SYNOPSIS

```
git config credential.helper 'store [options]'
```

DESCRIPTION

Note Using this helper will store your passwords unencrypted on disk, protected only by filesystem permissions. If this is not an acceptable security tradeoff, try git-credential-cache

This command stores credentials indefinitely on disk for use by future Git programs.

OPTIONS

--file=<path>

> Use `<path>` to lookup and store credentials. The file will have its filesystem permissions set to prevent other users on the system from reading it, but will not be encrypted or otherwise protected.

EXAMPLES

The point of this helper is to reduce the number of times you must type your username or password. For example:

```
$ git config credential.helper store
$ git push http://example.com/repo.git
Username: <type your username>
Password: <type your password>

[several days later]
$ git push http://example.com/repo.git
[your credentials are used automatically]
```