



## Quentin Northrop Burdick

**Party:** Democratic • **Chamber:** Senate

**State:** ND

**Service:** 1959–1993

**Most recent Congress:** 102

### Biography

A Representative and a Senator from North Dakota. Born in Munich, Cavalier County, N. Dak. , June 19, 1908. Attended the public schools. Graduated, University of Minnesota 1931 and from the law department of the same university 1932. Admitted to the bar the same year and commenced practice in Fargo, N. Dak. Elected as a Democrat to the Eighty-sixth Congress and served from January 3, 1959, until his resignation August 8, 1960. Elected to the United States Senate June 28, 1960, to fill the vacancy caused by the death of William Langer. Reelected in 1964, 1970, 1976, 1982, and again in 1988, and served from August 8, 1960, until his death. Chairman, Committee on Environment and Public Works (One Hundredth through One Hundred Second Congresses). Died of a heart attack in Fargo, N. Dak. , September 8, 1992. Remains were cremated, and ashes interred in Bohemian National Cemetery in Hutchinson, Minn.

### Legislative Activity (1959–1993)

**Bills sponsored:** 0

**Bills cosponsored:** 0