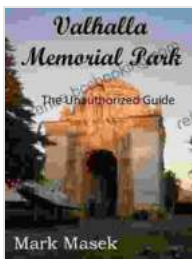


Valhalla Memorial Park: The Unauthorized Guide

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This unauthorized guide provides a comprehensive look at Valhalla Memorial Park's history, architecture, and famous residents. With stunning photography and in-depth research, this guide is the perfect way to learn more about one of Los Angeles' most iconic landmarks.

History

Valhalla Memorial Park was founded in 1906 by a group of Los Angeles businessmen who wanted to create a beautiful and peaceful place for their

loved ones to be buried. The park was designed by renowned landscape architect Frederick Law Olmsted Jr., who also designed Central Park in New York City.

The park's name, Valhalla, is taken from Norse mythology and refers to the afterlife of heroes. The park's founders chose this name to reflect their belief that Valhalla Memorial Park would be a place where the city's most beloved residents could rest in peace.

Architecture

Valhalla Memorial Park is a beautiful example of Beaux-Arts architecture. The park's buildings and monuments are made from a variety of materials, including marble, granite, and bronze. The park's most famous landmark is the Mausoleum of the Angels, which is a large, domed building that houses the remains of some of the park's most famous residents.

The park also features a number of other beautiful buildings and monuments, including the Chapel of the Pines, the Memorial Amphitheater, and the Japanese Garden.

Famous Residents

Valhalla Memorial Park is the final resting place for some of Los Angeles' most famous and influential residents. These include:

- Marilyn Monroe
- James Dean
- Rudolph Valentino
- Bette Davis

- Humphrey Bogart
- Spencer Tracy
- Elizabeth Taylor
- Frank Sinatra
- Dean Martin
- Sammy Davis Jr.

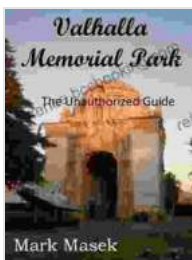
These are just a few of the many famous people who are buried at Valhalla Memorial Park. The park is a testament to the city's rich history and culture.

Visiting Valhalla Memorial Park

Valhalla Memorial Park is open to the public daily from 8am to 5pm. Admission is free. The park is located at 10621 Victory Boulevard in North Hollywood, California.

There are a number of ways to explore the park. You can take a self-guided tour, or you can join a guided tour. The park also offers a variety of educational programs and events.

Whether you're a history buff, an architecture enthusiast, or simply looking for a place to reflect on the lives of some of Los Angeles' most famous residents, Valhalla Memorial Park is a must-see destination.



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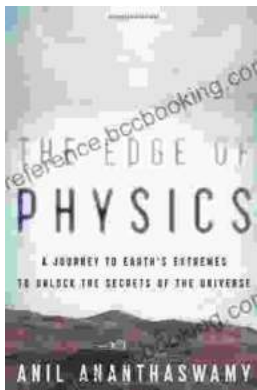
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