

Jane Smith

Jane Smith was born in Lincoln, Nebraska on January 1, 1850. She achieved many great things in her life, such as becoming the first female to attend Harvard, the first female to go to Harvard Medical School, and she became the first female doctor. She lived a full life before she died in Houston, Texas on February 27, 1927.

Jane Smith was born to Hal and Linda Smith. They were farmers in Lincoln, Nebraska. Jane had 5 brothers and sisters before she was born, and her parents had 2 more babies after her. Jane grew up in Lincoln, Nebraska on her parents' farm. She loved to read and learn new things. Her favorite part of growing up was going to school. Jane learned that she could do anything.

When Jane graduated high school, she decided she didn't want to be a wife or mother right away. She wanted to continue to learn. She had to beg her parents to let her go to college. She was accepted to attend Harvard College as the first female to go there in 1868. Jane learned many things at Harvard. The most important thing she learned was she wanted to be a doctor.

Jane decided to go to Harvard Medical School. She worked hard at Harvard College to learn all she could, before she would go to medical school. She got into Harvard Medical School in 1872. She was the first female to go there, too. She worked very hard at Harvard Medical School to become the best doctor she could be. She graduated with honors from Harvard Medical School, and moved out west to practice medicine in 1890 as the first female doctor in Houston, Texas.

Jane Smith worked very hard as a doctor. She earned the respect of the people in her town by her ability to save them from many illnesses of the day. Eventually she married John Doe, who was also a doctor. Jane and John had 2 boys. The boys grew up to be doctors also. Jane worked as a doctor until she was 65.

Jane Smith was a very influential person. In her life, she saved many lives, and she encouraged other women to go to college and be doctors and other professionals. Jane and John both died on February 27, 1927 when a fire burned their house down. They died in their sleep. Jane and John's sons and their families attended their funeral and built a memorial in their parents' honor in Houston, Texas.