



## Apotheosis of Washington

The apotheosis of George Washington was painted in 1865 in the eye of the U.S. Capitol Building's Rotunda by Constantino Brumidi. It shows George Washington, the first president of America, rising to the heavens, with Liberty (in pink and blue to his right) and Glory (in green to his left) and 13 female personifications of the first thirteen states united into one country. Six groups of figures highlighting the perimeter symbolize War, Science, Marine, Commerce, Mechanics, and Agriculture.

U.S. Capitol, Washington

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