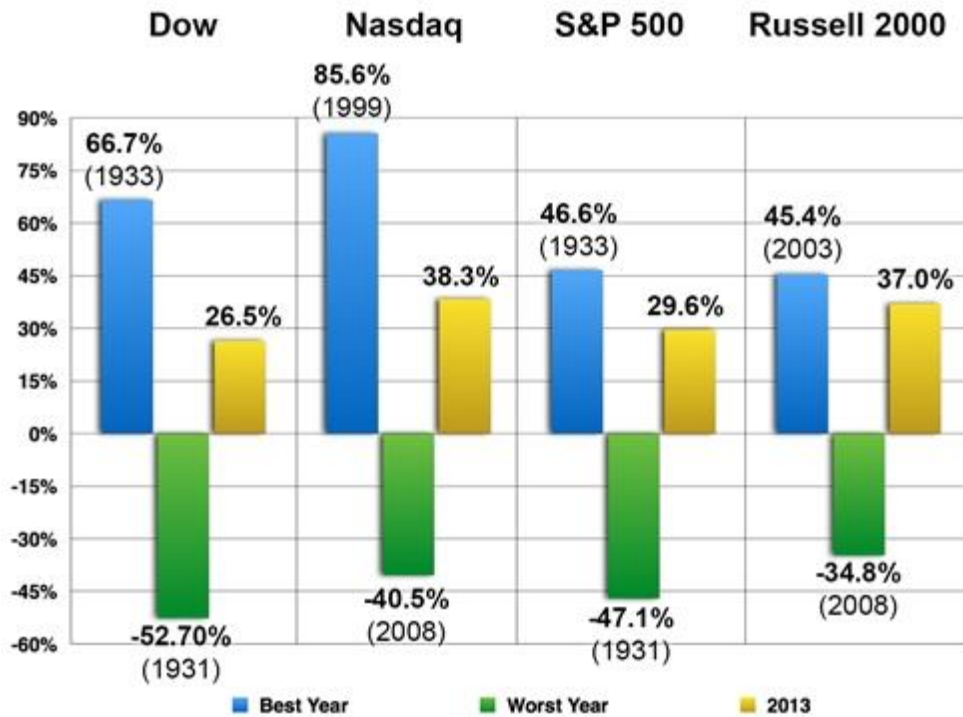


Graph: The Best of Times, the Worst of Times, and 2013



In 2013, the Standard & Poor's 500 had its best year since 1997, while the Dow Jones Industrial Average set 52 new record closing highs and the Nasdaq hit a level it hadn't seen in more than 13 years. Here's how 2013's price gains compare to each index's best and worst years since 1926 by percentage gain as listed in the "Stock Trader's Almanac 2014." **Note:** All investing involves risk, including the possible loss of principal.