



# Aim 6.6

How did the Allies win  
World War II?  
(1942-1945)

Do Now: Write down  
one thing you learned in  
the video!

# The "Big Three"

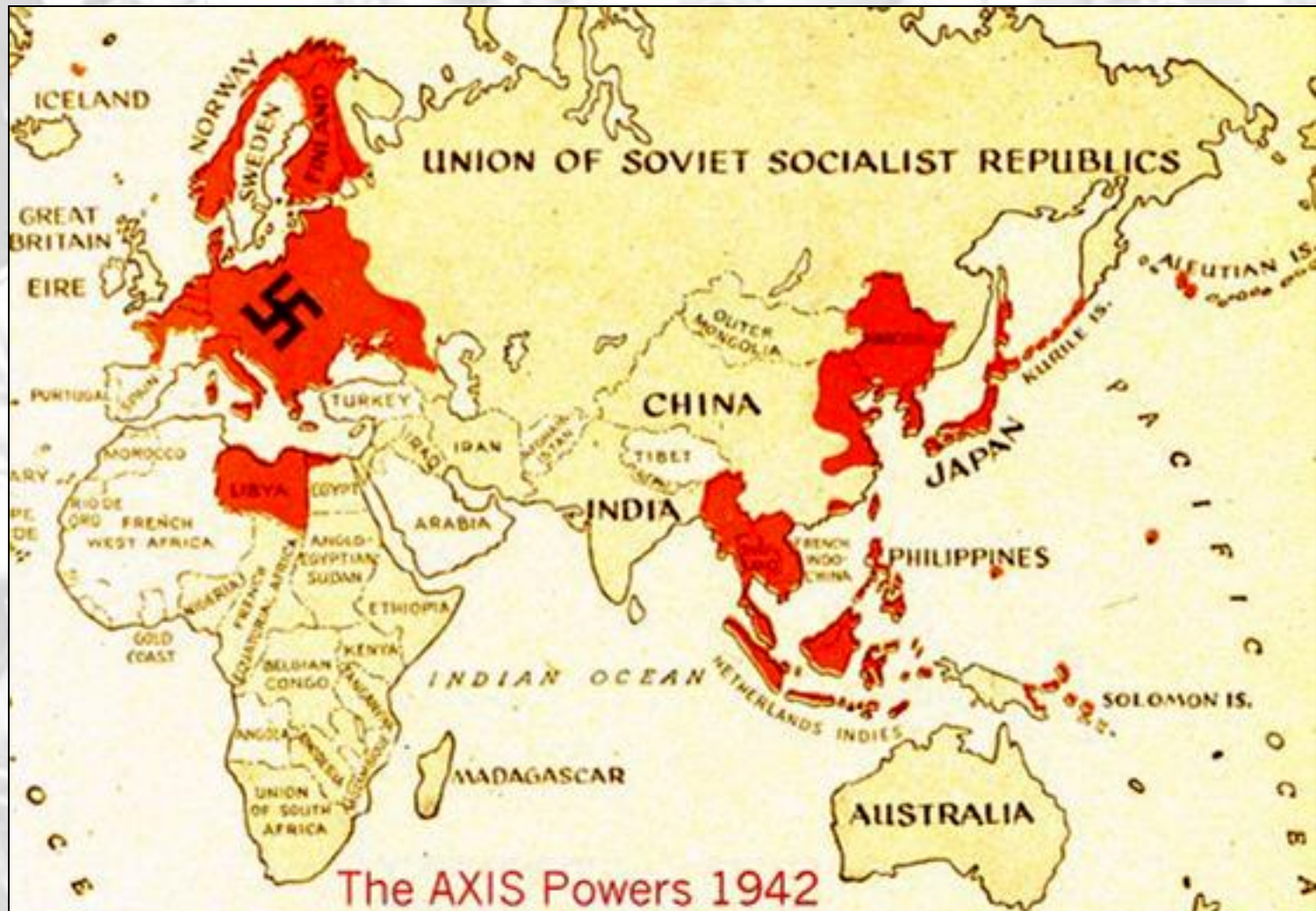


Winston Churchill, Franklin Roosevelt, Joseph Stalin





# Axis Powers in 1942



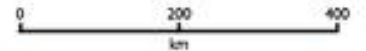
The AXIS Powers 1942



# Eastern Front

22 June 1941 – 5 December 1941

- to 9 July 1941
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- to 5 December 1941



# Siege of Leningrad (September 1941 – January 1944)

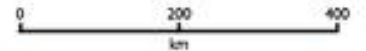




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# Battle of Stalingrad: Winter of 1942-1943



| <b>German Army</b>    | <b>Russian Army</b>   |
|-----------------------|-----------------------|
| 1,011,500 men         | 1,000,500 men         |
| 10,290 artillery guns | 13,541 artillery guns |
| 675 tanks             | 894 tanks             |
| 1,216 planes          | 1,115 planes          |



# The North Africa Campaign: The Battle of El Alamein (Oct-Nov. 1942)



❖ **Germans trapped in Tunisia -  
surrender over 275,000 troops**

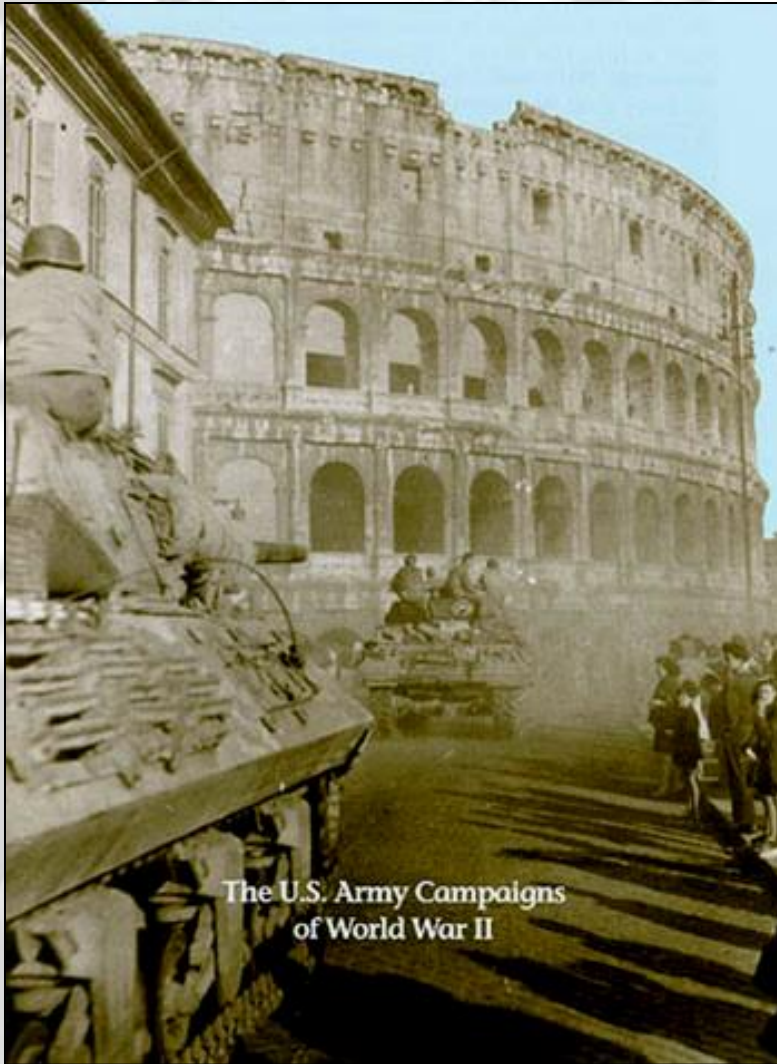


# The Italian Campaign [“Operation Torch”] : Europe’s “Soft Underbelly”

- U.S. Forces led by General *George S. Patton*



# The Allies Liberate Rome: June 5, 1944

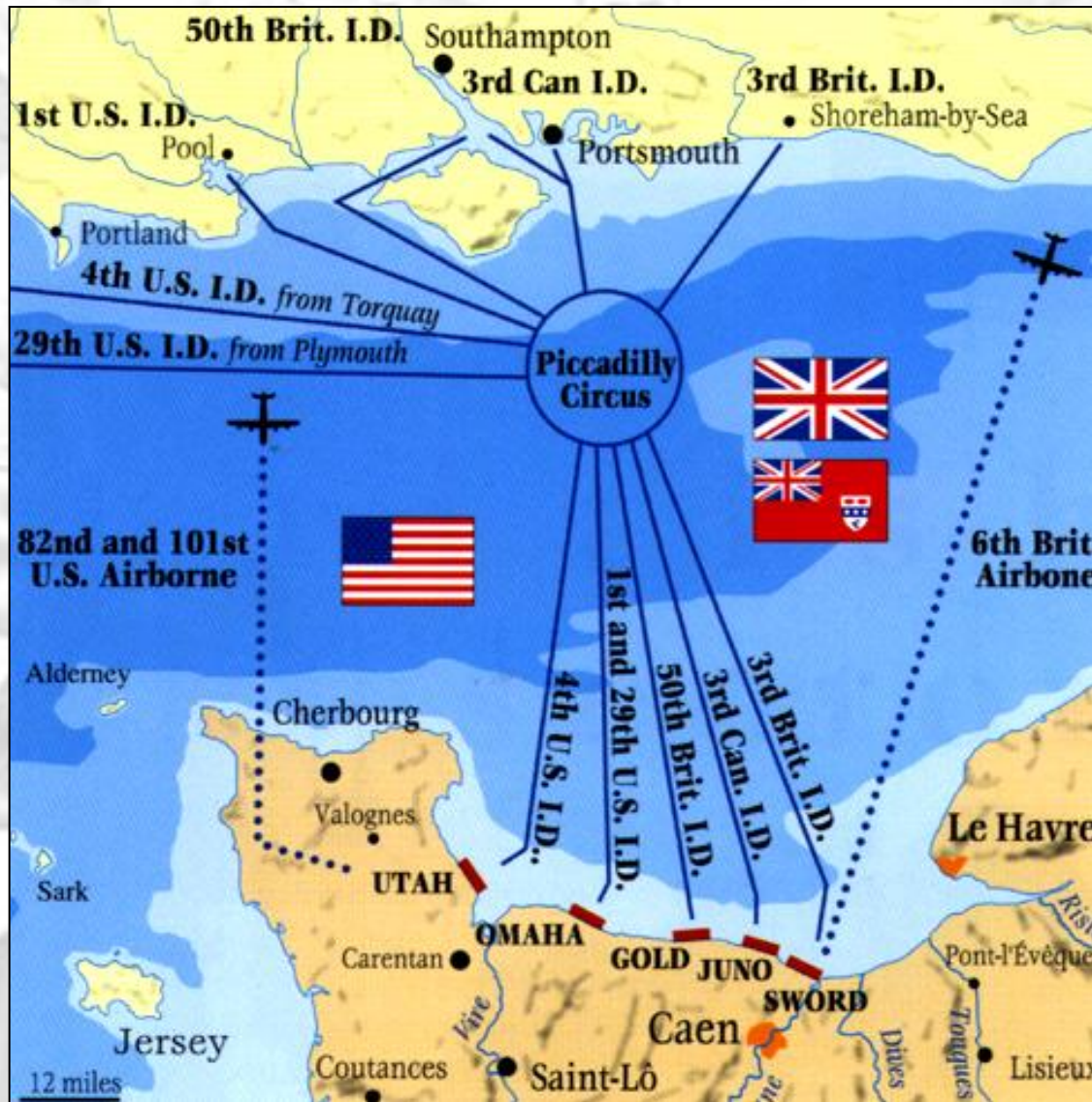




# Gen. Eisenhower Gives the Orders for D-Day ["Operation Overlord"]



# D-Day (June 6, 1944)





# Normandy Landing (June 6, 1944)



German Prisoners



Higgins Landing Crafts

# July 20, 1944 Assassination Plot



Major Claus von Stauffenberg



# July 20, 1944 Assassination Plot



## 1. Adolf Hitler

2. Field Marshall Wilhelm Keitel
3. Gen Alfred von Jodl
4. Gen Walter Warlimont
5. Franz von Sonnleithner
6. Maj Herbert Buchs
7. Stenographer Heinz Buchholz
8. Lt Gen Hermann Fegelein
9. Col Nikolaus von Below
10. Rear Adm Hans-Erich Voss
11. Otto Gunsche, Hitler's adjutant
12. Gen Walter Scherff (*injured*)
13. Gen Ernst John von Freyend
14. Capt Heinz Assman (*injured*)

# The Liberation of Paris:

## August 25, 1944



**De Gaulle in  
Triumph!**

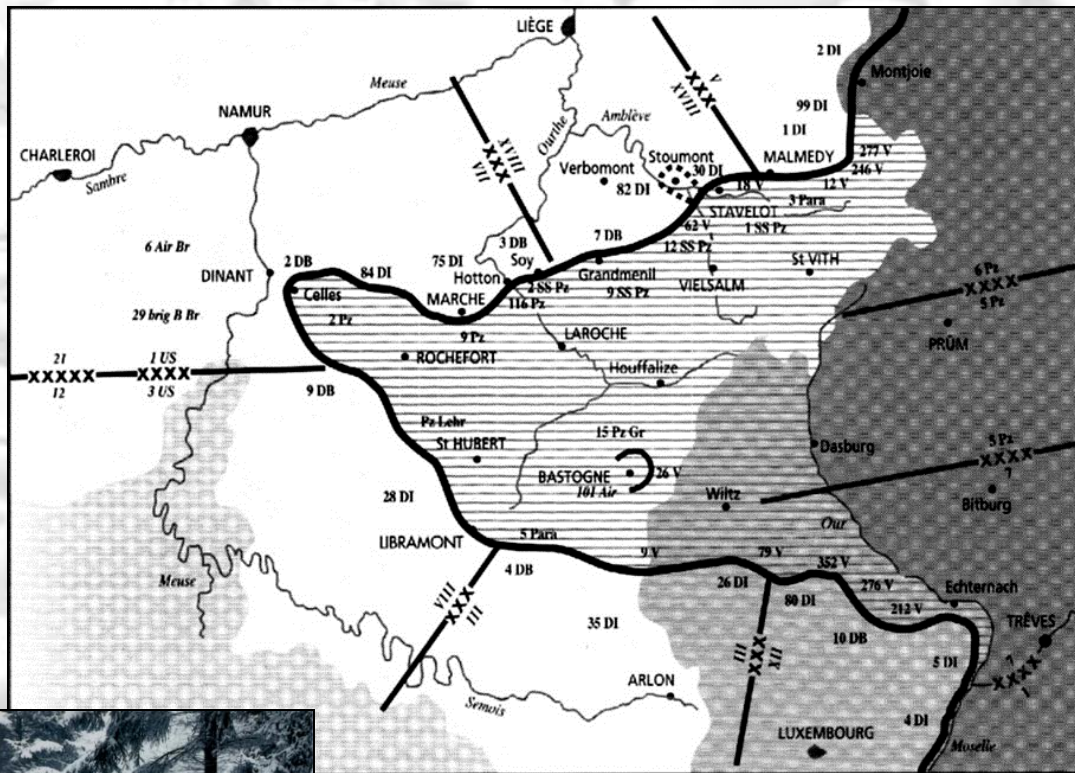
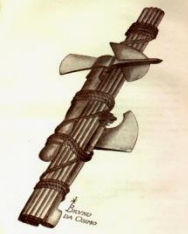




# U. S. Troops in Paris, 1944



# The Battle of the Bulge: Hitler's Last Offensive



Dec. 16, 1944  
to  
Jan. 28, 1945







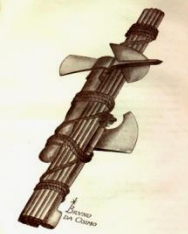
**Mussolini &  
His Mistress,  
Claretta Petacci  
Are Hung in  
Milan, 1945**

# US & Russian Soldiers Meet at the Elbe River: April 25, 1945

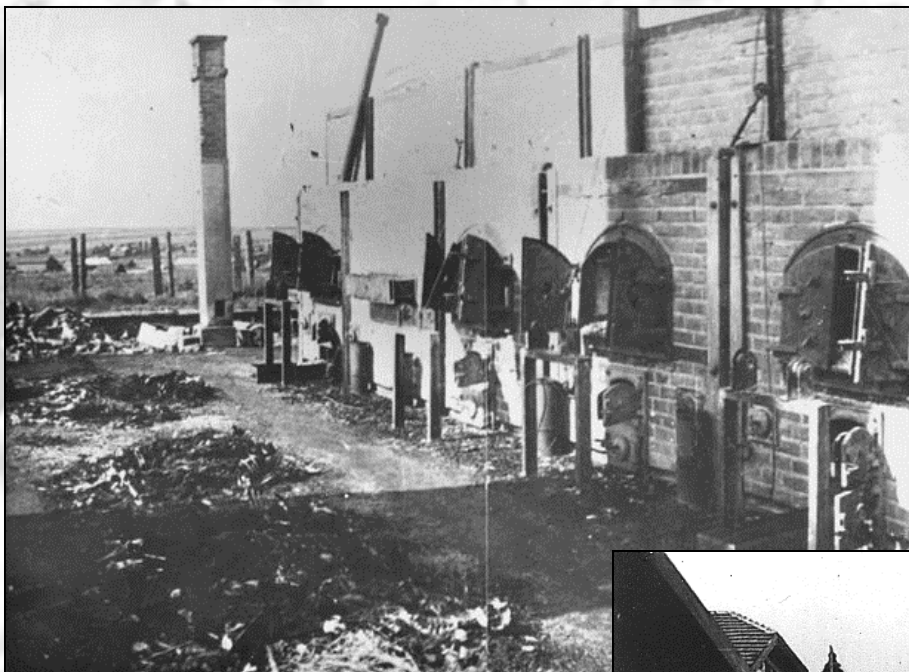




# Horrors of the Holocaust Exposed



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**Crematoria  
at Majdanek**

**Entrance to  
Auschwitz:  
*Work Makes You  
Free***





# Horrors of the Holocaust Exposed



Eli Wiesel

Slave Labor at Buchenwald

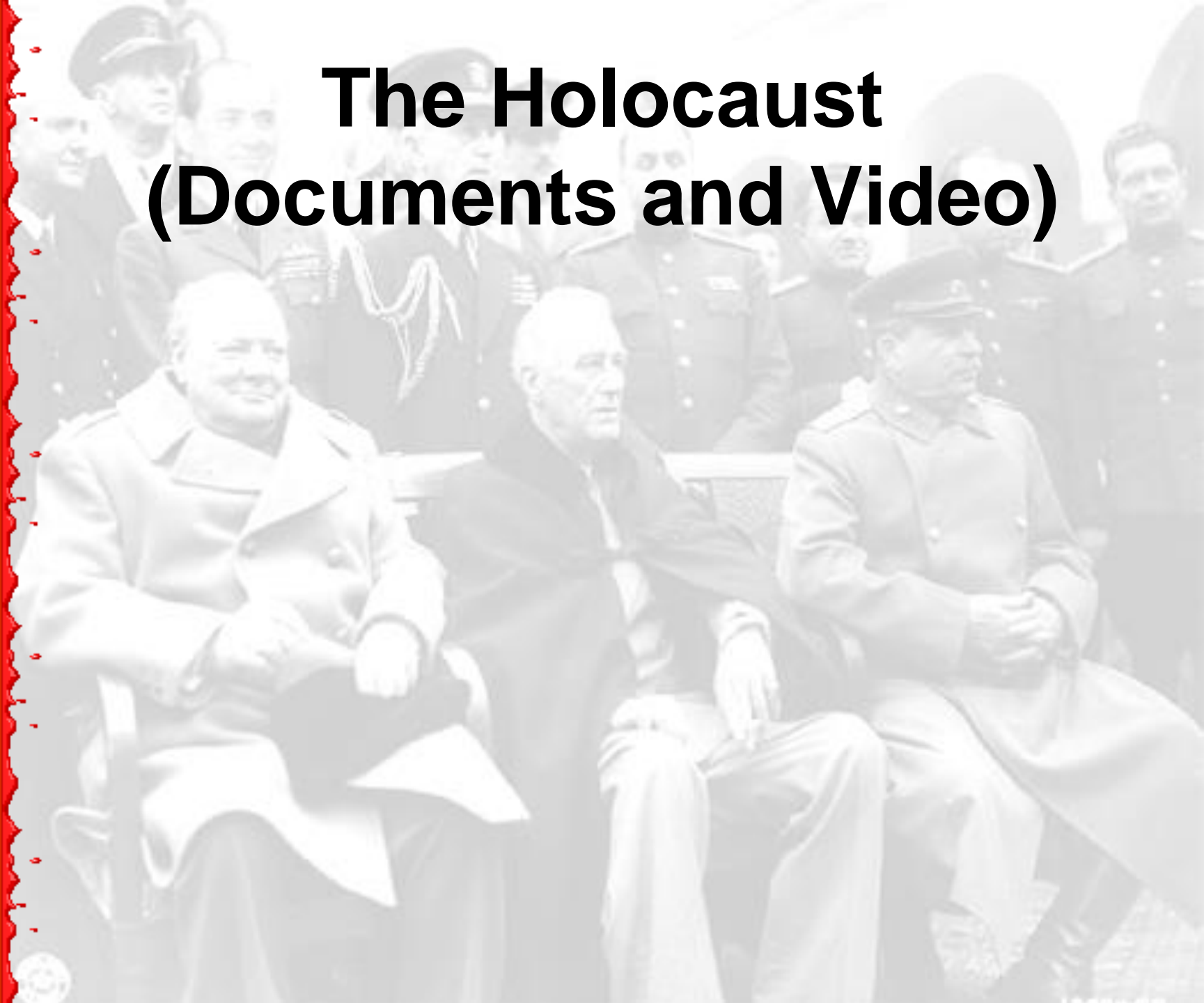
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Mass Graves at Bergen-Belsen



# The Holocaust (Documents and Video)



# Battle of Berlin (April 16- May 2, 1945)





# Hitler Commits Suicide

## April 30, 1945



The Führer's Bunker

Cyanide & Pistols



Mr. & Mrs. Hitler



# V-E Day (May 8, 1945)

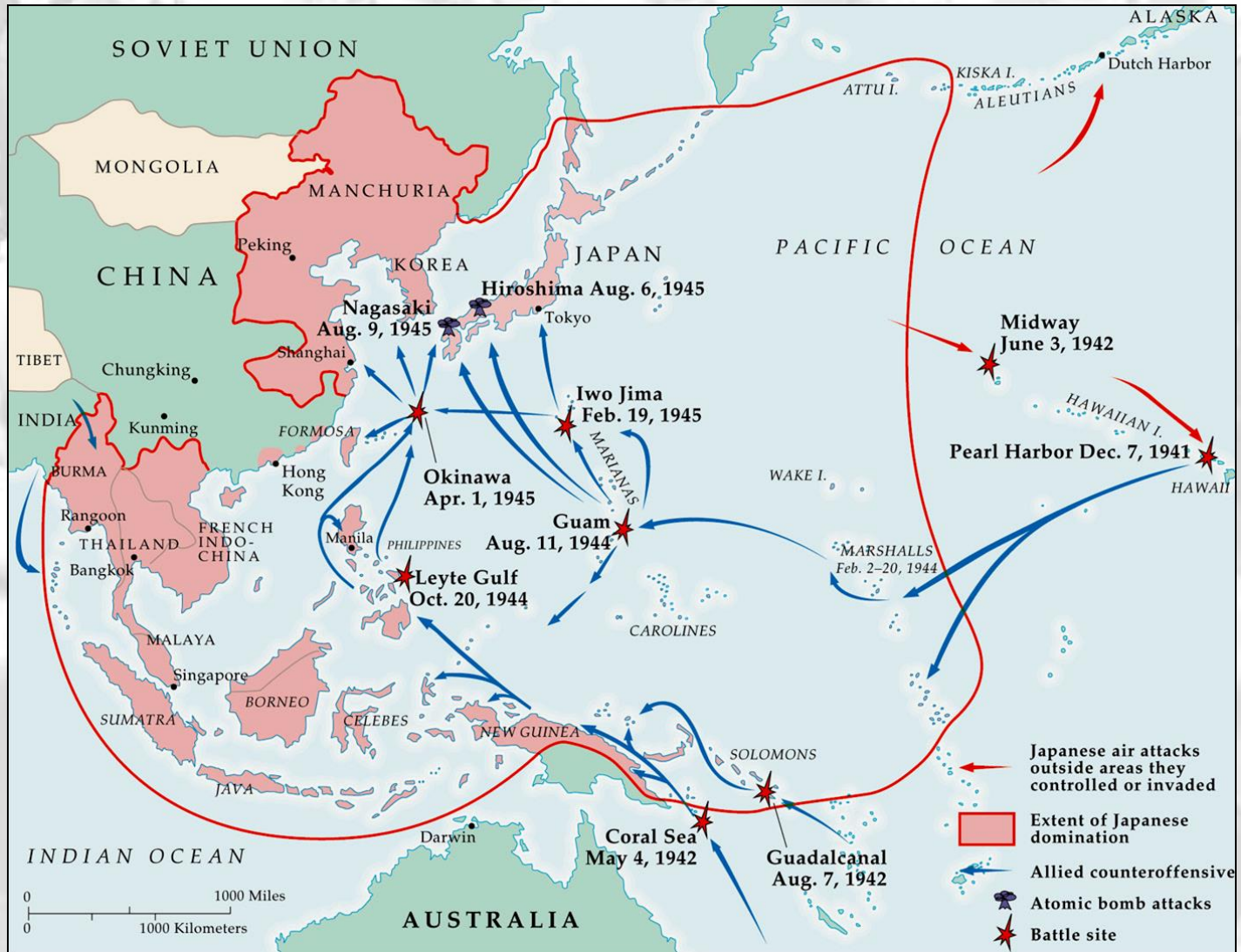






# The Pacific Theater

# Allied Counter-Offensive: “Island-Hopping”







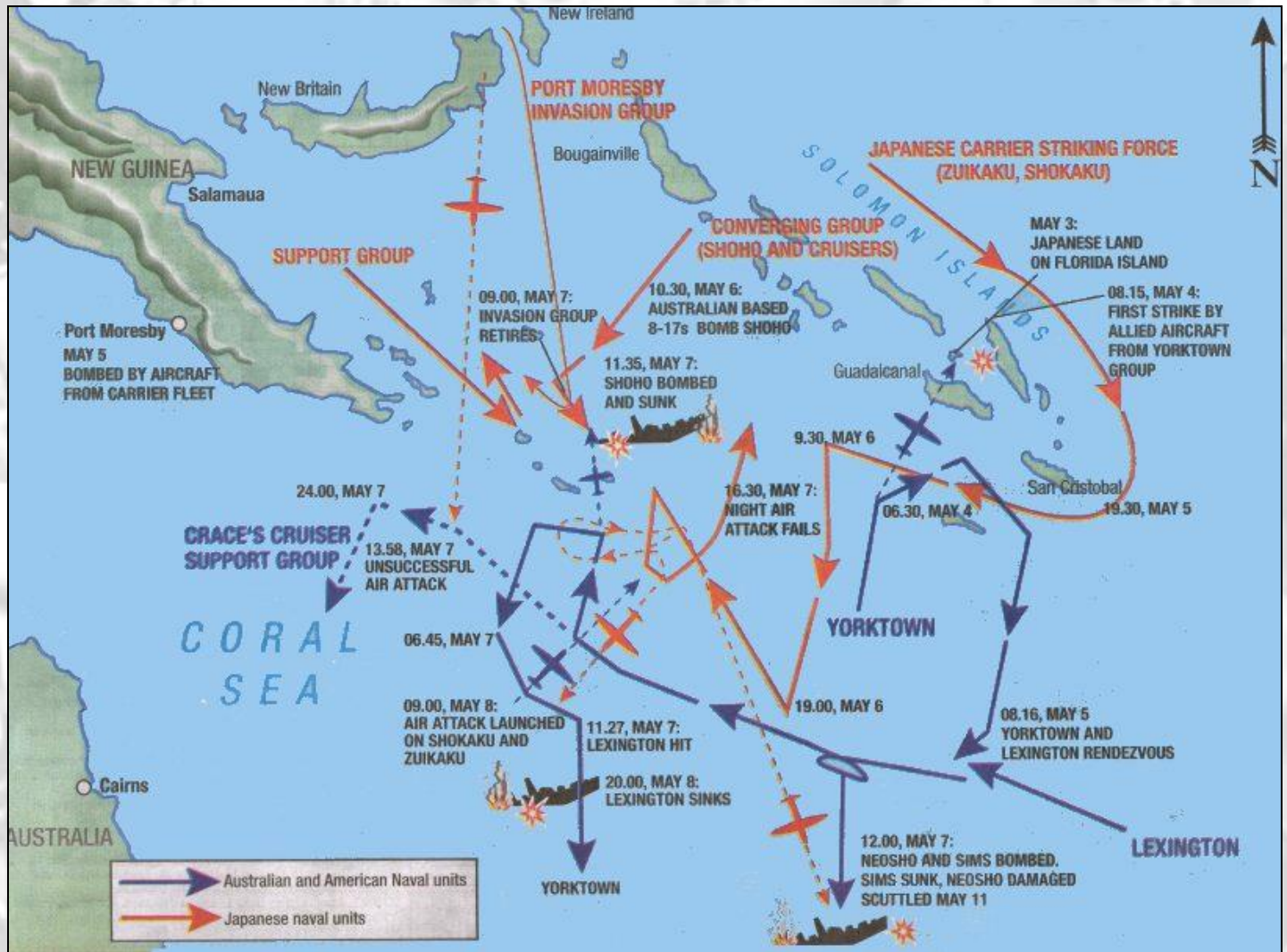
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# Lt. Col. Jimmy Doolittle: First U. S. Raids on Tokyo, 1942

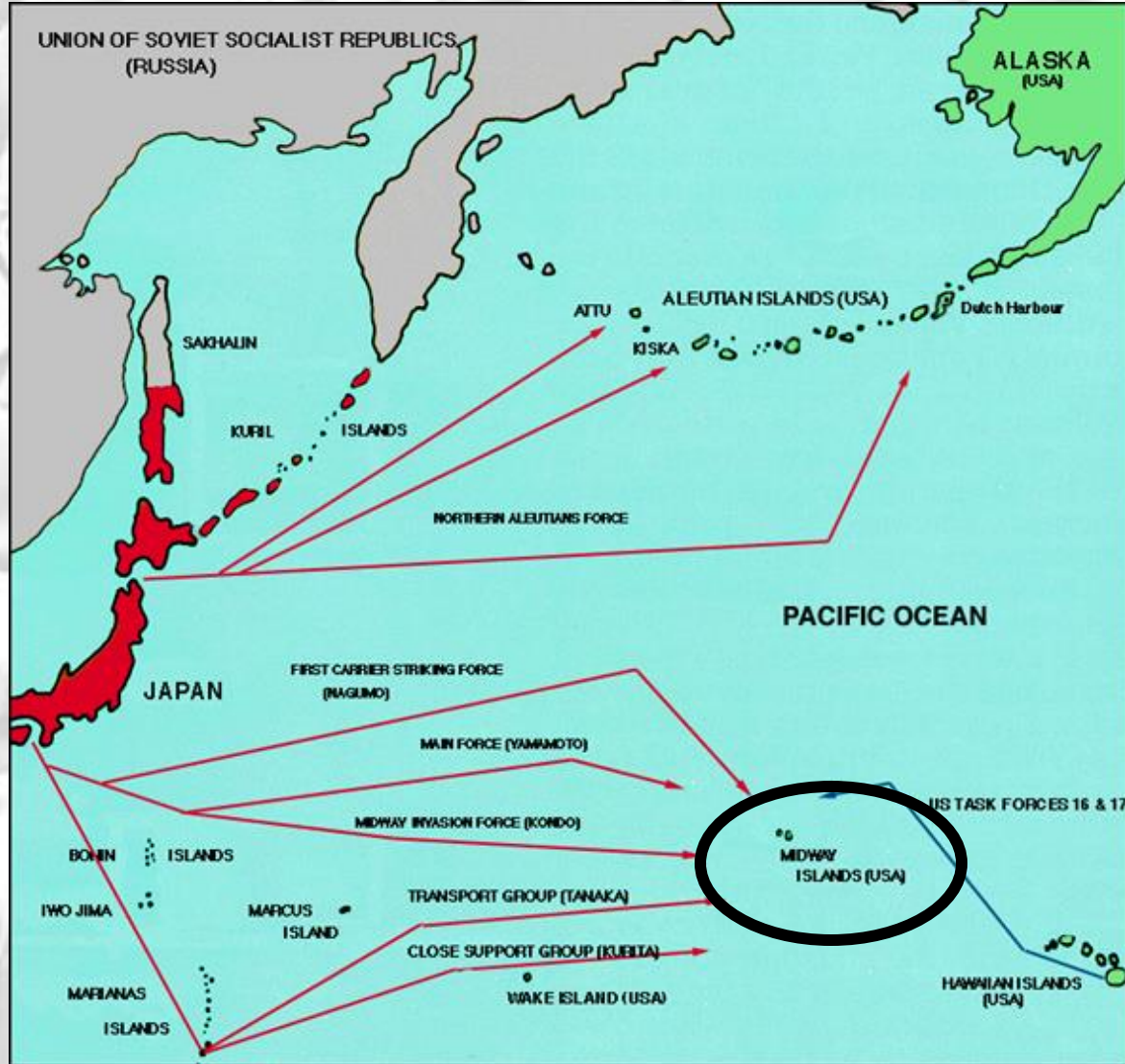




# Battle of the Coral Sea: May 7-8, 1942



# Battle of Midway Island: June 4-6, 1942





# Japanese Kamikaze Planes: The Scourge of the South Pacific



**Kamikaze Pilots**



**Suicide  
Bombers**

# Gen. MacArthur "Returns" to the Philippines! [1944]





# US Marines on Mt. Surbachi, Iwo Jima [Feb. 19, 1945]



# Battle of Okinawa (April-June 1945)

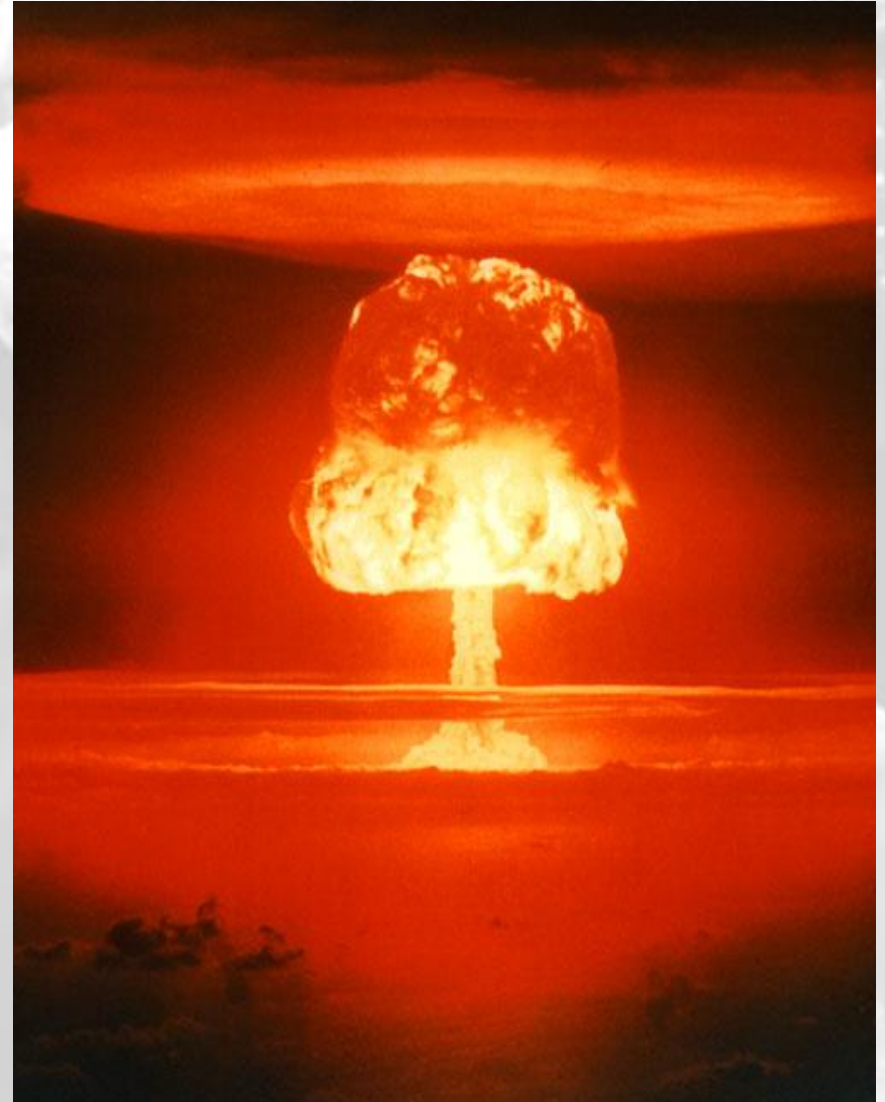




# The Manhattan Project: Los Alamos, NM



**Dr. Robert  
Oppenheimer**



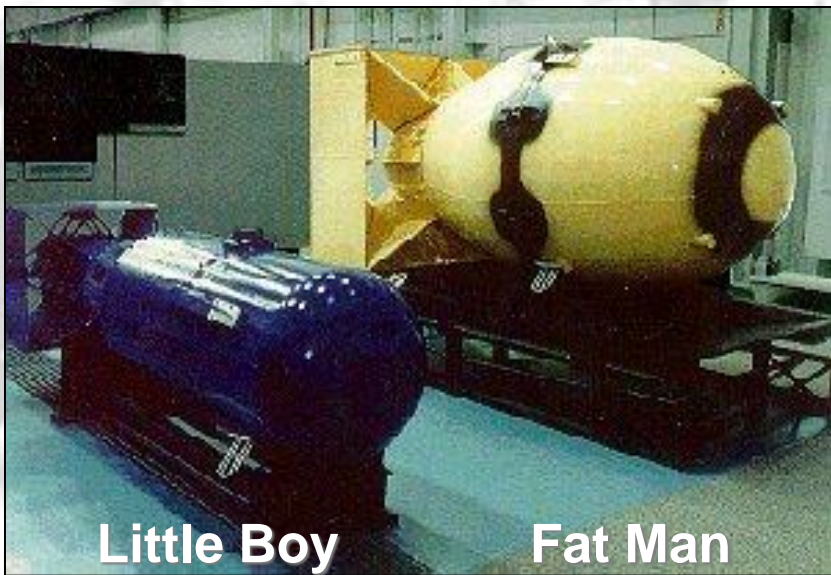


**Video:**

# The Bombings of Hiroshima & Nagasaki



# Tinian Island, 1945



Little Boy

Fat Man

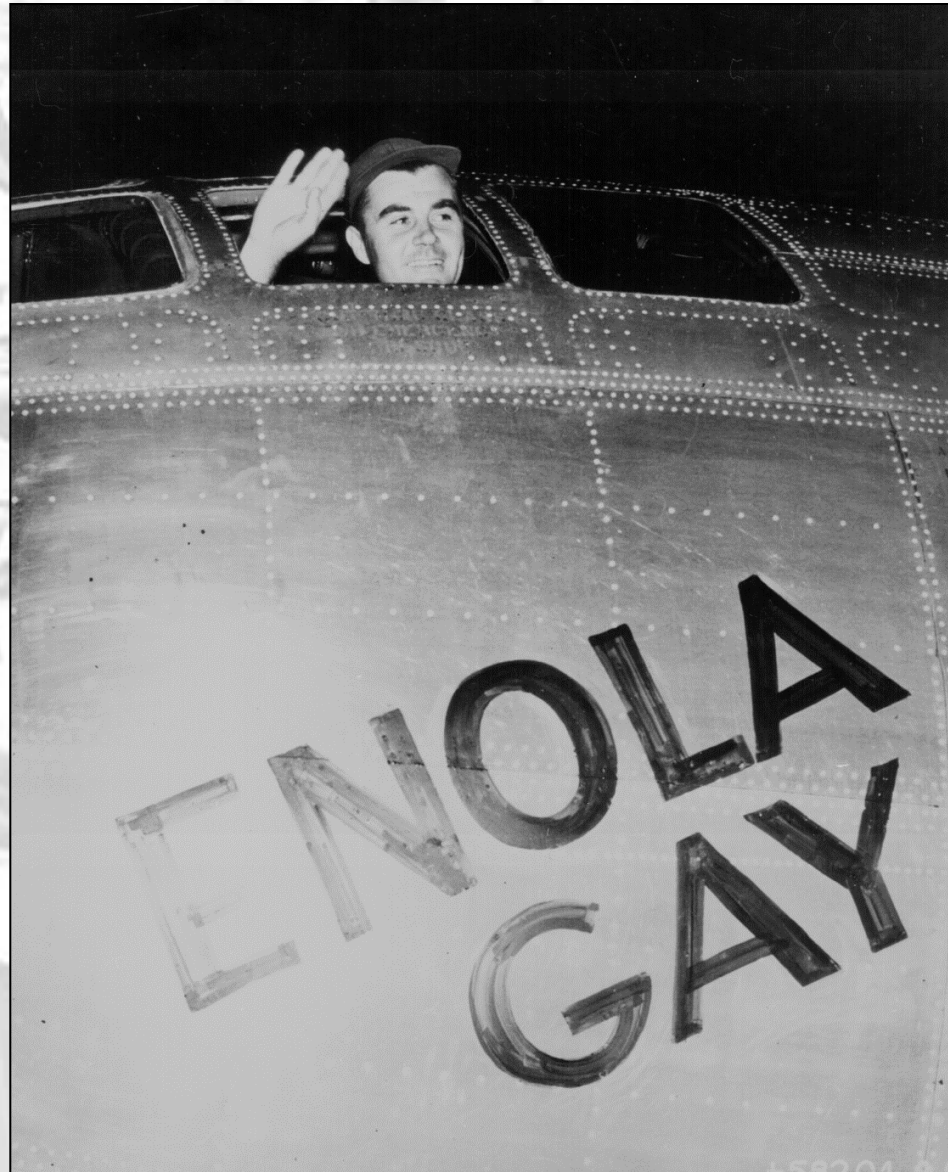


*Enola Gay Crew*



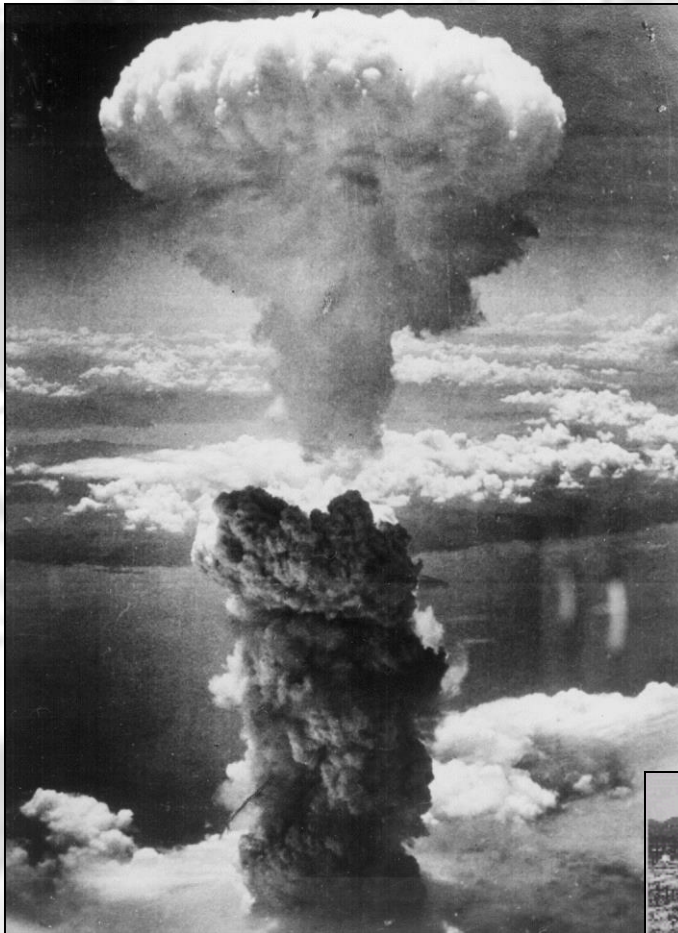


# Col. Paul Tibbets & the A-Bomb





# Hiroshima – August 6, 1945

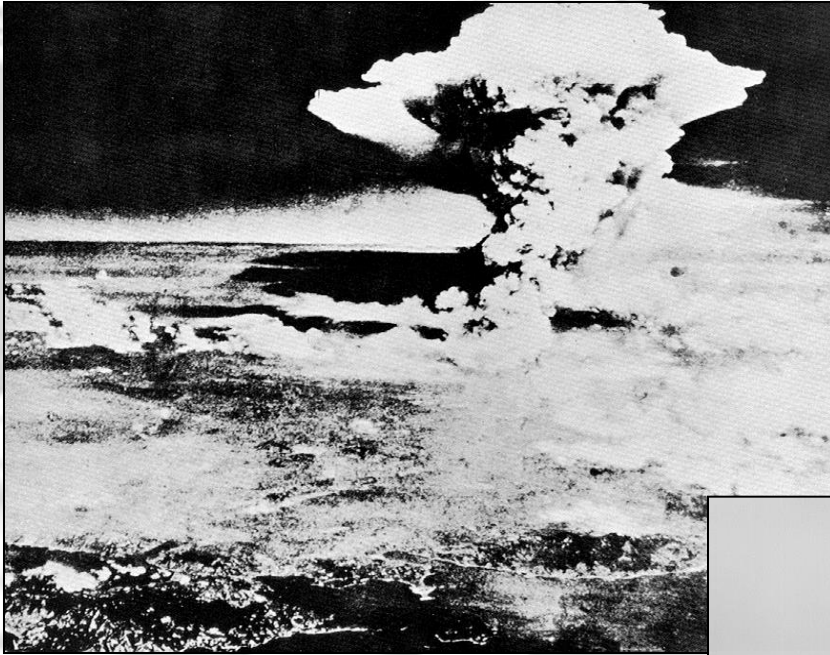


- 70,000 killed immediately
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# Nagasaki – August 9, 1945

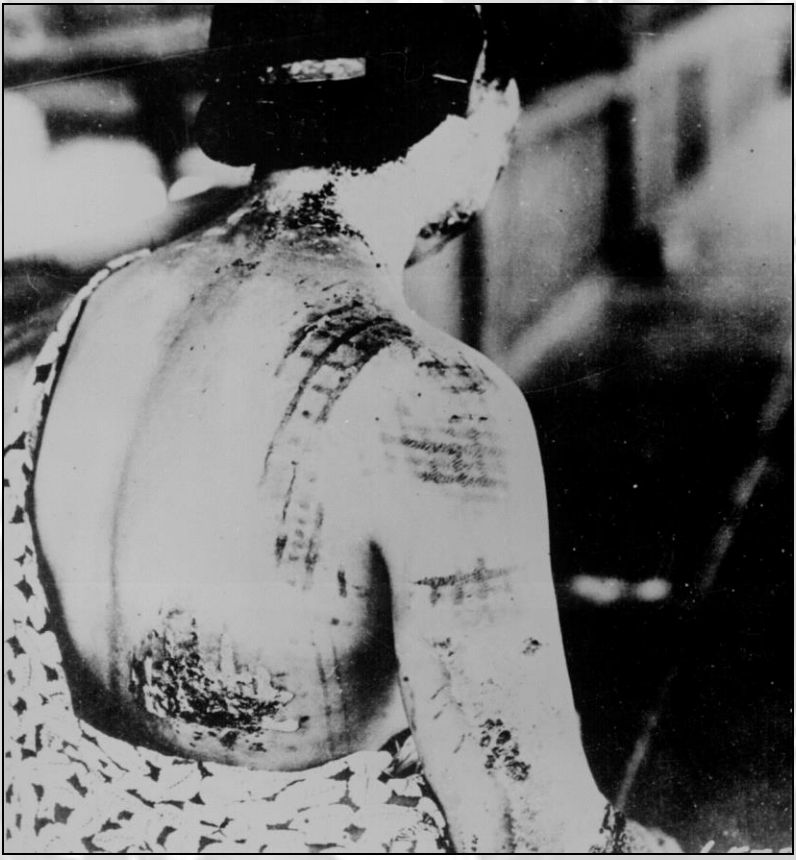


- 40,000 killed immediately.
- 100,000s died of radiation poisoning & cancer later.





# Japanese A-Bomb Survivors



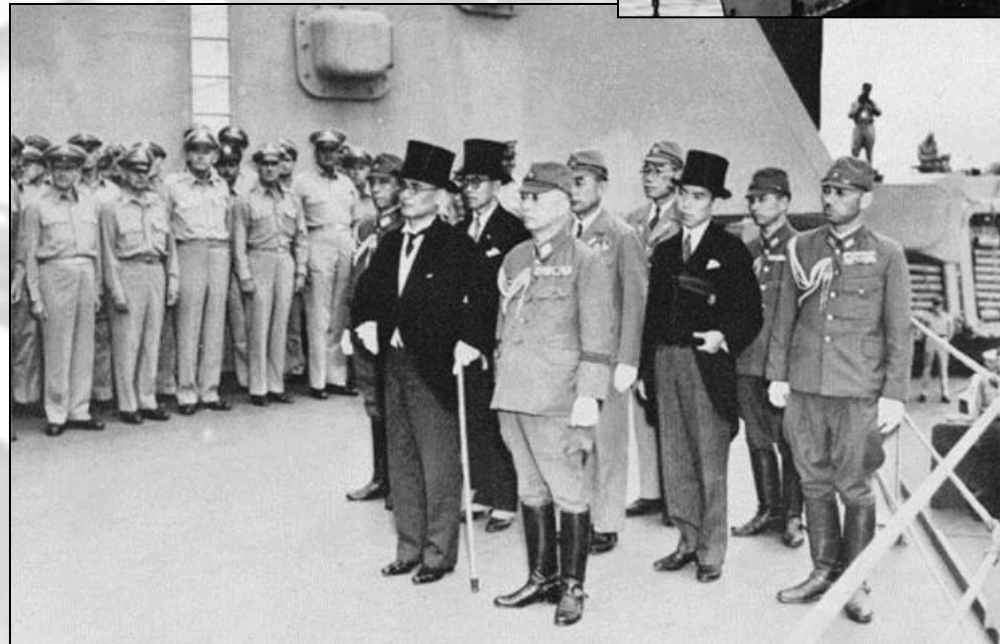


# Hiroshima Memorials





# V-J Day (September 2, 1945)



# V-J Day in Times Square, NYC







# BBC Hiroshima Documentary

Check it out  
on Netflix!



BBC HISTORY OF WORLD WAR II

# HIROSHIMA



A DRAMATIZED DOCUMENTARY EXPLORING THE HUMANITY  
AND THE HORROR OF THE FIRST ATOMIC ATTACK

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# Debate:

Were the bombings  
of Hiroshima &  
Nagasaki justified?

