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The bravery of Russian soldiers

The Soviet-German War is the most brutal episode of the most vicious war that mankind has ever seen. During the Great Patriotic War, as Joseph Stalin coins it, the Soviet Union emerges through pure tenacity as one of the world's great superpowers.

"Russian troops have always fought bravely and sometimes made incredible sacrifices." - once said Erich von Manstein, a German Field Marshal. And he was right because the Germans didn't expect at the Soviet soldiers would defend so much. Their soldiers, brave, initiative and incredible strength of the Russians. But, certainly, not only these qualities helped the latter to win the war.

To confirm this, let me tell you about an one great battle.

The Battle of Moscow is usually considered one of the most incredible battles in the Great Patriotic War, primarily because the Soviets were able to successfully prevent the most serious attempt to capture their capital. In October 1941 Hitler launched an offensive on the Russian capital codenamed Operation Typhoon. It was supposed to crush Moscow in a so-called double pincer - two simultaneous attacks from north and south.

The cost of this battle is a million of troops. Russian soldiers gave their lives to defend their Motherland. During this battle people showed what is a Soviet Army and what a great and powerful is our country. The spirit, bravery and fearlessness helped our soldiers to get the victory over the Germans.