

Lost WW2 warship USS Indianapolis found

Civilian researchers led by Microsoft co-founder Paul Allen have found the wreck of the World War Two heavy cruiser USS Indianapolis in the Pacific Ocean, 72 years after its sinking by a Japanese submarine



Fragment of wreckage bearing ship's name (above). USS Indianapolis pictured July 10, 1945 (below)

LOSS OF LIFE: Around 880 crew – U.S. Navy's single worst loss at sea

300: Went down with ship

580: Survivors died from exposure, dehydration, drowning and shark attacks during five days in open water

