

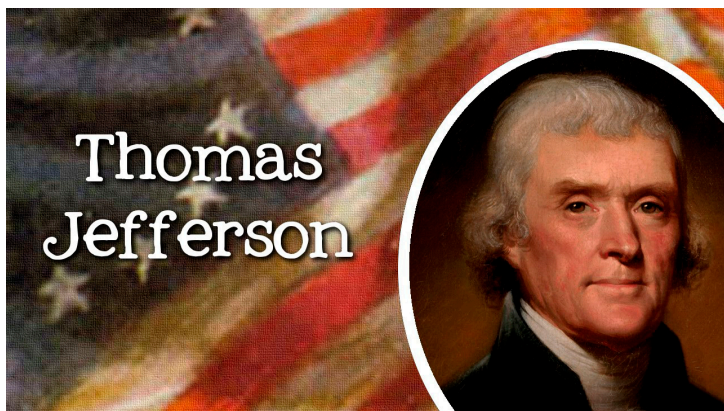


Introducing the Thomas Jefferson Rye IPA

Rye IPAs are a rare find these days. Our “Thomas Jefferson” incorporates the traditional grain bill and hops to yield that dryer, more earthy, IPA flavor that is typical of this classic style.

Founding Father Thomas Jefferson Thomas Jefferson was a very remarkable man who started learning very early in life and never stopped.

Thomas Jefferson was born on April 13, 1743, at Shadwell, Virginia and died July 4, 1826, Monticello - his estate in Virginia. He was the author of the Declaration of Independence and the Statute of Virginia for Religious Freedom, he was the third president of the United States, and founder of the University of Virginia. Jefferson voiced the aspirations of a new America as no other individual of his era. As a public official, historian, philosopher, and plantation owner, he served his country for over five decades.



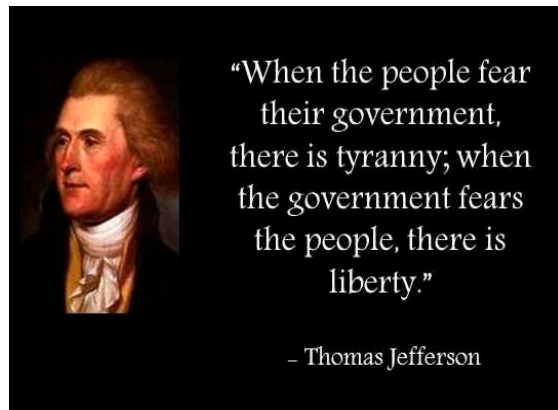
Having attended the College of William and Mary, Jefferson practiced law and served in local government as a magistrate, county lieutenant, and member of the House of Burgesses in his early professional life. As a member of the Continental Congress, he was chosen in 1776 to draft the Declaration of Independence, which has been regarded

ever since as a charter of American and universal liberties. The document proclaims that all men are equal in rights, regardless of birth, wealth, or status, and that the government is the servant, not the master, of the people.

After Jefferson left Congress in 1776, he returned to Virginia and was elected governor from 1779 to 1781. In 1790 he accepted the post of secretary of state under his friend George Washington. In 1796, as the presidential candidate of the Democratic Republicans, he became vice-president after losing to John Adams by three electoral votes.

Four years later, he defeated Adams and became president, the first peaceful transfer of authority from one party to another in the history of the young nation. Perhaps the most notable achievements of his first term were the purchase of the Louisiana Territory in 1803 and his support of the Lewis and Clark expedition.

After leaving office he sold his collection of books to the government to form the nucleus of the Library of Congress. Jefferson ended his long public service with the founding of the University of Virginia. Jefferson died on July 4, 1826, just hours before his close friend John Adams, on the 50th Anniversary of the adoption of the Declaration of Independence on July 4th, 1776. He was eighty-three years old.



- Thomas Jefferson