



Today in History

October 3, 1990

▲ **East and West Germany were formally reunited as one country after 45 years of Cold War division. This day is now celebrated as German Unity Day**

1863: U.S. President Abraham Lincoln designated the last Thursday in November as Thanksgiving Day

1941: The aerosol can was first patented in the United States

1995: Former U.S. football star O.J. Simpson was acquitted of two murders

2005: All 25 European Union states reached an agreement on a framework for talks to begin on Turkey's membership bid, the culmination of a 40-year campaign