

Jon Meacham '81

Pulitzer Prize-winning author Jon Meacham and Grammy Award-winning Tim McGraw will be on a book tour this summer. Join them as they explore American history through music. During their joint book tour, Meacham and McGraw will give an intimate, behind-the-scenes look at what went into creating the book “Songs of America,” and their friendship as they combine their individual perspectives as writer and artist to create a unique view of the role music has played in uniting and shaping our nation. More information and tour dates can be found online at www.songsfamericabook.com

The author of the New York Times bestsellers *Thomas Jefferson: The Art of Power*, *American Lion: Andrew Jackson in the White House*, *Franklin and Winston*, *Destiny and Power: The American Odyssey of George Herbert Walker Bush*, and *The Soul of America: The Battle for Our Better Angels*, he is a distinguished visiting professor at Vanderbilt University, a contributing writer for *The New York Times Book Review*, and a fellow of the Society of American Historians.

Meacham was selected by the Bush family to be the official biographer for George H. W. Bush. He was asked to give the eulogies for President Bush and Barbara Bush when they both passed away in 2018.

Meacham lives in Nashville and in Sewanee with his wife and children.

