Robert H. Jackson and Me: Who is That Man? Who am I?

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**Early Years:**

When was Robert H. Jackson born? February 13, 1892

Where? Spring Creek, PA

His parents were: Angelina Houghwout and William Eldred Jackson

Sibling: Ella

Where did the family move? Frewsburg, New York in 1897

Where did Robert H. Jackson go to high school? Frewsburg High School

Graduation Year: 1909

What was his job after graduation? Apprentice at Frank Mott’s Law Office in Jamestown, NY

College attended: Albany Law School

Job after one year of law school? Lawyer with Jackson, Herrick, Durick and Leet – office in Jamestown, NY (senior partner)

**Career:**

When did he get married? 1916

Who did he marry? Irene Gerhart

Their children and their birth years: William – 1919, Mary 1921

When did he meet Franklin Delano Roosevelt for the first time? 1911

What happened in February 1934? Went to Washington, DC to work with Bureau of Revenue (current IRS)

Job in 1936? Assistant Attorney General

Job in 1938? Solicitor General

Job in 1940? Attorney General of the United States

Chief legal advisor to – President Roosevelt

Job in 1941? 82nd Associate Justice on the US Supreme Court

What happened July 11, 1941? Was sworn in to the US Supreme Court

Court Cases:

1943 - West Virginia State Board of Education v. Barnette

1944 - Korematsu v. United States

Job May 2, 1945? President Truman appoints Justice Jackson as Chief US Prosecutor, Nuremburg

**After Nuremburg – Return to the United States Supreme Court**

Court Cases:

1952 - Steel Seizure Case

1954 – Brown v. Board of Education

**Death:**

Date: October 9, 1954

Age: 62