

# Winchester Model 1886 .44 Magnum

Designed by legendary gunsmith John Browning, the Winchester Model 1886 rifle became one of the most popular guns of the west upon its release. It was a completely new design from the 1876 model, featuring a far stronger locking block action. Bullet range is what really made it popular, being able to fire .38 all the way to .50 caliber bullets. The rifle includes a 26-inch octagon barrel and standard butt corn style rear sight. Buffalo Soldiers would have used the rifle's predecessors, the Spencer Carbine, and the Sharps' Carbine. This model 1886 commemorates the 150th anniversary of the founding of the Buffalo Soldiers on July 28, 1866. Winchester made this model from 1886 to 1935.