



## Today in History

*April 15, 1912*

▲ The White Star liner Titanic sank on her maiden voyage after hitting an iceberg. The ship carried too few lifeboats and more than 1,500 people lost their lives

**1469:** Nanak, the Indian spiritual teacher who founded Sikhism, was born near Lahore

**1912:** Kim il-Sung, founder of North Korea, was born. He ruled for 46 years and remains the “Eternal President”

**1970:** Canon produced the first pocket calculator, with printouts on thermal paper rather than a display

**2019:** Fire destroyed the roof of the Cathedral of Notre-Dame in Paris