



Today in History

August 6, 1945

▲ A U.S. plane dropped an atomic bomb on Hiroshima, Japan, killing an estimated 120,000 people and obliterating the city in the first use of a nuclear weapon in warfare

1918: In WW1 the Second Battle of the Marne ended with victory for the allies

2002: Siamese twins from Guatemala, whose heads were joined at birth, survived an operation to separate them in Los Angeles

2007: NASA reported a cosmic collision of four gigantic galaxies

2012: Syrian Prime Minister Riad Farid Hijab defected to Jordan to support the opposition Syrian National Council