

**The Famous Five &
The Person's Case**

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Being a "person" gives you rights. In today's society we are looking at if the following topics should be considered "persons":

- Animals
- Machines
- Corporations
- Irregular human life (such as someone in a coma)

In the 1920's women were not yet considered persons. Although they had some rights, they did not have anywhere near equal rights to men.

Due to these five females in 1929 (on October 18) women were legally recognized as persons under the law.

Today, we are going to look at these women and their fight for personhood further.