## **Alexander Graham Bell**

Alexander Graham Bell was a Scottish-born inventor, scientist, and engineer who is credited with inventing and patenting the first practical telephone. He also co-founded the American Telephone and Telegraph Company (AT&T) in 1885.

Bell's research on hearing and speech further led him to experiment with hearing devices, which eventually culminated in the invention of the telephone. His work profoundly impacted communication technology and laid the foundation for modern telecommunications.

Bell was born on 3 March 1847 in Edinburgh, Scotland. He died on 2 August 1922 in Baddeck, Nova Scotia, Canada.

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