

JUDITH RESNICK



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ENGINEER/ASTRONAUT

The second American woman astronaut, she was mission specialist on the space shuttle Discovery in 1984. She died with her fellow crewmembers of the Challenger when it exploded shortly after takeoff in 1986.

Date of Birth: April 5, 1949

Birthplace: Akron, Ohio

Notable Awards:

NASA Space Flight Medal (1984)

Judith A. Resnik Award established by The Institute of Electrical and Electronics Engineers (1986)

Congressional Space Medal of Honor (2004)

Crater on the moon was named Resnik by the International Astronomical Union.

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