John H. Glenn Jr. orbited Earth in the Mercury-Atlas 6 capsule in 1962. Glenn was the first American to orbit Earth.
Mercury Capsule 15B was built but never launched. You can see the still-attached parachute.
In this photo you can see the small rockets that slow the capsule down so it can return to Earth.
Astronauts Frank Borman and James Lovell orbited Earth in Gemini VII in 1965. They were in space for 14 days.