

General Robert E. Lee

Born: January 19, 1807 at Stratford Hall, VA Died: October 12, 1870 in Lexington, VA

Robert E. Lee was a Confederate general from Virginia. In 1862, he took command of the Army of Northern Virginia, which he led to numerous victories, including Second Manassas. His surrender at Appomattox in April 1865 signaled the end of the war. After the war, he served as president of Washington College (now Washington and Lee University).

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