



Today in History

December 13, 2009

▲ The presidents of Turkmenistan, Kazakhstan, Uzbekistan and China inaugurated a landmark pipeline to transport natural gas from Central Asia to China

1937: Japanese forces captured the Chinese city of Nanking, killing around 300,000 people in the next six weeks

1949: Israel's Knesset voted to move the country's capital to Jerusalem, despite international opposition

1989: ANC president Nelson Mandela met South African leader FW de Klerk for the first time

2023: The first UN climate deal to call for a global transition away from fossil fuels was adopted at COP28