Vital Statistics

• Born, 1724, Königsberg, Prussia
• Died, 1804, Königsberg
• Single
• Professor of Logic and Metaphysics at Königsberg University
Important Events

- 1732-40, attended the Collegium Fridericianum
- 1740-46, attended Königsberg University
- 1747, published “Thoughts on the True Estimation of Living Forces”
- 1746-54, served as private tutor to families in Königsberg
- 1755, became private lecturer ("Privatdozent") at Königsberg University
Important Events (cont.)

- 1755, published “Universal Natural History and Theory of the Heavens”
- 1755-1768, published a number of “pre-critical” philosophical and scientific essays
- 1765, took a position as a sub-librarian at the Royal Palace Library
- 1769-70, turned down professorships at Erlangen and Jena
- 1770, appointed Ordinary Professor of Logic and Metaphysics at Königsberg University
Important Events (cont.)

• 1770, defended an inaugural dissertation, *On the Form and Principles of the Sensible and Intelligible World*
• 1781, published *Critique of Pure Reason*
• 1783, published *Prolegomena to any Future Metaphysics*
• 1785, published *Fundamental Principles of the Metaphysics of Morals*
Important Events (cont.)

• 1787, published second edition of *Critique of Pure Reason*
• 1788, published *Critique of Practical Reason*
• 1790, published *Critique of the Power of Judgment*
• 1793, published *Religion Within the Limits of Pure Reason*
• 1794, censured by Frederick II of Prussia
• 1796, retired from teaching
Important Events (cont.)

• 1804, died from senility and wasting of the body