

Saturday, March 19

ON THIS DAY



▲ 1957: Elvis Presley bought Graceland, a colonial-style mansion in Memphis, Tennessee

1920: The U.S. Senate voted against joining the League of Nations

1970: The leaders of West and East Germany met at Erfurt in the first east-west meeting since Germany was divided

1982: The Argentine flag was raised on the island of South Georgia, precipitating the Falklands conflict

2010: Yemeni President Ali Abdullah Saleh declared that a six-year war against Houthi fighters in the north of the country was over