

7 Worst Earthquakes In The History of Mankind

The ground pulsating beneath your feet, the contortions of the earth sending ripples through your flesh. It is a riveting, albeit terrifying experience! Natural catastrophes have wreaked havoc on the planet throughout human history – and even before it. They serve as a humbling reminder of our insignificance in the scheme of things. Here are the seven worst earthquakes in the history of mankind:

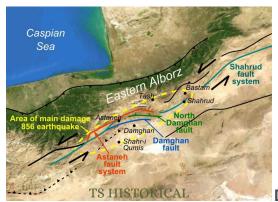
1. Antioch Earthquake, Turkey, 115





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2. Damghan Earthquake, Iran, 856





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3. Aleppo Earthquake, Syria, 1138



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4. Shaanxi Earthquake, China, 1556





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5. Valdivia Earthquake, Chile, 1960



6. Port-au-Prince, Haiti, 2010





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7. The 2004 Sumatra Earthquake



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