

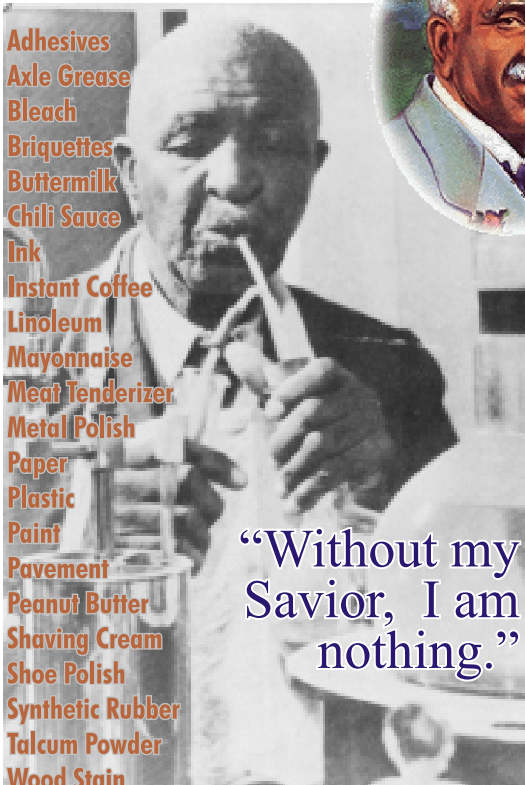


# GEORGE WASHINGTON CARVER

1864 - 1943



Adhesives  
Axle Grease  
Bleach  
Briquettes  
Buttermilk  
Chili Sauce  
Ink  
Instant Coffee  
Linoleum  
Mayonnaise  
Meat Tenderizer  
Metal Polish  
Paper  
Plastic  
Paint  
Pavement  
Peanut Butter  
Shaving Cream  
Shoe Polish  
Synthetic Rubber  
Talcum Powder  
Wood Stain



“Without my Savior, I am nothing.”

## Agricultural Chemistry

- Developed 325 products from peanuts and 188 from sweet potatoes  
*Rescued poor Southern farmers*
- Born a slave, suffered discrimination; worked through school to faculty of the Tuskegee Institute
- Though poor, he gave his discoveries to the public
- Arose at 4:00 a.m. each day to pray in his favorite woods
- Donated all his savings to the Carver Institute for Research

“Carver was also a sincere and humble Christian, never hesitating to confess his faith in the God of the Bible and attributing all his success and ability to God.”

– Dr. Henry M. Morris

TO A SCIENTIST HUMBL Y SEEKING THE GUIDANCE OF GOD AND A LIBERATOR TO MEN OF THE WHITE RACE AS WELL AS THE BLACK

– Inscription on the Roosevelt Medal awarded to Carver, 1939

“Mr. Creator, why did You make the peanut?”

Peanut Butter Soap  
Cosmetics Ice Cream  
Flour Cooking Oil  
Malaria Medicine Gas  
Dyes Rubbing Oil  
Salve Candy Milk  
Paper Rubber  
Insecticide Fertilizer  
Glue



“I love to think of nature as an unlimited broadcasting station, through which God speaks to us every hour, if we only will tune in.”

– George Washington Carver

His Epitaph:

He could have added fortune to fame, but caring for neither, he found happiness and honor in being helpful to the world.