

# Marion Burns

## World War II Navy



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Navy Seaman Marion Burns served aboard the USS Franklin as a chockman during World War II. He survived a direct bombing that killed over 800 of his fellow sailors.

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