



## Sonny Bono

**Party:** Republican • **Chamber:** House

**State:** CA • **District:** 44

**Service:** 1995–1999

**Most recent Congress:** 105

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### Biography

A Representative from California. Born in Detroit, Mich. , February 16, 1935. Attended Inglewood High School, Inglewood, Calif. Restaurateur, entertainer, songwriter, and producer. Mayor of Palm Springs, Calif. , 1988-1992. Elected as a Republican to the One Hundred Fourth and One Hundred Fifth Congresses (January 3, 1995-January 3, 1999) and served from January 3, 1995, until his death on January 5, 1998, in a skiing accident in Lake Tahoe, Calif. Interment in Desert Memorial Park, Cathedral City, Riverside County, Calif.

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### Legislative Activity (1995–1999)

**Bills sponsored:** 0

**Bills cosponsored:** 0