



Rating America's First Ladies

From Martha Washington on, the wives of America's presidents have campaigned, influenced domestic policy, and shaped presidential legacies. Some have used their influence to promote causes. Some have shied from the spotlight. Others have taken bribes and abused their power. Using John B. Roberts' 2004 book *Rating the First Ladies* as a starting point, this illustrated book discussion explores the lives and impact of the presidential spouses.

