

Vicksburg National Military Park



Major General Ulysses S. Grant

Soldier and President

Having graduated from West Point and served in the Mexican-American War, Grant commanded the Union Army of the Tennessee during the pivotal Vicksburg campaign. His strong leadership and decisive victories here and at Chattanooga propelled him to command all of the Union armies. Grant was later elected to two terms as president of the United States.

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