

# Effects Of 9/11 On World Trade Center



# Vocabulary

**Façade:** the front of a building, especially a large or attractive building.

**Arson:** the crime of intentionally starting a fire in order to damage or destroy something, especially a building.

**Cataclysm:** an event that causes a lot of destruction, or a sudden, violent change.

**Overhaul:** to repair or improve something so that every part of it works as it should.

# The Plot



Nineteen militants who were associated with the Islamic extremist group “Al-Qaeda” hijacked four aircrafts and were instrumental in carrying out coordinated suicide attacks against several targets in the United States of America.

Two of the airplanes were flown into the twin towers of the World Trade Center in New York City, a third plane hit the Pentagon just outside Washington, D.C., and the fourth plane crashed in a field in Pennsylvania.

An estimated 3,000 people were massacred during the 9/11 terrorist attacks.