

Republican Freshman Members of Congress 108TH CONGRESS



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Gresham Barrett (SC-3) (Graham Open Seat) Westminster, SC State Rep. (3 terms) Barrett's Furniture Owner Wife: Natalie, 3 children Westminster Baptist Church



Marsha Blackburn (TN-7) (Bryant Open Seat) Franklin, TN State Senator ('98-); Minority Whip Event & Marketing Co. Owner Husband: Chuck, 2 children Presbyterian



Bob Beauprez (CO-07)*
(New Open Seat)
Lakewood, CO
No Previous Elected Office
Community Bank CEO; Former
Dairy Farmer
Wife: Claudia, 4 children
Catholic
*Unofficial Winner as of Press Time



Jeb Bradley (NH-01) (Sununu Open Seat) Manchester, NH State Rep. (12 years) Businessman Wife: Barbara, 4 children Protestant



Rob Bishop (UT-1) (Hansen Open Seat) Brigham City, UT State Rep. (87-), Speaker (2000-) High School Teacher Wife: Jeralynn, 5 children Latter Day Saints



Jo Bonner (AL-1) (Callahan Open Seat) Mobile, AL No Previous Elected Office Callahan COS ('89-) Wife: Janée, 2 children Episcopalian



Ginny Brown-Waite (FL-5) (Thurman Seat) Spring Hill, FL State Senate ('92-) Consultant, College Professor Husband: Harvey Catholic



Tom Cole (OK-04)
(Watts Open Seat)
Norman, OK
Sec. of State ('97-'99); State Senate
Director NRCC, COS RNC
Consulting Co. President
Wife: Ellen, 1 child
Methodist



Michael Burgess (TX-26)
(Armey Open Seat)
Highland Village, TX
No Previous Elected Office
Obstetrician
Wife: Laura, 3 children
Episcopalian



Mario Diaz-Balart (FL-25) (New Open Seat) Miami, FL State Sen. ('92-'00); State Rep. Marketing and PR Co. President Single Catholic



Max Burns (GA-12) (New Open Seat) Hephazibah, GA University Prof., Farmer County Commissioner ('93-'98), Chair Wife: Lora Dean, 2 children Jackson Baptist Church



Tom Feeney (FL-24) (New Open Seat) Oviedo, FL State Rep ('90-'94,'96-); Speaker ('00-) Real Estate, Business Lawyer Wife: Ellen, 2 children Presbyterian

Run-Off Set for Dec 7, 2002



John Carter (TX-31) (New Open Seat) Round Rock, Texas District Court Judge ('81-'01) Wife: Erika, 4 children Christian



Lee Fletcher (LA-5)
(Cooksey Open Seat)
Monroe, LA
Former Cooksey COS ('96-'01)
Fundraising & Development Co.
President
Single
First Baptist Church of West Monroe



Chris Chocola (IN-02) (Roemer Open Seat) South Bend, IN No Previous Elected Office CTB International Corp Chairman of the Board Wife: Sarah, 2 children Presbyterian



Trent Franks (AZ-2)
(Stump Open Seat)
Glendale, AZ
State Rep. (1 term)
Small Business Owner, Oil
Engineer, Dir. Pro-Family Group
Wife: Josephine
North Phoenix Baptist Church



Scott Garrett (NJ-5) (Roukema Open Seat) Newton, NJ State Rep. ('91-) Lawyer Wife: Mary Ellen, 2 children Protestant



Jeb Hensarling (TX-5)
(Open Seat)
Dallas, TX
No Previous Elected Office
Small Businessman, Sen. Gramm
Aide, E.D. NRSC
Wife: Melissa, 1 child
St. Michael and All Angels
Episcopal Church



Jim Gerlach (PA-06) (Redistricted Open Seat) Exton, PA State Sen. ('94-), State Rep. Lawyer 3 children Protestant



Bill Janklow (SD-AL) (Thune Open Seat) Pierre, SD Governor (16 years); Attorney Gen. ('74-'78) Wife: Mary Dean, 3 children Lutheran



Phil Gingrey (GA-11)
(New Open Seat)
Marietta, GA
State Senate (4 years)
Obstetrician
Wife: Billie, 4 children
St. Joseph Catholic Church



Steve King (IA-5) (Ganske open seat) Odebolt, IA State Sen. ('88-present) Construction Co. Owner Wife: Marilyn, 3 sons St. Martin's Catholic Church



Katherine Harris (FL-13) (Dan Miller Open Seat) Sarasota, FL Secretary of State ('98-), State Sen. (4 years) Husband: Anders, 1 child Presbyterian



John Kline (MN-2) (Luther Seat) Burnsville, MN No previous elected office Ret. Marine (25 yrs); Farmer, Consultant Wife: Vicky, 2 children Grace United Methodist Church



Thad McCotter (MI-11) (New Open Seat) Livonia, MI State Sen. ('98-); County Commissioner ('92-'98) Wife: Rita, 3 children Catholic



Steve Pearce (NM-02) (Skeen Open Seat) Hobbs, NM State Rep ('96-'00), Republican Caucus Chairman Oil Well Servicing Business Owner, Former Air Force Pilot Wife: Cynthia, 1 child Baptist



Candice Miller (MI-10) (Bonior Open Seat) Shelby Township, MI Sec. of State ('94-) Husband: Donald, 1 child Presbyterian



Jon Porter (NV-03) (New Open Seat) Las Vegas, NV State Sen. ('94-); former Majority Whip Wife: Laurie, 2 children Businessman Catholic



Tim Murphy (PA-18) (Redistricted Open Seat) Pittsburgh, PA State Sen. ('96-) Psychologist Wife: Nan, 1 child St. Thomas More Catholic Church



Rick Renzi (AZ-01) (New Open Seat) Flagstaff, AZ No Previous Elected Office Small Businessman Wife: Roberta, 12 children Catholic



Marilyn Musgrave (CO-4) (Schaffer Open Seat) Greeley, CO State Rep. (2 terms); State Senate ('98-), Republican Caucus Chairman Husband: Steve, 4 children First Assembly of God Church



Mike Rogers (AL-3)
(Riley Open Seat)
Anniston, AL
State House ('94-); Minority
Leader
Lawyer, businessman
Wife: Beth, 3 children
Southern Baptist



Devin Nunes (CA-21)
(Horn Open Seat)
Pixley, CA
No Previous Elected Office
Bush Appointee, State Dir. USDA
Rural Development ('01-), Farmer
Single
Catholic



Mike Turner (OH-03)
(Hall Open Seat)
Dayton, OH
Mayor ('94-'01)
Real Estate Development Co.
Pres., Lawyer
Wife: Lori, 2 children
Protestant