



## Today in History

*April 20, 1999*

▲ **Two teenagers shot dead 12 fellow students and a teacher at Columbine High School in Littleton, Colorado, before turning their weapons on themselves**

**1889:** Adolf Hitler, founder of the Nazi Party and dictator of Germany from 1933-45, was born in Austria-Hungary

**1990:** The Soviet Union cut off 85 percent of gas supplies to Lithuania to quell demands for independence

**2007:** Indian film superstars Aishwarya Rai and Abhishek Bachchan married in a private family ceremony in Mumbai

**2010:** An explosion on a oil rig in the Gulf of Mexico triggered the largest accidental marine oil spill in history