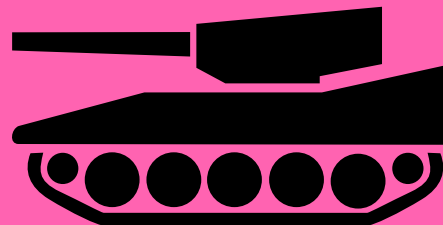


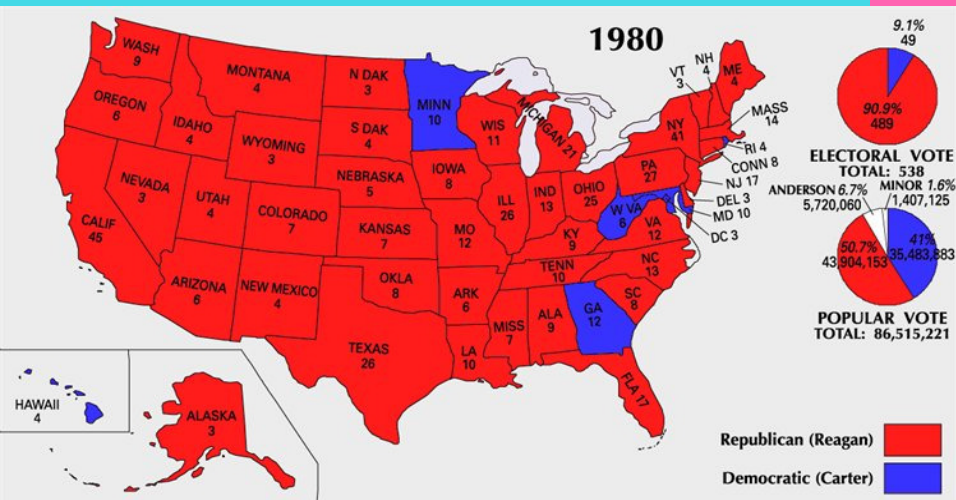
AIDS/HIV virus kills over 21,000 Americans before it is discovered that it is transferred by bodily fluids independent of sexuality.



Iran-Contra Affair

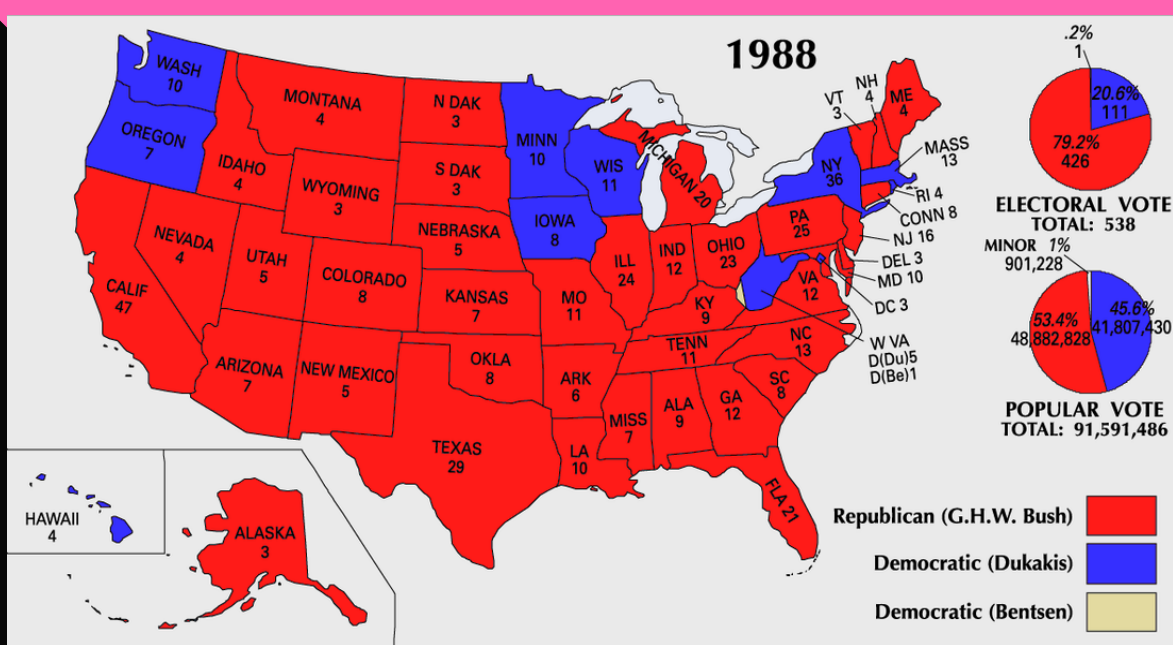
U.S. Gov't gets caught selling weapons to Iran to free US hostages, then using the \$ to fund rebels in Nicaragua

## Election of 1980



Feb 22, 1980 in the midst of the Cold War, the U.S. men's hockey team defeats the USSR for the gold- It's called "The Miracle on Ice"

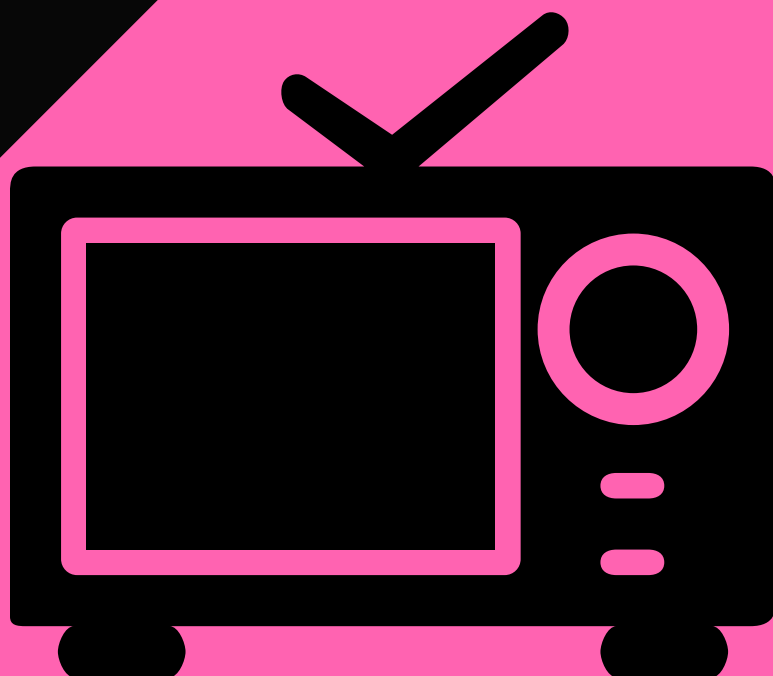
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# 1980's Culture



Top Grossing Movie of the 1980s



MTV, CNN & ESPN all debut, marking the first time TV runs 24/7

1st Lady Nancy Regan's program to fight the war on drugs



Top selling album

