

# The Disproportionality of Titanic Survivors

On April 10th, 1912, over two-thousand people boarded the Titanic for its maiden voyage across the Atlantic.

Despite being marketed as one of the safest ships for its time, only one-third of the passengers and crew aboard the Titanic survived.

Survival was conditional on age, sex, and class, meaning a disproportionate number of people died based on which categories they occupied. Children, women, and first-class passengers were far more likely to survive.

The sinking of the Titanic led to major improvements in maritime safety.

Class		Total
Crew		885
First		325
Second		285
Third		706
Age		
Adult		2092
Child		109
Sex		
Women		470
Men		1731
Survival		
Survived		1490
Died		711

