

- John James Audubon (1785-1851) Ornithologist, naturalist, and painter of birds
- Tom Brokaw (1940- ) Broadcast news anchor, journalist
- Mary Cassatt (1845-1926) American's most famous impressionist artist
- Claire Lee Chennault (1890-1958) Air Force general, Flying Tigers in WWII
- William Frederick Cody (1846-1917) Heroic Army scout, "Buffalo Bill" showman
- Davy Crockett (1786-1836) Battle of the Alamo hero
- Martha Dandridge Custis (1731-1802) 1st First Lady
- Richard Henry Dana (1815-1882) Author of *Two Years Before the Mast*
- Stephen Decatur (1779-1820) Heroic naval officer
- Johnny Depp (1963- ) American film actor
- George Dewey (1837-1917) Admiral in Spanish-American War
- John Foster Dulles (1888-1959) U. S. Secretary of State
- E.I. Du Pont (1771-1834) American industrialist
- Thomas Alva Edison (1847-1931) Inventor, especially electrical & communication devices
- Dwight David Eisenhower (1890-1969) WWII Commander of Allied Forces, 34th President
- Peter Faneuil (1700-1743) Built Faneuil Hall "Cradle of Freedom" in Boston
- Alexander Hamilton (1757-1804) 1st Secretary of the U.S. Treasury
- Julia Ward Howe (1819-1910) Author of "Battle Hymn of the Republic," social reformer
- Ulysses S. Grant (1822-1885) Civil War Commander of Union Forces, 18th President
- Angela & Sarah Grimke 19th century civil rights activists
- John Jay (1745-1829) 1st Chief Justice of the U.S. Supreme Court
- Robert E. Lee (1807-1870) Civil War Commander Confederate Army
- Brigadier General Andrew Lewis - (Oct. 9, 1720 - Sept. 26, 1781) Revolutionary War General and "Hero of the Point"
- Charles Lindbergh (1902-1974) Aviator who made 1st nonstop solo flight from NY to Paris
- Henry Wadsworth Longfellow (1807-82) Poet
- Peter Minuit (1580?-1638) 1st Deputy General of New Netherlands
- Joel Roberts Poinsett (1779 - 1851) Christmas flower named for him
- Henry Martin Robert (1837-1925) General who wrote *Robert's Rules of Order*
- John D. Rockefeller (1839-1937) U.S. industrialist and philanthropist
- Paul Revere (1735-1818) Gold & silversmith; Ride immortalized by Longfellow's poem
- Eleanor Roosevelt (1884-1962) Instrumental in U.N. *Declaration of Human Rights*; 1st Lady
- Franklin Delano Roosevelt (1882-1945) 26th President
- Theodore Roosevelt (1858-1919) 26th President
- Henry David Thoreau (1817-1862) Author of *Walden Pond*
- Charles Tiffany (1812-1908) Jeweler
- Harry S. Truman (1884-1972) 33rd President
- George Washington (1732-1799) Revolutionary War general and 1st President
- Thomas Lanier Williams (1911-1983) Tennessee Williams, major American playwright