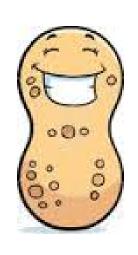
George Washington Carver



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George Washington Carver is Born!

 George Washington Carver was born in (about)1864. This was in a farm near Diamond, Missouri. Diamond is located in Newton County and Marion Township.

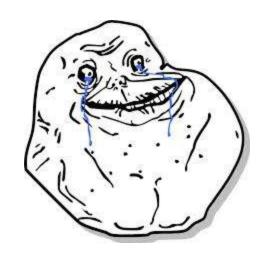


Childhood

 When Carver was in his infancy, his father died in a work accident and his mother was kidnapped by night raiders. He was raised by his slave owners, Moses and Susan Carver, until he was sent to an allblack school when he was 11. Carver developed an intrest for plants at this age.

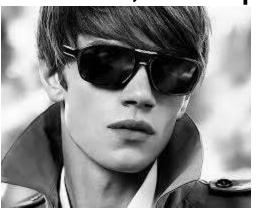
Family?

Carver never married or had any kids.



His Inventions

 Carver derived 325 products from peanuts, 108 products from yams, and 75 products from pecans. His most famous concoction, however, was peanut butter.



Sounds like that guy was...."nuts"

Work History

Carver did a little work at lowa State
 University in the bacterial lab but he spent
 most of his years in Tuskegee Normal and
 Industrial Institute.





Fun Facts!

 Carver used something called chemurgy, which means to use organic substances for industrial purposes.

 Carver made tons of products, but did you know he made Chili and Worcestershire sauces?

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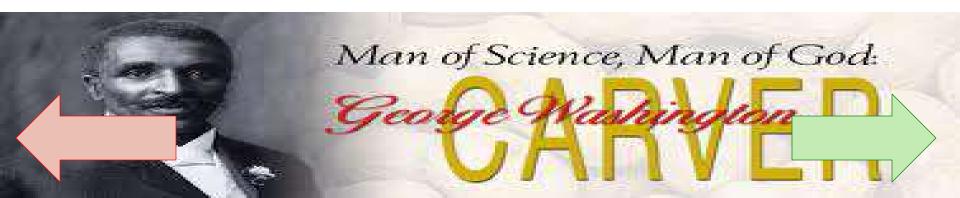
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What I Learned

• When I first did a project similar to this in 3rd grade, I didn't know anything about his family or early life, and I didn't know about how many accomplishments he achieved. He was a very well-rounded man in both science and peace. It was a shame his life had to end in 1943.



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