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**Martha Washington**

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**Have you been taught anything about Martha Washington? If you have, did you like learning about her? Does anybody remember the first, first lady? Martha Washington was married twice, helped slaves, had a sad childhood and is honored in many ways.**

**Did you know that Martha Washington got married with Daniel Cutis? Martha Washington got married with Daniel Cutis at the age of 17. Martha Washington had four kids from Daniel. Martha and her husband both died in Mount Vernon. Martha had no children with George Washington. Martha married George Washington on January 6, 1759. Martha wore purple, silk shoes with sponge buckles for her wedding. Martha Washington's name before she got married with George Washington was Martha Cutis. Martha was married with Daniel Cutis before she was married with George Washington.**

**Did you also know that Martha Washington helped slaves? Martha helped slaves by giving them love and more. Martha fed and kept them from getting sick. Martha also took care of George Washington's slaves. She took care of them because sadly George Washington was already dead. Martha Washington set free George Washington's slaves when she was not supposed to.**

**Martha Washington was born in New Kent country, Virginia. Martha had nicknames. Some of the people who knew Martha Washington called her Patsy for her nickname. Martha had several nicknames from all kinds of people. She**

**was at least a fourth generation Virginian. Martha Washington had very tough years as a child. She lost most of her family even some of her kids. Only like one or two of her kids were alive.**

**Martha had several things named after her or with her face on it. Martha had a ship named after her. Also Martha Washington had three stamps with her face on it. The stamps were for 8 cents so it was an 8-cent stamp. The first stamp Martha Washington got was in 1902, the second one was in 1923 and the last one was in 1938. Her portrait was put on a certificate on 1886 through 1891. Martha Washington was the only lady who's portrait was appeared on a certificate. Also Martha Washington was on four coins. Martha's coins were released on June 19, 2007. The coins were worth a dollar.**

**Martha died on May 22, 1802. She was now dead. I think the most important thing Martha did was help slaves. I am proud of how our country has remembered Martha by putting her on stamps, coins, certificates, and a boat. Martha Washington was a good person.**

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