



9/11

Stories of survival, bravery, and sacrifice

# 9/11 Tribute



# Just the facts. . . LOSS OF LIFE ON 9/11

## Facts About The Victims Of 9/11

- 2,749 death certificates were filed relating to the WTC attacks, as of February 2005.
- 13 people died after the disaster, from injuries received on September 11; three of these people died in Massachusetts, Missouri, and New Jersey, and the rest died in New York.
- Of the 2,749 people who died, 2,117 (77%) were males and 632 (23%) were females.
- 1,588 (58%) were forensically identified from recovered physical remains.
- The median age for the victims was 39 years (range: 2-85 years); the median age was 38 years for females (range: 2-81 years) and 39 years for males (range: 3-85 years). Three people were aged under 5 years, and three were aged over 80 years.
- 23 New York City Police Officers died on September 11th, 2001.
- People from 83 different countries died in the attacks on the World Trade Center.

# OTHER VARIOUS FACTS

- The youngest passenger on the hijacked jets was Christine Hanson on United Airlines Flight 175. She was 2 and on her first trip to Disneyland.
- The oldest passenger on the hijacked jets was Robert Norton on American Airlines Flight 11. He was 82.
- The New York City Fire Department lost 343 firefighters, almost half the number of on-duty deaths in the department's 100-year history.
- 91 baseball games were postponed in the six days Major League Baseball suspended play, the longest postponement, excluding work stoppages, for regular-season games since World War I in 1918.
- 1,337 vehicles were crushed when the towers collapsed, including 91 FDNY vehicles - a little more than half of all the fire vehicles in Louisville.

# Facts continued. .

- 1.5 million working hours during 261 days were spent removing the debris at the WTC site.
- America's Blood Centers, a network of community banks, collected 251,370 units, nearly three times the normal intake, in the four days after Sept. 11. The Red Cross collected more than 200,000 units and saw its on-hand supply nearly double, from 80,000 units to 156,000 units in days.
- The fires at Ground Zero burned for 99 days, until Dec. 19.

Let's look at a timeline of events





# Honoring the Rescuers

Who were these brave people?

# The photographs and photographers of 9/11





# Personal stories of survival

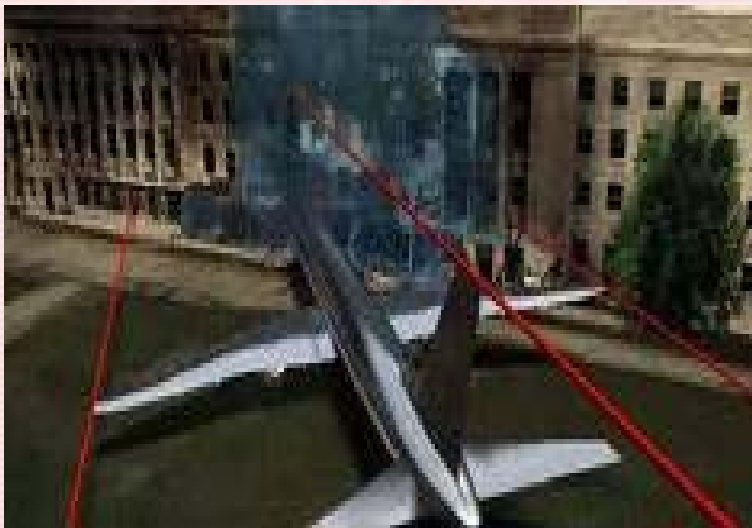


# Watching it unfold in Times Square



# 2 more planes. . .

- The Pentagon Building in Washington, DC



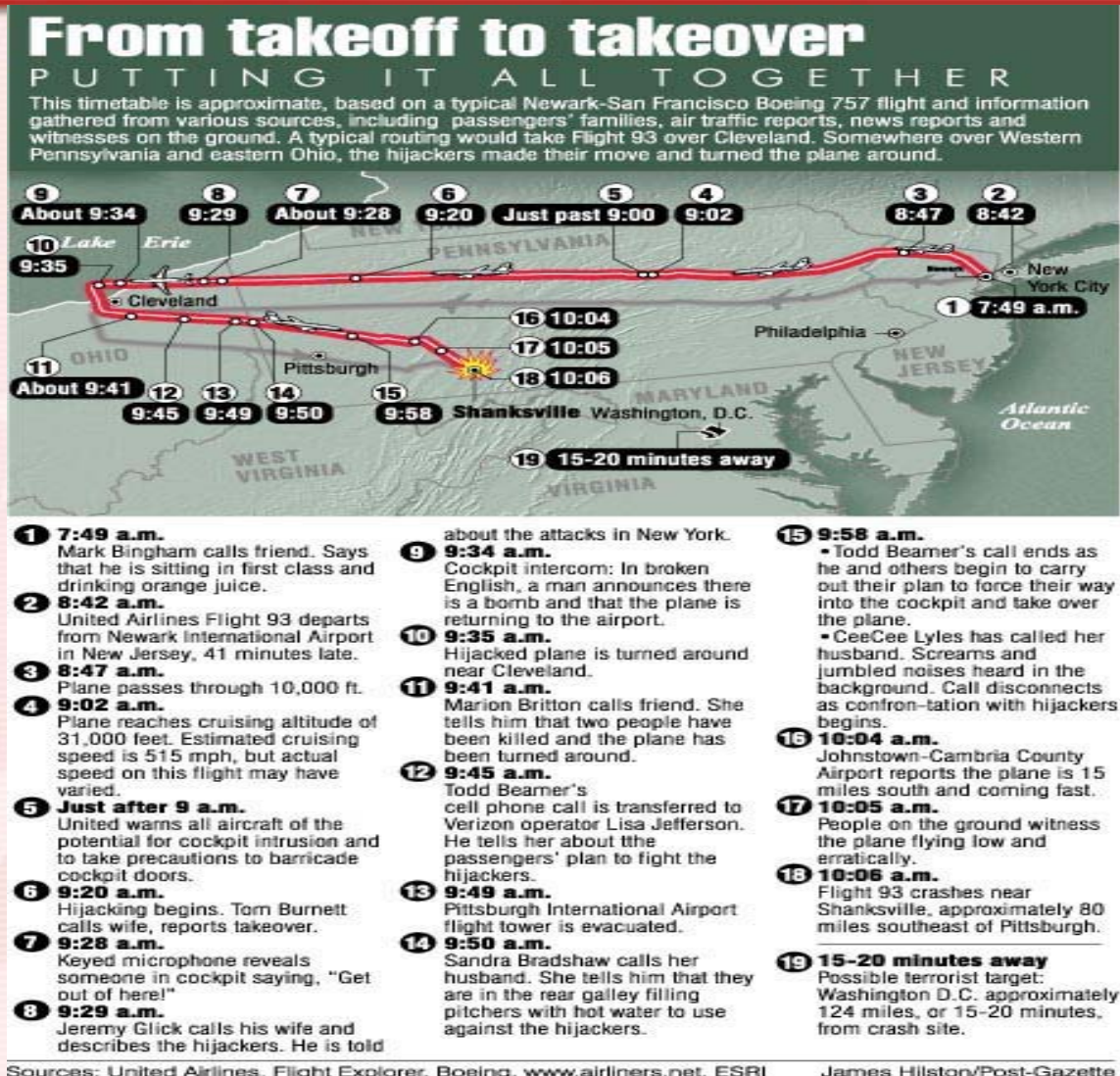
All 58 passengers, four flight attendants, and both pilots on board, as well as 125 occupants of the Pentagon, died. Although the blast from the plane and the toxic gas and heat from the resulting fire killed some people in their offices near the crash site, some people working inside the Pentagon that morning did not know that a plane had hit their building. Military and civilian personnel running up and down the corridors yelling for people to get out helped to save a lot of lives. It was estimated that there were close to 2,600 people working in the Pentagon near the impact site. The fact that so many people were able to survive speaks well to the design of Pentagon. Indeed, the building received many upgrades following the Oklahoma City bombing to protect it from similar terrorist attacks. For instance, a recently completed \$258 million renovation to the west wing included Kevlar-reinforced windows. Despite the impact of the plane and the fires, the damaged area did not collapse for 30 minutes, and the windows just next to the impact site remained intact, as shown on the next slide.

# The Pentagon



Blast-resistant windows on either side of the impact area remained intact above the second floor.

# Flight 93 – New Jersey to San Francisco light carried only 37 passengers and seven crew.



The Flight was hijacked and headed to DC.  
Let's roll. . .



Born Todd Morgan Beamer  
November 24, 1968  
Flint, Michigan  
Died September 11, 2001 (aged 32)  
Shanksville, Pennsylvania

# A call to mom. . .



# A twist of fate. . . Saves a life

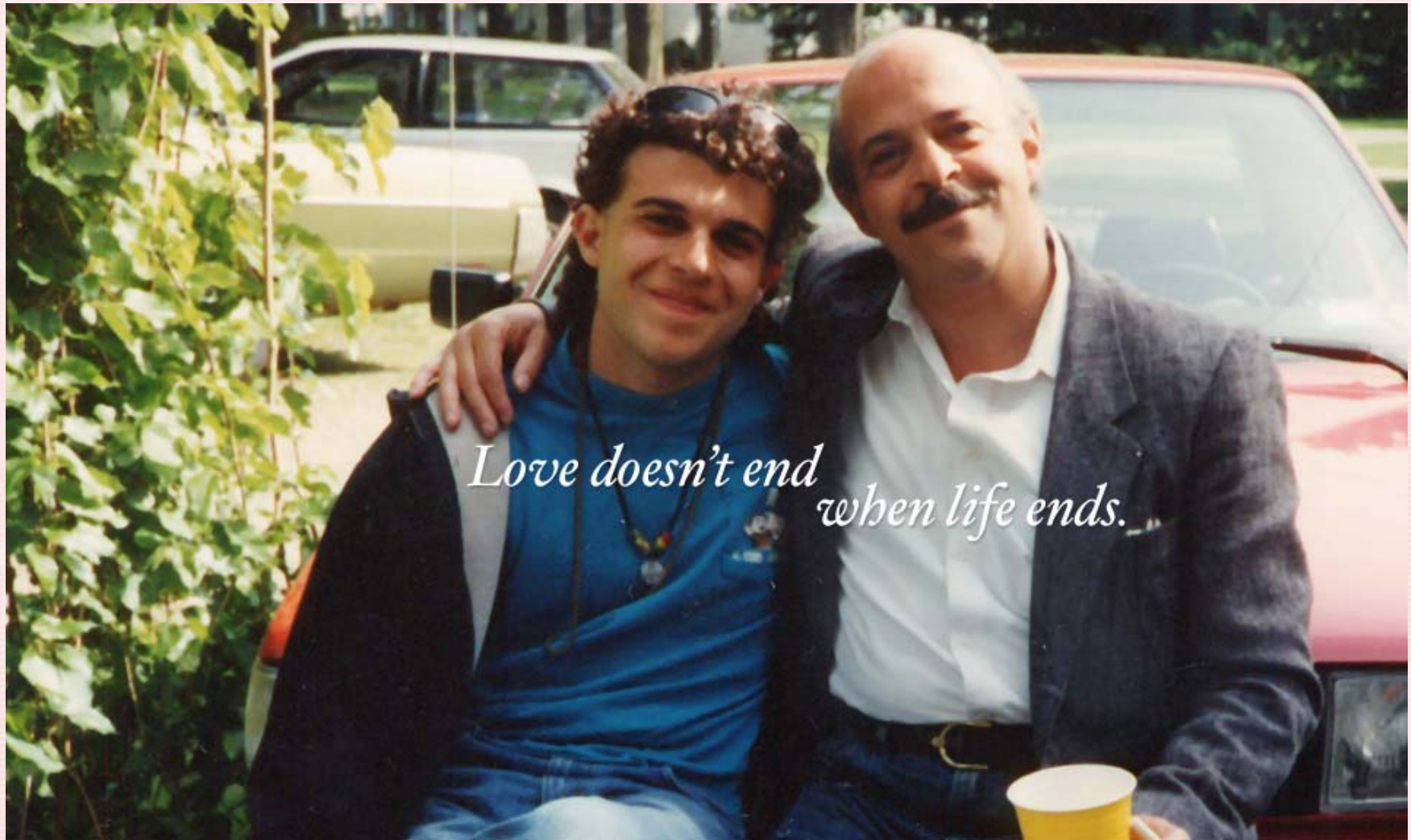




# The Children of 9/11



# Six words for 9/11





Because of 9/11