



## Today in History

*April 28, 1992*

▲ Francis Bacon, considered one of the greatest British artists of the 20th century, died in Madrid at the age of 82. His work was renowned for its bold, grotesque imagery

**1945:** Italian dictator Benito Mussolini and his mistress were executed by partisans the day after their capture

**1963:** Divers off Western Australia found the wreck of the Dutch ship *Vergulde Draeck*, which sank in 1656

**1967:** Muhammad Ali was stripped of his world heavyweight boxing crown for refusing to join the U.S. Army

**1977:** Andreas Baader, leader of the Baader-Meinhoff terrorist group, was jailed for life in Germany