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(reading)

Walt Disney

Walt Disney was an American original man who developed the animated film into art form. A brilliant businessman, he also created Disneyland.

Walt Disney was born on Sunday, December, 1901. He remembered nothing of his early years in Chicago.

As Walt grew older he went far away from the family farm and watched the animals that lived in the woods.

Walt was almost 7 when he was enrolled at the Park School. He read the standard texts, studied arithmetic, writing, geography and spelling. One of his discoveries was the movie house in Marceline.

In 1911, when Walt was 10 years old, the family moved to Kansas City. Mr. Disney bought a newspaper delivery business and expected Walt to help with the newspaper business and deliver newspapers. After school Walt and Roy delivered newspapers, but their father didn't pay them any money. On Saturday mornings he took classes in painting and drawing at the Kansas City Art Institute.

In 1917 Walt Disney moved to Chicago and took a job at the post office and took classes at Chicago Academy of Fine Art. Some of his teachers were cartoonists on the Chicago newspapers.

His next job was drawing cartoons for screen advertisement in movie theatres.

In some years in Hollywood Walt rented an old camera and a garage, which he turned into a small studio. Walt's brother Roy became his partner "Alice in Cartoonland" was one of his first cartoons.

For years Walt had thought about creating a perfect amusement park. He decided to call it "Disneyland".

"Disneyland" was Walt's biggest success. All of Walt Disney's cartoon characters walk though the street of Disneyland to greet its many visitors.

Walt died on December 14, 1966 at the age of 65.