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# 2001 - News Around The World

Terrorist Attack Against World Trade Center And Pentagon China Moves Ahead In International Trade Pakistan Vows To Support U.S. Anti-terrorism Cause U.S. Planes Attack Taliban Troops In Afghanistan U.S. Supreme Court Disbars President Clinton

# This Day In History

- 1835 - William Lamb Lord Melbourne Forms British Govt
 - 1834 - Charles Darwin Sails To Rio Santa Cruz Up Patagonia
 - 1809 - 1st Run Of 2,000 Guineas Horse Race At Newmarket England

World Series - Arizona Diamondbacks Win 2001 World Series!

Arizona Diamondbacks fans all over are celebrating the Series win over the New York Yankees.

Both teams played their best, but the Arizona Diamondbacks took the series by four games to three.

# **Literary Contributions**

The literary world contributed great reading during 2001. Some of the most noted titles were: "Skipping Christmas" by John Grisham, "Violets are Blue" by James Patterson, and "He Sees You When You're Sleeping" by Mary Higgins Clark.

#### **National Price Averages**

The average home in 2001 cost the consumer \$213,200, while the cost of a car averaged \$19,654. A postage stamp costs \$0.34. Here are some other interesting statistics:

- Population: 285,317,559
- Gasoline: \$1.46 gallon
- Electricity: \$48.55
- Bread: \$1.00
- Milk: \$1.74 Half Gallon
- Flour: \$0.30
- Doz. Eggs: \$0.92
- Bacon: \$3.25
- Bologna: \$2.50
- Ice Cream: \$3.70
- Average Income: \$22,851

#### The Year In Music

Among the most popular in 2001 were "I'm Real" by Jennifer Lopez, "Thank You" by Dido, and "Again" by Lenny Kravitz.

### The 2001 Academy Awards

The Academy of Motion Picture Arts and Sciences honored their best this year, with Best Actor going to Russell Crowe and Best Actress going to Julia Roberts. "Gladiator" received Best Picture.

#### **Other News**

- President Clinton And Yasser Arafat Meet Over Mid-East Violence
- India Test Flies It's First Locally Developed Jet Fight
- 2 Blackhawk Helicopters Crash In Hawaii 6 Soldiers Killed

