



John Chapman

was born on

September 26,

1774, . . .



in Leominster,

Massachusetts. The

United States would

soon be fighting . . .



for independence

during the American

Revolution.



He planted his first
apple trees in
Pennsylvania as
a young man.



At the end of
1804, his family
moved to Ohio, . . .



where he planted
apple trees and
sold saplings to
settlers.