


# United States under attack

Hijacked aircraft crashed into major landmarks in New York and Washington early Tuesday, destroying the twin towers of the World Trade Centre and part of the Pentagon in the worst-ever terrorist attack on U.S. soil. Loss of life is feared to run into many thousands



**07.45am:** American Airlines Flight 11 Boeing 767 leaves Boston for Los Angeles, with 92 passengers and crew

**07.58:** United Flight 175 Boeing 767 departs Boston for Los Angeles, 65 on board

**08.01:** United Flight 93 Boeing 757 leaves Newark for San Francisco with 38 passengers and seven crew on board

**08.10:** AA Flight 77 Boeing 757 leaves Washington's Dulles airport for Los Angeles, 58 passengers, six crew

### NEW YORK



**World Trade Centre**

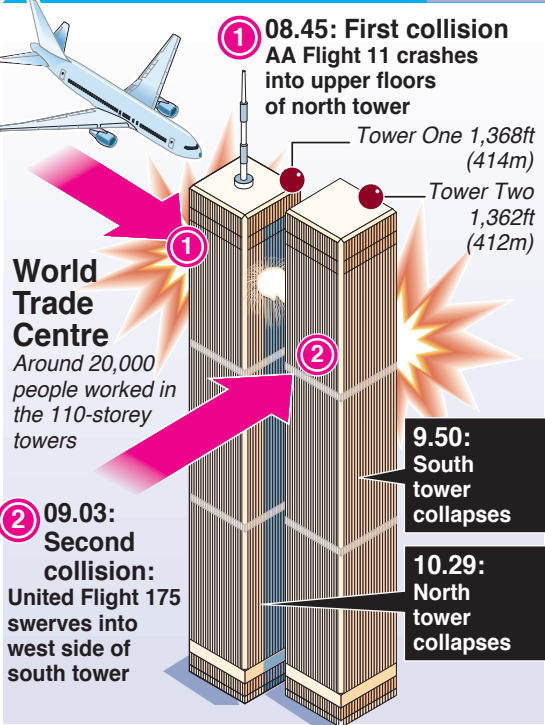
Wall Street

Brooklyn Bridge

HUDSON RIVER

EAST RIVER

World Financial Centre



**1 08.45:** First collision  
AA Flight 11 crashes into upper floors of north tower

Tower One 1,368ft (414m)

Tower Two 1,362ft (412m)

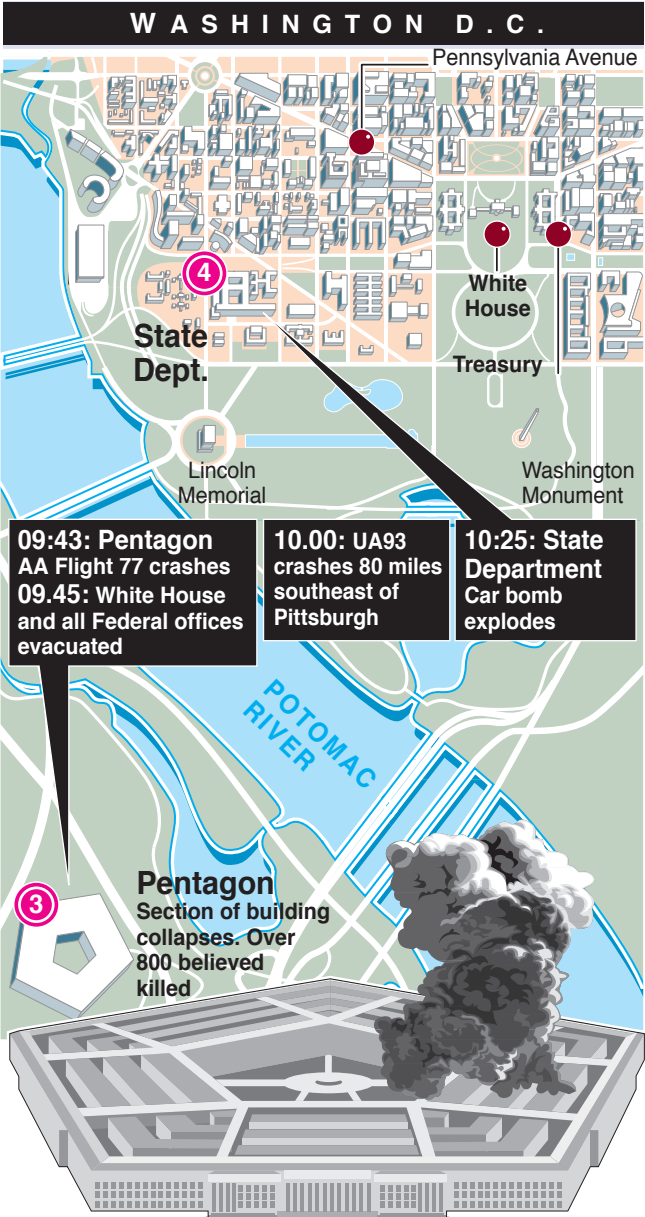
**2 09.03:** Second collision:  
United Flight 175 swerves into west side of south tower

**9.50:** South tower collapses

**10.29:** North tower collapses

**World Trade Centre**  
Around 20,000 people worked in the 110-storey towers

### WASHINGTON D.C.



Pennsylvania Avenue

White House

Treasury

Washington Monument

Lincoln Memorial

State Dept.

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**09.43:** Pentagon  
AA Flight 77 crashes

**09.45:** White House and all Federal offices evacuated

**10.00:** UA93 crashes 80 miles southeast of Pittsburgh

**10.25:** State Department Car bomb explodes

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**Pentagon**  
Section of building collapses. Over 800 believed killed

POTOMAC RIVER