



VIVA LA CONSTITUCION

## Today in History

*December 27, 1978*

▲ **Spain became a democracy as King Juan Carlos I ratified the country's first constitution after more than 40 years of fascist dictatorship under Franco**

**1966:** The Cave of Swallows, the world's largest known cave shaft, was discovered in Mexico

**1996:** Rwanda's first genocide trial, for the slaughter in 1994 of some 800,000 Tutsis, began

**2007:** Pakistan's former Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto was assassinated in a suicide attack in Rawalpindi

**2009:** A tomb claimed to be that of Cao Cao, a third century Chinese warlord, was found in central China