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New York City: Photos From The New York Times Book Of Postcards



Synopsis

Since it first published a photographic halftone in 1896, The New York Times has engaged some of the world's best photojournalists to record the life and times of a uniquely vigorous town. This book of postcards presents thirty photographs that could only have come from twentieth-century New York. Some are pure news history (a spectacular shot of the Sherry-Netherland Hotel ablaze at night, 1927; the crowd that formed before the Stock Exchange on Black Tuesday, 1929). But most are evocative of the distinct time and place that viewers will instantly recognize as New York City in the past century. Much news may be evanescent, but great news photography turns out to be a long-lasting pleasure.

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Some photos are interesting (a zeppelin, for example), but at least half are simply boring. And the cards are a bit too flimsy.

As a photographer I love these black and white photos. Don't think I will send the postcards to anyone just frame them

A beautiful book of detachable postcards perfect for mailing to all your friends/acquaintances around the world.

Bought this book to use the postcards as the guestbook at my wedding. My fiancé and I live in New York, but we are from the South. I am trying to find creative ways to share our NYC life with guests,

and this is the perfect way! I love these photos, they are all very striking images from the city and really give you a sense of the history of New York. I can't wait to see what my guests think of them!

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