



Today in History

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▲ **Muammar Gaddafi's second son Saif al-Islam Gaddafi, considered as the reformist face of the Libyan government before the rebellion, was captured**

1863: U.S. President Abraham Lincoln delivered his Gettysburg Address, calling for "government of the people, by the people and for the people"

1962: Oscar-winning actress Jodie Foster was born

2007: 10,000 people were killed and seven million left devastated after Cyclone Sidr swept through Bangladesh

2008: Surgeons carried out the first whole organ transplant using a trachea made with the patient's own stem cells