

Possible list of visitors to honor with plaques at West Portico, Ohio University

*Susan B. Anthony 10/19/1878
 *William McKinley 10/3/1891
 *William Howard Taft 8/29/08
 *Theodore Roosevelt 5/17/12
 *William Jennings Bryan 10/26/15
 *Warren Harding 9/2/1916
 *Herbert Hoover 10/28/32
 *Carl Sandburg 10/29/35
 *Robert Frost 10/25/38
Paul Robeson 2/9/42
 ---NAACP Springarn Medal
 ---honored on 2004 U.S. postage stamp
 *Robert Taft 6/11/50
 *Eleanor Roosevelt 4/26/54
 *Dag Hammarskjold 2/5/58
 *John Fitzgerald Kennedy 9/18/59
 *Ralph Bunche 11/13/59
 *Martin Luther King Jr. 12/30/59
Marian Anderson 2/17/60
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 ---National Medal of Arts
 ---Kennedy Center Honor
 --- 20 Honorary degrees
 ---NAACP Springarn Medal
 Mahalia Jackson 2/10/61
Duke Ellington 10/10/61
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 ---NAACP Springarn Medal
 ---Lifetime Achievement Award
 Norman Thomas 10/19/61
 Karl Sax 2/23/62
 Bob Newhart 9/24/62
 Judith Anderson 10/29/62
 Helen Hayes 12/4/62
Margaret Mead 1/10/1963
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 Andy Griffith 3/26/63 or 4/16/63
 *Arnold Toynbee 5/3/63
 *William Douglas 5/7/63
 Bob Hope 5/9/63
 William Briggs 3/20/64
 Dick Gregory 4/29/64,5/1/64,2/12/68
 *Lyndon Baines Johnson 5/7/64
 Paul Tillich 5/20/64
 Charles Malick 10/15/64
 Buckminster Fuller 11/5/64
 John Rock 1/15/65
 *Robert McNamara 6/6/65
 Charles Percy 11/16/65
 *John Glenn 2/17/64
 *Dwight Eisenhower 10/5/65
 Jacqueline Cochran 1/13/66
 Johnny Mathis 2/7/66

Ann Landers 2/17/66
 Carl Stokes 4/6/66
Pearl Buck 4/19/66
 ---Pulitzer Prize 1931
 ---Nobel Prize for Literature 1938
 Ray Charles 10/14/66
 Jeanne Cagney Morrison 11/15/66
 *Dean Rusk 12/2/66
 *Tom Clark 1/4/67
 Mary Calderone 2/20/67
 Al Hirt 4/24/1967
 Paul Newman 4/26/68
 Cassius Clay 11/18/68,11/19/68
 Bill Cosby 2/10/69
 Rod Serling 2/24/69
 Vance Packard 4/15/69
 James Rhodes 4/16/69
 Chinua Achebe 10/27/69
 Angie Brooks 2/12/70
 Benjamin Spock 2/11/70
 Alex Haley 3/6/70
Jesse Owens 5/1/70
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 --- Living Legend Award,
 ---Congressional Gold Medal
 --- 4 Olympic Gold Medals
 Bella Abzug 2/22/73
Cesar Chavez 4/9/74
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 Florynce Kennedy 5/29/74
 Jerald Terhorst 10/11/74
 Bernadette Devlin 11/5/74
 Nada Saraswati 11/18/74
 Rabbi Samuel Fox 11/20/74
 Earl Butz 12/2/74
 Fred Harris 1/8/75
 Jean Galvin-Lewis 2/3/75
 Gloria Steinem 2/3/75
 Jack Raver 2/27/75
 John Dean 3/3/75
 Alan Arkin 4/17/75
Isaac Bashevis Singer 4/24/75
 ---Nobel Prize in Literature
 ---Gold Medal for Fiction
 Ruby Dee 4/28/75
 Katherine Graham 5/9/75
 John Landau 5/9/75
 Daniel Yankelovich 5/9/75
 Jack Anderson 5/16/75
 Angela Davis 5/27/75
 Claiborne Pell 7/3/75
 Birch Bayh 8/21/75
 Daniel Callahan 10/3/75
 Alex Haley 10/14/75
 Donald Rumsfeld 11/12/75

Daniel Burgess 1/12/76
 Jessye Norman 2/19/76
 Ralph Nader 3/2/76
 Morris Udall 4/12/76
 Daniel Schorr 4/20/76
 William Walker 4/21/76
 Pat Carbine 5/11/76
 Barbara Ehrenreich 5/13/76
 George Borgstrom 5/20/76
 Jesse Jackson 12/2/76,9/16/83
 George Plimpton 3/1/77
 William Kunstler 3/3/77
 Susan Stambler 4/4/77
 Bruno Bettelheim 4/13/77
 Gene Rodenberry 5/5/77
 Stokely Carmichael 5/9/77
 Studs Terkel 1978
 Jessica Savitch 5/05/78
 Nikki Giovanni 2/4/79,5/29/85
 Alger Hiss 4/26/79
 David Brinkley 4/29/79
 Ellen Goodman 10/15/80
Andrew Young 2/3/81
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 Arthur Schlesinger 2/18/81
 Abbie Hoffman 10/13/82
 Eldridge Cleaver 10/22/82
 Maggie Kuhn 2/18/83
 Noam Chomsky 4/25/83
 Zillah Eisenstein 1/12/84
 Mary Frances Berry 1/17/84
 Yolanda King 2/10/84
 Brent Scowcroft 2/23/84
 Jessie Bernard 2/28/84
 Barbara Smith 3/7/84
 Sonia Johnson 4/12/84
 Paule Marshall 10/25/84
 *James Fulbright 4/22/85
 Daniel Boorstin 1/15/87
 Eleanor H. Norton 1/13/88
Elie Wiesel 5/9/88
 ---Pres. Medal of Freedom
 ---Nobel Peace Prize 1986
 ---OU Honorary Dr. of Humane Letters degree
 Jimmy Carter 5/11/89
 Hillary Clinton 10/92
 Gloria Steinem 10/14/97
 Phyllis Schlafly 5/2005

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-The asterisked names signify Individuals who are currently recognized at the West Portico Wall.
 -The names in bold show additional significant people whose visits to campus have been verified.
 -Visits by the others, found through THE POST INDEX, must still be verified by a microfilm search.