



Today in History

April 21, 2019

▲ More than 250 people were killed and around 500 others injured in multiple bombings that targeted churches and hotels in Sri Lanka

1990: Erté, noted French designer of the Art Deco period, died

2010: The lease allowing Russia's Black Sea Fleet to be stationed in Ukraine was extended by 25 years in return for cheaper gas

2015: Japan's state-of-the-art Maglev train set a new world speed record of 603km/h in a test run near Mt Fuji

2019: Comic actor Volodymyr Zelensky was a surprise winner of Ukraine's presidential election