



8 Bells and all is well. Are you ready to accept the Freedom Watch? **Your purchases will help us build a museum to honor the heroes of WWII who made the ultimate sacrifice and educate future generations about the "Cost of Freedom."**

A few minutes after midnight on July 30, 1945, the **USS Indianapolis** was torpedoed and sank into the sea in just twelve minutes. Nine hundred of the original 1,197 men on board were left floating in the darkness, without lifeboats, in shark-infested waters. The ship was never missed. The story of the USS Indianapolis is about the many men who paid the ultimate price for our freedom, the men who never made it home. It is about the ordeal faced by men who were left floating in a shark-infested sea for almost five days without food, water, or medical care. By the time the survivors were discovered by chance four days later, only 317 were left; the other crew members were the victims of injury, exposure and shark attacks. The story of the USS Indianapolis is one of the most dramatic and tragic events of World War II and merits a vital place in the history of our nation. The USS Indianapolis was most noted for delivering the components for the world's first operational atomic bomb to the island of Tinian which resulted in ending World War II two weeks later on August 15, 1945.

Official Limited Edition USS INDIANAPOLIS 1932 Commemorative Cast Bronze Bell

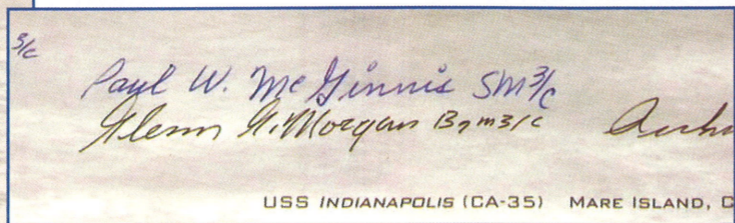
"Eight Bells and All is Well." The Verdin Company of Cincinnati, Ohio is recognized as the world's premier manufacturer of bells since 1842 (a fifth generation family owned business). The bell was custom made to our specifications and copied from the original bell now on location at the Hesler Naval Armory in Indianapolis. The original bell was removed off the USS Indianapolis Heavy Cruiser in Hawaii en route to the war zone. Each bell comes with a Certificate of Authenticity that includes the serial number and casting date signed by three Verdin executives. LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE.
Bell measures 3"x 4". Weight 10.4 oz.

USS1932 **\$500.00** A donation of \$500 (\$200 of which is tax deductible.)



AUTOGRAPHED Print of the USS Indianapolis (CA-35) Mare Island

California 10 July 1945
Own a piece of history. Print is signed by seven survivors of the original 317 who survived. LIMITED NUMBER AVAILABLE. Photographic Print measures 18"x 24".
USS-CA35 **\$250.00**



USS INDIANAPOLIS (CA-35) MARE ISLAND, CA

Close-up of Autograph Section

The USS Indianapolis (CA-35) Memorial Museum, Inc. Foundation is a not-for-profit 501(c)3 organization established in Indianapolis, Indiana.

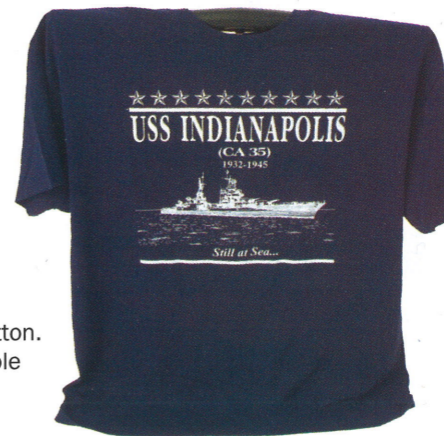
Official USS Indianapolis (CA-35)

Ball Cap
Show your pride as the Indy served as the Fifth Fleet flagship and President Roosevelt's ship of state before WWII. Features 100% polyester, adjustable closure, stitched eyelets, one size fits all in navy blue.
USS0730 **\$20.00**



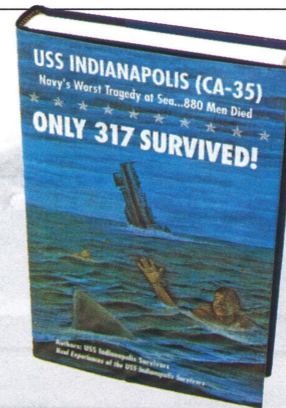
Still at Sea

T-Shirt
Front view features a picture of USS Indianapolis (CA35) and its 10 battle stars earned in the Pacific.
100% preshrunk cotton. Short sleeve available in navy. Specify M,L,XL,XXL.
USS0880 **\$15.00**



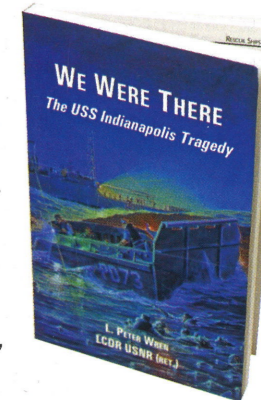
Only 317 SURVIVED!

By USS Indianapolis Survivors
Read the true personal stories of the survivors and experience each man's struggle to survive in their own words. You will experience terror of horrifying proportions and human valor at its strongest. Learn how all gave some and some gave all.
USS0317 **\$30.00**



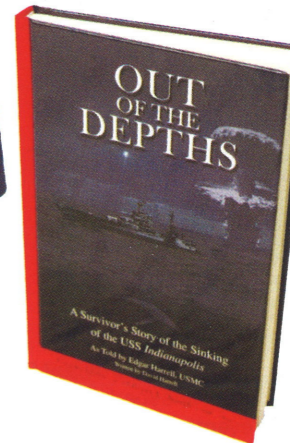
WE WERE THERE

The USS Indianapolis Tragedy
By L. Peter Wren LCDR USNR (Ret.)
The USS Indianapolis tragedy is best told by the sailors, airmen and medics who were there. The crews from the aircrafts, rescue and burial ships share their experiences with the reader as they recall memories they have suppressed for years. Wren, a boat officer from the USS Bassett, helped to save 152 survivors.
USS-APD73 **\$15.95**



OUT OF THE DEPTHS

As Told by Edgar Harrell, USMC
Written by David Harrell
Foreword by Lt Col Oliver L. North, USMC, (Ret.)
A terrifying firsthand account of the sinking of the USS Indianapolis and the Navy cover-up that led to the bizarre court-martial and eventual exoneration of its captain. Experience the horrors of being plagued by sharks, hyperthermia, severe dehydration and salt-water hallucinations, and the crew's heart wrenching struggle to survive. A truly riveting story of survival, political intrigue and faith in the providence of God.
USS-DE368 **\$20.00**



10 Assorted Bird Note Cards and Envelopes or Matted Bird Prints

By Tennessee Artist Dr. Earl O. Henry
Dr. Earl Henry (1911-1945) was a dentist from Knoxville, Tennessee who studied birds intensively from the age of 12, and painted them as a hobby the last three years of his life. The only Tennessee dentist who lost his life on active duty during World War II, Lt. Commander Henry was on the cruiser, USS Indianapolis, when two direct hits from a Japanese submarine sank it on July 30, 1945. Acid-free matted prints measure 11"x 14".

Box of 10 Note Cards and Envelopes **USS-N01 \$10.00**
Matted Bird Prints - Cardinal I **USS-P01 \$40.00**
Matted Bird Prints - Painted Bunting **USS-P02 \$40.00**

