The Japanese Government is searching for the remains of the Japanese fallen during WWII







Any information on remains highly appreciated





Today, the surviving families and relatives of the Japanese who died overseas in the war are as hopeful as ever that the remains of their loved ones will one day be returned to their homeland.

Approximately 137,000 Japanese servicemen and civilians lost their lives in the Myanmar during World War II. The remains of around 45,580 of these are yet to be repatriated to Japan.

It is the wish of the Japanese people and the government that as many of these remains as possible should be returned to Japan. If you have any information of the remains of fallen Japanese servicemen or civilians who lost their lives in battles (for example, found when rebuilding your house or reclaiming land), or if you have any eyewitness information on caves or burial sites where the remains are spotted, please contact the Japan Association for Recovery and Repatriation of War Casualties (JARRWC).

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