



1
00:00:05,749 --> 00:00:02,790
born in elmira new york eileen collins

2
00:00:07,749 --> 00:00:05,759
became an astronaut in 1991 after being

3
00:00:09,509 --> 00:00:07,759
selected for the astronaut program while

4
00:00:11,350 --> 00:00:09,519
attending the air force test pilot

5
00:00:12,629 --> 00:00:11,360
school at edwards air force base

6
00:00:16,310 --> 00:00:12,639
california

7
00:00:18,790 --> 00:00:16,320
15 years ago on february 3rd 1995 she

8
00:00:20,790 --> 00:00:18,800
claimed a unique place in space history

9
00:00:24,230 --> 00:00:20,800
by becoming the first woman to pilot a

10
00:00:25,830 --> 00:00:24,240
space shuttle discovery and in 1999

11
00:00:27,750 --> 00:00:25,840
collins went on to become the first

12
00:00:30,470 --> 00:00:27,760
female commander of a space shuttle

13
00:00:32,950 --> 00:00:30,480

mission sts-93

14

00:00:34,270 --> 00:00:32,960

during her time at nasa collins logged

15

00:00:37,430 --> 00:00:34,280

over

16

00:00:40,229 --> 00:00:37,440

6751 hours in 30 different types of