

John F. Kennedy

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THE 35 PRESIDENT

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A MAN WHO FOUGHT FOR FREEDOM AND FOSTERED REFORM

John F Kennedy's achievements

- John F. Kennedy was a political leader. In 1946, he was elected to the U.S. Congress, in 1943 he was elected to the U.S. Senate and finally, in 1960, he was elected as president of the United States of America.
- John F. Kennedy proved his scholastic skills by writing two books: Profiles in Courage, and Why England Slept. These books shared common aspirations.
- When John F. Kennedy joined the Navy in 1941, he was sent to battle on a boat called the "PT." While in battle the boat sunk, yet John managed to lead his crew to safety at a deserted island close by.
- Under Kennedy's leadership the United States of America signed a treaty with the Soviet Union outlawing nuclear bomb tests in 1963.
- John Kennedy took action when Martin Luther King was jailed in 1960. Kennedy also told the Mississippi Governor to allow James Meredith to register as the first black student at University of Mississippi, enforcing an end to segregation in 1962.

These and many other achievements helped bring freedom and equality to the American people.