

### Quick Facts

- Provides Web-based access to essential primary source information that helps researchers explore major issues and events in modern American history
- Covers social, political, economic, environmental, international, health and science topics
- Offers extensive, authoritative coverage through hundreds of local, regional and national newspapers published throughout the U.S.
- Includes exclusive staff-written articles and unabridged reports from individuals who experienced issues and events firsthand
- Enables researchers to zero in on the source closest to an issue or event and compare local, regional and national coverage

### Modern history in the words of those who experienced it

*NewsBank Retrospective* is a Web-based information resource ideally suited for researching major issues and events in modern American history. With a simple search, users can access original newspaper articles covering specific topics in the late 20th century. The articles are often written by staff closest to the source of the topic or even by individuals who experienced the issue or event firsthand. Beyond milestone political, cultural and other events, these unfiltered and unabridged accounts enable users to gain a deeper understanding of our nation's recent social history. Thus, this primary source information provides multiple, significant perspectives, enabling researchers to gain outstanding insight and background information on both historical topics and today's issues and events. *NewsBank Retrospective* literally brings history alive through the voices of individuals who experienced history as it was made.



### Local, regional and national perspectives

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