

# Such a Cloud of Witnesses

## *"Stories of American Christians"*

Temple Baptist Church  
November 22, 2020





January 1, 1863





# September 1864-1875

Giles and Mary

Uncle Moses &  
Aunt Susan  
Carver





# Acts 16:30-31

30 And brought them out, and said, Sirs, **what must I do to be saved?**

31 And they said, **Believe on the Lord Jesus Christ, and thou shalt be saved,** and thy house.

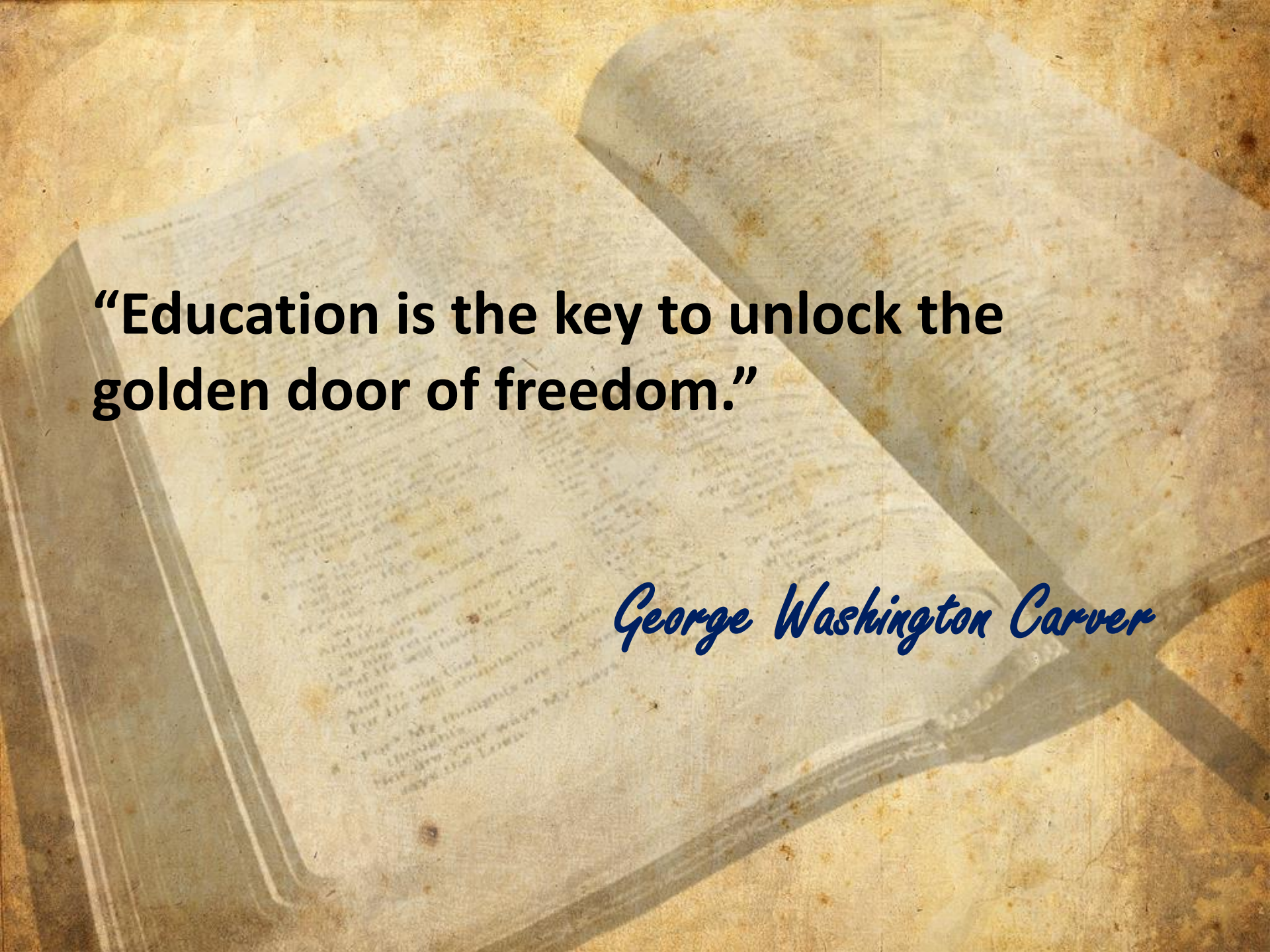
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# George Washington Carver





**“Education is the key to unlock the  
golden door of freedom.”**

*George Washington Carver*

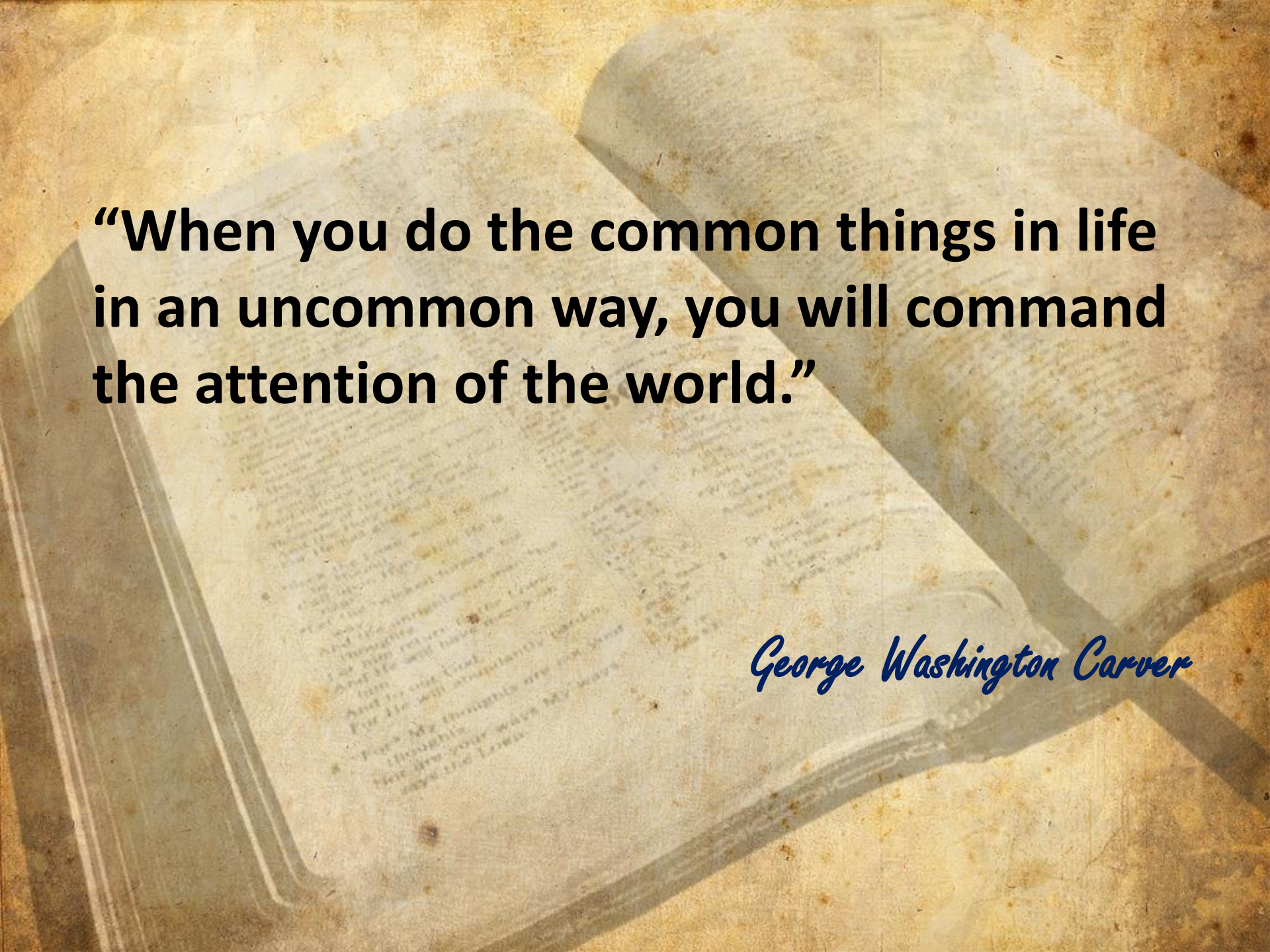


# January 1875-1878

Andrew &  
Mariah  
Watkins





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**“When you do the common things in life  
in an uncommon way, you will command  
the attention of the world.”**

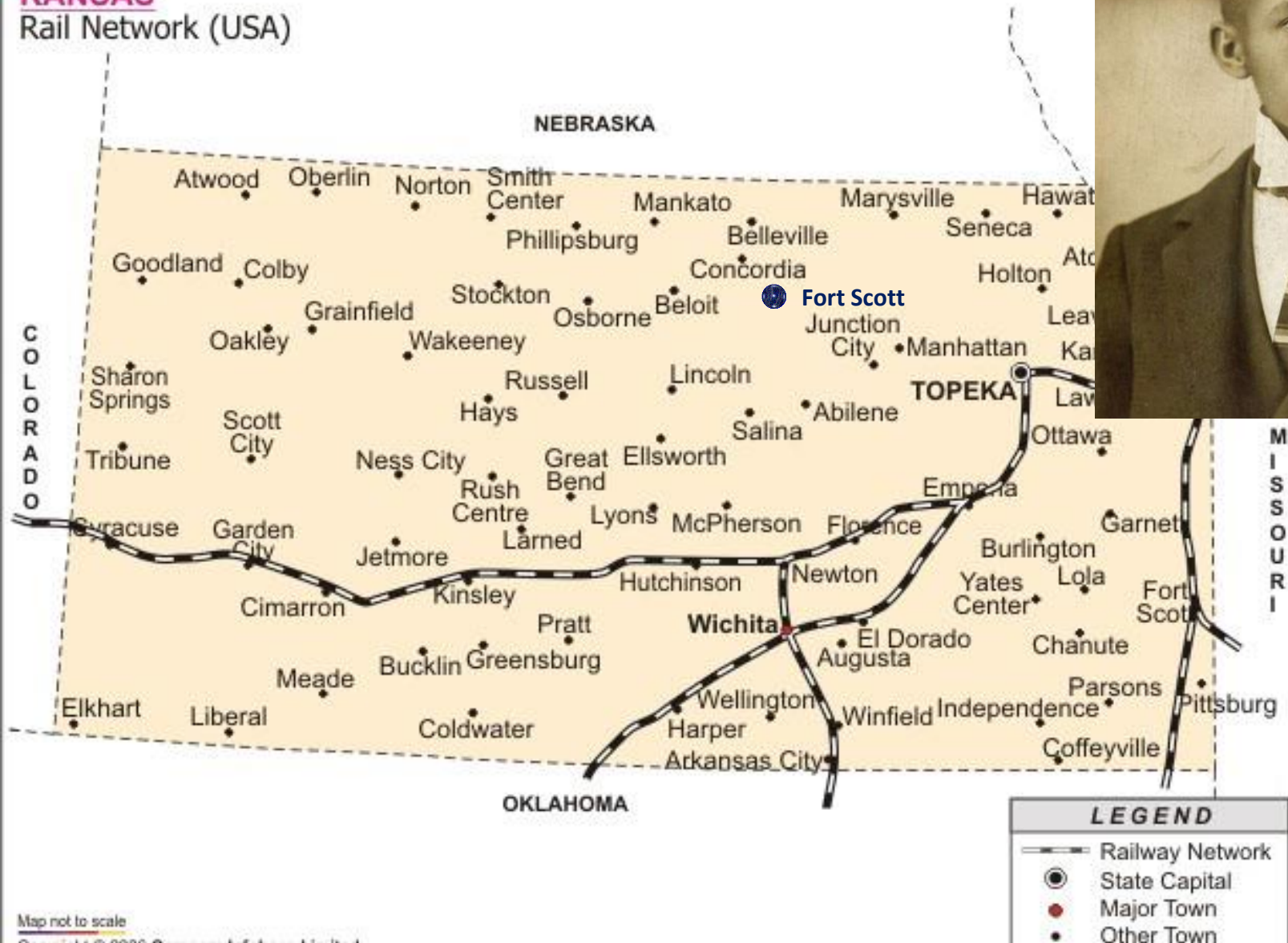
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1878-79



## KANSAS Rail Network (USA)





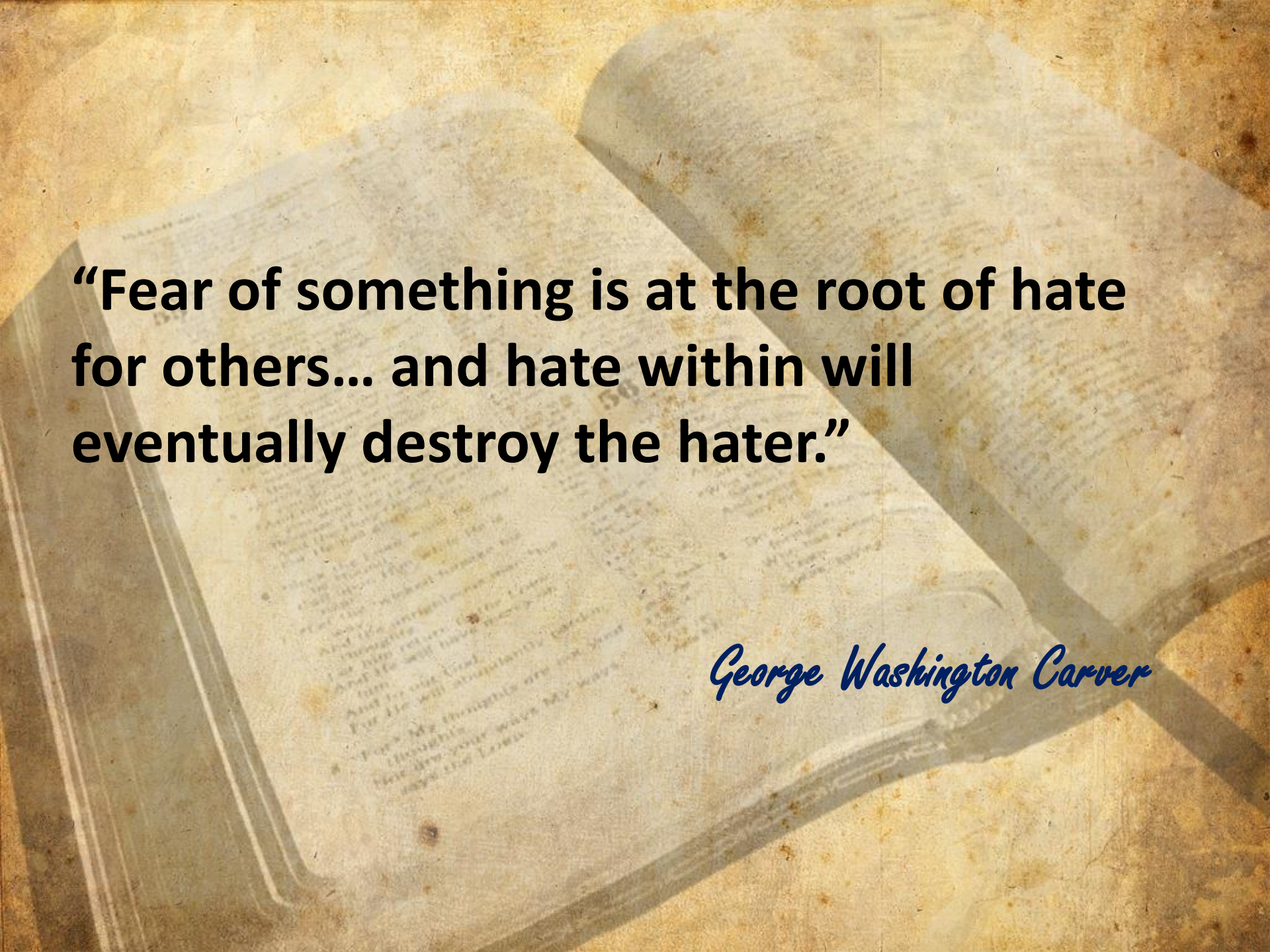
## **Matt 5:43-48**

**44 But I say unto you, Love your enemies**, bless them that curse you, do good to them that hate you, and pray for them which despitefully use you, and persecute you;

**45 That ye may be the children of your Father** which is in heaven: for he maketh his sun to rise on the evil and on the good, and sendeth rain on the just and on the unjust.

**48 Be ye therefore perfect, even as your Father which is in heaven is perfect.**



An open, antique book with yellowed, stained pages is shown from a high angle. The book is open to two pages, with the left page showing some faint, illegible text. A quote is overlaid on the left page in a bold, black, sans-serif font. The right page is mostly blank, with some faint, illegible text visible near the bottom. The background is a textured, mottled brown color.

**“Fear of something is at the root of hate  
for others... and hate within will  
eventually destroy the hater.”**

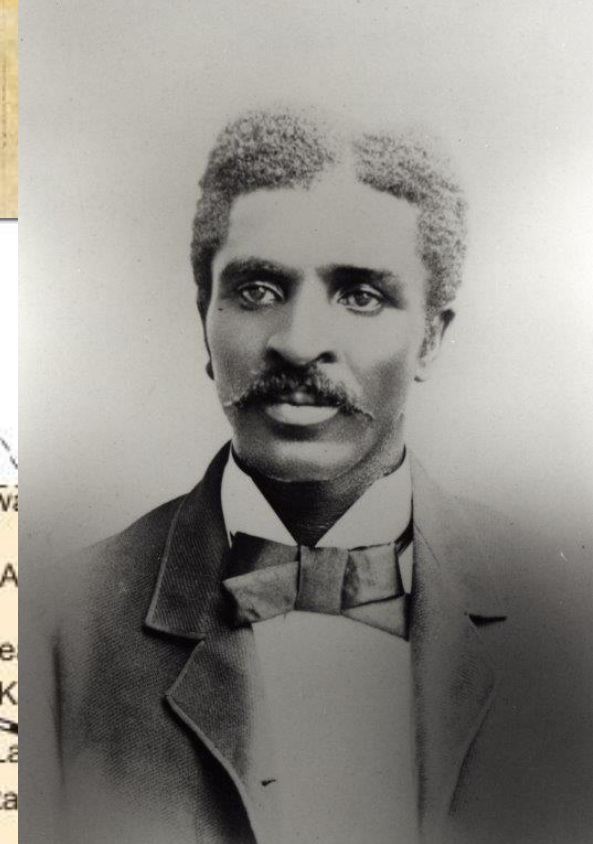
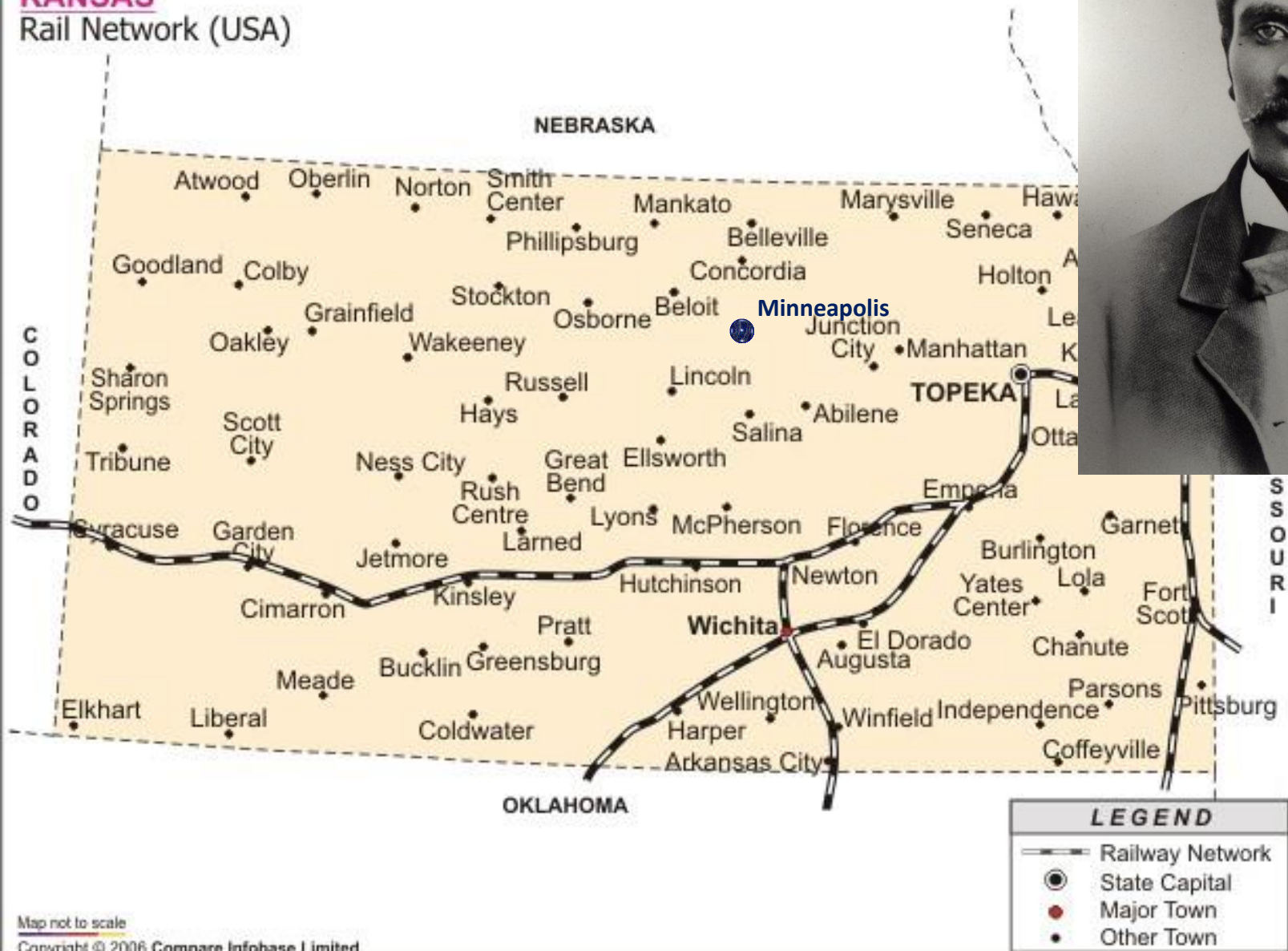
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# 1879-1885

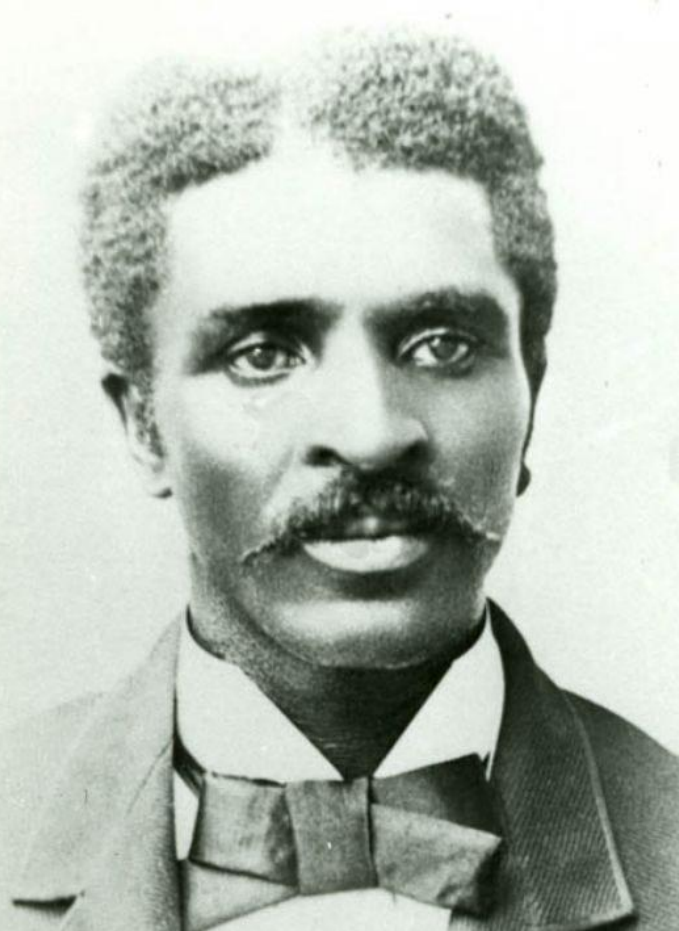
## KANSAS

### Rail Network (USA)





## Simpson College



1891-1891



## Iowa State Agricultural College



1891-1896



# Scientist - Artist First





1896



**Booker T. Washington**





# Fellow Professors





# Tuskegee Institute 1896 - 1943





# Tuskegee Institute 1896 - 1943



**Knowledge – Government - Deeds**



# 1 Tim 2:1-4

2 I exhort therefore, that, first of all, supplications, prayers, intercessions, and giving of thanks, **be made for all men;**

2 **For kings, and for all that are in authority;** that we may lead a quiet and peaceable life in all godliness and honesty.

3 **For this is good and acceptable in the sight of God our Saviour;**

4 **Who will have all men to be saved,** and to come unto the knowledge of the truth.



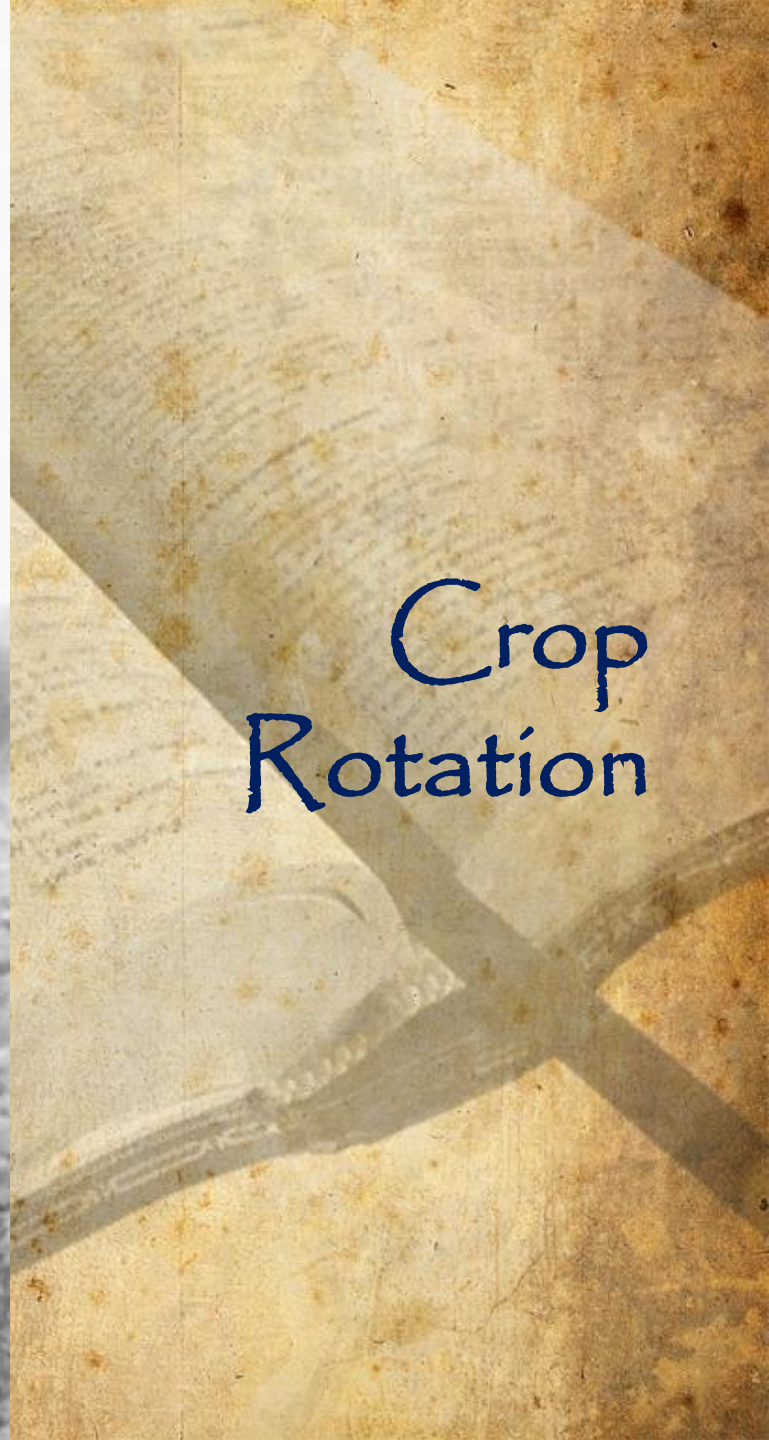
# George Washington Carver's Eight Virtues

- ❖ Be clean both inside and out.
- ❖ Look not up to the rich or down to the poor.
- ❖ Lose, if need be, without squealing.
- ❖ Win without bragging.
- ❖ Always be considerate of women, children, and older people.
- ❖ Be too brave to lie.
- ❖ Be too generous to cheat.
- ❖ Take your share of the world and let others take theirs.









# Crop Rotation



# Jesup Wagon







Peanuts





Research  
Lab  
300 Products



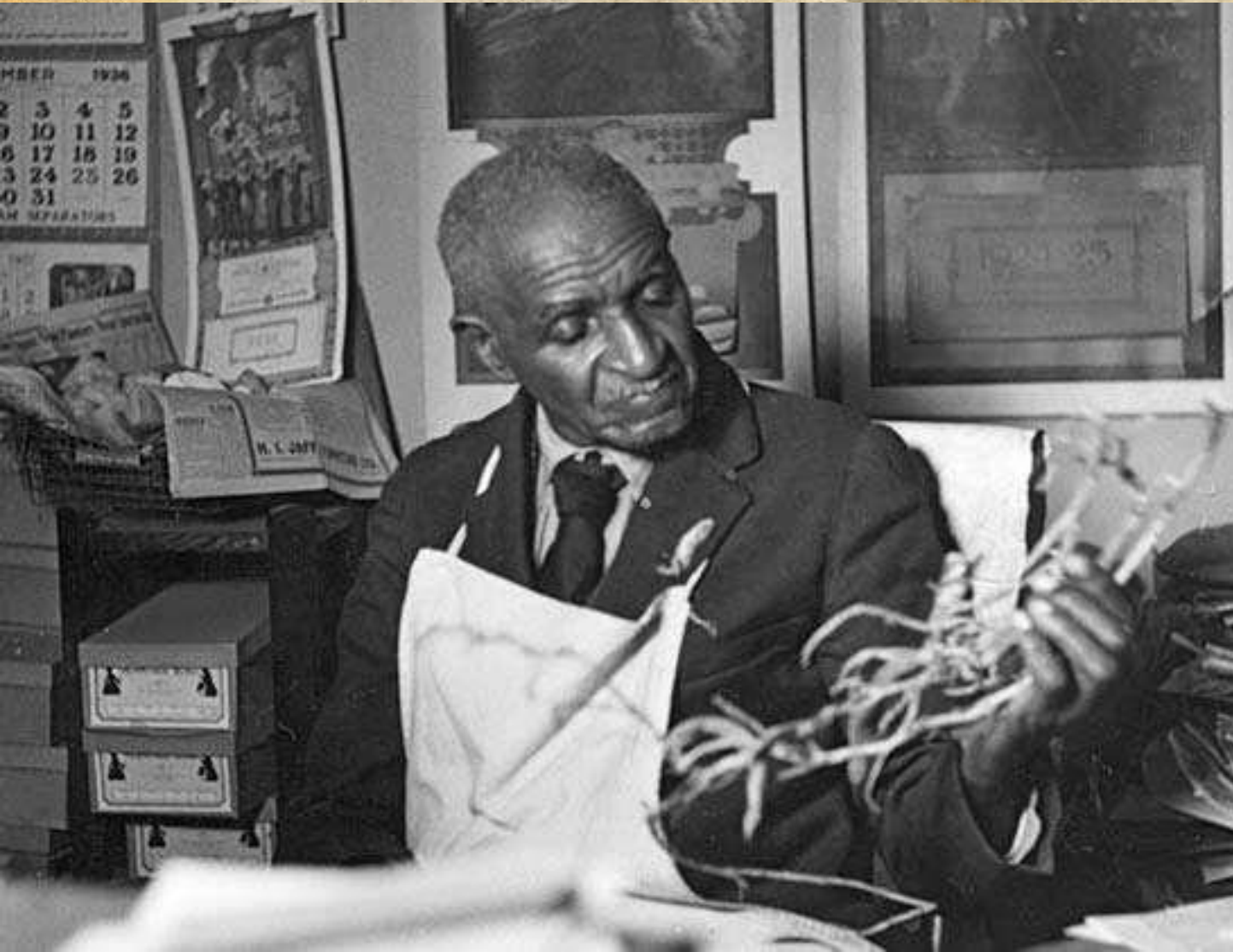
# Sweet Potatoes





# Research Lab

## 118 Products





# George Washington Carver





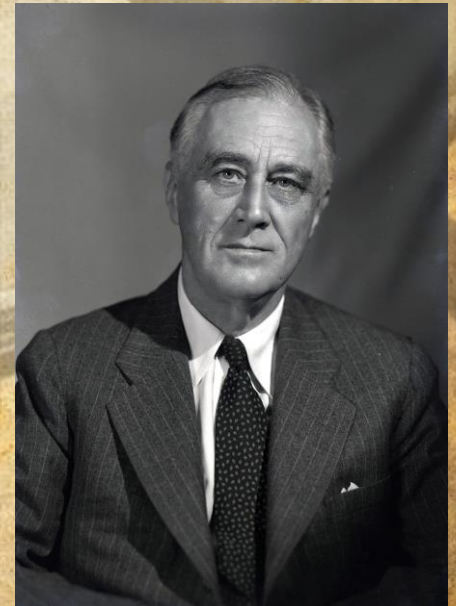
# Research Lab







Friend to **All**





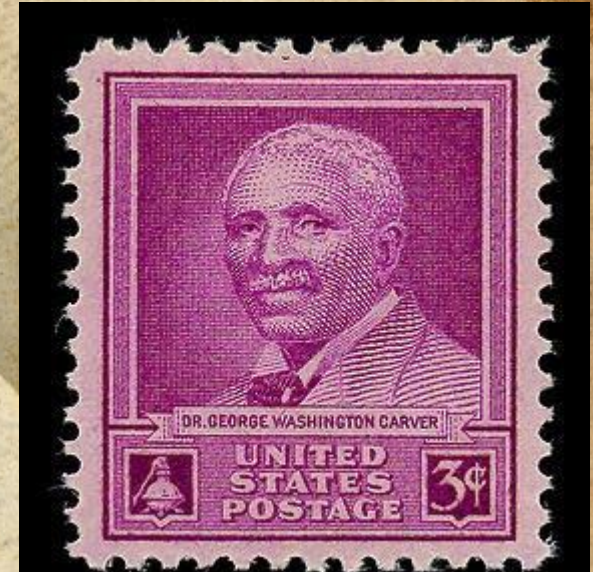
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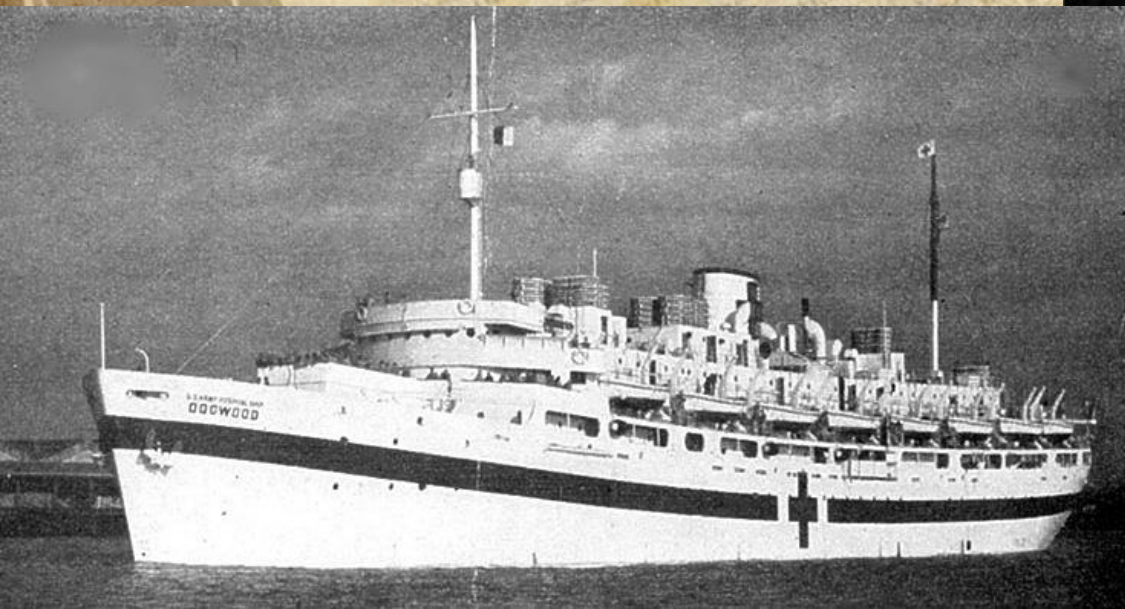
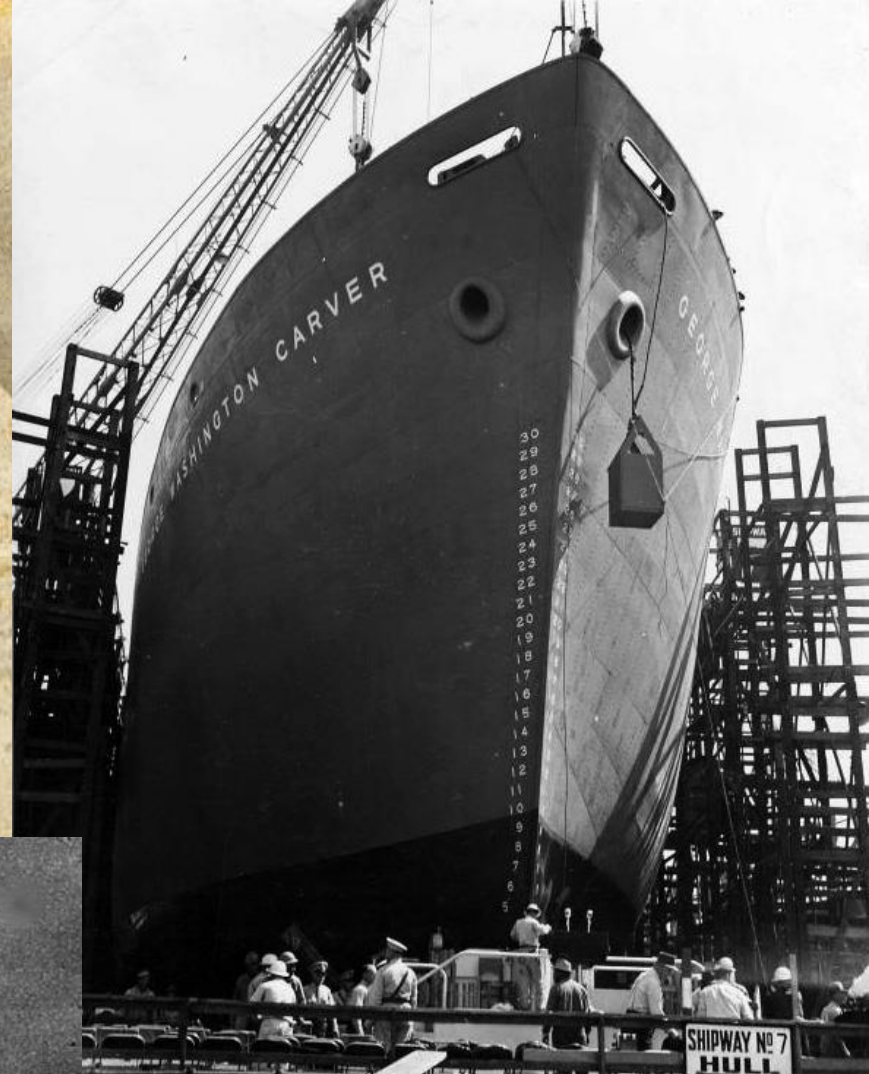
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## January 5, 1943



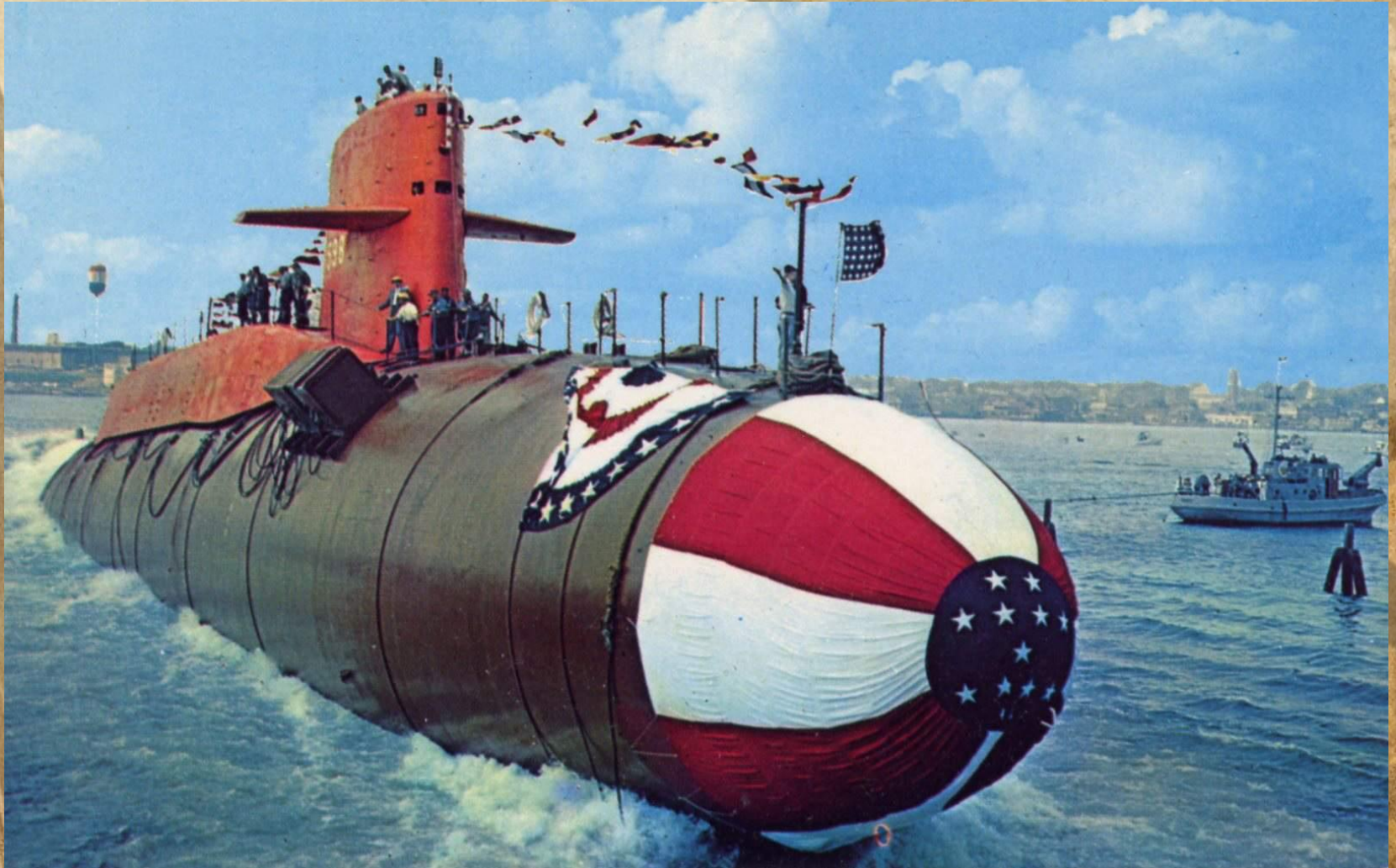


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# USS George Washington Carver SSBN-656



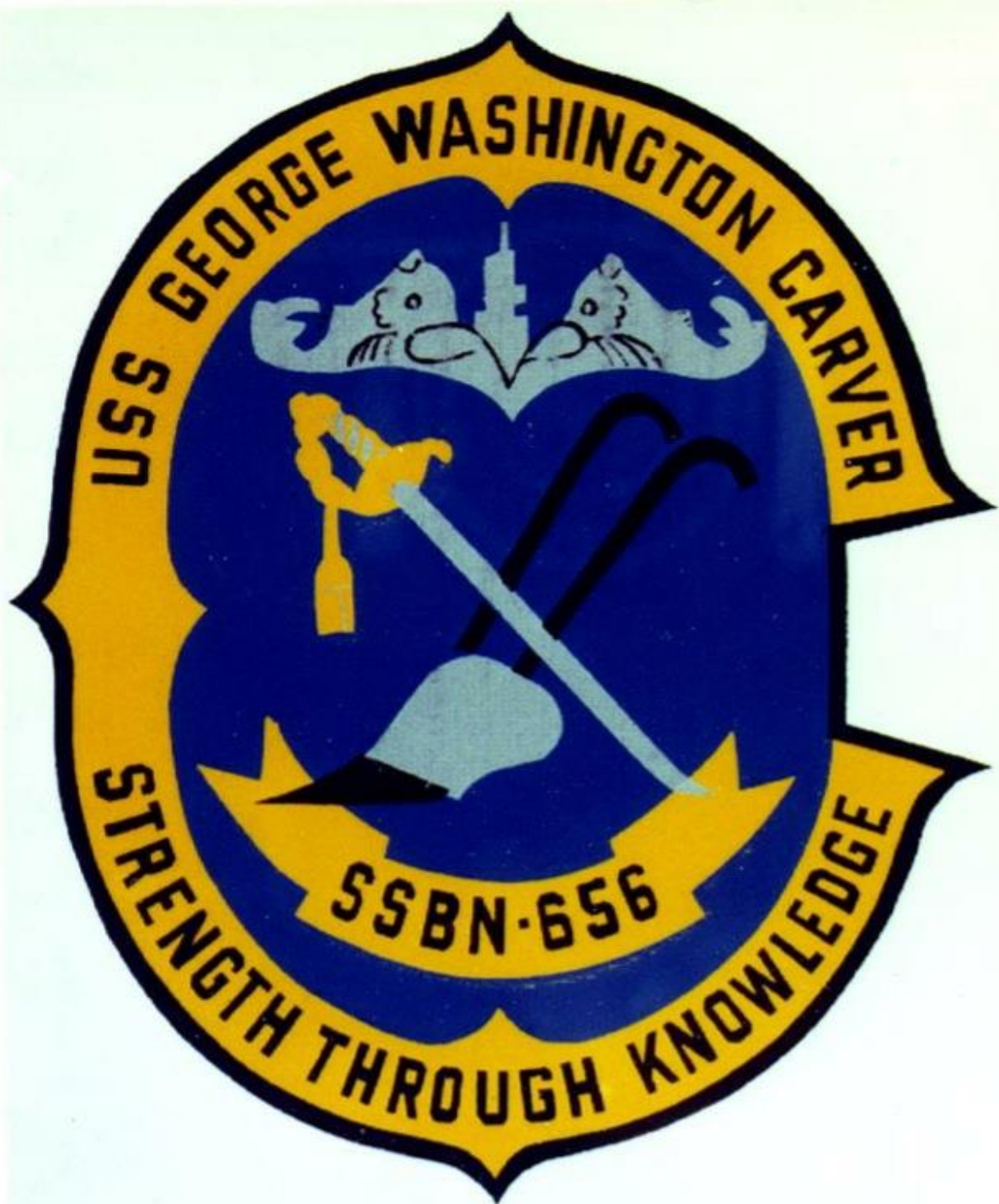


# USS George Washington Carver SSBN-656





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George  
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Carver  
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## **Gal 6:9-10**

**9 And let us not be weary in well doing:  
for in due season we shall reap, if we faint  
not.**

**10 As we have therefore opportunity, **let  
us do good unto all men**, especially unto  
them who are of the household of faith.**





**“I have the Honor to  
present not a man only,  
but a life, transfused  
with passion for the  
enlarging and enriching  
of the living of his  
fellowman.”**

*Theodore Roosevelt*



**“How far you go in life depends on your being tender with the young, compassionate with the aged, sympathetic with the striving and tolerant of the weak and strong. Because someday in your life you will have been all of these.”**

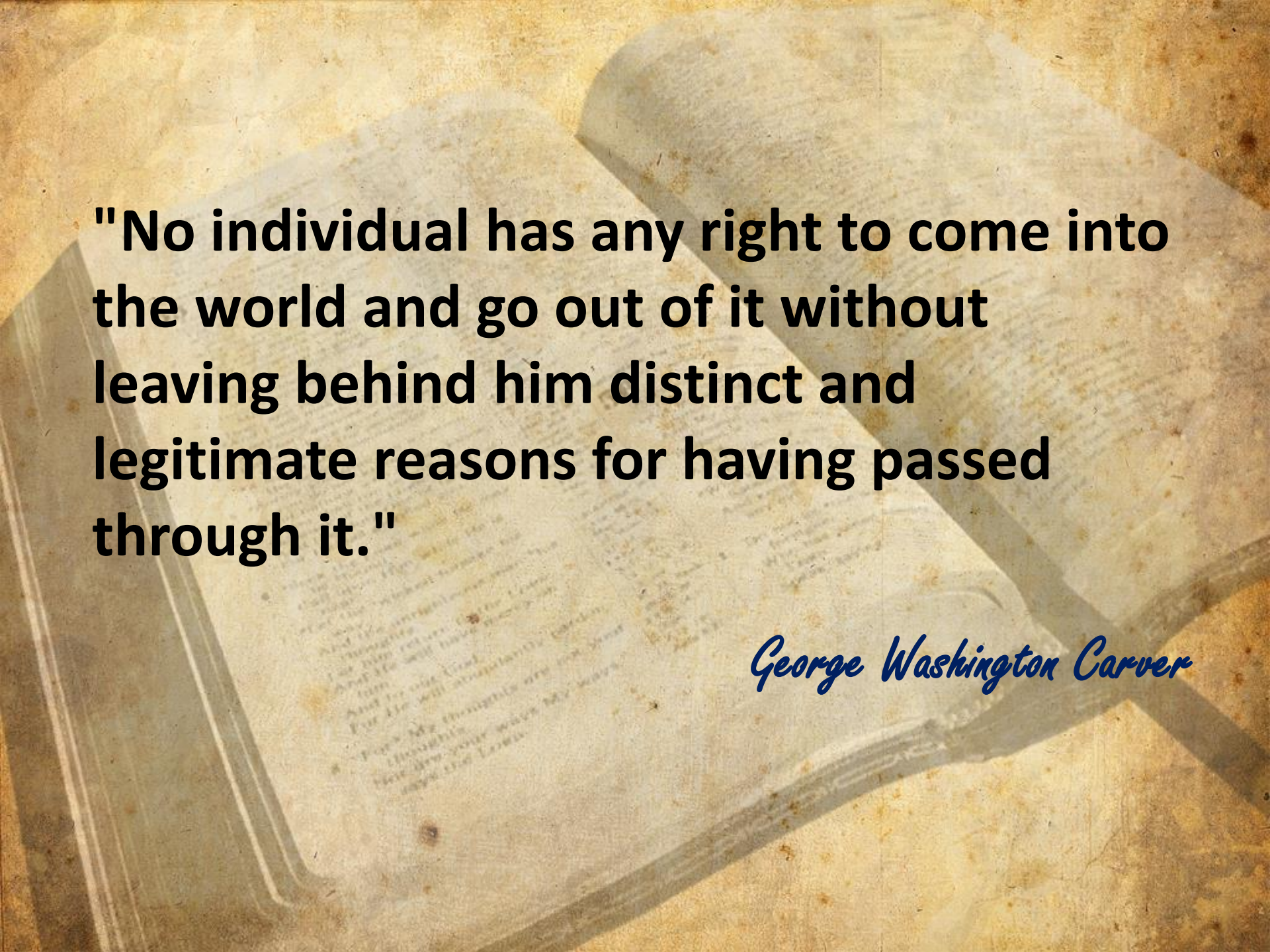
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Washington  
Carver







**"No individual has any right to come into the world and go out of it without leaving behind him distinct and legitimate reasons for having passed through it."**

*George Washington Carver*