

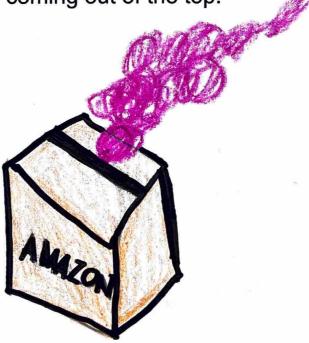
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eorge Washington walked in the forest. He was thinking of

something very important. "I want freedom from the British," he thought, "But it's very hard, and I don't know if it's worth fighting for."

George saw a box behind some trees. It was made out of a material he had never seen before, and it had the word AMAZON printed on it. How strange. George bent over to get a closer look.

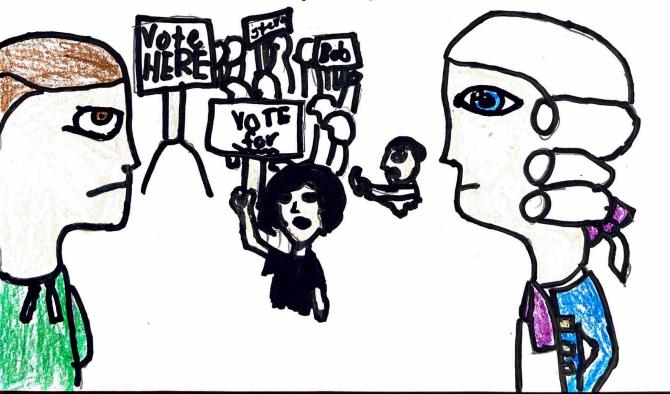
Suddenly, he fell into the box! The lid slammed shut, and purple smoke began coming out of the top.



ZAP! When the smoke cleared, George found himself in a big crowd. It was noisy and he saw strange things. Somebody was talking into a little metal box, and it was talking back! There was also a huge, colorful sign with pictures that were actually moving! A few people pointed and laughed at him. "Nice George Washington costume," said a man.

He turned a corner and saw a sign that said "Vote here!" All around, people held up signs that had different people's names. They seemed to be discussing something important. He walked closer and listened to their words. "I think the government should be spending more money on schools," said one woman. "I will vote for the person who wants to make more parks," said another person. George was amazed. These people had freedom of speech!

George tapped the nearest man on the shoulder and whispered, "You mean you get to CHOOSE your leaders? What about the King?!" he asked. The man gave George a very confused look and backed away slowly.



George kept walking and looking at all of the buildings as he passed. He saw a Lutheran church and a Catholic church. He saw a Jewish synagogue, an LDS temple and a Muslim mosque. George couldn't believe it. People here followed many different religions and they were allowed to worship however they wanted! What an amazing place this was!

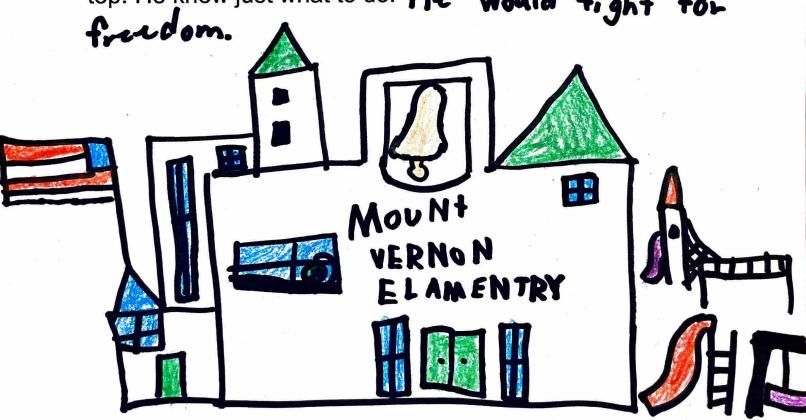


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+-9eerge walked a little further until he saw a school. He walked inside and stood near the door of a classroom, listening to the teacher. "Our first president was George Washington. He fought in the Revolutionary War to help America get independence from Great Britain."

"WOW! They're learning about me!" He thought. "This must be the United States in the future. They have the right to vote for their leaders, freedom of speech, and freedom of religion. I guess it IS worth fighting for freedom after all!" He thought.

Even though he wanted to stay and see more things, he saw the strange box with AMAZON printed on it. It was time to go. He climbed into the box and purple smoke started shooting out of the top. He knew just what to do. He would fight for



Fun facts about George Washington and the american revolution

- 1. Washington owned more than 50,000 acres of land.
- 2. He loved parties and was an excellent dancer
- 3. George Washington was the first to sign the U.S constitution
- 4. He was the only president who freed his slaves
- 5. George did not have wooden teeth! His false teeth were made out of things like brass, cow teeth and human teeth.
- 6. His real hair color was red, but we powdered it white.

About the Author & Illustrator

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