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About the 39 signers (of The Constitution)

Seventy-four individuals were selected to attend the Constitutional Convention, but a number of them could not attend or chose not to attend.

In all, ***fifty-five delegates participated in the convention***, though ***thirteen of them dropped out***, either for personal reasons in protest over decisions made during the deliberations. ***Three*** individuals remained engaged in the work of the convention until its completion, but then ***refused to sign the final draft***.^[12]

The names of ***thirty-nine delegates are inscribed upon the proposed constitution***. Among them is John Dickinson, who, indisposed by illness, authorized George Read to sign his name by proxy. Additionally, the convention's secretary, William Jackson, while not himself a delegate, signed the document to authenticate some corrections.

George Washington, as president of the Convention, signed first, followed by the other delegates, grouped by states in progression from north to south.

Jonathan Dayton, aged 26, was the youngest to sign the Constitution, while Benjamin Franklin, aged 81, was the oldest. Franklin was also the first signer to die, in April 1790, while James Madison was the last, dying in June 1836.

Virtually every signer had taken part in the Revolution; at least 29 had served in the Continental forces, most of them in positions of command.

All but seven were native to the thirteen colonies: Pierce Butler, Thomas Fitzsimons, James McHenry, and William Paterson were born in Ireland, Robert Morris in England, James Wilson in Scotland, and Alexander Hamilton in the West Indies.^[13]

George Washington—President and deputy from Virginia

Delaware	{	George Read	New Hampshire	{	John Langdon	
		Gunning Bedford, Jr.			Nicholas Gilman	
		John Dickinson			Massachusetts	Nathaniel Gorham
		Richard Bassett				Rufus King
Jacob Broom	Connecticut	William Samuel Johnson				
James McHenry		Roger Sherman				
Maryland	{	Daniel of St. Thomas Jenifer	New York	...	Alexander Hamilton	
		Daniel Carroll				
Virginia	{	John Blair	New Jersey	{	William Livingston	
		James Madison			David Brearley	
North Carolina	{	William Blount			William Paterson	
		Richard Dobbs Spaight			Jonathan Dayton	
		Hugh Williamson	Pennsylvania	Benjamin Franklin		
South Carolina	{	John Rutledge		Thomas Mifflin		
		Charles Cotesworth Pinckney		Robert Morris		
		Charles Pinckney		George Clymer		
Georgia	{	Pierce Butler		Thomas FitzSimons		
		William Few		Jared Ingersoll		
				Abraham Baldwin	James Wilson	
					Gouverneur Morris	