

Snapshot

**By the standards of most US presidents,
Biden's ego is modest.
That is an admittedly low bar.
But at 78, it is hard to claim you
personify the wave of the future.
The best kind of politics is to govern,
rather than fret about your brand.
This sets Biden apart from Obama
as well as Trump.
Not everything needs to be about him.**

**Joe Biden
portrayed by Edward Luce
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