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| **Clara Barton**  **1812-1912**  **HUMANITARIAN AND FOUNDER OF THE RED CROSS**  Barton was one of America's greatest humanitarians, a nurse during the Civil War who became president of the Red Cross. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\717DCFDF.tmp |
| **Susan Solomon**  **1956-**  **ATMOSPHERIC SCIENTIST**  A senior scientist at the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration, she helped determine what caused the hole in the ozone layer. Her work led to the global ban on chemicals like the propellants in old-style aerosol cans. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\A4A3C445.tmp |
| **Meryl Streep**  **1949-**  **ACTRESS**  By inhabiting completely and compellingly an amazing array of fascinating women, she's not only enlarged our world, but redefined excellence in a manner as entertaining as it is exhilarating. | Slikovni rezultat za meryl streep |
| **Janet Guthrie**  **1938-**  **RACE CAR DRIVER**  Guthrie was the first woman to qualify and compete in the Daytona 500 in 1976 and the Indianapolis 500 in 1977. She is tied with Danica Patrick for the best finish by a woman in a top-tier NASCAR race. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\72FAB0E0.tmp |
| **Valentina Tereshkova**  **1937-**  **COSMONAUT**  Tereshkova was the first woman to go to space, in 1963. She is now a retired cosmonaut, engineer, and politician with numerous awards and honors. | Slikovni rezultat za valentina tereshkova |
| **Gloria Steinem**  **1934-**  **JOURNALIST AND POLITICAL ACTIVIST**  Known as one of today's most fascinating and influential women from her leadership in the '60s and '70s feminist movement, this famed female is still making history today. | Slikovni rezultat za gloria steinem |
| **Toni Morrison**  **1931-  NOVELIST**  The first African American to win the Nobel Prize for Literature; winner of the Pulitzer Prize. Her [enthralling books](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/entertainment/g4642/books-read-before-you-die/) illuminate the mysteries of the human heart and unflinchingly take on the toughest issues. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\96131C2C.tmp |
| **Maya Angelou**  **1928-2014**  **POET, SINGER, AND CIVIL RIGHTS ACTIVIST**  Angelou was an iconic creative and activist who is best known for her influential series of autobiographies. She was also a leading force within the Civil Rights Movement alongside Martin Luther King, Jr. and Malcom X. | Slikovni rezultat za maya angelou |
| **Helen Gurley Brown**  **1922-2012**  **EDITOR AND SEXUAL REVOLUTIONARY**  Author of the 1962 mega best-seller [*Sex and the Single Girl*](https://www.amazon.com/Single-Girl-Helen-Gurley-Brown/dp/B000Q3YP8Y)and editor of *Cosmopolitan* for 32 years, she was an outspoken advocate for women's sexual freedom long before the idea went mainstream. |  |
| **Rosalind Franklin**  **1920 -1958  BIOPHYSICIST**  She discovered proof of the double-helix structure of DNA before the men credited with doing so, Francis Crick, James Watson, and Maurice Wilkins; their work was based in part on her data. They won a Nobel Prize; she died in obscurity at 37. Her full contribution wasn't acknowledged until years later. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\4C16E053.tmp |
| **Katharine Hepburn**  **1907-2003  ACTRESS**  Those cheekbones, those trousers, those four [Best Actress Oscars](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/beauty/fashion/g3310/best-actresses-winners-in-oscars-history-photos/) (still a record). Most of all, that insistence upon Yankee self-reliance and gumption. We needed to see what casual confidence and no-nonsense independence looked like on a giant silver screen. | Slikovni rezultat za katharine hepburn |
| **Jacqueline Cochran**  **1906-1980**  **PIONEERING PILOT**  The first woman to break the sound barrier, she might have been the first woman astronaut — but apparently NASA wasn't ready: Thirteen women, including Cochran, were invited to train, then disinvited in 1961 (though some outperformed male trainees). | Slikovni rezultat za jacqueline cochran |
| **Amelia Earhart**  **1897-1939**  **AMERICAN AVIATOR**  Amelia Mary Earhart took women's accomplishments to new heights — literally! Earhart not only was the first female aviator to fly alone across the Atlantic Ocean, but she was an author and also visiting teacher at Purdue University. She won a multitude of prestigious awards, namely the U.S. Distinguished Flying Cross. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\7635C14F.tmp |
| **Virginia Woolf**  **1882-1941**  **NOVELIST AND ESSAYIST**  She's known not just for being an important and inventive novelist, but for reminding us, in [*A Room of One's Own*](https://www.amazon.com/Room-Ones-Own-Virginia-Woolf/dp/1614272778), of what remarkable things women might have written throughout history if they hadn't been too burdened by household chores and society's restrictions. | Slikovni rezultat za virginia woolf |
| **Georgia O'Keefe**  **1887-1986**  **ARTIST**  With a life that was just as captivating as her art, O'Keeffe broke the all rules for female artists of her time. | Slikovni rezultat za georgia o keeffe |
| **Margaret Sanger**  **1879-1966**  **BIRTH-CONTROL ADVOCATE**  Sanger founded the American Birth Control League, which became [Planned Parenthood](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/health/news/a40570/kyleena-iud-facts/). The sixth of 11 children — she felt that frequent pregnancies hastened her mother's early death — Sanger worked to give us control over the means of reproduction. | Slikovni rezultat za margaret sanger |
| **Helen Keller**  **1880-1968**  **WRITER, LECTURER, HUMAN RIGHTS CAMPAIGNER, PACIFIST**  Rendered blind and deaf by a childhood illness, [Keller was freed](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/inspirational-stories/g488/facts-about-helen-keller/) from her isolation by the extraordinary efforts of her dedicated teacher, **Anne Sullivan** (1866-1936), who suffered from impaired vision herself. Keller, the first deaf-blind person to earn a college degree, changed forever our ideas about what disabled people could accomplish. |  |
| **Nellie Bly**  **1864-1922  REPORTER**  The nom de plume of reporter Elizabeth Cochrane Seaman, who got herself committed to an insane asylum to expose horrendous conditions, zipped around the globe, and covered WWI. Her probing and poking spurred official action, and her bold dispatches inspired budding girl writers. | Slikovni rezultat za nellie bly |
| **Annie Oakley**  **1860-1926  SHARPSHOOTER**  Phoebe Ann Mosey joined Buffalo Bill's Wild West show in 1885, the same year *Good Housekeeping* was launched. She was a staunch supporter of [women's rights](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/parenting/a33000/lessons-mom-should-teach-daughter/), and female fans were tickled that she'd met her husband by beating him in a shooting match: Anything he could do, she could do better. | Slikovni rezultat za annie oakley |
| **Mother Jones**  **1837-1930**  **LABOR LEADER**  Mary Harris Jones, assailed in Congress as "the grandmother of all agitators," and hailed as "the miner's angel" by workers, fought against child labor and for decent conditions, fair pay, and safety in the workplace. | Slikovni rezultat za mother jones |
| **Jane Addams**  **1860-1935  SOCIAL REFORMER, NOBEL PEACE PRIZE WINNER**  Social worker, miracle worker: The settlement house system she brought to the U.S. offered sustenance, safety, and services to thousands of the nation's underprivileged. | Slikovni rezultat za jane addams |
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| **Diana, Princess of Wales**  **1961-1997**  **ROYAL AND HUMANITARIAN**  Her legacy of charm and charity endures, especially her campaigns for acceptance of [AIDS victims](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/entertainment/news/a39162/prince-harry-princess-diana-aids/) and against land mines. We remember most the uniting effect of the world's mourning after her sudden and shocking death. | Slikovni rezultat za diana princess of wales |
| **Sally Ride**  **1951-2012**  **ASTRONAUT AND ASTROPHYSICIST**  The first American woman — finally — in space, 1983. Overall, Ride was the third woman in space after USSR. At the age of 32, she remains the youngest American astronaut to have travelled to space. | C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\63517B4A.tmp |
| **Jane Goodall**  **1934-**  **PRIMATOLOGIST AND CONSERVATIONIST**  Fifty years ago she began studying chimpanzee families at the Gombe Stream National Park in Tanzania — and in the process taught us much about our own. Roots & Shoots, her environmental organization for kids, has tens of thousands of participants — a new generation ready to protect wild things and their habitats. | Slikovni rezultat za jane goodall |
| **Wilma Rudolph**  **1940 -1994**  **OLYMPIAN**  Rudolph was the first American woman to win three gold medals in track and field at a single Olympics. Read her dramatic [autobiography](https://www.amazon.com/Wilma-Rudolph-Biography-Greenwood-Biographies/dp/0313333076) about how she excelled to [Olympic greatness](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/entertainment/news/g5133/winter-olympics-weekend-recap/). | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\D2A968C9.tmp** |
| **Madeline Albright**  **1937-**  **FORMER SECRETARY OF STATE**  She became the female Secretary of State, in 1996. Albright currently serves as the chair of Albright Stonebridge Group and as a professor at Georgetown University. In 2012, she was awarded the Presidential Medal of Freedom by U.S. President Barack Obama. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\EE8FCEBF.tmp** |
| **Billie Jean King**  **1943-**  **TENNIS CHAMPION**  Winner of 39 Grand Slams (singles, doubles, and mixed doubles), founder of the Women's Sports Foundation — and trouncer of Bobby Riggs in 1973's "Battle of the Sexes." | Slikovni rezultat za billie jean king |
| **Barbara Walters**  **1929-**  **TV NEWSWOMAN**  The first woman to co-anchor a network's nightly news (and earn an unprecedented $1 million a year for it), she's grilled the world's most intriguing people on our behalf. And hey — it was [Katharine Hepburn](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/entertainment/g3558/katharine-hepburn-quotes/) who first mentioned that tree thing; Walters was just following up. | Slikovni rezultat za barbara walters |
| **Margaret Thatcher**  **1925-**  **FIRST FEMALE PRIME MINISTER OF BRITAIN**  Hearing the Iron Lady talk tough inspired us to stay strong too — whether we agreed with her or not. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\18E4407B.tmp** |
| **Marion Donovan**  **1917-1998**  **INVENTOR**  Donovan came up with the prototype for the disposable diaper in the 1950s; others patented and marketed the idea. The environmentalist in us frowns; the mom in us weeps with gratitude. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\9DDC2B41.tmp** |
| **Gertrude Belle Elion**  **1918-1999  MEDICAL RESEARCHER**  Thousands of cancer patients have been given a second chance because of her: This Nobel Prize-winning research scientist co-developed two drugs that fought leukaemia. In1957, she developed the first immunosuppressant agent, a development that made it possible to transplant organs. | Slikovni rezultat za gertrude belle elion |
| **Grace Murray Hopper**  **1906-1992  COMPUTER-LANGUAGE CREATOR**  One of the first women in the Navy to attain the rank of rear admiral, Hopper was a math whiz and a founding mother of [computer languages](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/institute/a34737/introduce-kids-to-coding/); her focus was on making them more accessible to programmers. Your swift, snazzy software exists because of her. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\56B0798C.tmp** |
| **Caresse Crosby**  **1891-1970**  **INVENTOR**  Crosby came up with the first [modern bra](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/home/cleaning/tips/a32516/how-often-to-wash-bra/), patented in 1914. Her real name was Mary Phelps Jacob, and she was also a publisher. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\D0E7F37A.tmp** |
| **Marian Anderson**  **1897-1993**  **SINGER**  In 1939, the DAR refused to let Anderson sing in DC's Constitution Hall because she was black. First Lady Eleanor Roosevelt resigned from the DAR, and her husband's administration arranged an outdoor concert at the Lincoln Memorial for a crowd of 75,000 and millions of radio listeners. Anderson was the first African American to sing with the Metropolitan Opera, and in 1958 became a delegate to the United Nations. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\7D68F998.tmp** |
| **Coco Chanel**  **1883-1971  DESIGNER**  Her personal life was complicated, her design credo simple and elegant: "Fashion fades; only style remains the same," she said. *Merci*for the [little black dress](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/beauty/fashion/tips/g979/iconic-little-black-dresses/), the classy suit, No. 5, and plenty of *je ne sais quoi.* | Slikovni rezultat za coco chanel |
| **Madame C.J. Walker**  **1867-1919  BEAUTY MAGNATE**  Born Sarah Breedlove, she created a line of beauty products for African-American women, eventually employing almost 3,000 women and becoming, it is believed, the first black woman millionaire in the United States. | Slikovni rezultat za madam cj walker |
| **Isadora Duncan**  **1877-1927**  **DANCER**  The mother of modern dance chafed under what she saw as the rigid restrictions of classical forms and replaced them with free, expansive, expressive movement. She influenced a generation of dancers — and loosened us all up. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\D9205464.tmp** |
| **Marie Curie**  **1867-1934**  **NOBEL PRIZE-WINNING PHYSICIST AND CHEMIST**  The first woman to win a Nobel Prize in two areas (she shared one with husband Pierre, who died in a tragic accident), Curie co-discovered two elements, radium and polonium, and coined the term "radioactivity." She was one of the first to suggest using radiation to treat [cancer](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/health/g4977/breast-cancer-facts/). Curie helped usher in the atomic age and revolutionize chemistry, physics, and medicine — while fighting deep prejudice against women in the sciences. | Slikovni rezultat za marie curie |
| **Edith Wharton**  **1862-1937**  **NOVELIST**  Her gorgeous and keenly observed novels revealed to us much about what makes America tick. She examined women's roles, and exposed class conflict, gender wars, and social hypocrisy. Best of all, she gave us [delicious reads](https://www.goodhousekeeping.com/life/entertainment/news/g4662/amazon-100-books-list/). | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\26F2C8EB.tmp** |
| **Mary Cassatt**  **1844-1926**  **ARTIST**  Over the objections of her father and despite the initial disdain of male painters, she became an acclaimed chronicler of the tenderest moments in women's lives. | Slikovni rezultat za mary cassatt |
| **Harriet Tubman**  **1820-1913**  **ABOLITIONIST**  A fugitive slave who, at great peril to herself, helped nearly 300 slaves escape the South via the Underground Railroad. She was also a Civil War spy and nurse, a promoter of education, and a campaigner for women's suffrage. | Slikovni rezultat za harriet tubman |
| **Carrie Chapman Catt**  **1859-1947**  **SUFFRAGIST**  Her husband agreed she should devote four months a year to securing the vote for women. She packed a lot in: As president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association (a merger of Anthony's organization and a more moderate one), she led the strategic push to pass the 19th Amendment, which was ratified in August 1920. | **C:\Users\Anita Jokic\AppData\Local\Microsoft\Windows\INetCache\Content.MSO\237DA767.tmp** |
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