

Memorialized Events/People in the Modern Middle East/Central Asia

1. Afghani-Soviet Conflict, 1979-1989. (Note that only the Soviets have built many memorials to the struggle. Why?)
2. Gallipoli/Canakkale (World War I, Ottoman Empire/Turkey versus Allies). Be sure to find the memorial to the Turks that died as well as the memorials to the Allies.
3. Iran-Iraq War, 1980-1988
4. Algerian War (for independence) – 1960s
5. Arab-Israeli Wars (including Six Day War and Yom Kippur War)
6. Kuwait War/Gulf War
7. War in Lebanon (1975-1990)
8. Cyprus (Greek-Turkish civil war)
9. Halabja (poison gas attack against Kurds by Iraqi government)
10. Libya – Tobruk (World War II)
11. World War II memorial in Tashkent, Uzbekistan (participation of Uzbeks in Soviet Union's Red Army)
12. Martyr's Day in Lebanon and Syria (World War I)
13. Ataturk (Turkish War of Independence)
14. Syria Israel wars
15. Nagorno-Karabakh War (between Armenia and Azerbaijan in the 1990s)