

# Juliette Gordon Low



Juliette Gordon Low started the Girl Scouts of the United States. She was born on October 31, 1860, in Savannah, Georgia. When she was a child, she was called, "Daisy". Daisy was young when her father went to the army. She did not see her father much.

She was later called, "Crazy Daisy", because of her love for fun. She loved to play the piano, write poetry, and draw pictures. The school that she went to did not want her to play sports. She also could not hear very well. Crazy Daisy was unhappy.

In 1886, Juliette married William Mackay Low. They had homes in England and the United States. In 1911, she met the creator of the Boys Scouts. His name was Sir Robert Baden-Powell. Low wanted to make something for girls.

The Girl Scouts of the United States of America started in 1912. This was the first all-girl troop. Low wanted the girls to become leaders. This was during a time that women did not have many rights.

Juliette Gordon Low died in 1927. Today, she is known for her character traits of leadership, determination, and compassion. The Girl Scouts of America is still around.





**Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

- 1. What is the date of Juliette Gordon Low's birth?**
- 2. Where was Juliette Gordon Low born?**
- 3. What were Juliette Gordon Low's childhood nicknames?**
- 4. How was Juliette Gordon Low's relationship with her father?**
- 5. What were some of the obstacles that Juliette Gordon Low faced?**
- 6. What happened to Juliette Gordon Low in 1886?**
- 7. What year was the Girl Scouts of the United States created ?**
- 8. What year did Juliette Gordon Low die?**
- 9. What were Juliette Gordon Low's character traits ?**
- 10. What are some ways that you and Juliette Gordon Low are alike and different?**

