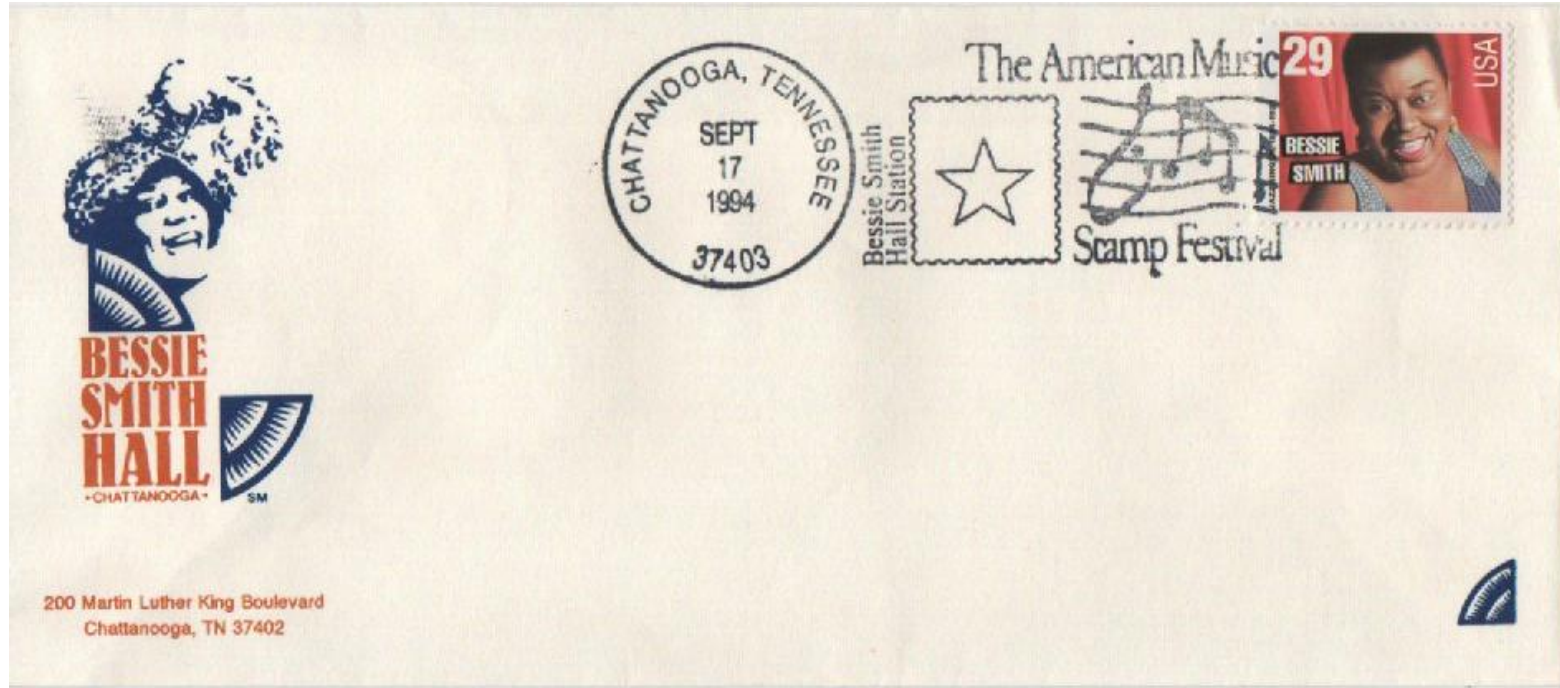
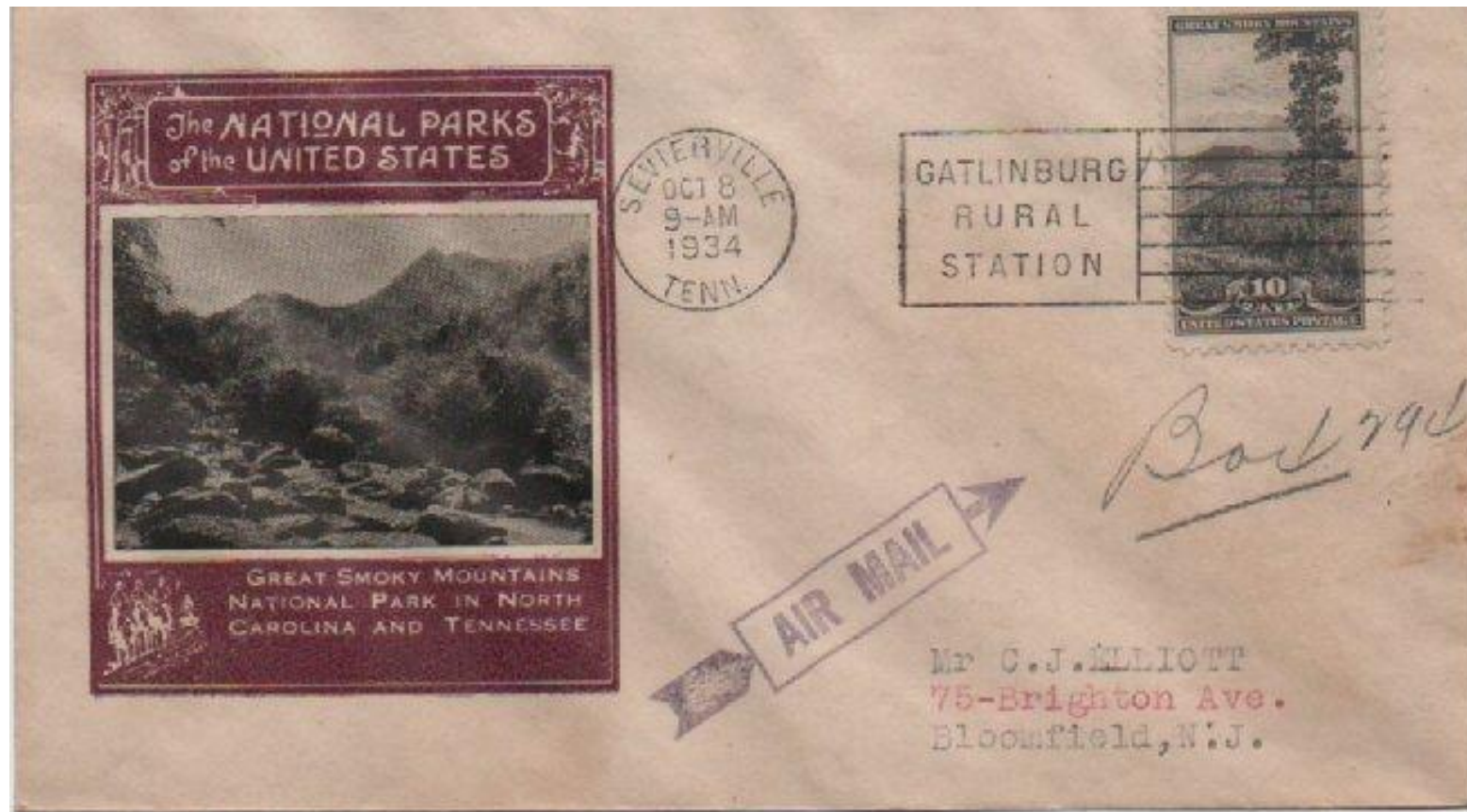


# Tennessee First Day Cities



#2854 lithographed version whose first day city was Greenville, Mississippi. Chattanooga collectors created an alternate city for the home town girl.

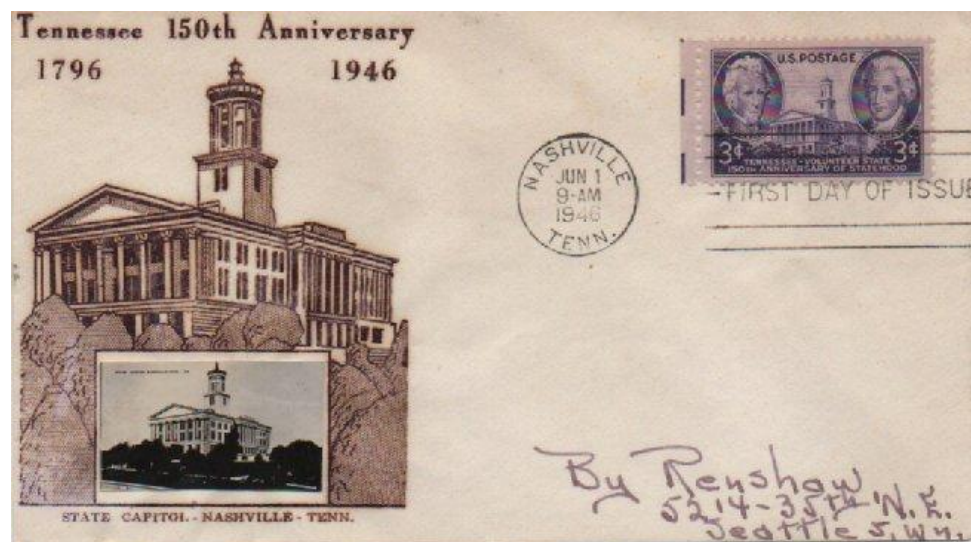
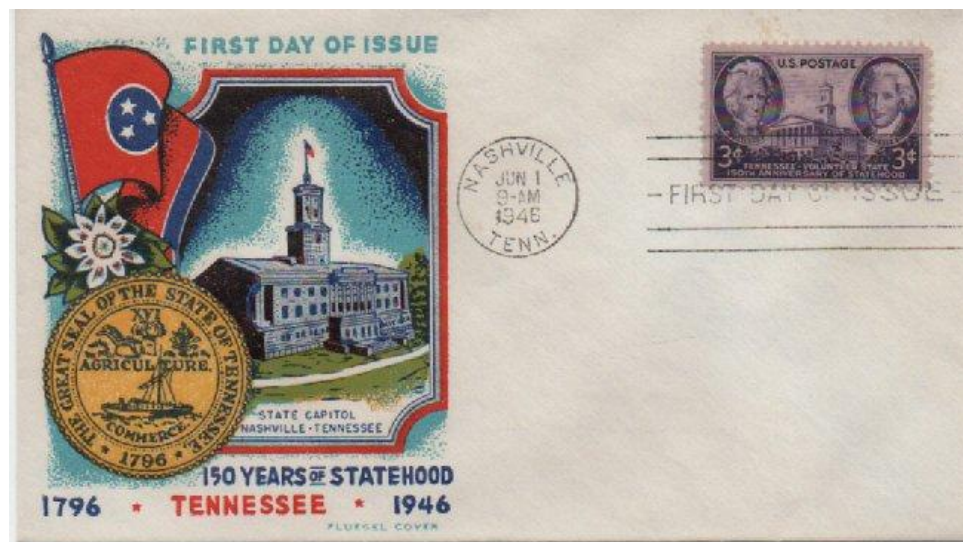
# Smokey Mountains National Park – Sevierville #749 October 8, 1934 – 10 cent gray black





# Tennessee Sesquicentennial – Nashville

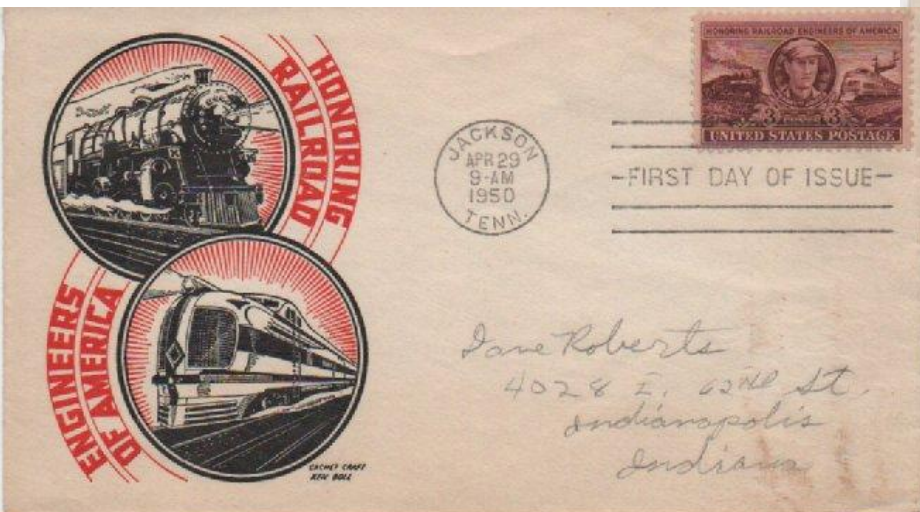
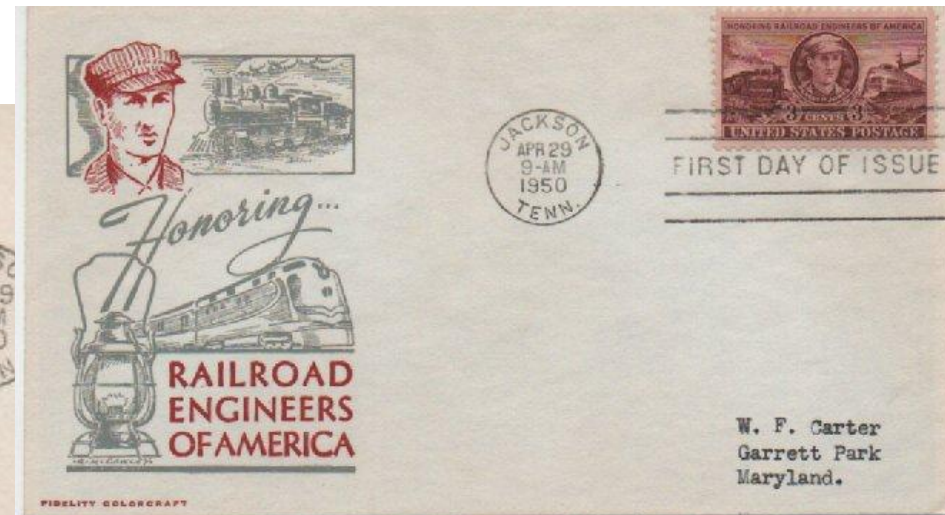
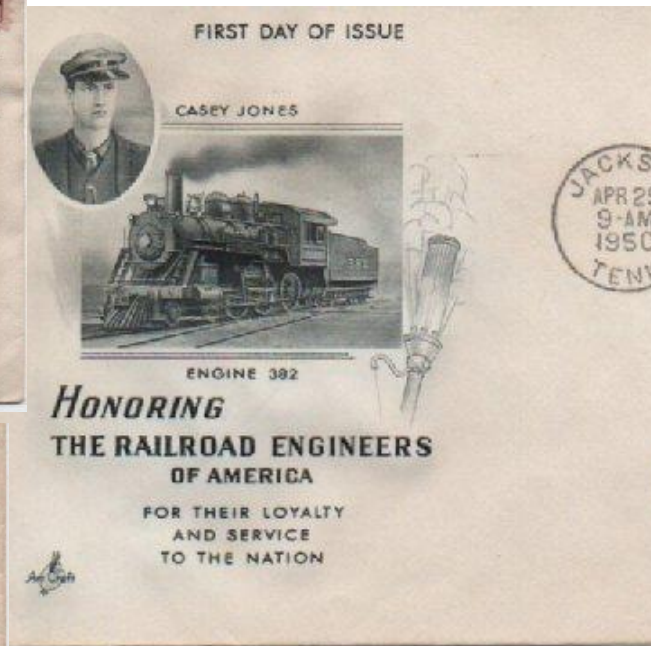
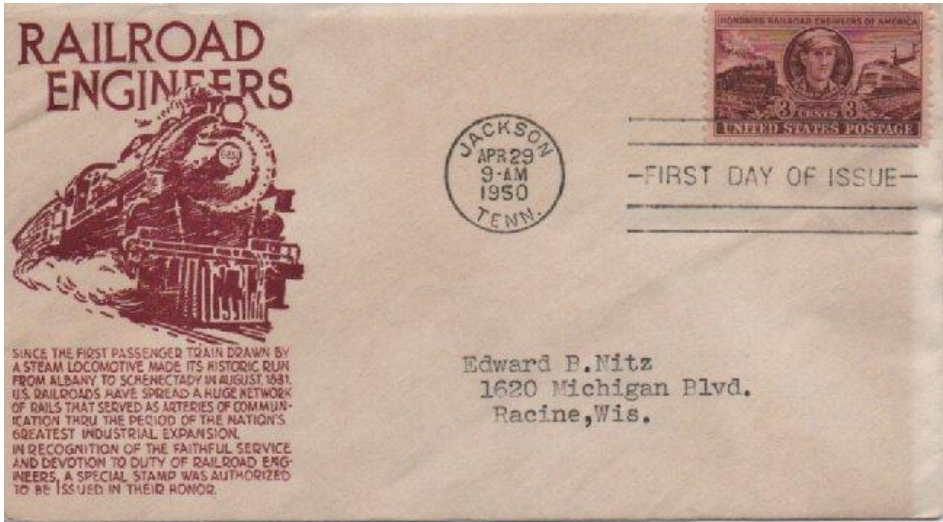
## #941 June 1, 1946 – three cent purple





# Railroad Engineers of America – Jackson #993 April 29, 1950 – three cent violet brown

- John Luther (Casey) Jones 1864-1900 / Locomotives of 1900 and 1950

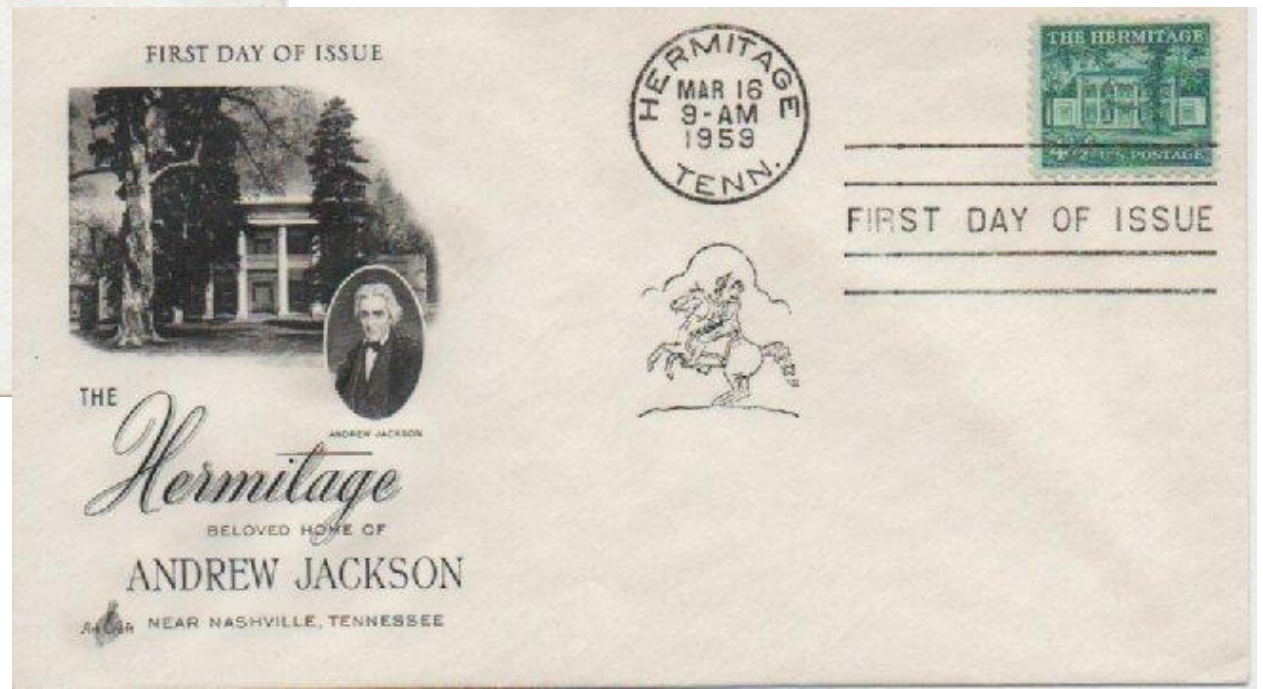
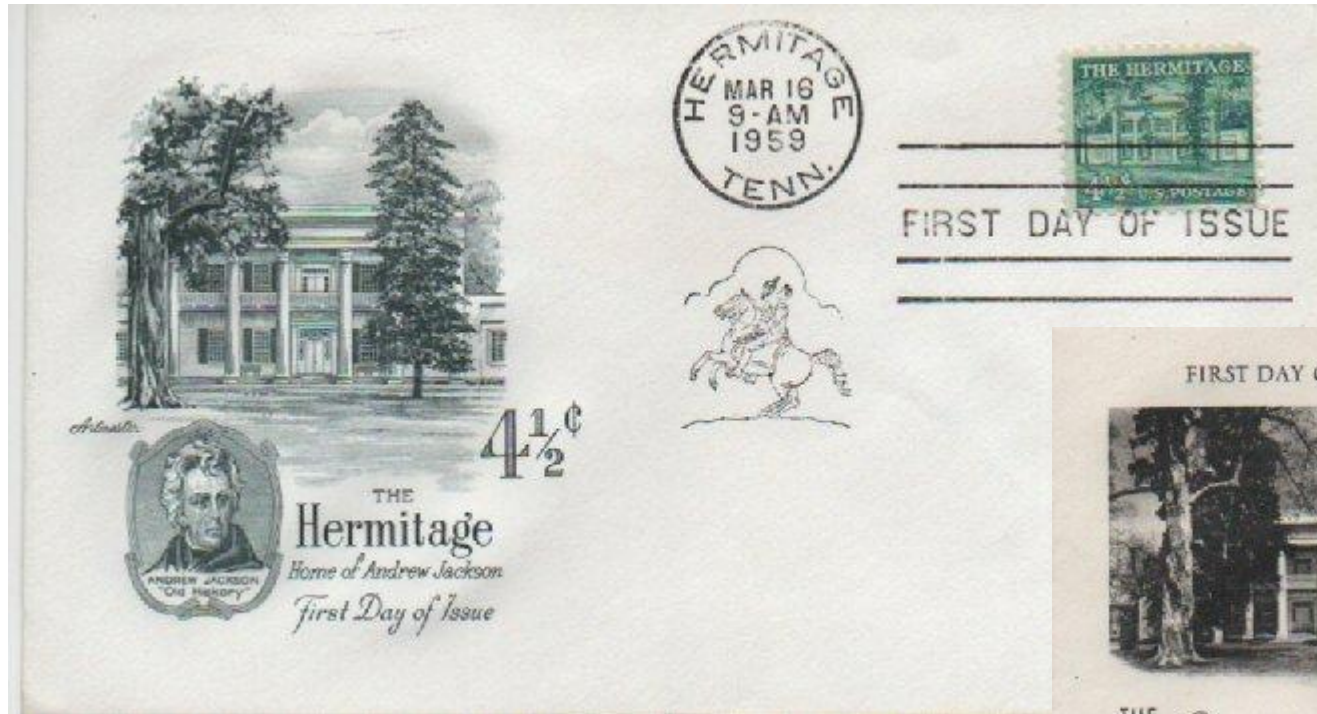




# The Hermitage – Hermitage

#1037 May 16, 1959, 4 ½ cent blue green

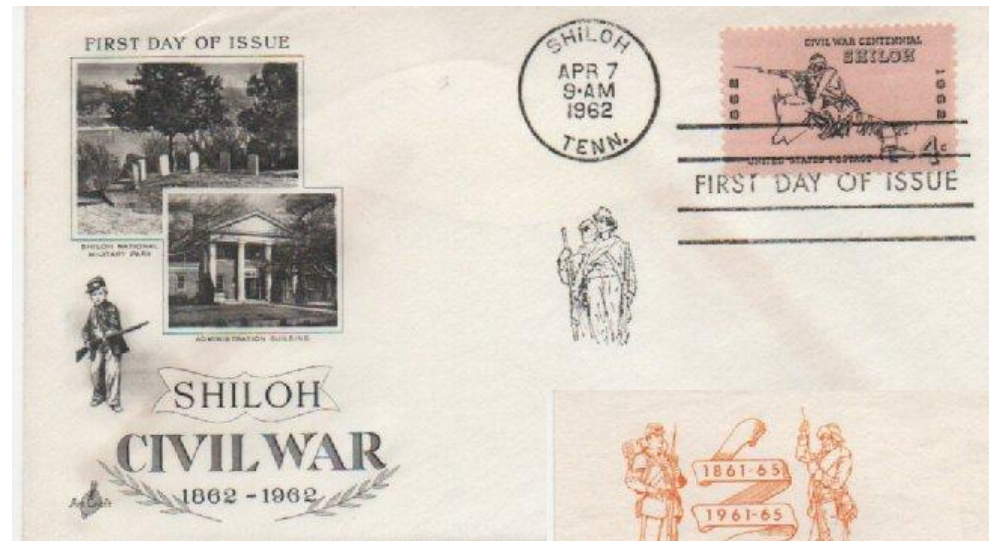
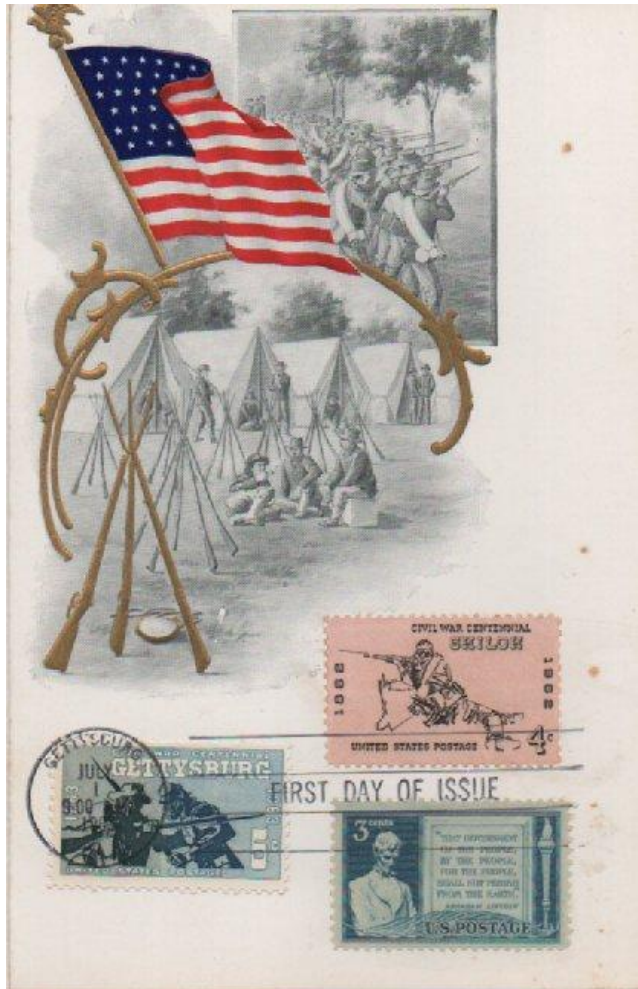
- Liberty Issue – home of Andrew Jackson, single franking on 3<sup>rd</sup> class



# The Battle of Shiloh – Shiloh

## #1179 April 7, 1862 four cent black on peach blossom

- Civil War Centennial rifleman at the Battle of Shiloh

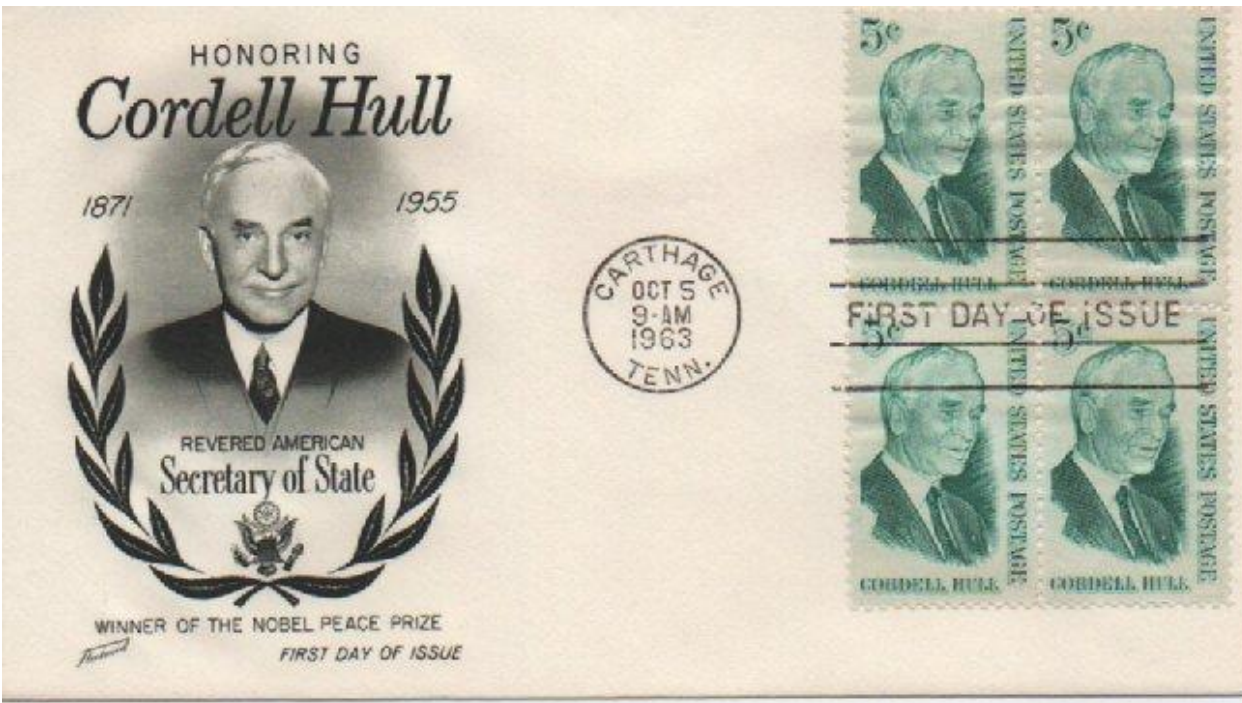




# Cordell Hull – Carthage

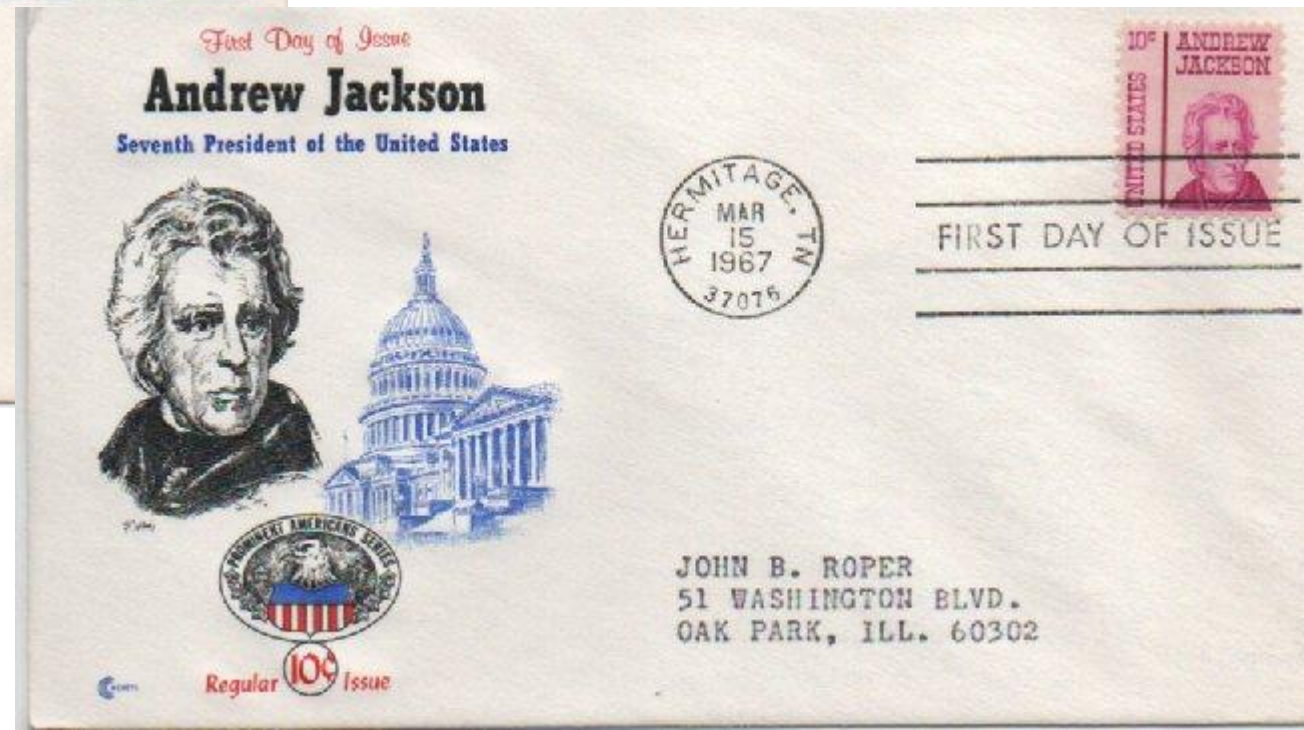
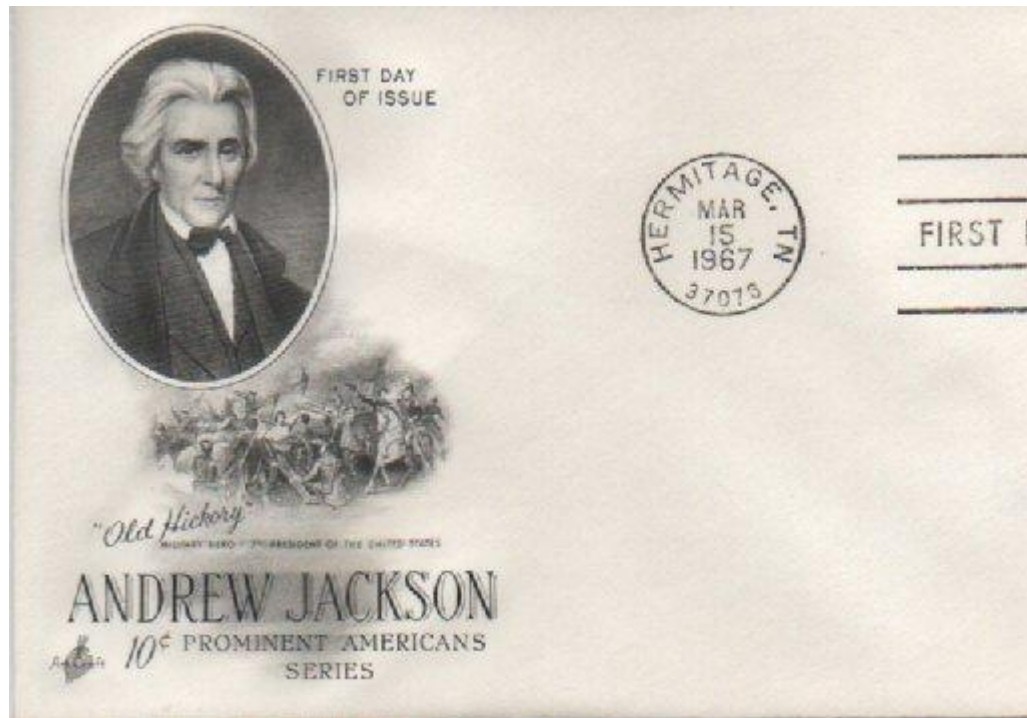
## #1235 October 5, 1963 five cent blue green

- Cordell Hull (1871-1955) Secretary of State (1933-1944)



# Andrew Jackson – Hermitage #1286 May 15, 1967 10 cent lilac

- Prominent Americans Issue

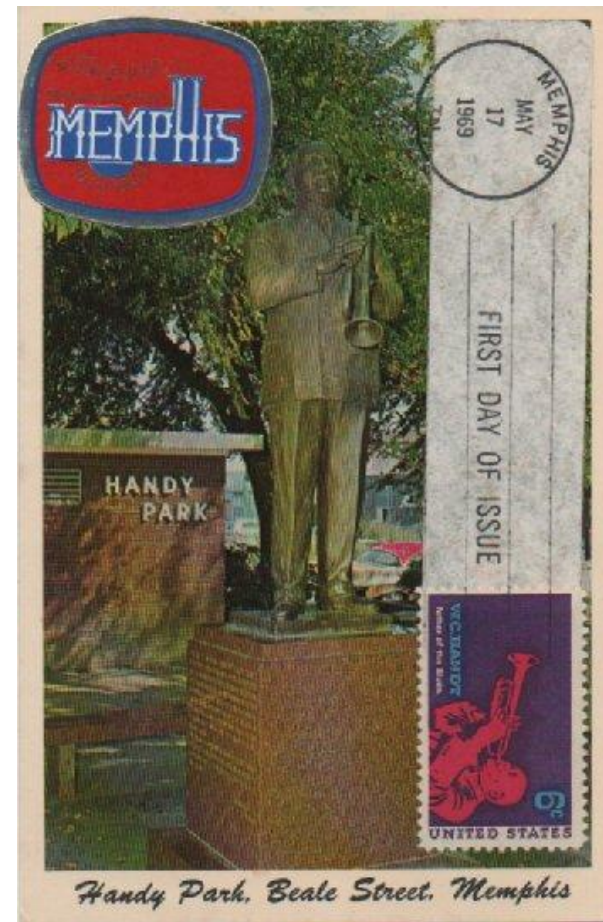




# W. C. Handy –Memphis

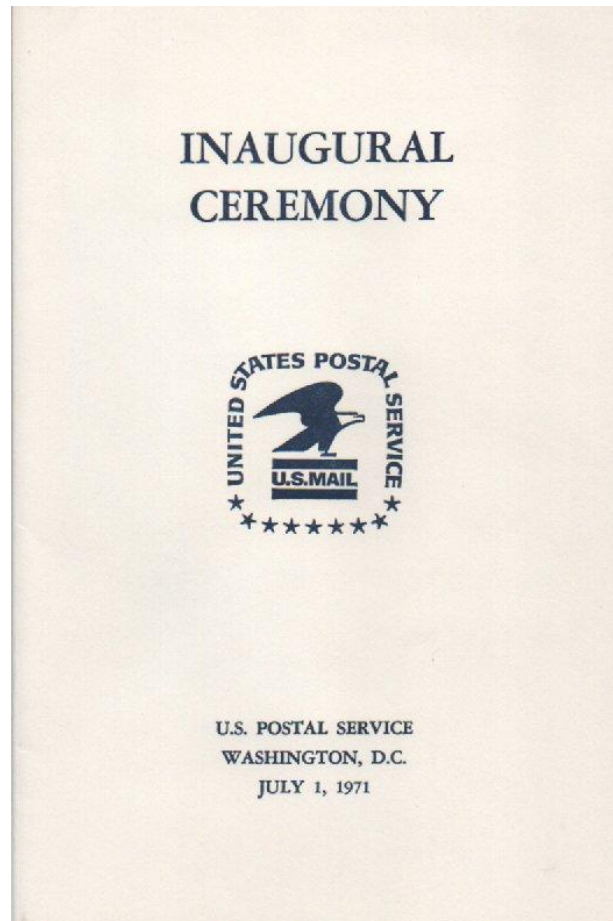
#1372 May 17, 1969 six cent violet, deep lilac & blue

- William Christopher Handy (1873-1958) jazz musician and composer



# U.S. Postal Service emblem – any city #1396 July 1, 1971 eight cent multicolored

- Available at 1000's of post offices across the U.S.A.





# Tennessee state flag – Nashville #1648 February 23, 1976 13 cent

- First day makers serviced all 50 state capitals



“A” eagle rate change stamp – Memphis  
#1735, 1736, July 11, 1978 15 cent orange

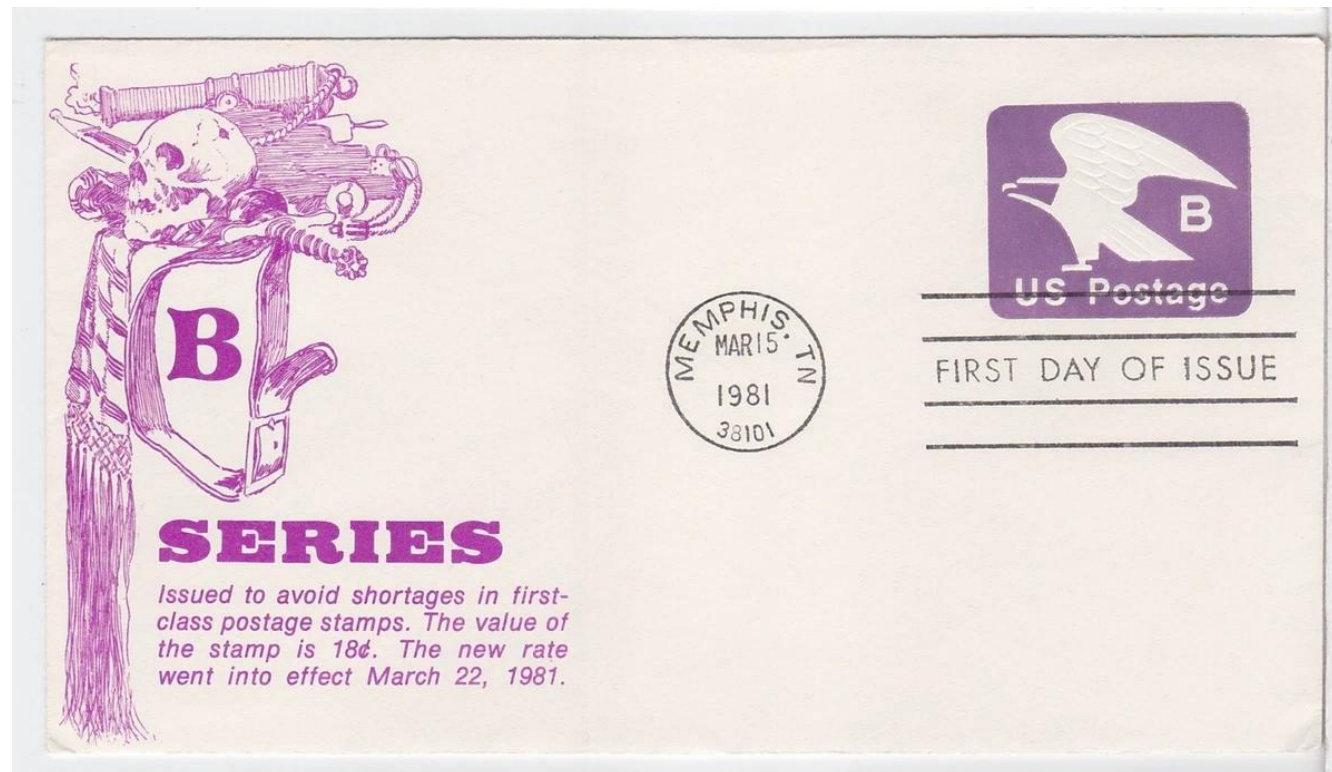
- Sheet of 100 and booklet of 8, non-denominated and U580 postal stationery





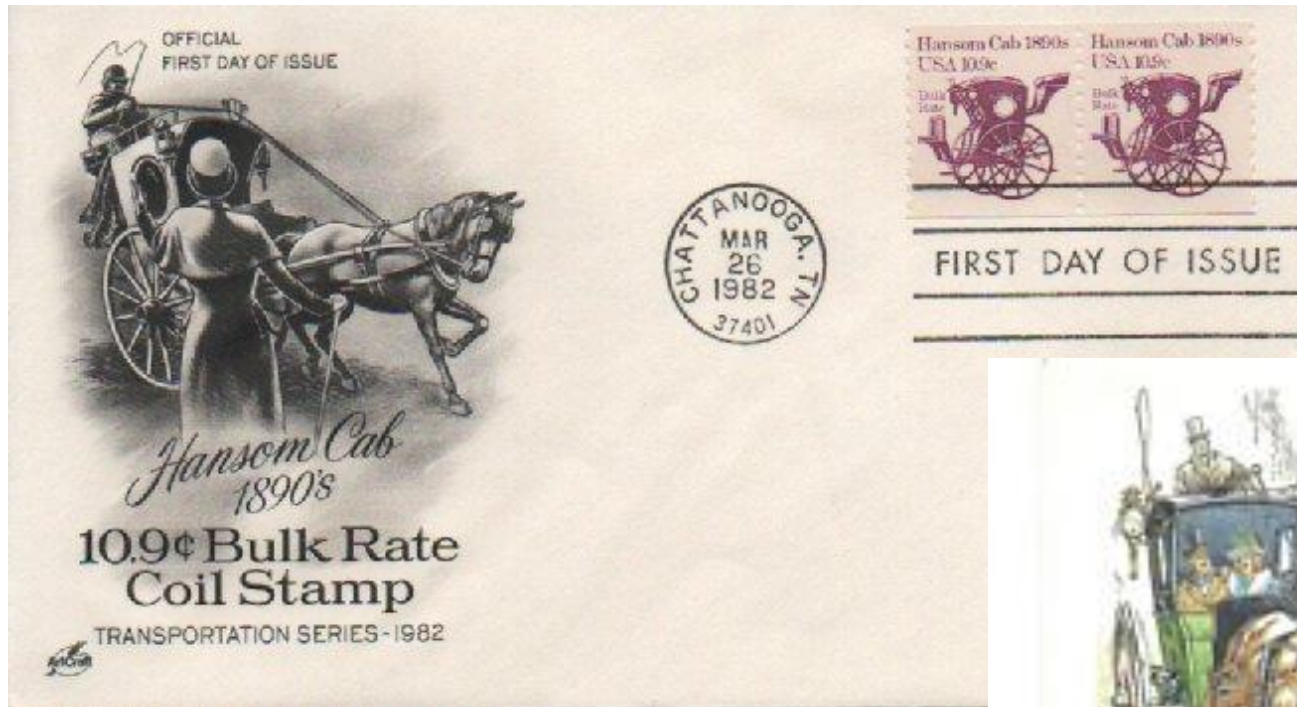
# “B” eagle rate change envelope – Memphis U595, March 15, 1981 (18 cent) purple

- The first day city for the B rate was San Francisco, but Memphis got the postal envelope!



# Hansom Cab – Chattanooga

#1904, March 25, 1982 10.9 cent purple



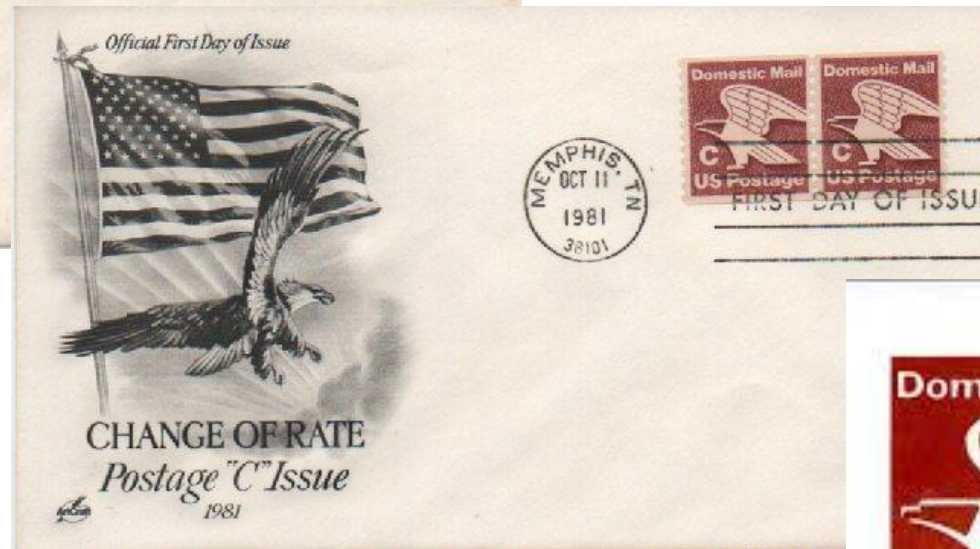
Event: The stamp was issued at CHATTAPEX, the Chattanooga Stamp Club's 50th-anniversary show.





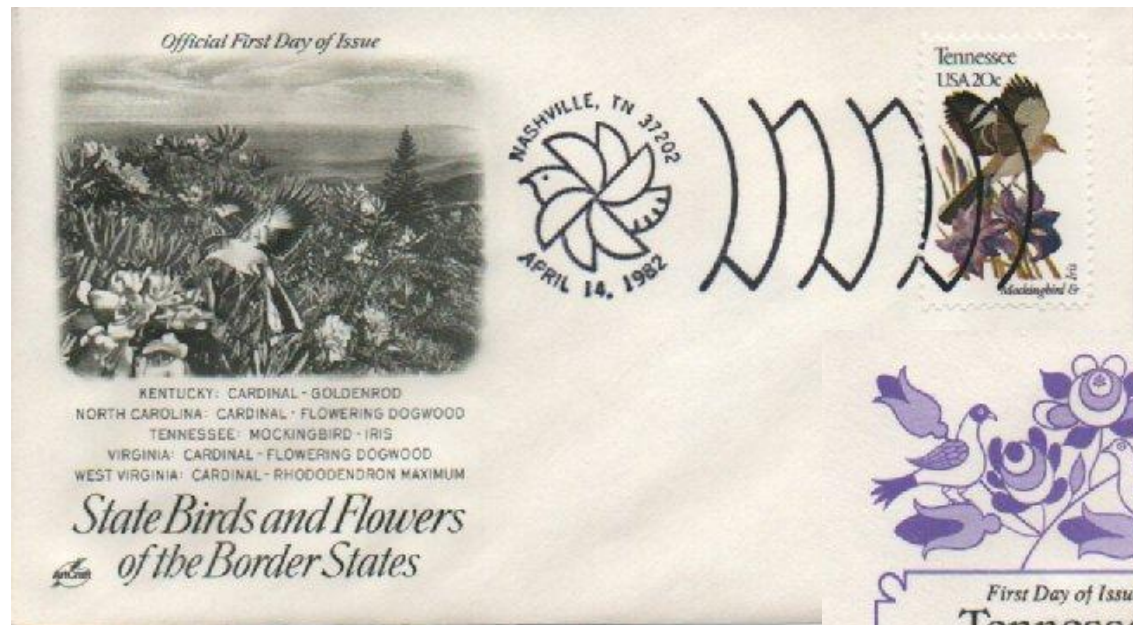
“C” eagle rate change stamp – Memphis  
#1946, 47, 48 October 11, 1981, (20 cent) brown

- 20 cent rate change in sheets, coil, & booklet & U594 postal stationery



# State Birds and Flowers Issue – Nashville #1994 April 14, 1982 20 cent multi

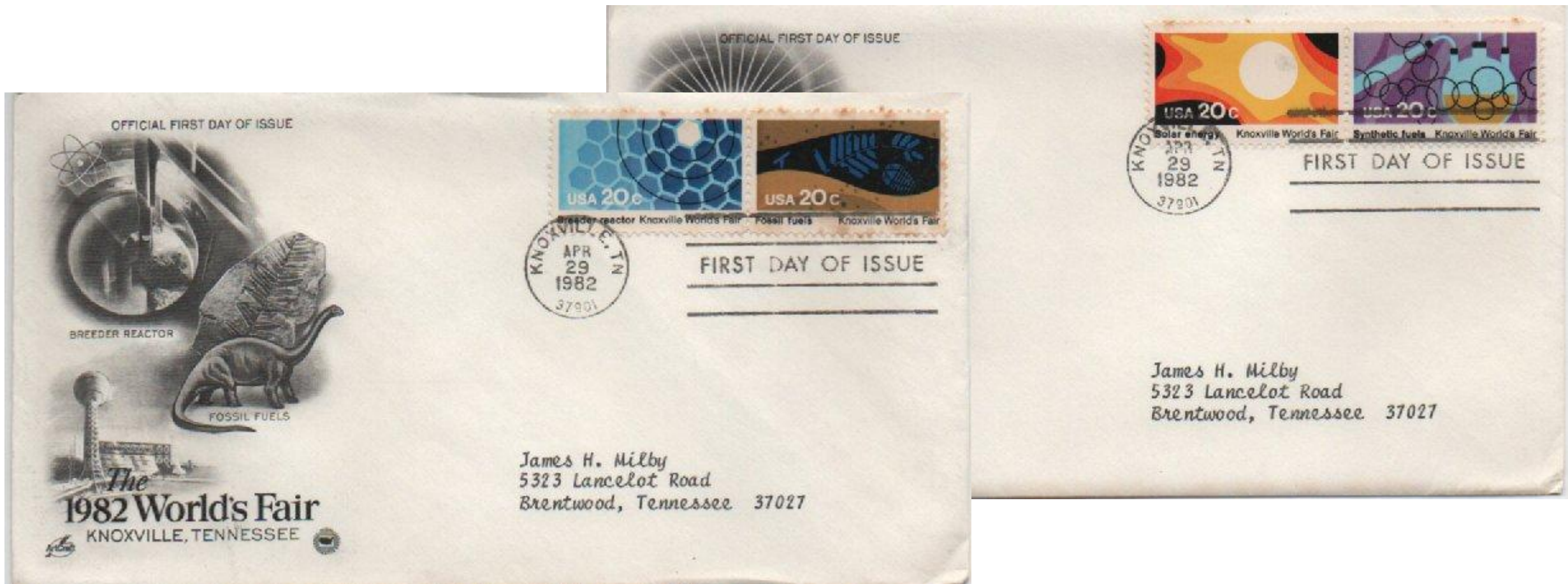
- All 50 states with 1<sup>st</sup> day at Washington or any state capital.





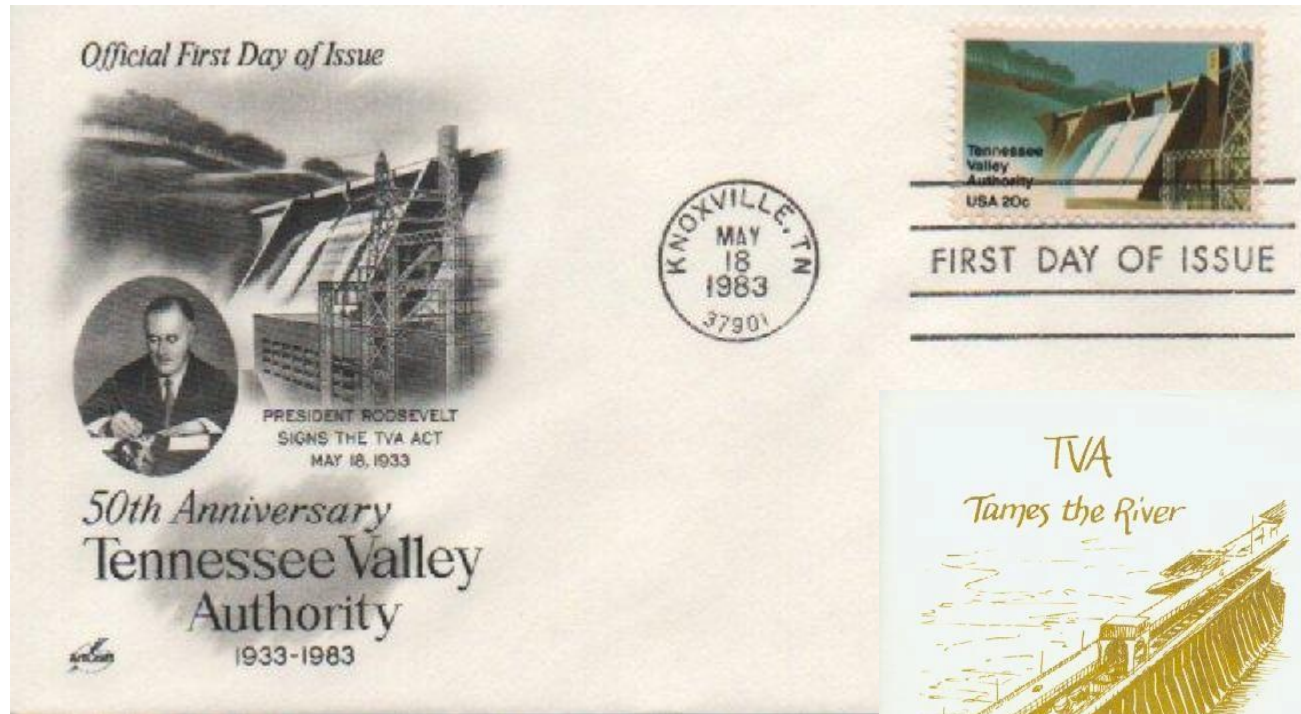
# Knoxville World's Fair – Knoxville #2006-2009 April 29, 1982 20 cent multi

- Knoxville World's Fair theme – energy: solar, synthetic, breeder & fossil



# 50<sup>th</sup> Tennessee Valley Authority – Knoxville

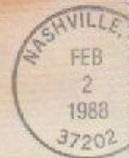
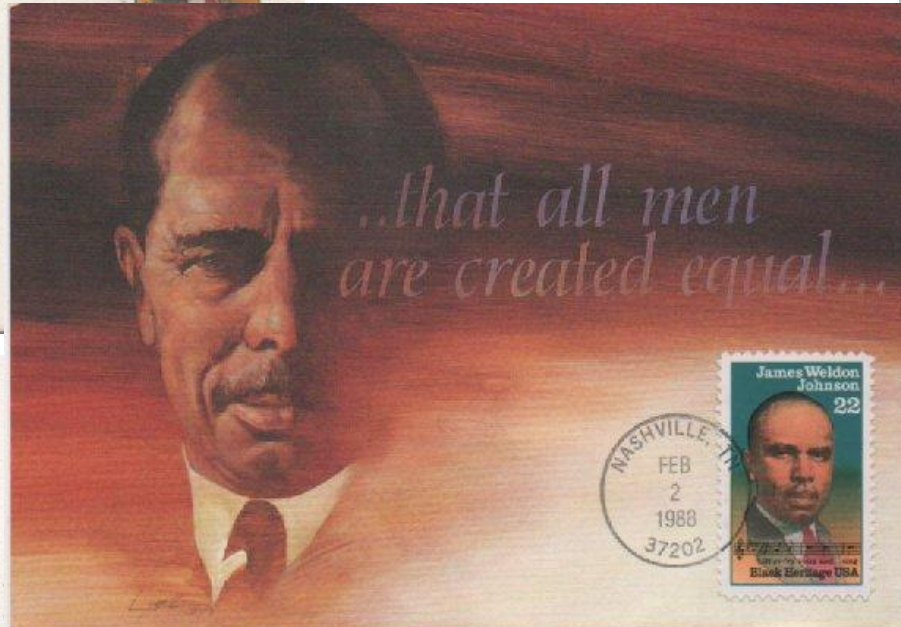
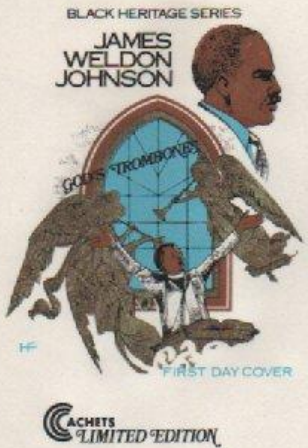
## #2042 May 18, 1983 – 20 cent multi





# James Weldon Johnson – Nashville #2371 February 2, 1988 22 cent multi

- James Weldon Johnson (1871-1938) author and lyricist: *Lift Every Voice and Sing*



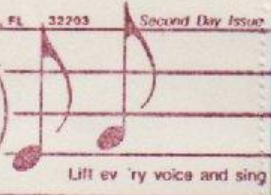
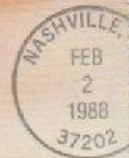
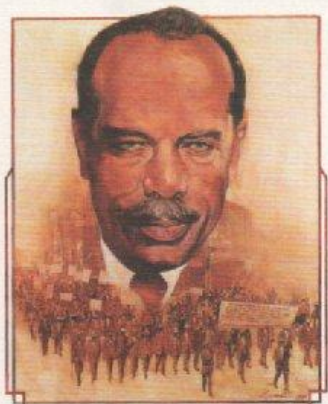
FIRST DAY OF ISSUE



Mr. Thomas Quinn  
Hysol Division  
Dexter Corporation  
Olean, NY 14760



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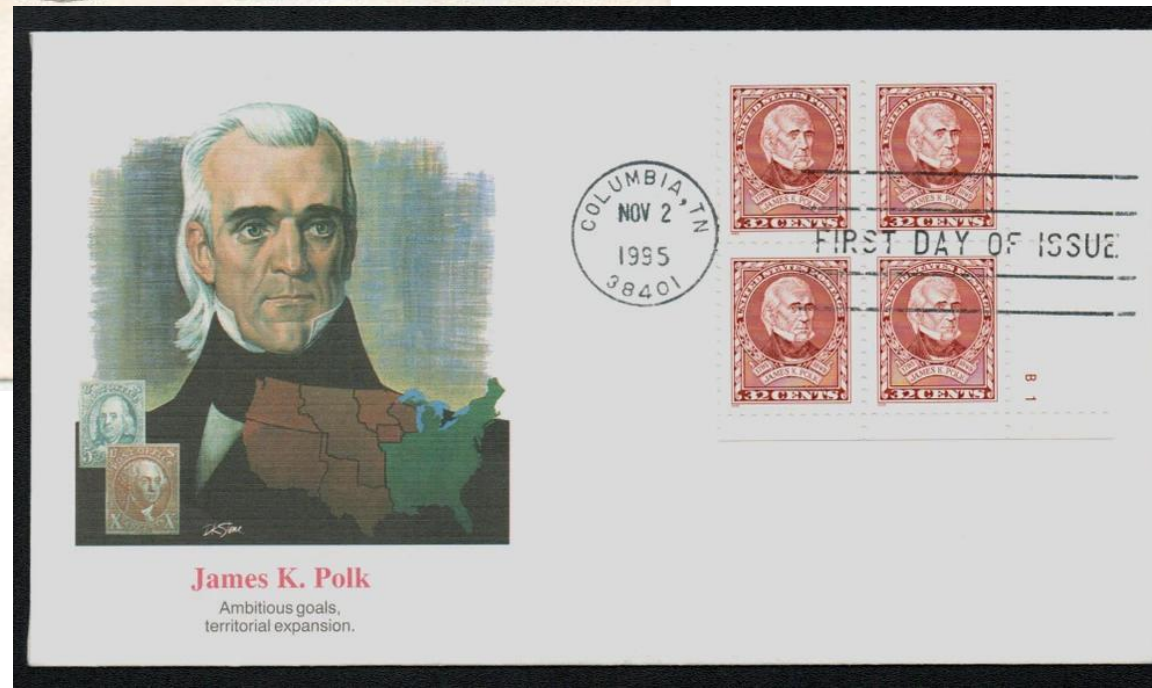
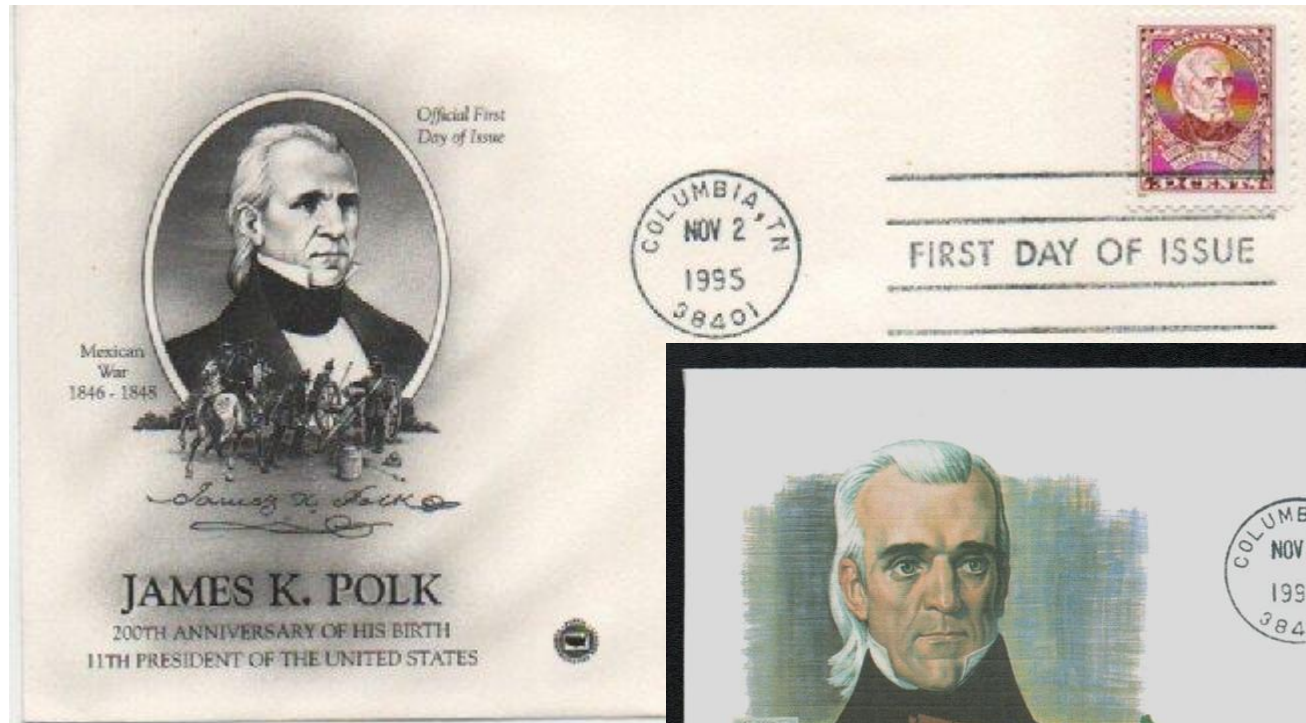




# James K. Polk – Columbia

## #2587 November 2, 1995 32 cent red brown

- President Polk (1795-1849) 11<sup>th</sup> president 1845-1849.

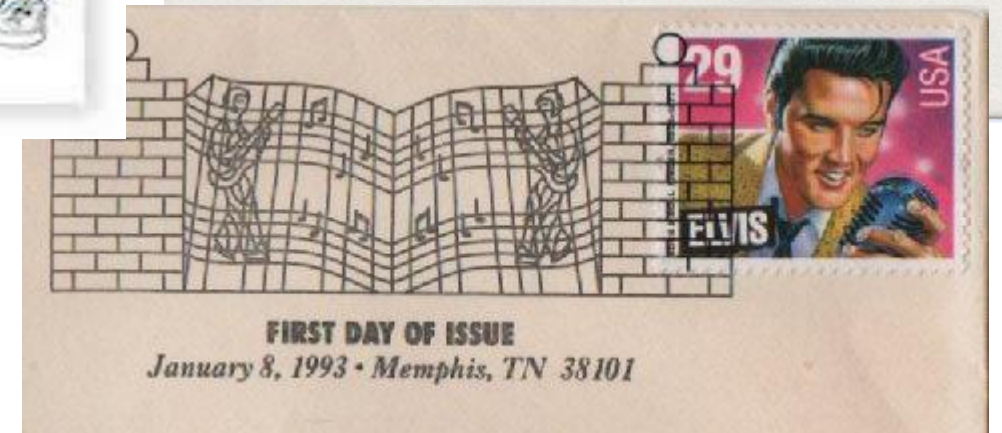
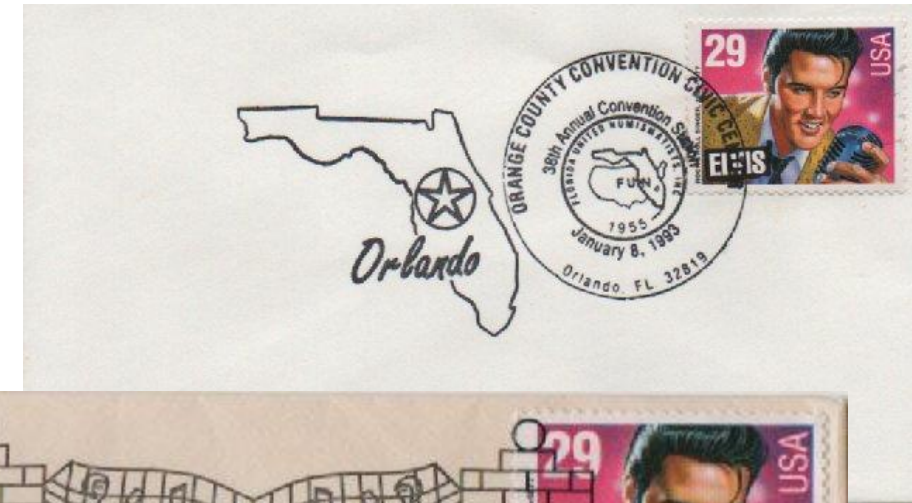
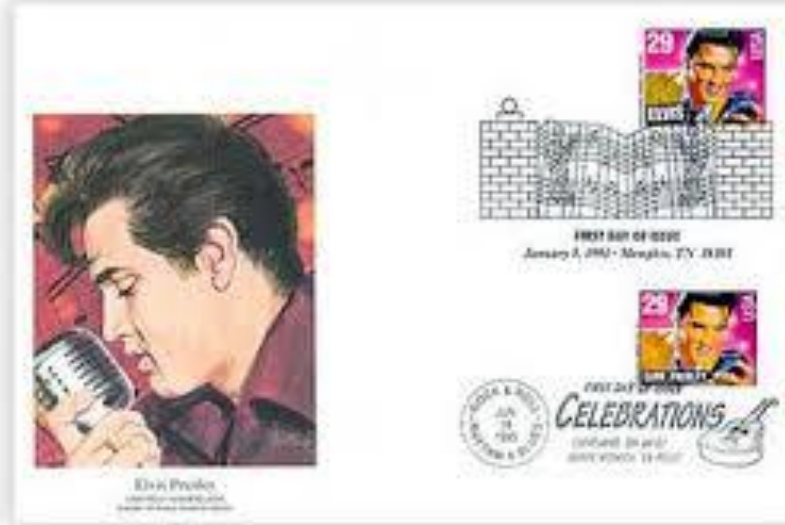
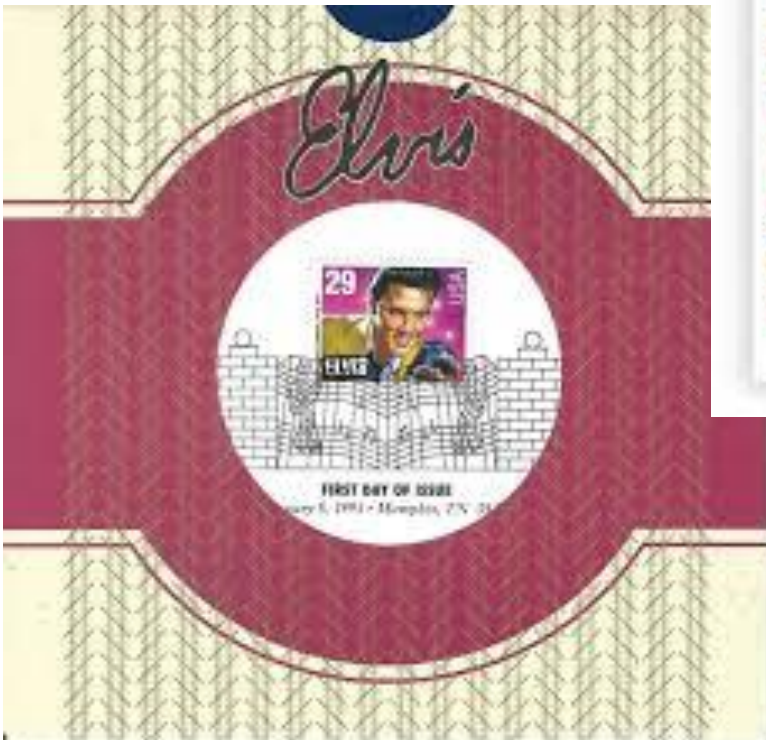




# Elvis Pressley – Memphis

#2721, 2724, 2731, January 8, 1993 & June 16 29 cent multi

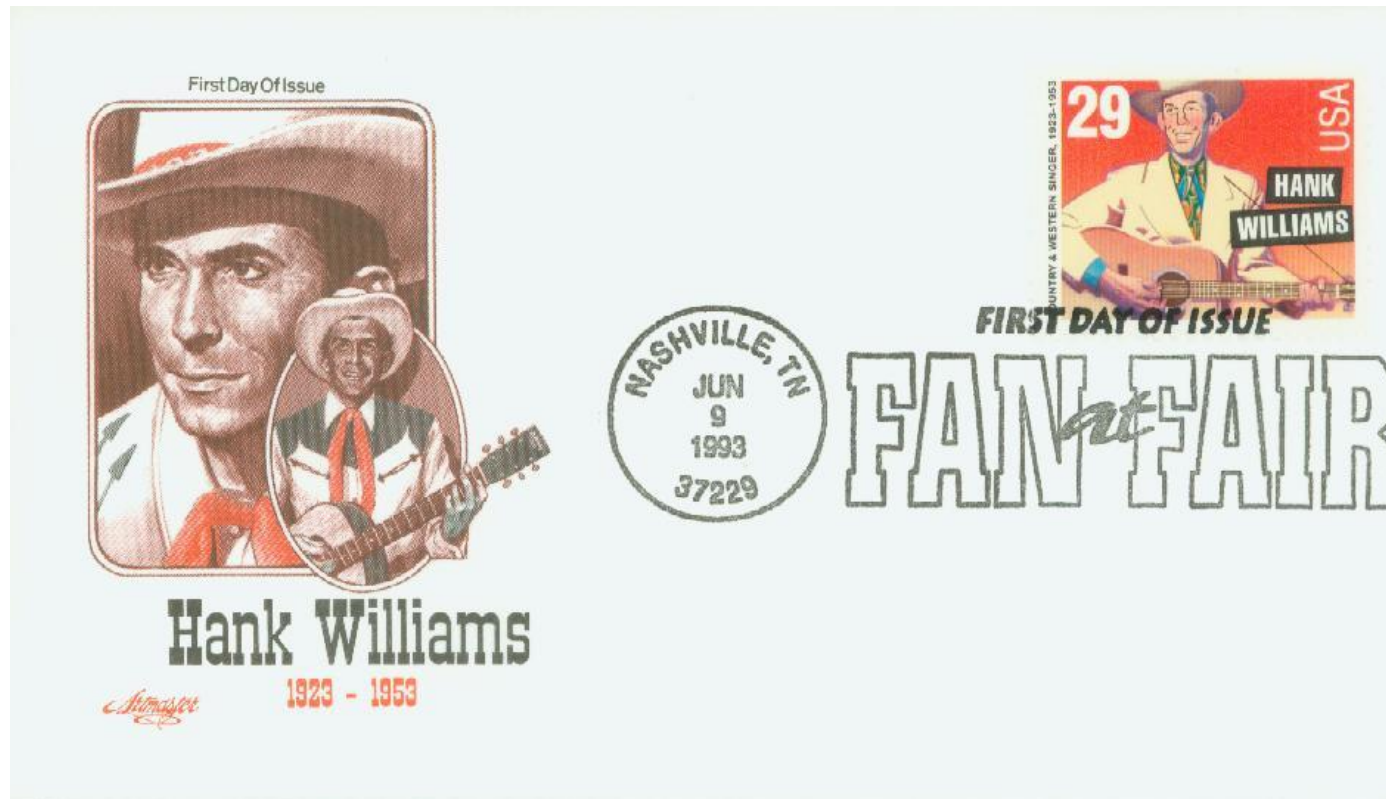
- American Music Series appears as single sheet stamp and one of eight rock & roll/rhythm & blues singers sheet and booklet first day at the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland.



# Hank Williams – Nashville

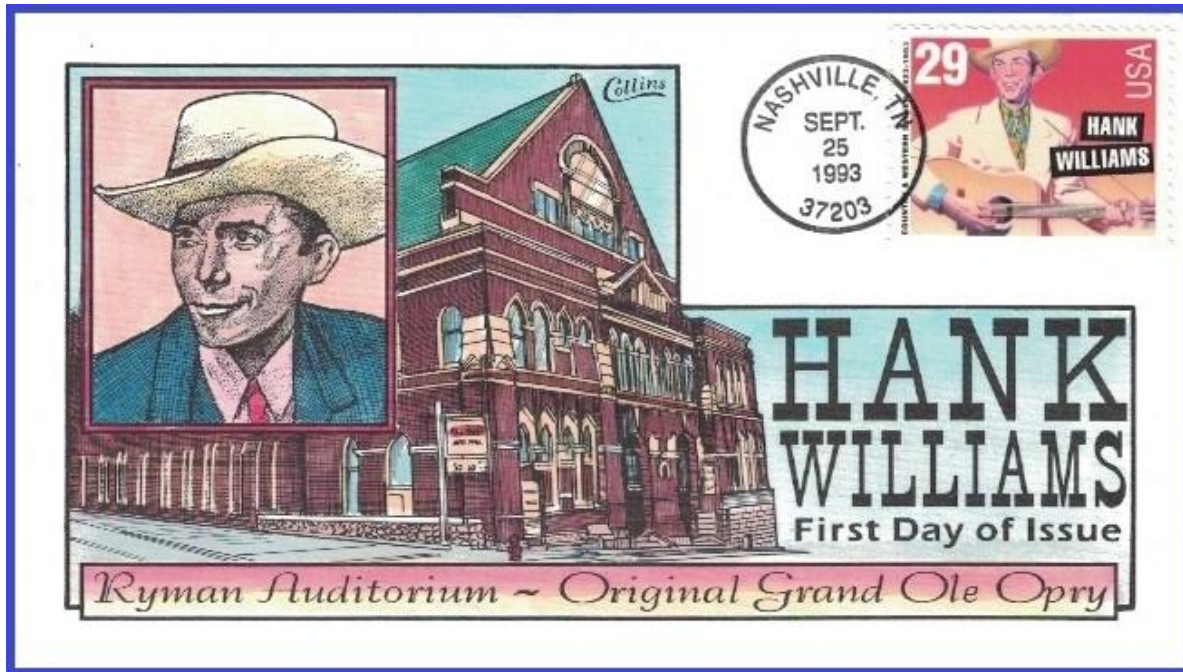
#2723 June 9, 1999 29 cent multi

- Stand alone issue - Part of American music series

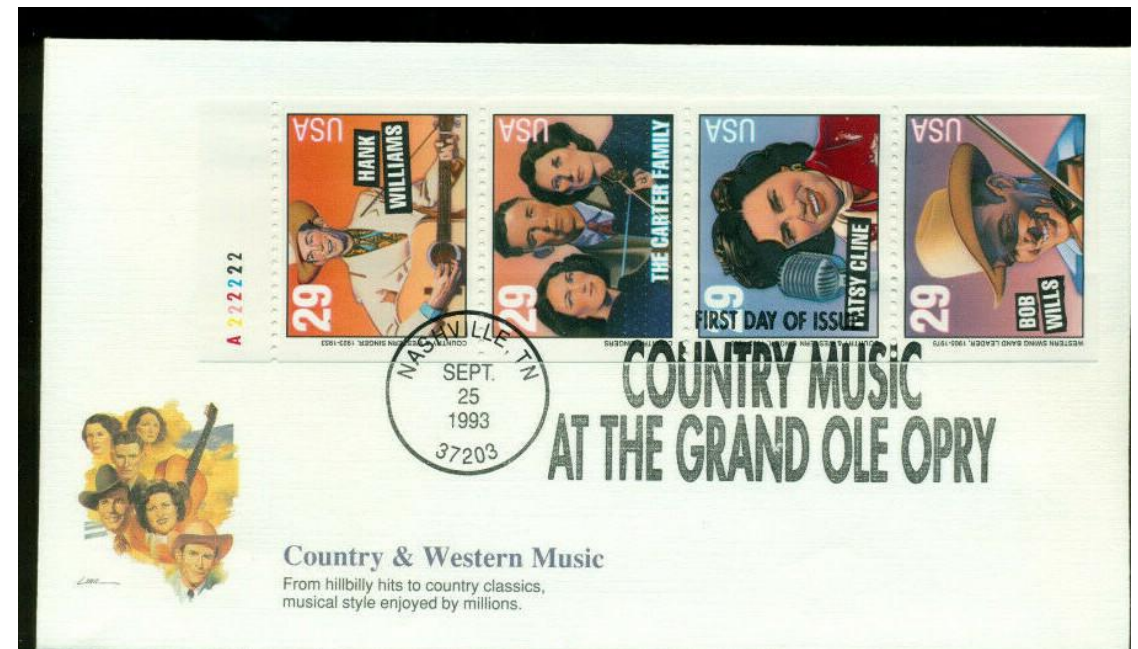




# Hank Williams, Patsy Cline, The Carter Family, & Bob Willis Nashville #s 2771-78 September 25, 1993 29 cent multi



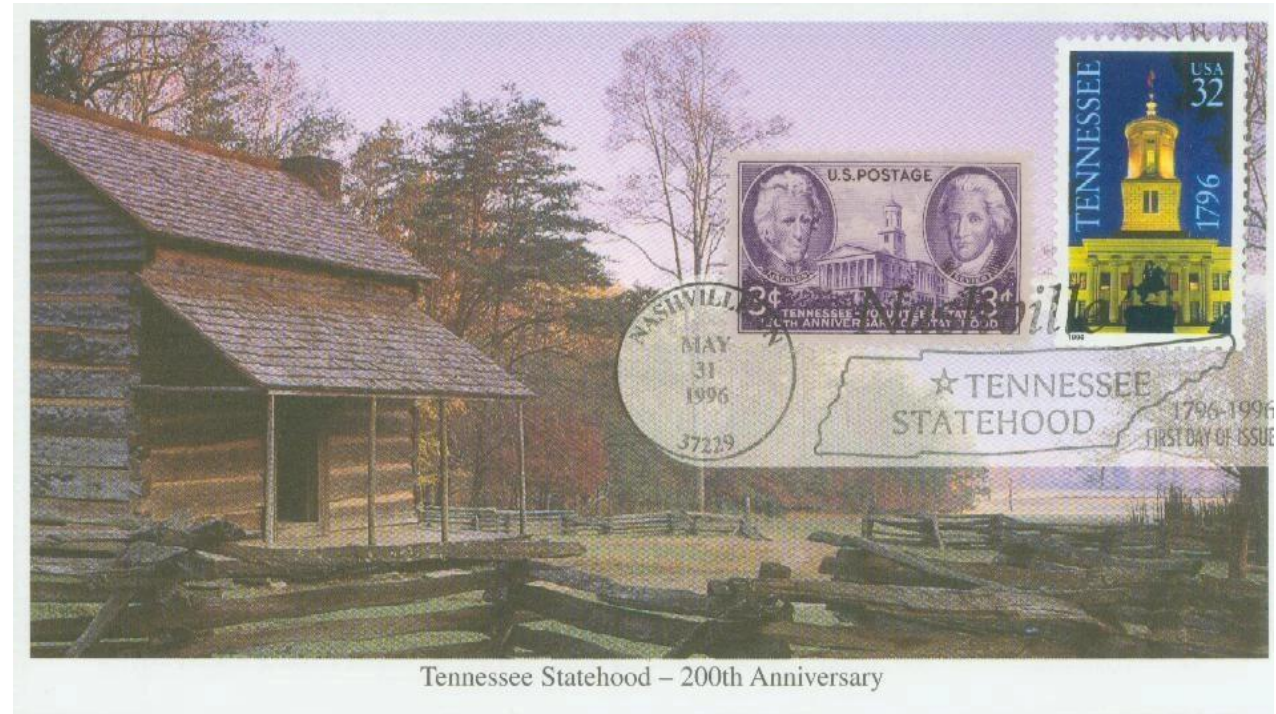
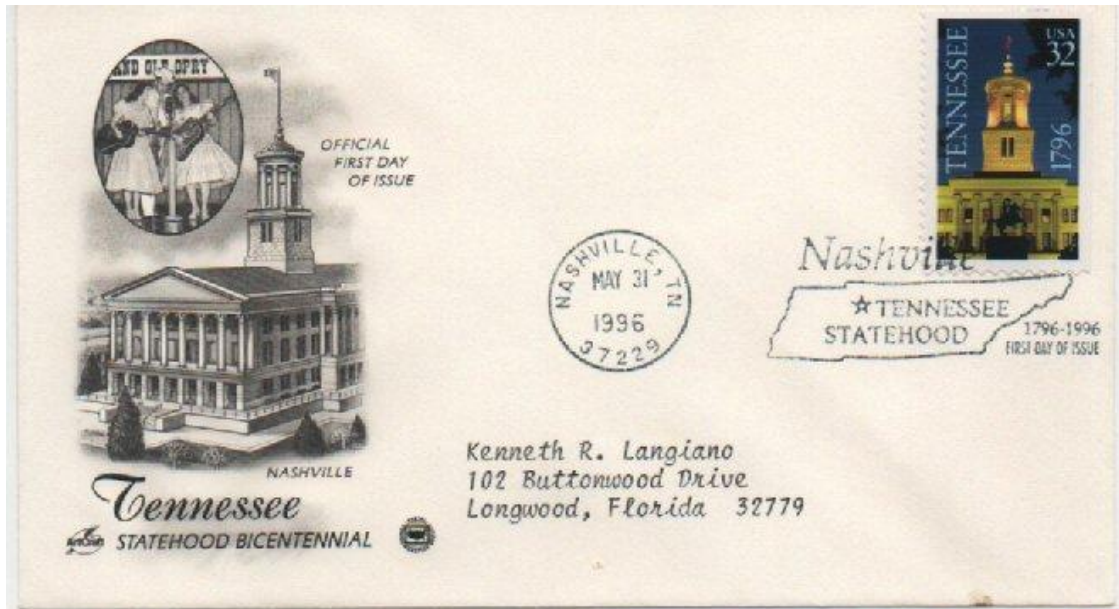
- American Music Series – Country music in sheet, singles and booklets of four





# Tennessee Statehood Bicentennial – Knoxville, Memphis, Nashville #3070 & 71 May 31, 1996 32 cent

- Sheet stamps and self adhesive booklet BK248





# Greetings from America – Nashville

## #3602 April 4, 2002 34 cent multi

- Issued in New York, but 1<sup>st</sup> day servicers could get state capital cancels



# Greetings from America – October 25, 2002, reissued in 37 cent

- Any state capital

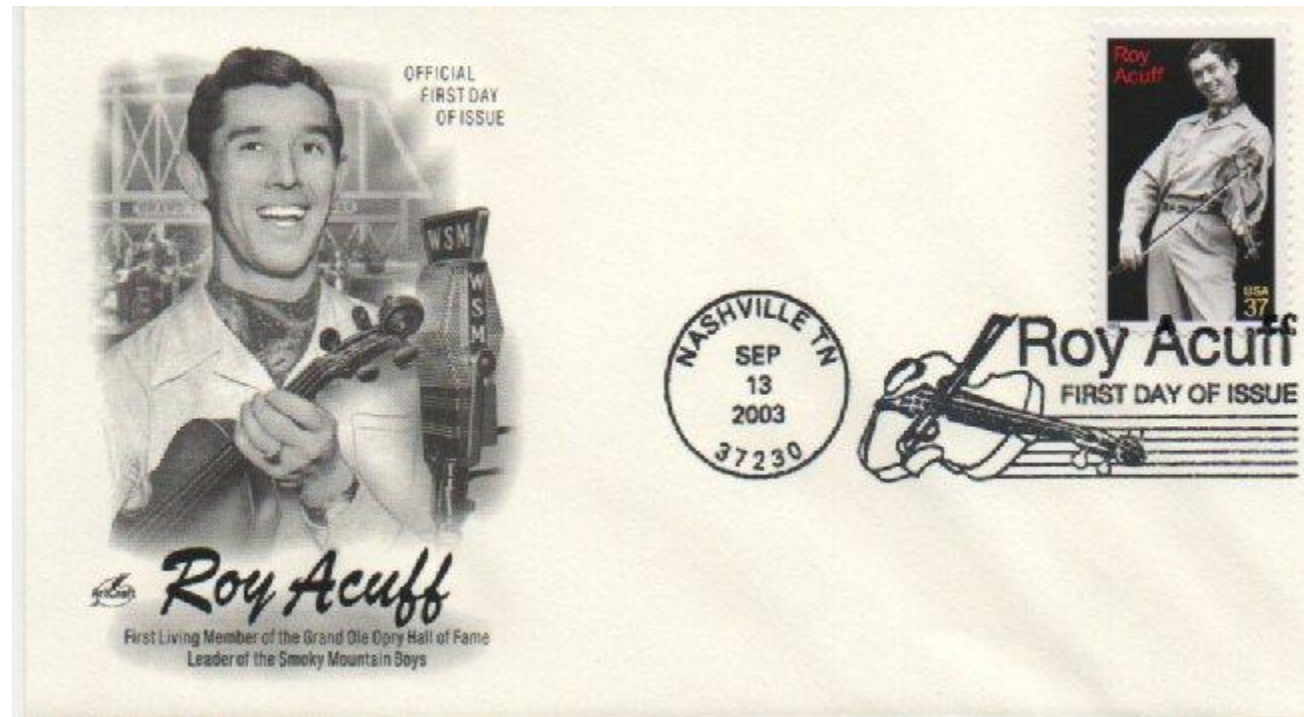




# Roy Acuff – Nashville

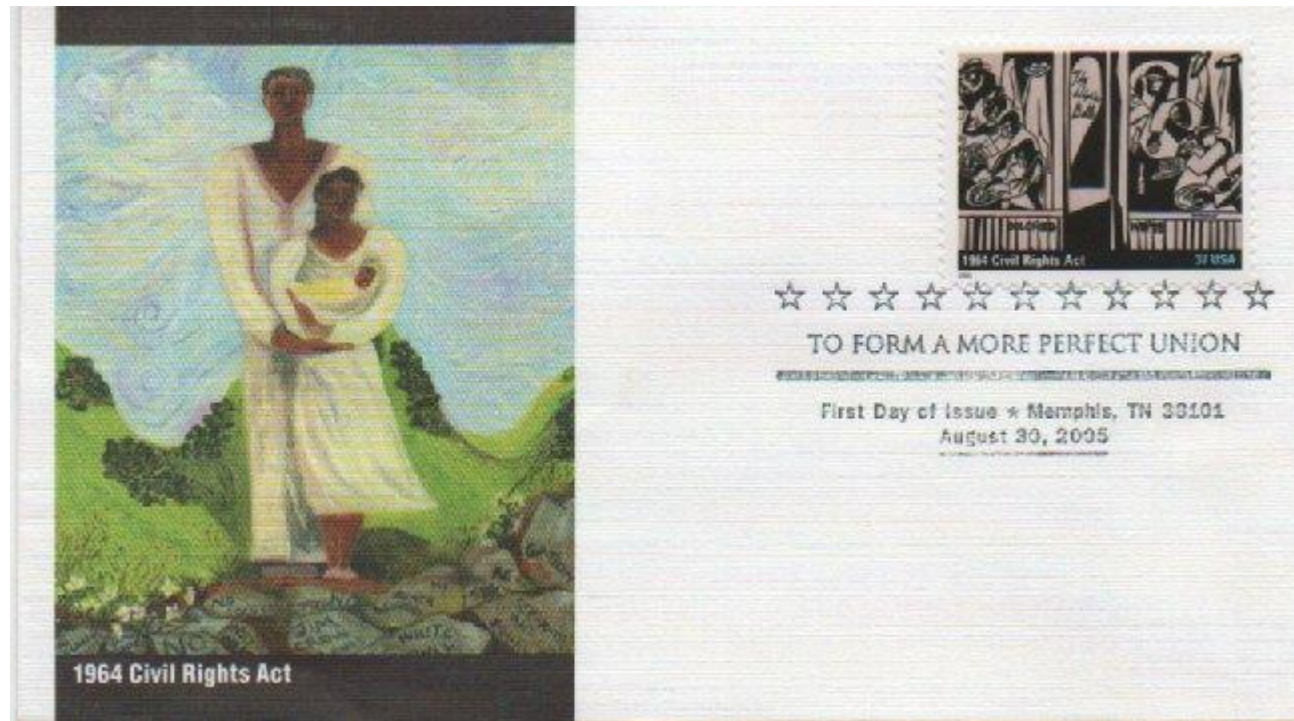
#3812 September 14, 2002 37 cent multi

- Roy Acuff (1903-1992) Country music artist and fiddler



# To Form a More Perfect Union – Memphis #3937a August 30, 2005 37 cent multi

- A sheet of self adhesive set of 10 marking important dates in the civil rights movement. Memphis one of seven cities.





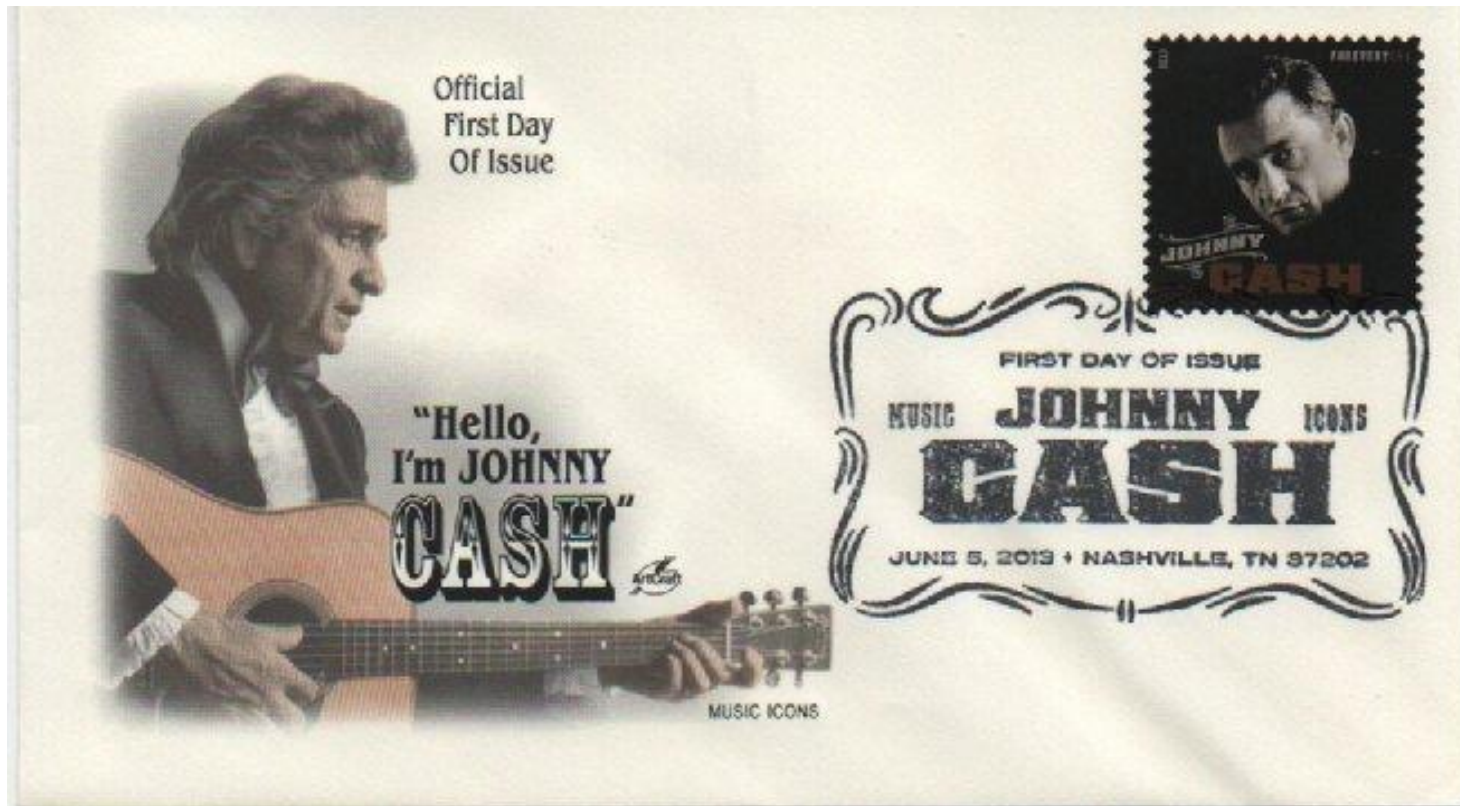
# Danny Thomas – Memphis #4628 February 16, 2012 (45 cent) multi

- Thomas (1912-1991) comedian and St. Jude's Children's and Research Hospital



# Johnny Cash – Nashville #4789 June 5, 2013 (49 cent)

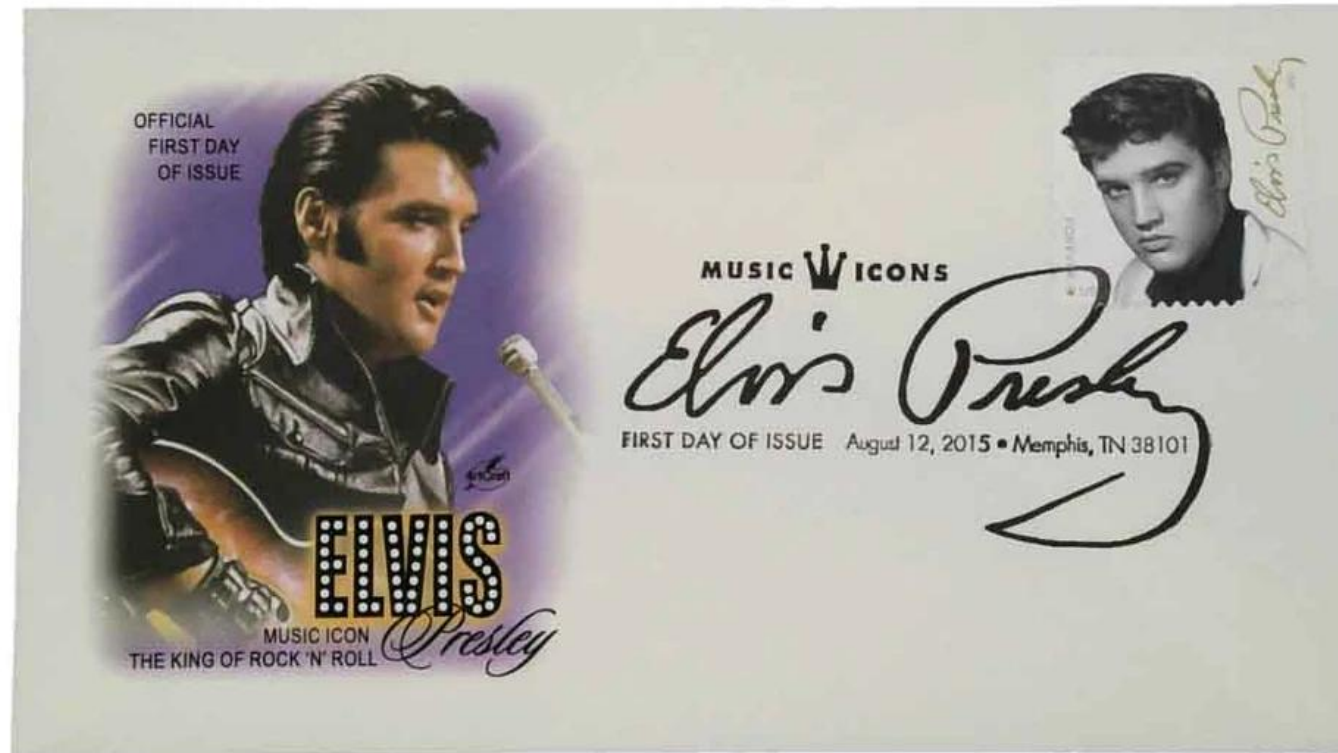
- Johnny Cash (1932-2003) country music recording artist





# Elvis Pressley – Memphis #5009 August 12, 2015 (49 cent)

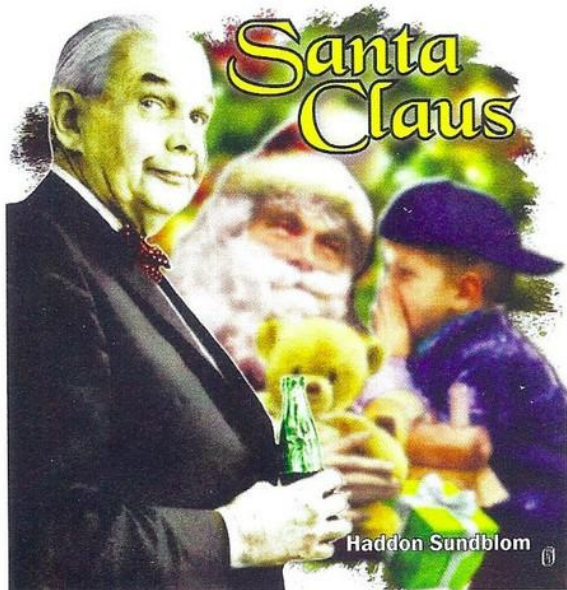
- Music Icons (1 of 12) - self adhesive die cut



# Santa Claus – Pigeon Forge

## #5232-35; 5236 October 11, 2018 (50 cent)

- Self adhesive booklet stamps and souvenir sheet of traditional art of Santa by Haddon Sundblom; ceremony at The Inn of Christmas Place.



Haddon Sundblom (1899-1976) was an American artist best known for the images of Santa Claus he created for The Coca Cola Company. The Santa stamps issued this year are details of those designs. *Panda Cachets*





# “Made of Hearts” Love stamp – Memphis #5431 January 23, 2020 (55 cent)

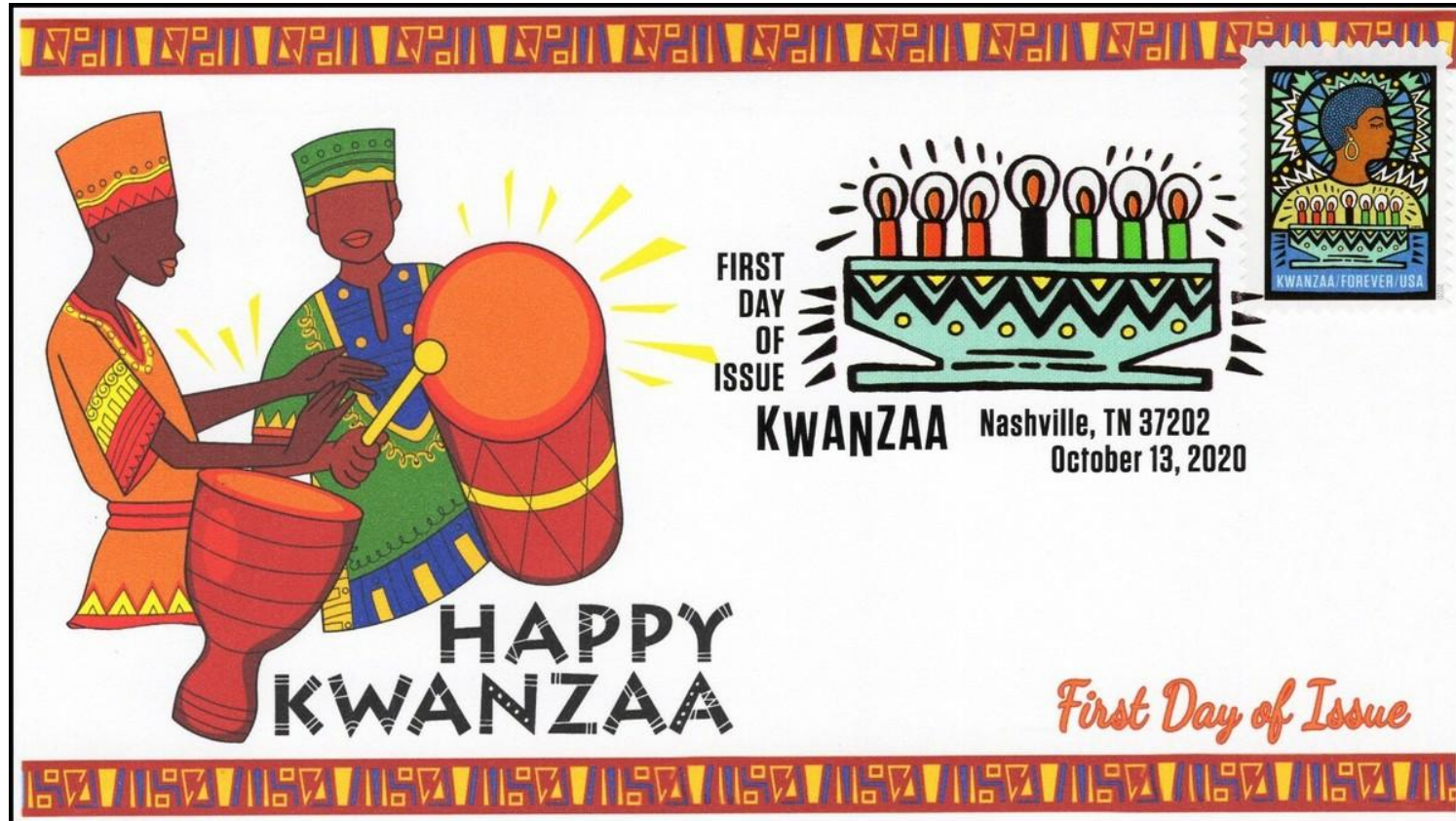
- Design of hearts making large heart self-adhesive serpentine die cut; the venue was St. Jude’s Hospital.



# Kwanzaa – Nashville

## #5531 October 13, 2020 (55 cent)

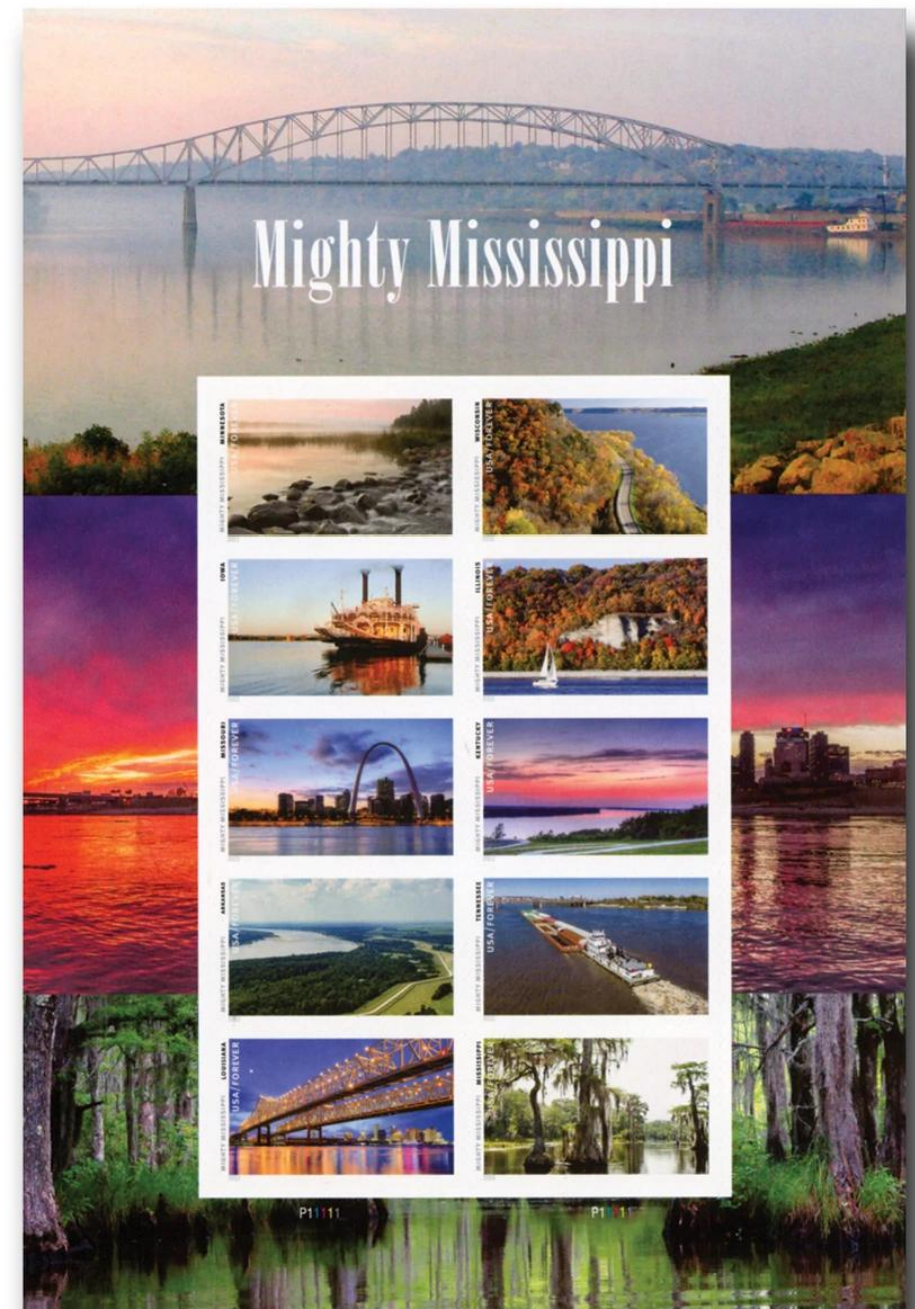
- Reflective woman holding a kinara (candleholder); self adhesive serpentine die cut, pane of 20; released virtually because of Covid 19





# Mighty Mississippi River – Memphis #5698 a.-u. May 23, 2022 (58 cent)

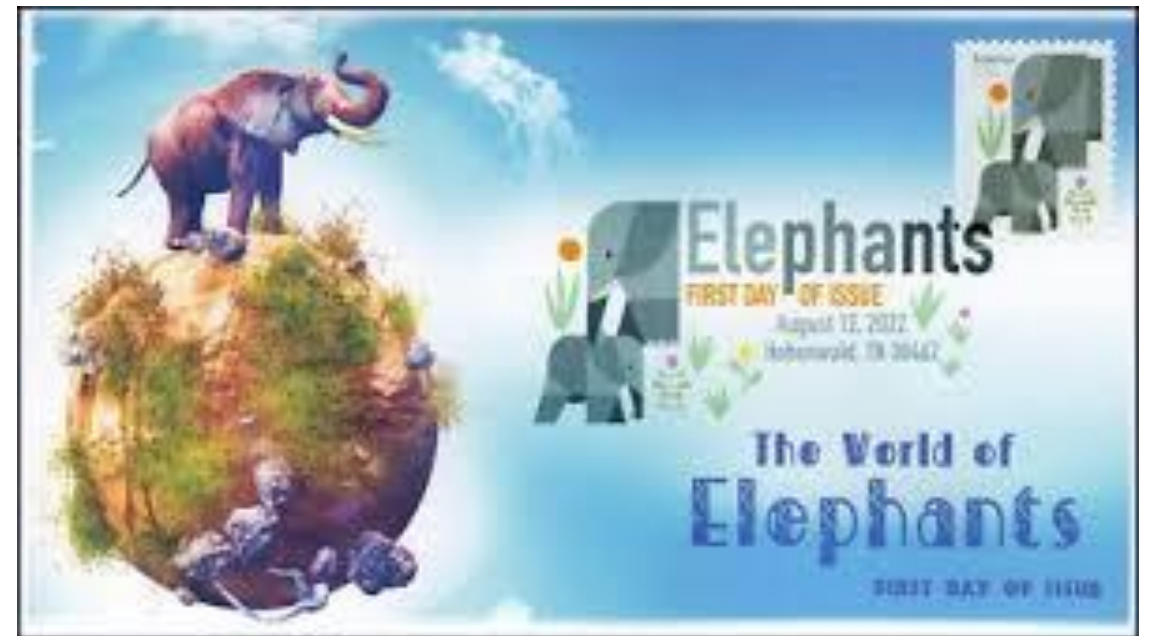
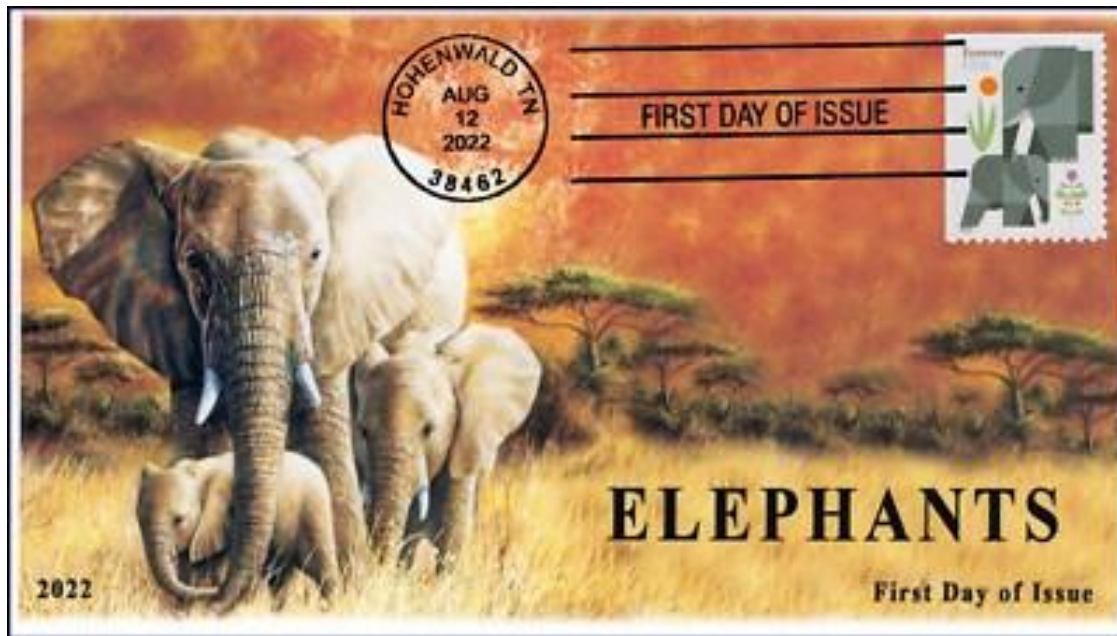
- 10 views of the Mississippi river along its route; pane of 10 serpentine die cut





# Adult elephant and calf – Hohenwald #5714 August 12, 2022 (60 cent)

- Self adhesive serpentine die cut of 20
- Lewis County, TN – only elephant sanctuary in the U.S.

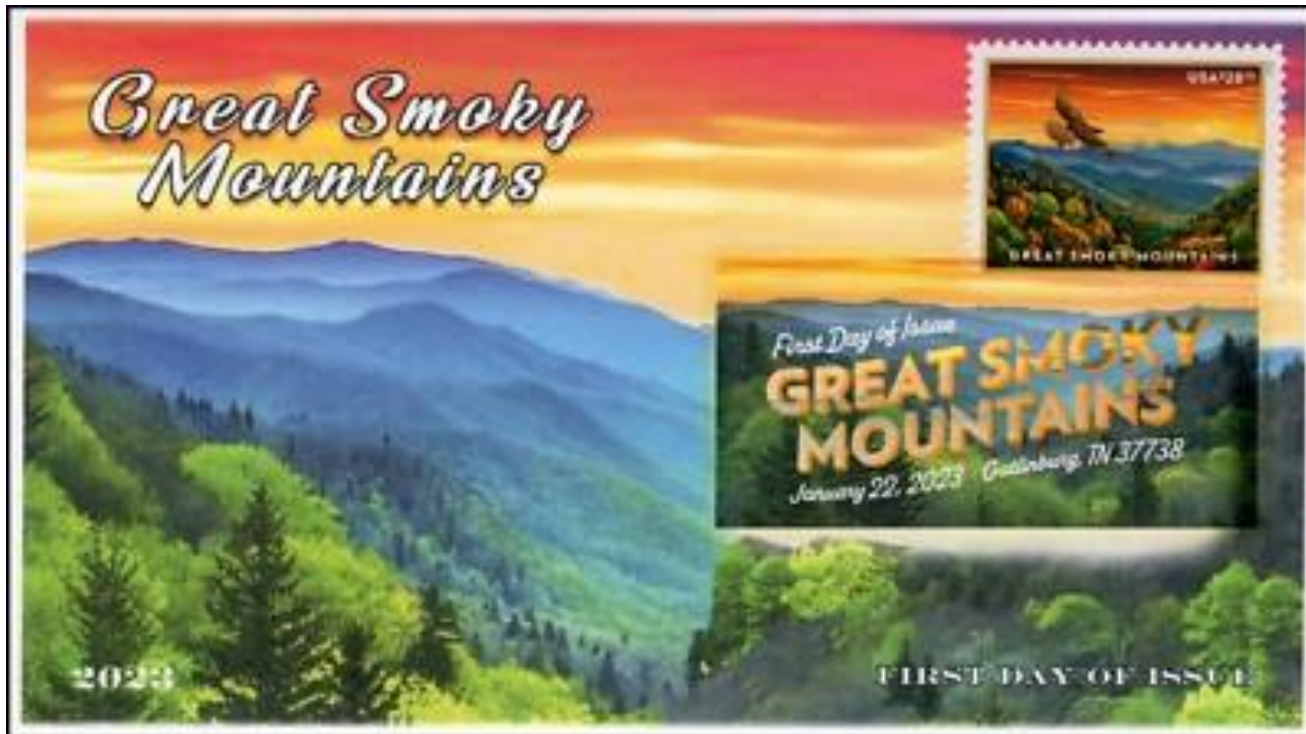




# Great Smokey Mountains – Gatlinburg

#5752 January 22, 2023 \$26.95

- American Landmarks series for priority mail express stamp; scene near Newfound Gap with red tailed hawk. Panes of four serpentine die cut self adhesive



# Ryman Auditorium – Nashville

## UX 313 March 18, 2000 20 cent postal card

Ford ended his act with his tagline: "I'm goin' back to the wagon, boys, these shoes are killin' me."

