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Profile



Name: Eric Cantor

Hometown: Richmond,
Virginia

Current job: Member, U.S. House of
Representatives.

Hobbies: Spending time at my kid's sporting
events, reading, and spending time with family.

Songs on my playlist: "Desert Rose,"
by Sting; "Ordinary People," by John Legend;
"Don't Stop Believin'," by Journey.

Books that I'd recommend: *Leadership*
by Rudolph Giuliani; *Hatred's Kingdom* by Dore
Gold; and, *Captive Warriors* by Sam Johnson
and Jan Winebrenner.

Political inspiration: Presidents James
Madison and Ronald Reagan

**Most important issues facing
America:** War with an irreconcilable wing
of Islam, Global Competitiveness, Border
Security, Energy Independence, Health Care
Affordability

Why I am a Republican: Republicans
believe in a free society with a limited,
responsible government. We believe that
government does not empower its people, but
people empower their government. We believe
that individuals, with inherent ingenuity and
ambition, solve problems far more effectively
than does government.