

BIOGRAPHICAL NOTES ON MR. VALERY GISCARD D'ESTAING

President of the Republic

Born: February 2, 1926

Education: Lycée Louis-le-Grand, Paris
Lycée Saint-Louis, Paris
Ecole Polytechnique, Paris
Ecole Nationale d'Administration, Paris

Career:

- 1944: At 18, enlisted in the Free French Forces; he took part in the battle for liberation and in the German campaign
- 1952: Official, Inspection des Finances
- 1954: Inspecteur des Finances
- 1956-58: Deputy for Puy de Dôme
- 1958: Re-elected for Clermont
- 1962,67: Deputy for Puy de Dôme
- 1959: Secretary of State for Finance
- 1962-66: Minister for Economy and Finance
- 1967: Mayor of Chamalières (near Clermont-Ferrand)
- 1969-74: Minister of Economy and Finance
- May 19, 1974: President of the French Republic

Married to Anne-Aymone de Brantes. Two sons and two daughters.