

## **Eric Schmitt Biography**

Senator Eric Schmitt was sworn as a United States Senator on January 3<sup>rd</sup>, 2023. Senator Schmitt has previously served as Missouri's Attorney General, State Treasurer, and a Missouri State Senator. While serving as Missouri's Attorney General, Schmitt filed a landmark lawsuit, *Missouri v. Biden*, that exposed for the first time the collusion between the federal government and social media companies to censor speech. Schmitt was motivated to enter public service because of his son Stephen, who was diagnosed with a rare genetic disease called Tuberous Sclerosis, has epilepsy, and is on the autism spectrum. Schmitt, a sixth-generation Missourian, and his wife Jaime have three children: Stephen, Sophia, and Olivia.