Commemorates passage of the 19th Amendment

granting women the right to vote in America.



"The humanity of all Americans is diminished when any group is denied rights granted to others."

1872 - Susan B. Anthony went to the polls in Rochester, NY, and cast a ballot in the presidential election. She citied her citizenship under the 14th Amendment as giving her the right to vote. She was arrested and fined \$100, which she refused to pay.

PAY STILL NOT EQUAL

As of 2013, despite the Equal Pay Act of 1963 women still earn less than men. The average women will lose in her career

With that money she could:

Put 2 children
Buy 21,900
Feed a family of through college
Gallons of gas
Feed a family of 4 for 6.4 years







WOMEN'S RIGHTS TIME

1920 1848 1869 1932 1963 1972 1982 1996 1948 2005 2008

July 19, 1848 - Seneca Falls Convention The first women's rights convention attended by more than 300 men and women, 100 of those gathered signed the "Declaration of Sentiments."

> 1869 - Susan B. Anthony and Elizabeth Cady Stanton form the National Women Suffrage Association

> > Aug. 26, 1920 - The 19th Amendment is signed into law, giving all American women the right to vote.

1932 - Hattie Caraway of Arkansas became the first woman elected to the Senate; Amelia Earhart became the first woman to fly solo across the Atlantic.

> 1948 - African American and Asian American women are given the right to vote.

June 10, 1963 - The Equal Pay Act was signed into law. Protecting men and women from sex-based wage discrimination.

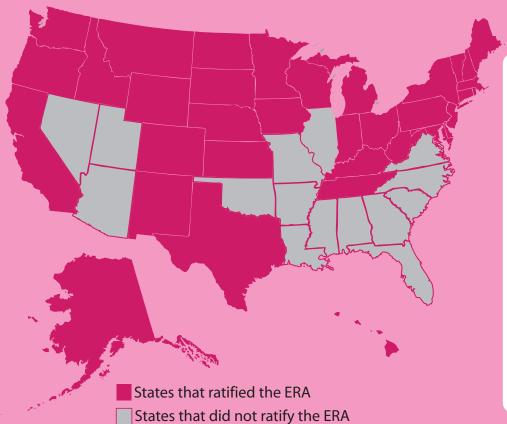
March 10, 1972 - The Equal Rights Amendment was sent to the states for ratification. Twenty states ratified by the end of the year but to this day the amendment has not yet been ratified by enough states to become the law of the land.

> June 30, 1982 - The ERA had only been ratified by 35 states, three states short of the 38 required to put it into the Constitution.

> > Dec. 5, 1996 - Madeline Albright becomes the first female U.S. Secretary of State.

Jan. 18, 2005 - Condoleza Rice was appointed the first African American woman to be U.S. Secretary of State.

2008 - In the presidential nomination race, Hillary Clinton won more primaries and delegates than any other female candidate in American history, narrowly losing to Illinois Senator Barack Obama.



EQUAL RIGHTS AMENDMENT

1923 - The ERA was introduced in Congress for the first time.

1940 - The Republican Party included support of the ERA in its platform every four years until 1980.

1958 - President Dwight Eisenhower asked a joint session of Congress to pass the Equal Rights Amendment, the first President to show such a level of support for the ERA.

1961- Feminists encouraged newly elected President John F. Kennedy to support the ERA.

1970 - Women picketed the United States Senate demanding a hearing on the Equal Rights Amendment and won a meeting with Senators to discuss the ERA.

1972 - The ERA passed the Senate and was sent to the states for ratification.

1980 - The amendment was short 3 states to ratify the ERA (see map.)

1982 - The ERA has been reintroduced in every session of Congress since 1982.

2013 - The 113th Congress reintroduced the ERA as S. J. RES. 10 by Senator Robert Menendez.