



## Today in History

*February 10, 2008*

▲ The 14th century Namdaemun Gate in Seoul was destroyed by fire. A National Treasure of South Korea, the monument was restored and reopened in 2013

**1991:** The Baltic state of Lithuania voted overwhelmingly for independence from the Soviet Union

**1996:** An IBM computer called Deep Blue made chess history by beating world champion Garry Kasparov

**2003:** Scientists said they had discovered the first known asteroid with a solar orbit between Earth and the sun

**2014:** High-ranking officials from China and Taiwan met in Nanking, China, for the first time in 65 years