



the tet offensive ~~in~~ 1968 was significant as part of North Vietnam's strategy in achieving victory in the Second Indochina war.

As part of Ho Chi Minh's plan it was a strategy that was to cause great devastation to South Vietnam and to humiliate US forces. Ho Chi Minh wish to destroy 44 cities.

~~After~~ the US forces had gotten a forewarning that something big was going to occur. Both South Vietnam and US forces ignored this threat.

The tet offensive caused great devastation to South Vietnam and it was the first time that South Vietnam



troops and North Vietnam
troops fought on open ground.
Even though South Vietnam
was greatly affect American
forces was also damaged.
With North Vietnam having
losses too, it didn't have
a greater affect as it did
on South Vietnam.

This enable North Vietnam
to have the upper hand
in the war leading to
victory.