



Today in History

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▲ **Severiano Ballesteros**, one of Spain's greatest golfers, died from cancer at age 54. "Seve" won five majors and featured in five victorious Ryder Cup campaigns

1823: Beethoven conducted the first performance of his Ninth Symphony, despite his deafness

1915: The British liner **Lusitania** was sunk by a German submarine

1994: Edvard Munch's stolen masterpiece, **The Scream**, was found undamaged in a hotel in Norway

1996: Bosnian Serb **Dusan Tadic** became the first defendant to face an international war crimes tribunal since the Nuremberg trials in 1945