

Double and Triple Fatal Mining Accidents

Double Fatalities

Date	Mine Name	State	Industry	Mineral	Classification
1980 - 08/19	Nevada	CO	M/NM	Silver	Asphyxiation
1980 - 07/06	Paramount Mining	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Highwall
1980 - 04/27	W. R. Grace	FL	M/NM	Phosphate	Explosion
1981 - 05/02	Energy Fuels	CO	COAL	Bituminous	Powered Haulage
1981 - 06/05	Wyoming	CA	M/NM	Mineral	Explosives
1981 - 07/30	Rienau No. 2	CO	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1981 - 10/11	Fort Worth Cement	TX	M/NM	Cement	Machinery
1981 - 10/23	Open Fork No. 2	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1982 - 01/05	W. R. W. No. 1	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Explosives
1982 - 01/22	Phelps No. 3	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1982 - 02/23	Vanguard No. 2	WY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1982 - 03/13	Bl Metallic	MT	M/NM	Silver/Lead	Explosives
1982 - 06/18	Cargill	NY	M/NM	Salt	Fall of Material
1982 - 07/31	West Fork	MO	M/NM	Lead	Hoisting
1982 - 09/07	Swan Pond	TN	M/NM	Limestone	Explosives
1983 - 04/25	Salt River	AZ	M/NM	Sand & Gravel	Powered Haulage
1983 - 05/23	Maple Creek	PA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1983 - 05/10	Kara No. 1	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1983 - 06/24	Livengood Bench	AK	M/NM	Gold	Drowning
1984 - 07/24	Shearwater Dredge	AL	M/NM	Stone	Drowning
1985 - 02/15	Diamond Quarry	OH	M/NM	Stone	Asphyxiation
1985 - 09/24	C. L. & S. No. 3	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1986 - 06/28	Twenty Mile	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Explosives
1988 - 03/08	Warm Springs	MT	M/NM	Phosphate	Fall of Roof
1988 - 07/05	Loudoun Quarry	VA	M/NM	Traprock	Handling Material
1988 - 09/01	Colton Plant	CA	M/NM	Limestone	Powered Haulage
1989 - 01/19	Leona Quarry	CA	M/NM	Stone	Fall of Material

1991 - 01/16	Fire Creek No. 1	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Explosion
1991 - 04/23	Bullion Hollow	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1994 - 05/11	Day Branch No. 9	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Explosion
1995 - 05/19	Lloyd Logging	WA	M/NM	Stone	Fall of Highwall
1995 - 07/25	No. 4 Slope	PA	COAL	Anthracite	Fall of Pillar
1996 - 02/09	North Texas	TX	M/NM	Cement	Fall of Material
1996 - 05/10	Southwest Lime	MO	M/NM	Limestone	Fall of Roof
1996 - 09/16	Cantera Espinosa	PR	M/NM	Limestone	Fall of Material
1996 - 11/20	C-2 Mine	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Rib
1997 - 04/26	Sunshine Rock	FL	M/NM	Limestone	Machinery
1997 - 07/15	Big Creek Seaboard	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1998 - 12/14	Bowie No. 2	CO	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1999 - 09/24	Powhatan No. 4	OH	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Material
1999 - 10/12	Turquoise Ridge	NV	M/NM	Gold	Fall of Roof
2000 - 07/31	Willow Creek	UT	COAL	Bituminous	Explosion/Fire
2001 - 06/05	Galena	ID	M/NM	Silver	Fall of Roof
2002 - 10/17	Storm Decline	NV	M/NM	Gold	Other (Heat Stroke)
2003 - 09/17	Twilight Mtn.	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Powered Haulage
2004 - 12/05	Robinson Oper.	NV	M/NM	Copper	Falling Material
2005 - 08/19	Bell County Prep.	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Powered Haulage
2005 - 08/03	Stillhouse No. 1	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
2006 - 01/19	Alma No. 1	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fire
2007 - 07/19	Nome Operations	AK	M/NM	Gold	Machinery
2007 - 04/17	Tri-Star Job No. 3	MD	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Highwall
2007 - 01/13	Cucumber	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
2010 - 08/12	Meikle Mine	NV	M/NM	Gold	Falling Material
2010 - 04/28	Dotiki Mine	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
2011 - 04/28	Equality Mine	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Highwall
2013 - 11/17	Revenue Mine	CO	M/NM	Silver	Explosives
2014 - 05/12	Brody No. 1	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Rib
2014 - 04/11	Mississippi Lime	MO	M/NM	Lime	Fall of Rib

2016 - 06/03	Harmony Mine	MS	M/NM	Sand and Gravel	Inundation
2017 - 10/31	Marigold Mine	NV	M/NM	Gold	Powered Haulage

Triple Fatalities

1971 - 03/26	Nemacolin	PA	COAL	Bituminous	Fire
1971 - 06/11	Federal No. 4	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1971 - 07/16	Hillmar No. 1	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1971 - 09/09	Broward	FL	M/NM	Limestone	Explosives
1971 - 11/11	Inspiration	AZ	M/NM	Copper	H ₂ S Poisoning
1972 - 03/21	Homestake	SD	M/NM	Gold	Fall of Ground
1974 - 01/07	Beckley No. 1	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Hoisting
1974 - 10/02	Maple Meadow	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Hoisting
1975 - 02/15	El Paso Quarry	TX	M/NM	Sand	Powered Haulage
1975 - 05/12	Deer Creek	UT	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1975 - 06/05	Harris No. 2	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Rib
1975 - 11/26	Bethlehem 105	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1976 - 06/15	Silver Ridge	OR	M/NM	Silver	Explosives
1977 - 07/24	Chetopa	AL	COAL	Bituminous	Falling Material
1978 - 04/13	Beatrice	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1978 - 08/11	Heald Pit	NY	M/NM	Sand & Gravel	Landslide
1978 - 08/30	Gramercy Works	LA	M/NM	Bauxite	Machinery
1979 - 01/23	Permac Prep Plant	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Explosives
1980 - 09/15	Spartan	IL	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1980 - 10/27	Crawford No. 1	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Explosives
1981 - 09/09	Warrior	ID	M/NM	Gold	Explosives
1982 - 05/10	Magma	AZ	M/NM	Copper	Fall of Ground
1982 - 08/24	Va. Pocahontas	VA	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Material
1984 - 02/16	Greenwich No. 1	PA	COAL	Bituminous	Explosion
1985 - 08/15	R & R No. 3	KY	COAL	Bituminous	CO Poisoning
1985 - 12/11	No. 2 Slope	PA	COAL	Anthracite	Explosion

1986 - 07/09	Orient No. 6	IL	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Roof
1989 - 01/04	Star Point No. 2	UT	COAL	Bituminous	Exploding Vessel
1990 - 07/31	Granny Rose	KY	COAL	Bituminous	Explosives
1993 - 01/04	Cumberland	PA	COAL	Bituminous	Dust Ignition
2003 - 01/22	McElroy	WV	COAL	Bituminous	Explosion
2007 - 08/10	Gibson	IN	COAL	Bituminous	Fall of Persons

07/27/1984, Southern Industries Corporation, Shearwater Dredge

No report or news articles could be found related to this accident. The following comes from the [MSHA Fatality Archive Database](#).

"The victims and two women were traveling in a 15 foot wooden boat powered by an outboard motor from a boat landing to the dredge when the boat struck a moored barge. The boat capsized causing the victims to drown. They were not wearing lifejackets although there were three lifejackets in the boat. The women swam safely to shore."