

Asia Notes

WWII, Korea, Vietnam, Chinese
Calendar, Great Wall, Samurai

World War II(1941-1945)

- Battles throughout the Pacific
- Aug. 6th, 1945 USA uses 1st of 2 atomic bombs EVER used
- Estimated over 200,000 died at Hiroshima
- 2nd bomb dropped on Nagasaki
- 70,000 people die
- Japan surrenders to the USA, V-J Day

Utter Destruction



Korean War Memorials and pictures



Korean War(1950-1953)

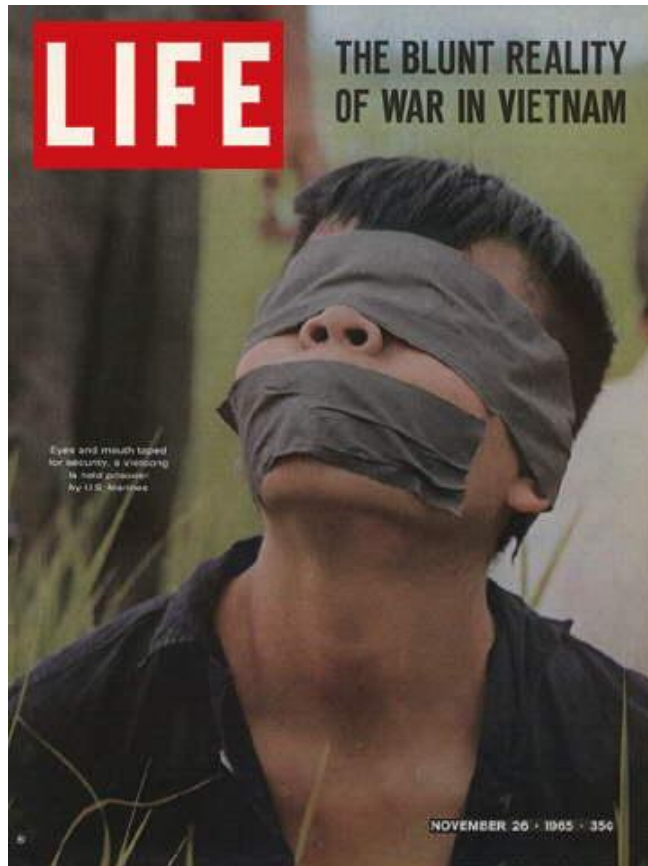
- UN and USA send troops to fight the Communists, USA provided 90 % of troops, supplies, and equipment
- Over 1 million South Koreans killed
- Armistice signed
- 38th parallel splits North Korea and South Korea

38th Parallel

The end result



There is no “winners” in war. Vietnam War



Vietnam Conflict/War(1957-1975)

- Longest war USA ever involved in
- USA and South Vietnam vs Viet Cong and North Vietnam
- 58,000 US troops killed, 300,000 wounded
- Major Antiwar Protest results in US pulling troops out of Vietnam in 1973
- South Vietnam surrenders and Communist take over

Vietnam Memorial

