

**Table 1-80****United States Senators  
known to have served in World War II**

<b><u>Senator</u></b>	<b><u>Military Branch</u></b>	<b><u>Dates of Senate Service</u></b>
Abdnor, James (R-SD)	army	1981-1987
<b>Akaka, Daniel (D-HI)*</b>	<b>army</b>	<b>1990-present</b>
Allott, Gordon (R-CO)	army air corps	1955-1973
Andrews, Mark (R-ND)	army	1981-1987
Baker, Howard, Jr. (R-TN)	navy	1967-1985
Bartlett, Dewey (R-OK)	marines	1973-1979
Bass, Ross (D-TN)	army air corps	1964-1967
Bentsen, Lloyd (D-TX)	army	1971-1993
Boggs, James C. (R-DE)	army	1961-1973
Brewster, Daniel (D-MD)	marines	1963-1969
Brewster, Ralph Owen (R-ME)	marines	1941-1952
Brooke, Edward (R-MA)	army	1967-1979
Brown, Ernest S. (R-NV)	army	1954
Bumpers, Dale (D-AR)	marines	1975-1999
Byrd, Harry F., Jr. (D,I-VA)	navy	1965-1971; 1971-1983
Cain, Harry P. (R-WA)	army	1946-1953
Cannon, Howard (D-NV)	army	1959-1983
Carroll, John A. (D-CO)	army	1957-1963
Chafee, John H. (R-RI)	marines	1976-1999
Church, Frank F. (D-ID)	army	1957-1981
Clark, Joseph S. (D-PA)	army air corps	1957-1969
Cook, Marlow (R-KY)	navy	1968-1974
Cooper, John Sherman (R-KY)	army	1946-49, 1952-55, 1956-73

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Cranston, Alan (D-CA)	army	1969-1993
Daniel, Marion Price (D-TX)	army	1953-1957
Dole, Robert (R-KS)	army	1969-1996
Dominick, Peter H. (R-CO)	army air corps	1963-1975
Douglas, Paul H. (D-IL)	marines	1949-1967
Edmondson, James (D-OK)	army	1963-1964
Evans, Daniel (R-WA)	navy	1983-1989
Exon, James (D-NE)	army signal corps	1979-1997
Fong, Hiram (D-HI)	army air corps	1959-1977
Ford, Wendell (D-KY)	army	1974-1999
Frear, J. Allen (D-DE)	army	1949-1961
Gibson, Ernest, Jr. (R-VT)	army	1940-1941
Glenn, John (D-OH)	marines	1974-1999
Goldwater, Barry (R-AZ)	army air corps	1953-65, 1969-87
Goodell, Charles E. (R-NY)	navy	1968-1971
Gore, Albert Sr. (D-TN)	army	1953-1971
Gorton, Slade (R-WA)	army	1981-87, 1989-2001
Griffin, Robert P. (R-MI)	army	1966-1979
Gurney, Edward J. (R-FL)	army	1969-1974
Hart, Philip (D-MI)	army	1959-1976
Hart, Thomas C. (R-CT)	navy	1945-1946
Hartke, Rupert Vance (D-IN)	navy/coast guard	1959-1977
Hatfield, Mark (R-OR)	navy	1967-1997
Heflin, Howell (D-AL)	marines	1979-1997
Helms, Jesse (R-NC)	navy	1973-2003
Hendrickson, Robert C. (R-NJ)	army	1949-1955

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Hennings, Thomas C. (D-MO)	navy	1951-1960
Hollings, Ernest (D-SC)	army	1966-2005
Huddleston, Walter D. (D-KY)	army	1973-1985
Hughes, Harold (D-IA)	army	1969-1975
Humphrey, Hubert H. (D-MN)	army	1949-64, 1971-78
Humphreys, Robert (D-KY)	medical corps	1956
<b>Inouye, Daniel (D-HI)</b>	<b>army</b>	<b>1963-present</b>
Jackson, Henry "Scoop" (D-WA)	army	1953-1983
Javits, Jacob (R-NY)	army	1957-1981
Jenner, William E. (R-IN)	army air corps	1944-45, 1947-59
Johnson, Lyndon B. (D-TX)	navy	1949-1961
Keating, Kenneth (R-NY)	army	1959-1965
Kennedy, John F. (D-MA)	navy	1953-1960
Knowland, William (R-CA)	army	1945-1959
Kuchel, Thomas H. (R-CA)	navy	1953-1969
Laird, William R. (D-WV)	navy	1956
<b>Lautenberg, Frank (D-NJ)</b>	<b>army</b>	<b>1982-2001, 2003-present</b>
Laxalt, Paul (R-NV)	army	1974-1987
Lodge, Henry Cabot, Jr. (R-MA)	army	1937-44, 1947-53
Long, Oren E. (D-HI)	Hawaii defense volunteers	1959-1963
Long, Russell (D-LA)	navy	1948-1987
Magnuson, Warren (D-WA)	navy	1944-1981
Martin, Edward (R-PA)	army	1947-1959
Mathias, Charles M. (R-MD)	navy	1969-1987
Matsunaga, Spark (D-HI)	army	1977-1990

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McCarthy, Joseph (R-WI)	marines	1947-1957
McClure, James (R-ID)	navy	1973-1991
McGovern, George (D-SD)	army air corps	1963-1981
Melcher, John (D-MT)	army	1977-1989
Metcalf, Lee (D-MT)	army	1961-1978
Miller, Jack (R-IA)	army air corps	1961-1973
Morton, Thruston (R-KY)	navy	1957-1968
Moss, Frank (D-VT)	army	1959-1977
Moynihan, Daniel P. (D-NY)	navy	1977-2001
Muskie, Edmund (D-ME)	navy	1959-1980
Nelson, Gaylord (D-WI)	army	1963-1981
Neuberger, Richard L. (D-ME)	army	1955-1960
Nixon, Richard (R-CA)	navy	1950-1953
Payne, Frederick (R-ME)	army air corps	1953-1959
Pearson, James (R-KS)	navy	1962-1978
Pell, Claiborne (D-RI)	coast guard	1961-1997
Percy, Charles (R-IL)	navy	1967-1985
Potter, Charles E. (R-MI)	army	1952-1959
Proxmire, William (D-WI)	military intelligence	1957-1989
Reynolds, Samuel (R-NE)	army	1954
Roth, William V., Jr. (R-DE)	army	1971-2001
Salinger, Pierre (D-CA)	navy	1964
Saxbe, William (R-OH)	national guard	1969-1974
Schweiker, Richard S. (R-PA)	navy	1969-1981
Scott, Hugh D., Jr. (R-PA)	navy	1959-1977
Smathers, George A. (D-FL)	marines	1951-1969

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Smith, Benjamin A. (D-MA)	navy	1960-1962
Spencer, George L. (D-AR)	navy	1941-1943
Stafford, Robert (R-VT)	navy	1971-1989
Stevens, Ted (R-AK)	army air corps	1968-2009
Taft, Kingley (R-OH)	army	1946-1947
Taft, Robert, Jr. (R-OH)	navy	1971-1976
Talmadge, Herman (D-GA)	navy	1957-1981
Thurmond, Strom (I,D,R-SC)	army	1954-56, 1956-64, 1964-2003
Tower, John (R-TX)	navy	1961-1985
Tydings, Joseph D. (D-MD)	army	1965-1971
Warner, John (R-VA)	navy, marines	1979-2009
Welker, Herman (R-ID)	army air corps	1951-1957
Wyman, Louis C. (R-NH)	navy	1974-1975
Yarborough, Ralph (D-TX)	army	1957-1971
Young, Stephen (D-OH)	army	1959-1971

**Total = 115**

\*Senators in bold are currently serving.

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