

The USS NEW YORK



The USS New York, built with **24 tons of steel salvaged** from the fallen towers of the **World Trade Center to commemorate the victims of 9/11**. Notice the Twin Towers.

The USS New York is most notable for having a huge amount of steel within its make up from the remnants of the World Trade Center buildings, destroyed on September 11, 2001.

The San Antonio class amphibious transport dock is the fifth US Navy ship to be named after the state of New York, and has a crew of 360, with capabilities to carry up to 700 marines.

This ship was the first of its kind to be designed from a CAD screen in order to support all of the Marine's primary mobility capabilities, the Landing Craft Air Cushion and MV-22B Osprey aircraft.

Her Maiden Deployment came on March 26, 2012, as part of the Iwo Jima Amphibious Ready Group (ARG) manned, trained and equipped to perform the full range of MEU/ARG missions, and has boasted quite a career since then.

Today, the USS New York (LPD-21) is one of the most state-of-the-art amphibious warships in the Navy's fleet. It is manned by a crew of 360 sailors and three permanently assigned Marines.

Her motto is "Strength Forged Through Sacrifice – Never Forget."

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