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Did You Know? Some of the bravest battles in Indian history were fought high in the icy mountains of Kargil, where soldiers climbed steep peaks under extremely challenging conditions to defend the nation.

Every year on July 26, India celebrates Kargil Vijay Diwas to commemorate the victory of the Indian Armed Forces in the Kargil War. The day honors the courage, sacrifice, and determination of the soldiers who fought fearlessly to protect the country's borders.

Amazing Fact: Many battles took place at heights of over 16,000 feet, where freezing temperatures and thin air made the mission even more difficult. Their bravery continues to inspire generations of Indians.

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