

Laffey Movie Update

Hell from the Heavens and Typhoon of Steel



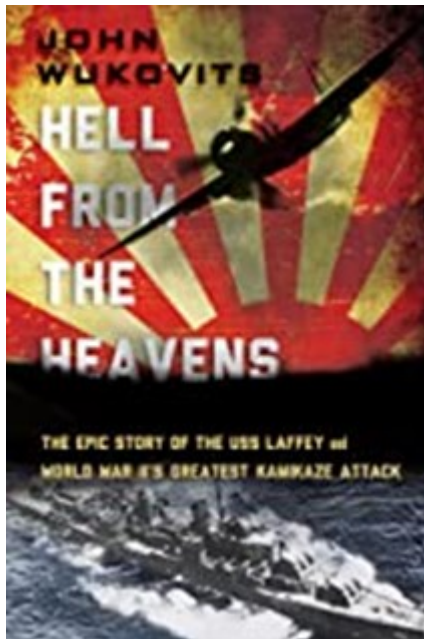
**Sonny Walker, Mel Gibson, and Chris Kirhagis aboard
USS Laffey at Patriots Point Naval & Maritime Museum**

See Mel Gibson Interview

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=8jBSJUeJ-9I>

There are two potential Laffey movies. The first is Destroyer: Hell from the Heavens. The second is Typhoon of Steel.

Hell from the Heavens



Per

<https://www.comingsoon.net/movie/129351-destroyer-hell-from-the-heavens> ,

"The film will be based on the John Wukovits book titled "Hell From the Heavens: The Epic Story of the USS Laffey and World War II's Greatest Kamikaze Attack". In 2017 Mel Gibson and Rosilyn Ross visited the Laffey and

met with Chris Kirhagis and Sonny Walker. See

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No new info has been received on this movie. We will publish movie news when available.

Typhoon of Steel

Julian Winston (relative of Admiral Becton's wife Elizabeth Winston Becton) sent this internet link to Chris Kirhagis

<https://www.imdb.com/title/tt9020650/> . "The Story of

Navy Commander Frederick J. Becton, of the WWII Destroyer Laffey, the Resilient Ship and Brave Crew

that Survived the Greatest Kamikaze Attack of the conflict at Okinawa." No new info has been received on this movie. We will publish movie news when available.

For the latest update, search internet USS Laffey Movie. Contact president@laffey.org July 2022

