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## Exclusive Anne Frank Story!!!!!!

### Anne Frank

Anne Frank was born on June 12, 1929 in Frankfurt am Main in Germany. Her family managed to escape to the Netherlands so they could have a new life. she celebrated her 13th birthday in the Netherlands and she received a diary. Anne had always wanted to become a writer so she was very happy with her diary. Instead of writing "Dear Diary" she wrote "Dear Kitty" which was the name of her diary. When Hitler and the Nazis took over Netherlands Jew-

ish people had to wear a yellow star so everyone knew that they were Jews. Anne's older sister got sent to a concentration camp. After that Anne's family went into hiding in a secret place above



Picture of Anne Frank before World War 2.

Otto Frank's office. Their friends who were hiding them would bring them food. They had to stay very quiet because they didn't want anyone to find them. Only four people knew about them hiding. They shared the attic with another family so it was very crowded. They put shades over the windows, so the only sunlight they got was from a skylight. Anne would look out the window for hours. She hated being in such a small place. They were in hiding for about 2 years. Then on August

4, 1944 the German police found their hiding place. When they took them to the concentration camp Anne's diary was left behind. One month before the Jews were released Anne died from Typhus.

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## Elie Weisel Exclusive

ELIE WEISEL

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Elie Weisel was born in Sighet, Romania in 1928. He grew up in a small town. He did a lot of things with his family. But they were destroyed from the deportation of his town in 1944. He and his family were deported to Auschwitz in Poland. Elie and his father were separated from his mother and little sister, Tzipora. He was only 15 and never saw his mother or sister again. The following year he was transported to the concentration camps in Buna, Gleiwitz and Buchenwald. He was lucky enough to stay with his father until he died from starvation. Elie was liberated from Buchenwald by the United States 3rd Army in 1945.



After the war Elie found out that his mother and his younger sister were killed in the gas chambers, but his two older sisters survived. For a couple of years he lived in an orphanage. In 1948 he began to study literature, philosophy, and psychology at the Sorbonne in Paris. He supported himself by becoming a journalist, writing for the French newspaper. Elie said he would never write about what happened to him in the Holocaust, but in 1955 he wrote, *And the World Remained Silent*. Which tells all his experience at the concentration camps. In his book he wrote "never shall I forget that night the first night in camp. Which has turned my life into one long night seven times cursed and seven times sealed never shall I forget that smoke."

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**Fast Fact Did You Know that 6 million Jews were killed during the Holocaust.**

## Facts and Causes of World War 2

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one of the main reasons that started World War 2 is that Adolf Hitler became very powerful. Another reason World War 2 happened is

Nationalism because Nationalism is one of the main reasons of German, Italian, and Japanese hostility. Also another reason of World War 2 is that after World War 1 the treaty of Versailles because the treaty of Versailles treated the Germans very cruelly and it was

resented by all of the German people. The first thing that the treaty of Versailles made the Germans do is that they couldn't have a military. The second thing the treaty made the Germans do is that they were forced to give up the ships they used to trade with and

## Cause of World War 2

where forced to give them to the Allies. The third thing that the Germans were forced to do is that they were forced to give up land that they had in Africa, the Pacific, and in Europe. The fourth and final thing the Germans were forced to do is that they had to pay \$33. Million in war damages. A

scale military conflict took place between 1939 and 1945. It started between Germany and the Allies. The Allies were made up of Poland, the United Kingdom, and France. Germany was joined by Italy, Japan, and a few

others. In December 1941 the United States entered the war on the Allies after Japan bombed Pearl Harbor. China also joined the War on the Allies side after being in a war with Japan in 1937. In 1943 Italy surrendered to



A picture of a disabled tank during the Battle of the Bulge.

the Allies. Later Germany surrendered in May 1945. The war ended on September 2, 1945 after Japan surrendered. During the war about 62 Million people died.

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Picture of Hitler himself riding in his vehicle in a parade in the heart of Nazi Germany.

**The Invasion of France or also known as D-Day was launched on June 6, 1944.**

## The Landing of Normandy

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The landing at Normandy, France (also known as D-Day) started on June 6, 1944 and was one of the major turning points of World War II. The landing was an amphibious assault by the Allied nations on five

different beach areas with Allied soldiers landing by air behind enemy lines and by sea landing on the beaches. The United States led the of the landing on the beaches Omaha and Utah. The main Allied countries that where involved on the landing at Normandy where the Untied

Kingdom, Canada, and the United States. Once the Allied forces landed on the beaches they had a huge welcoming party with 50 Divisions of German troops with machine guns and heavy artillery barrages to take out the landing crafts and the ships they where

coming from. On that day after we took Omaha and Utah beach the Germans had wounded or killed approximately 2500 of the Allied troops in the fight to take Normandy.

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The Normandy Landing/  
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A Officer Decorating a troop for his Courageous Duties.

## James E. Mrazek In Training



James E. Mrazek arrived at Camp Claiborne July 25th 1944 to take command of the airborne training of the 84th Infantry Division. He found a great training area for him to work. There were two rows of C6-4a glider mockups. They were the wooden frames resembling the body of a glider. They also had four removable benches just like the real ones. He thought that there was about 100 of them. There was also several rows with C-46 and C-47 mockups. There was a building in between the rows where you could conduct the training. They had some platforms that we had demonstration equipment to practice with. Right across from there, there was a landing strip for the gliders. The high general was General Alexander Bolling. James trained the squadron over the General. After about a month he had processed more than 25 battalions. They now had over 15,000 men. General Bolling offered him a place in the 84th but he didn't want to take it because his squadron, the 13th, was going over seas.

## World War 2

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## EDITOIRAL

Editorial  
World War II and the  
Holocaust

My view on World War II is that it was a war that had to be fought because no one would just step in a stop Hitler's from building his army to a massive size and strength. My view on the Holocaust is that it didn't have to happen it did just because Hitler wanted it to happen. Because he was so powerful it did happen and it had a major effect on everyone in the world. There where many countries involved in this war. The good Armies meaning the ones that fought against the Germans



were called the Allies. The countries that joined Germany were called the Axis Powers. Germany did a lot of evil things during World War 2 one of which is the Holocaust. Germany had not liked the Jews and they didn't get along at all. Hitler devised a plan for all Jews, gypsies, the mentally ill and many other groups of people that didn't agree with German rule to be sent to concentration camps or killing camps. Which is very wrong in



Caption describing picture or graphic.

my opinion and many other people have stronger opinions on this subject than I do. Over all I think the war had a bad effect on most of the countries in present day Europe.

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