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Books & Media Resources

George Washington's Mount Vernon

Recent Books

Alexis Coe, *You Always Remember Your First, A Biography of George Washington* (Penguin Books, 2020).

Erica Armstrong Dunbar, *Never Caught, The Washingtons' Relentless Pursuit of their Runaway Slave, Ona Judge* (37Ink, 2017).

Peter Henriques, *First and Always: A New Portrait of George Washington* (University of Virginia Press, 2020).

Philip Levy, *The Permanent Resident: Excavations and Explorations of George Washington's Life* (University of Virginia, 2022).

Charlene M. Boyer Lewis and George Boudreau, *Women in George Washington's World* (University of Virginia Press, 2022).

Martha Washington, *The Papers of Martha Washington* (University of Virginia Press, 2022).

Mary Beth Norton, *1774, The Long Year of Revolution* (Vintage, 2021).

Nathaniel Philbrick, *Travels with George: In Search of Washington and His Legacy* (Viking, 2021).

Mary V. Thompson, *The Only Unavoidable Subject of Regret: George Washington, Slavery, and the Enslaved Community at Mount Vernon* (University of Virginia Press, 2019).

Websites

George Washington's Mount Vernon, <https://www.mountvernon.org/>

Digital Encyclopedia of George Washington

Podcasts

The George Washington Podcast Network, *Intertwined*,

<https://www.georgewashingtonpodcast.com/>

Benjamin Franklin's World, <https://benfranklinworld.com/>

Upcoming

The American Revolution, is a five-part, ten-hour series on America's founding struggle, will present a true-to-life account of the men and women of the Revolutionary generation, their humanity in victory and defeat, and the crisis that tried their souls. By weaving top-down accounts of "Founding Fathers" and their loyalist and British counterparts with the perspectives of the so-called ordinary people who waged and witnessed war, *The American Revolution* will be an expansive, unvarnished look at the unassailable virtues and unavoidable contradictions of the fight for independence and the birth of the United States.

Directed and executive produced by Ken Burns, written by Geoffrey C. Ward, and produced by Sarah Botstein, David Schmidt, and Ken Burns, *The American Revolution* is slated for broadcast on PBS in 2025. (10 hours)