

## The Bomb



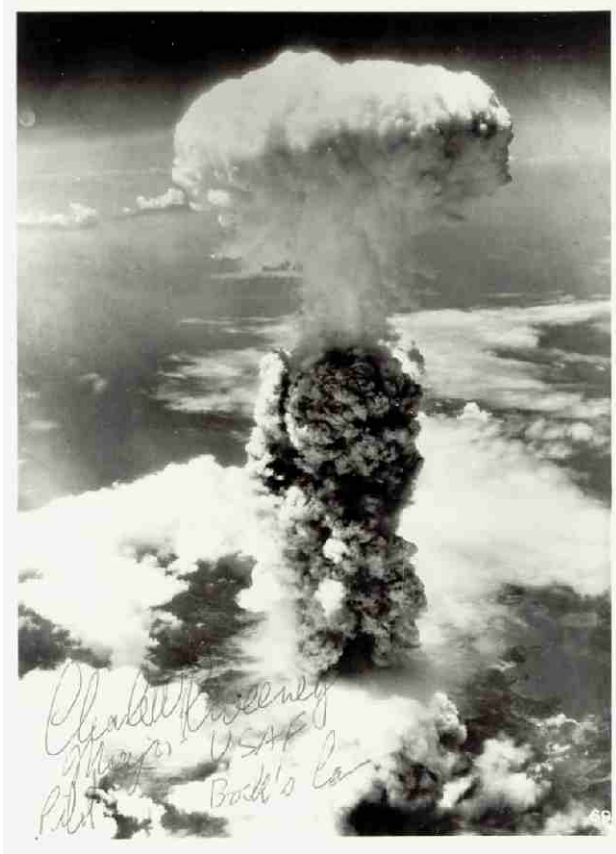
*"Little Boy"*



*"Fat Man"*

Answer the following questions from the video.

1. What happened on 12 April 1945?
2. What was the disagreement between the United States and The Soviet Union over Poland and the rest of Eastern Europe?
3. What was the secret that Secretary of War Stimson told President Truman on 24-25 April?
4. What were the two kinds of atomic bombs?
5. What happened to Tokyo on 9 March 1945?
6. How effective was the U.S. blockade of Japan?
7. What is unconditional surrender? Why do you think that President Truman was so insistent on it?
8. What did the Interim Committee want to use the bomb for?



*"Fat Man" Mushroom Cloud  
Over Nagasaki - Signed by  
Charles Sweeney, Pilot of Bockscar*

9. What was the greatest fear of invading Japan?
10. What were the lessons of the Battle of Okinawa in the Spring of 1945?
11. What options were chosen to end the war? Which one was chosen?
12. What happened on 16 July 1945?
13. How did Robert Oppenheimer appear and act in his interview about the development of the atomic bomb?
14. Why did we tell the Soviets about the bomb?
15. What was the name of the plane that dropped the bomb on Hiroshima?
16. Describe the atomic attack on Hiroshima? What was the damage? The casualties?
17. What did the Soviets do on 9 August 1945?
18. What did the United States do on 9 August 1945?
19. What did many Japanese believe that the honorable thing to do was, even after the bombs?
20. What did the Japanese emperor do on 15 August 1945? Why do you think this was important?
21. What happened on 2 September 1945?