

## Artifact Spotlight



Dale Leon Bumpers was one of the most respected politicians to ever hail from the state of Arkansas. He served as the state's thirty-eighth governor from 1971-75. He was elected to the U. S. Senate, representing Arkansas from 1975-1999. A socially liberal, fiscally conservative legislator, Bumpers was highly respected for his oratorical skills. The Charleston, Arkansas, native died on January 1, 2016. The museum preserves a number of artifacts documenting his political career.