



Scientists and Inventors

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Join us this year to enjoy a short story in each chapter about an American scientist or inventor that changed the world. Some of them made small changes – furniture that serves more than one function. Some of them made big changes – improving the way we grow the food we eat. Some of them are famous – the Wright Brothers and John Deere. Some of them will probably be new names – Lyda D. Newman and George Alcorn, Jr. All of the stories emphasize the lives of normal people who found a problem, looked for a solution, and made their dreams a reality. The chapter exercises will encourage students to find inspiration for their own discoveries in their local newspaper.