



Today in History

December 3, 1984

▲ A toxic gas leak at the Union Carbide pesticide plant near Bhopal, India, killed over 3,700 people. It remains the world's worst industrial accident

1992: The first ever text message was sent by a test engineer over the Vodafone network in the UK

2014: Japan launched the space explorer Hayabusa2 to collect rock samples from an asteroid

2023: Mount Marapi erupted in Sumatra, killing 23 hikers who were found dead near the crater of the volcano

2023: Venezuelans voted to claim sovereignty over an oil-rich region in neighbouring Guyana