



National First Ladies' Library E-news

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Happy Birthday



[Mary Todd Lincoln](#)
Dec. 13, 1818

Welcome!

Our e-newsletter is another way to keep you connected with the events, exhibits and happenings at the National First Ladies' Library.

Christmas in the White House



Christmas decorations in the White House from years past.

Take a Holiday Tour



Plan your holiday tours with soon to view our exquisite decorations for the holiday season.

Our [First Ladies' Christmas Tree](#) features doll replicas of every First Lady and is always a popular attraction. The gorgeous Victorian decorations at the Ida Saxton McKinley House are a highlight of our holiday tours. Get into the holiday spirit with us this season!

["Lady Bird" Johnson](#)
Dec. 22, 1912



First Lady FAQ'S

Did you know that?
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**Lucretia Rudolph
Garfield**
April 19, 1832
March 13, 1918

Lucretia Garfield's ancestry is one of the most extensively-researched of all the First Ladies. She helped to organize a literary society which staged elocution, debate and oratorical presentations.

Upon her graduation from college, Lucretia Garfield took a teaching job at Ravenna, Ohio.

Lucretia Garfield was one of the first presidential candidates' wives to appear on a campaign poster.

Lucretia Garfield wore a purple dress to the Inaugural Ball, which was highlighted by the first display of electricity at such an event.

Mark your Calendar Now!

"Love is Eternal"

Reserve Early!

February 11, 2012

3:30 p.m. . . . [Additional details](#)

"Girl Scout Birthday Celebration" and Author Book Signing

March 10, 2012

10 am - 3 pm . . . [Additional details](#)

Special guest author Stacy Cordery signing her latest book "Juliette Gordon Low: The Remarkable Founder of the Girl Scouts"



Call for reservations 330.452.0876 x. 307

Gift Shop Specials until Christmas!!!



Our gift shop is running weekly specials just in time for your holiday shopping. [CLICK HERE](#) to find out what is on sale each week.

Lesson Plan for the Month

White House Celebrations

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Other lesson plans for all age levels can be found by selecting [RESEARCH](#) on the home page of our website and then selecting the individual First Lady.



Grace Coolidge is responsible for many White House Christmas traditions..... [read more](#)

The NFLL is pleased to offer a new lesson plan each month.

Current Exhibit

Rising to the Occasion: First Ladies in Times of Crisis

[For more exhibit information, click here](#)

First Ladies featured are: Dolley Madison, Mary Lincoln, Lucretia Garfield, Edith Wilson., Eleanor Roosevelt, Jackie Kennedy, Barbara Bush and Laura Bush.



Tour Times: 9:30 a.m., 10:30 a.m., 12:30 p.m., 1:30 p.m. & 2:30 p.m.

Scholarship Opportunity

Don't forget the National First Ladies' Library offers a scholarship for college and university students. Check our website to [Download your forms here](#).

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