## My favourite female scientist



- Maria Telkes was born on December 12, 1900, in Budapest, Hungary.
- She invented the first solar-powered heating system designed for houses.
- During World War II, she invented a solar distiller that vaporized seawater and then recondensed it into drinkable water.
- Maria also invented solar oven to do cooking and to be used worldwide.
- · Solar oven was safe enough to be used by children.
- She was also known as "The Sun Queen".

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