## Sieur La Salle





I was born in Rouen, France on Sectember 1<sup>st</sup>, 1643. I got into exploring and explored many places. I explored many lakes, rivers, and some land.



There are many lakes I explored - Lake Michigan, Lake Huron, Lake Erie, and Lake Ontario. I also sailed the Mississippi River and the Gulf of Mexico. I got a little wet and fishy!!!



I found ALOT of Iand! I once found Iand and named it Louisiana. And don't ask me why-I don't know! I also found Iand named Texas. I was suppose to go to a river, but I sailed past it by mistake and Ianded in Texas.



I found a lot more land than you think! I found land named Ganada, Florida, Mexico, Tennessee, Illinois, and Arkansas. I explored those places for ALOT of years!



My people and I built a fort called St. Louis in 1689. Then some Indians named the Karankawa Indians destroyed it! They killed a lot of people-but not me! I still think the Karankawas are VERY rude though!



I died in Navasota, Texas on March 19<sup>th</sup> 1687. It turns out that the people I explored with were very rude and shot me. They didn't like me anymore! They left my body for the animals to eat. I know what your thinking-GROSS!!! I always loved exploring and I'm happy I even had a chance to!



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