

Famous Tulane University Alumni

Gail Agrawal – Dean, University of Kansas Law School; *PH'83; L'83*.
Howard Baker – Tennessee Senator; Senate Majority Leader; White House Chief of Staff; *NG'44-'45*.
Carlos Barbosa – production designer; *A'83*.
Bryan M. Batt – Broadway and film actor; *A&S'85*.
Geoffrey Beene (deceased) – fashion designer; *NG-A&S; NG-M'43*.
Lynda Benglis – sculptor; *N'64*.
David Berger (deceased) – member of '72 Israeli Olympic weightlifting team; *A&S'66*.
Morrison Bethea, M.D. – co-author, “Sugar Busters”; *M'70*.
Corinne Claiborne “Lindy” Boggs – former member, U.S. House of Representatives, former Ambassador, Vatican City, mother of news anchor Cokie Roberts; *N'35, HonLaw'78*.
(Thomas) Hale Boggs (deceased) – U.S. House of Representatives minority whip; *A&S'35, L'37*.
Robert W. Brown, M.D. – Yankees baseball player and past president of the American League (baseball); *M'50*.
Walter A. “Buddy” Brister III – former NFL quarterback; *NG-UC'85*.
George E. Burch, M.D. (deceased) – internationally known cardiologist; *A&S'27, M'33*.
Janelle Burse – WNBA center (Seattle Storm); *UC'00*
Chris Bush – NFL wide receiver (Tennessee); *UC'04*.
Neil Bush - brother of President George W. Bush and son of former President Bush; *A&S'77, B'79*.
Amy Carter – children’s book author; daughter of former President Jimmy Carter; *G'96*.
Hodding Carter (deceased) – Pulitzer Prize, editorial writing, Greenville Demo. Times; *G'29*.
James H. Clark, PhD - founder: Silicon Graphics, Netscape [AOL], WebMD; *NG-UC'68; HonAlum'98*.
Edith Brown Clement – Judge, Fifth Circuit Court; *L'73*.
Kerwin Cook – NFL wide receiver (Seattle); *UC'01*.
JaJuan Dawson – NFL wide receiver (Houston); *B'99*.
Michael E. DeBakey, M.D. - heart surgeon/transplant pioneer ; *A&S'30, M'32, G'35, HonLaw'65*.
Caroline Wogan Durieux (deceased) – international artist and author; *N'16; N'17*.
Allen J. Ellender (deceased) – U.S. Senator, agriculture committee chair; *L'13*.
Douglas R. Ellin – TV show creator, HBO’s Entourage; *A&S'90*.
Donald Ensenat – White House chief of protocol; *L'73*.
Marion J. Epley (deceased) – president and chairman of the Board, Texaco, Inc.; *A&S'27, L'30*.
Mignon Faget – artist and award winning jewelry designer; *N'55*.
Ruth Falcon – opera singer; *G'71*.
Evan Farmer – actor; *TC'95*.
Barbara Farris – WNBA forward (New York Liberty); *UC'98*
David Filo -- co-founder of Yahoo!; *E'88*.
William Harry Fitzpatrick – Pulitzer Prize for editorial writing; *NG-A&S'32*.
Andrew Friedman – Executive VP, Tampa Bay Devil Rays Baseball; *B'99*.
Francis Cardinal George – Archbishop of Chicago; *G'70*.
Newt Gingrich – politician, former Speaker of the House of Representatives; *G'68, '71*.
Harold S. Ginsbert, M.D. (deceased) – founding father of modern virology and microbiology; *M'41*.
Mara S. Berman Giuliani – mayor, Hollywood (FL); *N'66*.
Paul Michael Glaser - actor (TV’s “Starsky and Hutch”), pediatric AIDS activist; *A&S'66*.
Carlin Glynn – actress, Tony award winner, mother of actress Mary Stuart Masterson; *NG-N'61*.
Grace Goldsmith, M.D. (deceased) – first woman to head a public health school; *M'32*.
Christopher M. Gorak – movie director; *A'92*.
Lawrence Gordon - movie producer -- current films include: “Lara Croft” (2 movies), “Mystery Men”, “Die Hard” (2 movies), et al; *B'58*.
Samantha Gore – film art director (“Pulp Fiction”); *A'92*.
Shirley Ann Grau - author, Pulitzer Prize winner; *N'50*.

Scott Greenstein – president, USA Films; *A&S'81*.
Julie I. Greenwald – president, Atlantic Records; *NC'91*.
Robert M. Harling III – author, screenwriter, “Steel Magnolias”, “First Wives Club”; *L'77*.
Ira Harkey (deceased) – Pulitzer Prize, editorial writing; *A&S'41*.
F. Edward Hebert (deceased) – U.S. House Representative. Chair House Armed Services Committee; *L'24*.
Marine Corps Lt. Col. Douglas G. Hurley – pilot, STS-127 space shuttle mission; *E'88*.
Rick Hurst - actor; *A&S'68*.
Lauren Hutton – model, actress; *NG-UC'64*.
Raul Oswaldo Izurieta – Ecuador Labor Minister; *L'68*.
Thomas Naum James – director, WHO cardiovascular center; *A&S'46. M'49*.
Victoria Reggie Kennedy – Co-founder, Common Sense About Kids and Guns; wife of Senator Edward M. Kennedy; *N'76, L'79*.
Shaun King – pro football player, Arizona Cardinals; *B'99*.
Ruth Kirschstein, M.D. – Acting Director, National Institutes of Health; *M'51*.
Ida Kohlmeyer (deceased) – Artist; *N'33, G'56*.
Walter Kohn – Nobel Prize in Chemistry, 1998; *HonDeg, Doctor of Science, '04*.
Anthony Laciura - opera singer (tenor) with the Metropolitan Opera; *G'79*.
Robert L. Livingston – politician, U.S. House of Representatives; *A&S'64, L'68*.
Christian Jules LeBlanc – actor, “The Young and the Restless”; *A&S'80*.
Huey P. Long (deceased) – Governor of Louisiana; *NG-L'15*.
J.P. Losman – NFL quarterback, first round draft pick; *UC'03*.
Leslie L. Lukash, M.D. (deceased) – Nassau County NY medical examiner, basis of TV series “Quincy”; *M'44*.
Seth Marler – NFL kicker; *B'03*.
Rudolph Matas (deceased) – “Father of Vascular Surgery”; *M1880, HonDeg'28*.
Max McGee – pro football player, Greenbay Packers (Superbowl); *A&S'54*.
John L. McLucas (deceased) – Secretary of the Air Force; *G'43*.
William Larimer Mellon, Jr., M.D. (deceased) – founder, Albert Schweitzer Hospital, Haiti; *M'53*.
Olga Merediz – actress; *N'78*.
Her Royal Highness Princess Padmaja Kumari Mewar - former kingdom of Mewar, northern India; *NC'03*
Henry Armand Millon – Dean, National Gallery of Art; *A&S'47, '49, A'53*.
Wilson F. Minor – news correspondent, *A&S'43*.
William B. Monroe - broadcast journalist, former host of “Meet The Press”; *A&S'42, HonLaw'98*.
Mewelde Moore – NFL running back (Minnesota); *B'04*.
Monique Moss – dancer, choreographer; *N'94*.
Enrique Murciano – actor, TV's “Without a Trace”; *TC'95*.
Eddie Murray – NFL kicker; *UC'80*.
Adam Nathanson – president and founder of Mapleton Communications; *A&S'92*
Ed Nelson – actor, “Peyton Place”; *A&S'53, UC'00*.
Bruce Paltrow (deceased) - television, movie producer and director, Emmy award nominee, father of Gwyneth Paltrow, husband of actress Blythe Danner; *A&S'65*.
Richard A. Petitbon – Washington Redskins former player, coach; *B'60*.
Meryl Poster – executive producer, Miramax (“Chicago”, “Cider House Blues”); *N'86*.
William H. Pryor – Judge, Eleventh Circuit Court; *L'87*.
Patrick Ramsey – first round draft pick, quarterback, Washington Redskins; *B'01*.
Hamilton F. Richardson (deceased) – nationally ranked tennis player, Rhodes Scholar; *A&S'55*.
Walter G. and Betty Lou Roberts – parents of actress Julia Roberts; *NG-A&S'59; NG-UC'59*.
Timothy John Robbie – former president, Miami Dolphins; *A&S'77*.
Lourdes M. Rodriguez de Flores – first lady of El Salvador; *N'79*.
Warren Joseph Rogers, Jr. (deceased) – editor, National Press Club President; *A&S'44*.
Harold Rosen - engineer and inventor, Early Bird (synchronous) Satellite; *E'47; HonDeg'75*.
Carolyn Rossi – actress; *N'76*.
Andrew V. Schally – Tulane faculty, Nobel Prize for Medicine and Physiology, French Legion of

Honor; *HonDeg*'75.

Terry E. Schnuck – Broadway producer; *A&S*'75.

Brian Skinner – opera tenor (sings under the name Fernando del Valle); *A&S*'86.

Howard K. Smith (deceased) - broadcast journalist; *A&S*'36.

Jerry Springer - television talk-show host, former mayor of Cincinnati, Ohio; *A&S*'65.

Harold Sylvester - actor and director, "An Officer and a Gentleman", "Married With Children"; *A&S*'72.

Mike Tannenbaum – General Manager, N.Y. Jets; *L*'95.

Gene Taylor – former U.S. House of Representatives; *A&S*'76.

Luther L. Terry, M.D. (deceased) – U.S. Surgeon General; *M*'46, *HonDeg*'64.

John Kennedy Toole (deceased) – Pulitzer Prize winner, "A Confederacy of Dunces"; *A&S*'58.

David C. Trean – former Louisiana Governor; *L*'50.

David B. Vitter – U.S. Senator, Louisiana; *L*'88.

Elizabeth Weaver – Michigan Supreme Court Justice; *N*'62; *L*'65.

John G. Weinmann – former Ambassador to Finland and former Chief, White House protocol; *A&S*'50, *L*'52.

Colonel Albert J. "Red" Wetzell, USAF – Original scientist, Titan missile project; Air Force Hall of Fame; *E*'39.

Michael White – recording artist, jazz historian; *G*'79, *G*'84.

Linda S. Wilson – President, Radcliffe College (retired); *N*'57.

John Minor Wisdom (deceased) – Senior Judge, Fifth Circuit Court; *L*'29, *HonLawDoctorate*'76.

Elizabeth Wisner (deceased) – educator, social work pioneer; *N*'14, *HonLaw*'62.

Albert Baldwin Wood (deceased) - engineer, inventor of Wood pumping system; *E*1899; *HonDeg*'39.

Robert Owen Zeleny – former editor-in-chief, World Book International; *A&S*'52.

(as of 04/14/2008)