

GEORGE JOHN MITCHELL, JR.

George John Mitchell, Jr., of the Class of 1954, graduate of Georgetown University School of Law, you served the American public first as an officer in the Army and then as a trial attorney in the United States Department of Justice. Later, while a partner in a Portland law firm, you became active in state and national politics. More recently, as United States Attorney for Maine and as United States District Court Judge for the District of Maine, you honed the skills that have been the hallmark of your exemplary leadership in the public interest. Now, as United States Senator from Maine, you continue to affirm President McKeen's dictum that Bowdoin alumni should serve "the common good."

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