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America is the greatest nation in the world because she has allowed her citizens the opportunity to develop their "Potential for Greatness." Citizens such as
JOHN TRAVOLTA

Born: February 18, 1954 (Aquarius)
the youngest of six children, in
Englewood, New Jersey

Father: Salvatore Travolta, owner of a
small automobile tire company.

Mother: Helen (Burke) Travolta.

Accomplishment: Actor.



JOHN TRAVOLTA

John Travolta was born and raised in Englewood, New Jersey. His mother was a former actress, and instilled a love for show business in all of her children. John took dancing lessons as a child, and at age 12 was seriously involved in the Actor's Studio Workshop in Englewood. He also attended Englewood's Dwight Morrow High School.

By the time he was sixteen, John was acting professionally in small parts and on television under the guidance of his agents, Bob LeMond and Lois Zetter. As Travolta's acting roles grew, his talent drew more notice. He successfully auditioned for the part of Vinnie Barbarino on the ABC Television hit show "Welcome Back, Kotter" which premiered September, 1976, and soon became the idol of teenage America. John then signed a \$1,000,000 three-movie contract with Robert Stigwood late in 1976. The first movie of that series, "Saturday Night Fever," directed by John Badham at a cost of approximately \$3,000,000, catapulted Travolta to the status of super-star.

A nation is as great as the sum total of the greatness of its individuals. America offers her people more opportunity to develop their "Potential for Greatness" than any other nation on earth. I challenge you to develop yours!

Today we honor JOHN TRAVOLTA. Tomorrow could we honor you?

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