



George W. Bush

43rd President

Born: July 6, 1946

Birthplace: New Haven, CT

Hometown: Austin, TX

Spouse: Laura Bush

Occupation: Businessman

Political Party: Republican

Term: 2001-2009

Vice President: Dick Cheney

George W. Bush was born July 6, 1946 and grew up in Midland and Houston, Texas. He received a bachelor's degree from Yale University and an MBA from Harvard Business School. He served as an F-102 pilot for the Texas Air National Guard. He began his career in the oil and gas business in Midland in 1975 and worked in the energy industry until 1986. After working on his father's 1988 presidential campaign, he assembled the group of partners that purchased the Texas Rangers baseball franchise in 1989.

He served as managing general partner of the Texas Rangers until he was elected governor on November 8, 1994.

President Bush has signed into law bold initiatives to improve public schools. He has signed tax relief. He has increased pay and benefits for America's military and is working to save and strengthen Social Security and Medicare.

The attacks of September 11th changed America - and in President Bush's words, "in our grief and anger we have found our mission and our moment." President Bush declared war against terror and has made victory in the war on terrorism and the advance of human freedom the priorities of his Administration.

President Bush and his wife, Laura, a former teacher and librarian, have grown twin daughters, Barbara and Jenna.