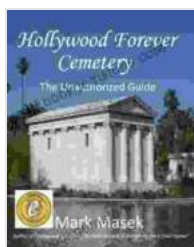


# Hollywood Forever Cemetery: The Unauthorized Guide

Hollywood Forever Cemetery is one of the most iconic cemeteries in the world. Located in the heart of Hollywood, California, it is the final resting place for some of the biggest names in entertainment history. From Marilyn Monroe to Rudolph Valentino, countless stars have been laid to rest here.

But Hollywood Forever is more than just a cemetery. It is also a beautiful park, a historic landmark, and a cultural destination. Visitors can wander through the lush gardens, admire the stunning architecture, and learn about the lives of the famous people who are buried there.



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In this unauthorized guide, we will take you on a tour of Hollywood Forever Cemetery. We will show you the most famous gravesites, tell you the

stories behind them, and give you tips on how to make the most of your visit.

## **The History of Hollywood Forever Cemetery**

Hollywood Forever Cemetery was founded in 1899 by a group of local businessmen. The cemetery was originally called Hollywood Memorial Park, but it was renamed Hollywood Forever in 1998.

Over the years, Hollywood Forever has become one of the most popular tourist destinations in Los Angeles. Visitors from all over the world come to see the graves of their favorite stars. The cemetery is also a popular spot for film and television shoots.

## **The Gravesites of the Stars**

Hollywood Forever Cemetery is the final resting place for some of the biggest names in entertainment history. Here are just a few of the famous people who are buried here:

\* Marilyn Monroe \* Rudolph Valentino \* Buster Keaton \* Douglas Fairbanks  
\* Charlie Chaplin \* Cecil B. DeMille \* Jayne Mansfield \* River Phoenix \* Ed  
Wood

The gravesites of these stars are often elaborate and adorned with beautiful monuments. Visitors can spend hours wandering through the cemetery, admiring the architecture and learning about the lives of the people who are buried there.

## **The Gardens and Architecture**

In addition to its famous gravesites, Hollywood Forever Cemetery is also a beautiful park. The cemetery is home to lush gardens, sparkling fountains, and stately mausoleums. Visitors can wander through the gardens, relax by the fountains, and admire the architecture.

Hollywood Forever Cemetery is also a historic landmark. The cemetery is listed on the National Register of Historic Places. The cemetery's architecture is a mix of styles, including Art Deco, Gothic Revival, and Victorian.

### **The Cultural Destination**

Hollywood Forever Cemetery is more than just a cemetery and a park. It is also a cultural destination. The cemetery hosts a variety of events throughout the year, including concerts, film screenings, and art exhibitions.

Visitors to Hollywood Forever Cemetery can also take a guided tour of the cemetery. The tours are led by knowledgeable docents who will share the stories behind the gravesites and the history of the cemetery.

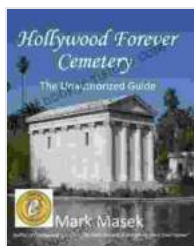
### **Tips for Visiting Hollywood Forever Cemetery**

Here are a few tips for visiting Hollywood Forever Cemetery:

- \* Allow plenty of time to explore the cemetery. There is a lot to see and do, so you will want to give yourself plenty of time to wander around and take it all in.
- \* Wear comfortable shoes. You will be doing a lot of walking, so make sure you wear comfortable shoes.
- \* Bring a camera. You will want to capture all of the beautiful sights that the cemetery has to offer.
- \* Be respectful. Remember that this is a cemetery, so be respectful of the people who are buried there.
- \* Have fun! Hollywood Forever Cemetery is a

beautiful and fascinating place to visit. Enjoy your time exploring the cemetery and learning about the history of Hollywood.

Hollywood Forever Cemetery is a must-visit destination for anyone who loves film, history, or architecture. The cemetery is home to the gravesites of some of the biggest names in entertainment history, and it is also a beautiful park and a historic landmark. Visitors can wander through the gardens, admire the architecture, and learn about the lives of the people who are buried there.



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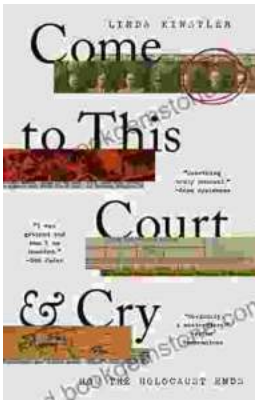
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