

Hell Below (Series 2)

6 x 60'

EPISODIC BREAKDOWN

1. Wounded Warrior

During its Fourth War Patrol, depth charges and air bombs damage the sub and lock its bow planes forcing the submarine to crushing depths. An armed torpedo jams in the tube and the pharmacists' mate must perform emergency surgery next to a Japanese stronghold. This is the story of USS Silversides.

2. Submarine Raiders

Outfitted with rocket launchers, USS Barb terrorizes the Japanese coastline until Commander Eugene Fluckey spots an enemy supply train at Karafuto. The audacious submarine commander plans a raid to blow it up – the first ever Allied ground attack in Japan. But just as his team of saboteurs lay the explosives, a train comes hurtling around the corner...

3. Relentless Pursuit

April 1944. U-515 led by U-Boat Ace Werner Henke is on route to the Gold Coast when he meets one of the new Hunter Killer Groups led by Captain Daniel Gallery. The encounter puts Henke and his crew to the ultimate test.

4. Defying Rommel

Sept 1941. In an attempt to change the course of war and disrupt supplies to Rommel's North African war, Lt. Commander Wanklyn of HMS Upholder and Lt. Woodward of HMS Unbeaten unknowingly face a potentially fatal situation at sea.

5. North Sea Showdown

February 1945. Beneath icy Norwegian waters HMS Venturer intercepts German U-864's secret mission to deliver "wonder weapons" to Japan. The two submerged submarines battle blind. The result is a rare World War II attack.

6. Cold War Crisis

October 1962. Four Soviet Project 641 submarines carrying nuclear torpedoes, race toward Cuba. When B-59 is discovered near the Quarantine Line, the U.S. Navy drops “practice depth charges” to force it to surface; nearly inciting a nuclear incident.