

66 Lost Boats of the Silent Service

Mar. 21, 1915	USS F-4 (Skate) (SS-23)	19 men lost
Dec. 17, 1917	USS F-1 (SS-20)	19 men lost
July 30, 1919	USS G-2 (SS-27)	3 men lost
Mar. 12, 1920	USS H-1 (SS-28)	4 men lost
Sep. 1, 1920	USS S-5 (SS-110)	no loss of life
Oct. 10, 1923	USS O-5 (SS-66)	5 men lost
Dec. 17, 1927	USS S-4 (SS-109)	34 men lost
May 23, 1939	USS Squalus (SS-162)	26 men lost
June 20, 1941	USS O-9 (SS-70)	34 men lost
Dec. 10, 1941	USS Sealion (SS 195)	5 men lost
Jan. 20, 1942	USS S-36 (SS-141)	no loss of life
Jan. 24, 1942	USS S-26 (SS-131)	46 men lost
Feb. 11, 1942	(first) USS Shark (SS-174)	59 men lost
Mar. 3, 1942	USS Perch (SS-176)	8 men lost
June 19, 1942	USS S-27 (SS-132)	no loss of life
July 30, 1942	USS Grunion (SS-216)	70 men lost
Aug. 17, 1942	USS S-39 (SS-144)	no loss of life
Sept. 25, 1942	USS S-51 (SS-31)	46 men lost
Jan. 10, 1943	USS Argonaut (SS-166)	84 men lost
Feb. 14, 1943	USS Amberjack (SS-219)	71 men lost
Mar. 5, 1943	USS Grampus (SS-207)	71 men lost
Mar. 15, 1943	USS Triton (SS-201)	74 men lost
Mar. 20, 1943	USS Kete (SS-369)	87 men lost
April 3, 1943	USS Pickerel (SS-177)	74 men lost
April 22, 1943	USS Grenadier (SS-210)	4 lost as POW
May 28, 1943	USS Runner (SS-275)	78 men lost

June 12, 1943	USS R-12 (SS-89)	42 men lost
Aug. 29, 1943	USS Pompano (SS-181)	76 men lost
Sept. 9, 1943	USS Grayling (SS-209)	76 men lost
Sept. 28, 1943	USS Cisco (SS-290)	76 men lost
Oct. 7, 1943	USS S-44 (SS-149)	56 men lost
Oct. 11, 1943	USS Wahoo (SS-238)	70 men lost
Oct. 12, 1943	USS Dorado (SS-248)	78 men lost
Nov. 16, 1943	USS Corvina (SS-226)	82 men lost
Nov. 19, 1943	USS Sculpin (SS-191)	40 men lost
Nov. 23, 1943	USS Capelin (SS-289)	76 men lost
Jan. 5, 1944	USS Scorpion (SS-278)	77 men lost
Feb. 26, 1944	USS Grayback (SS-208)	80 men lost
Feb. 29, 1944	USS Trout (SS-202)	81 men lost
Mar. 26, 1944	USS Tullibee (SS-284)	79 men lost
June 1, 1944	USS Herring (SS-233)	80 men lost
June 7, 1944	USS Gudgeon (SS-211)	80 men lost
June 14, 1944	USS Golet (SS-361)	82 men lost
July 4, 1944	USS S-28 (SS-133)	50 men lost
July 26, 1944	USS Robalo (SS-273)	84 men lost
Aug. 13, 1944	USS Flier (SS-250)	80 men lost
Aug, 24, 1944	USS Harder (SS-257)	80 men lost
Oct. 3, 1944	USS Seawolf (SS-197)	102 men lost
Oct. 17, 1944	USS Escolar (SS-294)	82 men lost
Oct. 24, 1944	USS Tang (SS-306)	83 men lost
Oct. 24, 1944	(second) USS Shark (SS-314)	90 men lost
Oct. 24, 1944	USS Darter (SS-227)	no loss of life
Nov. 7, 1944	USS Albacore (SS-218)	86 men lost
Nov. 8, 1944	USS Growler (SS-215)	84 men lost

Nov. 9, 1944	USS Scamp (SS-277)	83 men lost
Jan. 12, 1945	USS Swordfish (SS-193)	90 men lost
Feb. 4, 1945	USS Barbel (SS-316)	81 men lost
Mar. 26, 1945	USS Trigger (SS-237)	89 men lost
April 8, 1945	USS Snook (SS-279)	84 men lost
May 3, 1945	USS Lagarto (SS-371)	88 men lost
June 18, 1945	USS Bonefish (SS-223)	86 men lost
Aug. 6, 1945	USS Bullhead (SS-332)	84 men lost
Sept. 26, 1949	USS Cochino (SS 345)	1 lost from Cochino, 6 from USS Tusk during rescue
May 30, 1958	USS Stickleback (SS-415)	no loss of life
April 10, 1963	USS Thresher (SSN-593)	129 men lost
June 2, 1968	USS Scorpion (SSN-589)	99 men lost

(Two blasts on the klaxon)

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