## **December 7, 1941 observes as the day commemoration** of Pearl Harbor Day.

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The day 7th December 1941 is observed

by the Americans as Pearl Harbor Day to honor those people who were killed in the Japanese attack on the Hawaiian naval base.

The massive incident took place on 7th December, 1941. On that day Japanese naval air forces attacked the U.S. military stations at Pearl Harbor, Hawaii Territory on the island of Oahu, which is responsible for killing more than 2,300 Americans.

Due to this massive attack U.S.S. Arizona was totally ruined and the U.S.S. Oklahoma upturned. In total, there are 12 ships sank in the attack and 9 additional vessels were damaged, over 160 aircraft were destroyed and over 150 others damaged.

Today, it marks the 69th anniversary of Pearl Harbor Day. The Pearl Harbor Memorial is possibly one of the most serious places to trip, overseeing the ruins of the U.S.S. Arizona.

Pearl Harbor Day is also known as a turning point in the Second World War. Foreign policy specialist Ted Galen Carpenter explained the assault on Pearl Harbor in his book, 'Smart Power.'

It is believed that the Pearl Harbor was the 2nd largest fatal assault, which is just behind the attack of 11th September, 2001, World Trade Center.

In accordance with, the Washington Post, The Navy Memorial in Washington, D.C., there is an arrangement of an official ceremony today in commemoration of Pearl Harbor Day.

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