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63rd anniversary of devastating quake on Santorini



Tuesday, July 9 marked 63 years since a catastrophic earthquake on the iconic island of Santorini, one of the biggest tremors in Europe in the 20th century.

The quake was followed by a 25-meter tidal wave, known as a tsunami in our days, which claimed numerous victims and caused significant damages on Santorini and nearby islands.

53 people were killed in the quake or drowned in the tsunami.