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**** Ratings Report for ABC News' "This Week with George Stephanopoulos"**
For Sunday, Oct. 17, 2021

'This Week with George Stephanopoulos' Is No. 1 in Total Viewers and Adults 25-54 on Sunday, Oct. 17

'This Week' Posts Double-Digit Gains Week-to-Week in Total Viewers (+23%) and Adults 25-54 (+22%), Delivering Its Most-Watched Telecast in 7 Weeks

Season to Date, 'This Week' Is No. 1 in Adults 25-54, Taking the Top Spot in the Key Adult News Demo for the First Time in 6 Years

"This Week with George Stephanopoulos" ranked No. 1 in Total Viewers (2.872 million) **and Adults 25-54** (552,000) on Sunday, Oct. 17, 2021, based on Live + Same Day Data from Nielsen Media Research. "This Week" **outdelivered NBC's "Meet the Press"** (2.690 million and 493,000, respectively) by **182,000 Total Viewers and by 59,000 Adults 25-54.**

"This Week" **posted double-digit gains week-to-week in Total Viewers** (+23% - 2.872 million vs. 2.337 million) **and Adults 25-54** (+22% - 552,000 vs. 452,000), **delivering its most-watched telecast in 7 weeks** — since 8/29/21.

Season to date, "This Week" **is ranking No. 1 in Adults 25-54** (540,000), **leading CBS' Face the Nation** (475,000) **by 65,000 and NBC's "Meet the Press**" (498,000) **by 42,000.** In fact, "This Week" is **taking the top spot in the key Adult news demo for the first time in 6 years** — since the 2015-2016 season.

"This Week" **is leading NBC's "Meet the Press**" **in Total Viewers** (+97,000 – 2.620 million vs. 2.523 million) **for the first time in 7 years** — since the 2014-2015 season. In addition, "This Week" is **cutting its season margin with CBS' "Face the Nation" in Total Viewers by 77%** (107,000 vs. 460,000) **to its closest in 5 years** — since the 2016-2017 season.

NOTE: "Face the Nation" was preempted due to NFL.

George Stephanopoulos is anchor of "This Week." Martha Raddatz is chief global affairs correspondent and co-anchor of "This Week." Jonathan Karl is chief Washington correspondent and co-anchor of "This Week." Dax Tejera is executive producer.

Sunday, Oct. 17, 2021	TOTAL VIEWERS	A25-54 (000)/Rtg
ABC "THIS WEEK"	**2,872,000**	**552,000/0.5**
NBC "MEET THE PRESS"	2,690,000	493,000/0.4
CBS "FACE THE NATION"	***PREEMPTED***	
CBS "FACE THE NATION-2"	***PREEMPTED***	

FOX "FOX NEWS SUNDAY"	1,199,000	273,000/0.2

Source: The Nielsen Company, NTI (Total Viewers and Adults 25-54); Live + SD for 10/17/21, 10/10/21 and 10/18/20 or as dated. Most Current: 2021 -2022 Season (9/20 – 10/17/21 and 2020 -2021 Season (9/21 – 10/18/20). *Beginning 8/31/20, National ratings also include Out of Home (OOH) viewing. Prior to 8/31/20, ratings do not include OOH viewing. Nielsen ratings for "This Week" include additional airings in select markets. Averages based on regular telecasts.

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