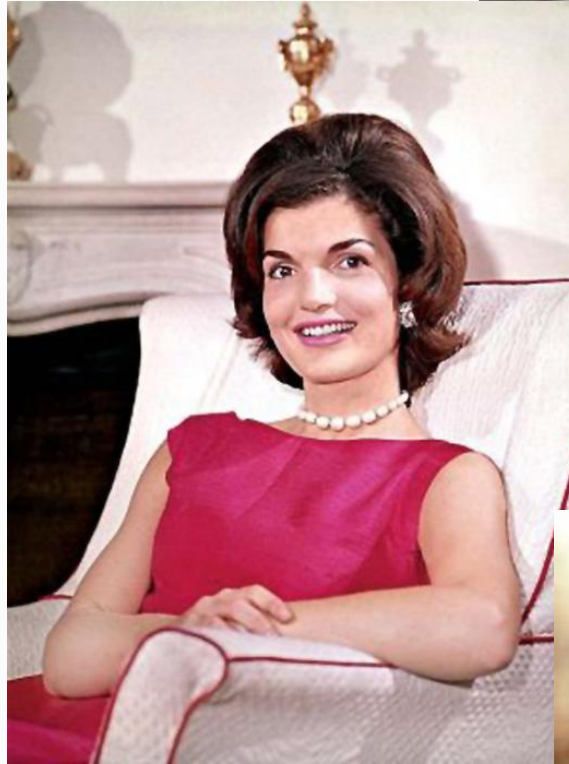




- In the **1940s** Kennedy's political **career** began.



- In 1953 Kennedy married Jacqueline Bouvier. They had 4 children but only 2 of them survived to adulthood - John Jr. and Caroline.



- On November 8, 1960 he won the election.



He was a young, **dynamic** American and he had an attractive wife, Jacqueline and people loved him.



- On November 22, 1963 he was assassinated in Texas. Bullets hit him in the back of the head. He was rushed to hospital but doctors couldn't save his life. Shortly afterwards he died and Vice President Johnson became the President.



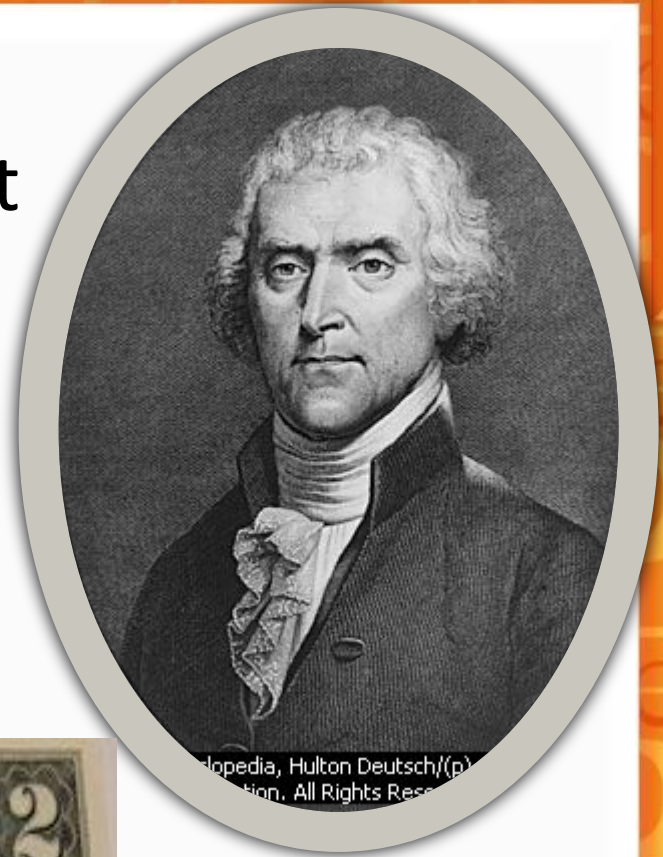


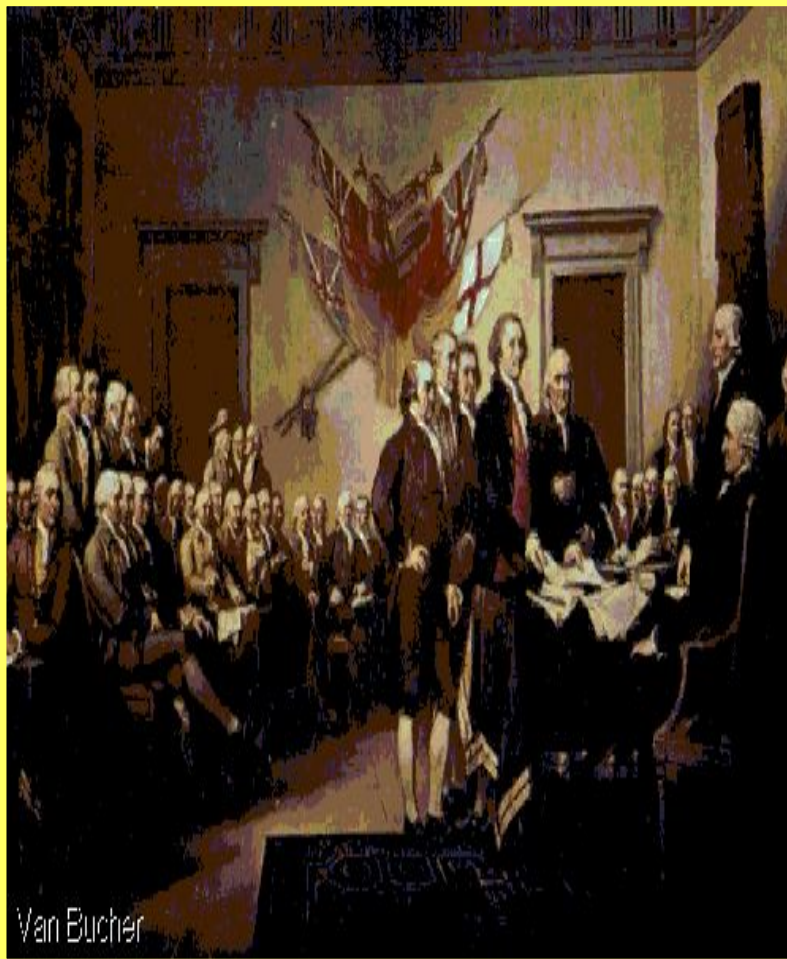
THOMAS JEFFERSON

AMERICAN PRESIDENT
(1743 - 1826)



- Thomas Jefferson one of the American President of the past was born in Virginia in 1743. When he was 14 years old, his father died and the young boy was left to choose for himself what to do.

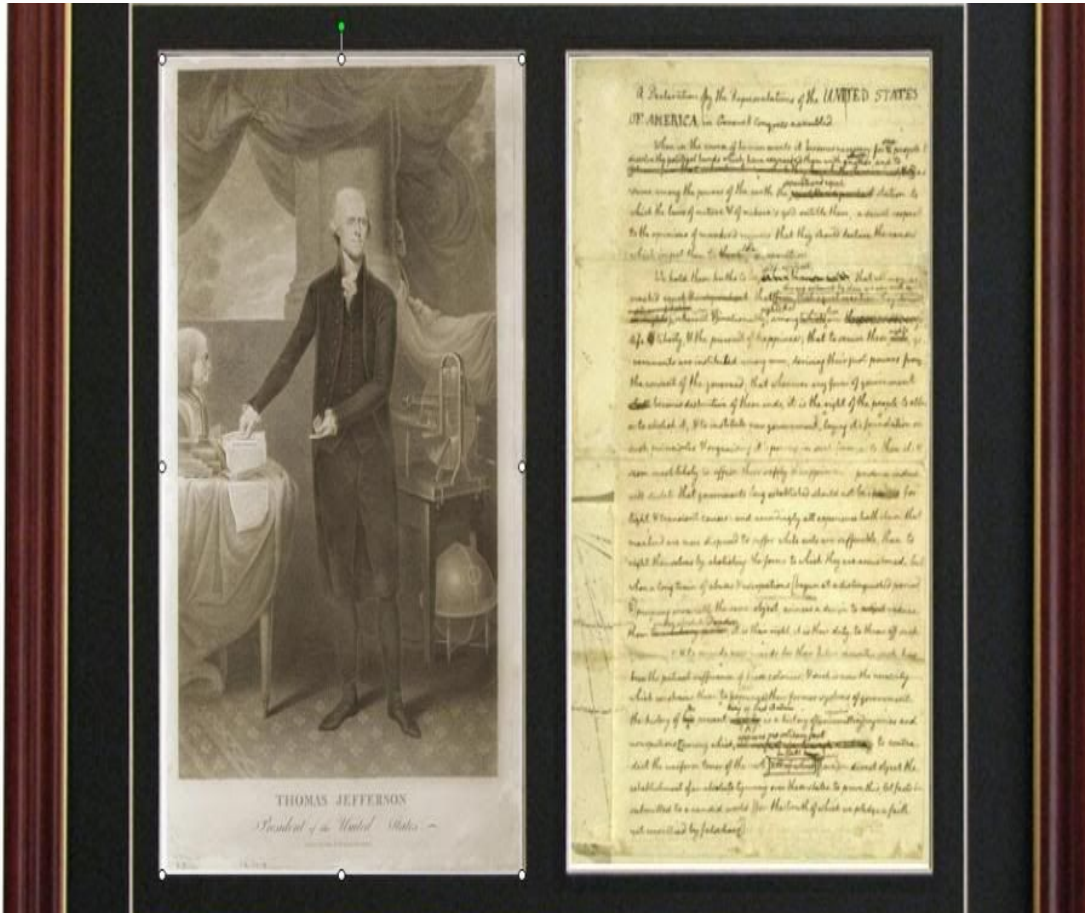




- Jefferson studied literature and languages. He also studied to be a lawyer, and later he wrote many of the Virginia laws. One of the laws for which he worked very much was a law to allow many children to go to school free. Schools in America were only for the children whose parents were rich. When Jefferson was still a young man he was one of those who wanted freedom from England.



He was sent to France as the foreign minister of the United States of America and afterwards was President's George Washington secretary of state. A few years later he became the country's third president, serving in this position for 2 terms.



The author of the Declaration of Independence did another important thing for the American people. He worked out a plan for a university where the students and teachers could live and work together in a settlement built for them.



He designed the Virginia State Capital Building. Thomas Jefferson did many useful things during his lifetime and he always thought of how to help ordinary people. Jefferson's best traditions have been kept up by American progressive people.





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