



Today in History

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▲ **Liu Xiaobo, pro-democracy activist who won the Nobel Peace Prize in 2010 for his efforts to promote human rights in China, died from liver cancer at age 61**

1943: The greatest tank battle in history, with 6,000 tanks, ended with Russia's defeat of Germany at Kursk

1998: Prime Minister Ryutaro Hashimoto resigned over Japan's deepening economic crisis

2013: In Florida George Zimmerman was found not guilty of murdering an unarmed black teenager

2015: Scientists at CERN's Large Hadron Collider announced the observation of pentaquarks