

How World War II Transformed Chicago's Italian Community

THEY WENT OFF TO SAVE THE WORLD ... THEN CAME HOME TO TRANSFORM THE WORLD THEY GREW UP IN.

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