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Evolving Skyline Tour – Downtown LA
Sunday - April 27, 2008
Walking Tour of Downtown LA for
Members Only



A docent from the LA Conservancy will lead a 2-1/2 hour walking tour of 10 people to explore the changing skyline of Los Angeles through the Central Business District and Bunker Hill starting at 10:00 am.



The Downtown's Evolving Skyline tour explores the architecture, history, art, and policies that have shaped and changed the Central Business District of Bunker Hill, and how a city's future can be determined by the choices it makes about its past. Los Angeles' Central Business District is a microcosm of the growth and development of Los Angeles. From the 1880s when Victorian mansions crowned Bunker Hill, to today when sleek skyscrapers define the downtown skyline, the built environment of the Bunker Hill area has constantly evolved, reflecting the tastes, aspirations, and economics of the city's population. From architecture to public art to public space, the context of the development of the area tells the story of the energy and vitality of the metropolis.

Included on the tour:

- Biltmore Hotel and Tower
- Los Angeles Central Library
- Standard Hotel *
- Bonaventure Hotel *
- Wells Fargo Center *

- Gas Company Tower
- US Bank Tower
- ARCO Plaza
- 333 S. Hope Street

*Interiors visited, subject to availability

Start time: 10:00am
Length: 2-1/2 hours
Distance: @ 1-1/2 miles total walking
Walking difficulty: Moderate+

Cost for the tour will be \$20.00, lunch not included. Lunch is optional after the tour and will be a TBD restaurant in close proximity to the tour location.

[**REGISTER NOW!**](#)

Meeting location: Tour meets at Pershing Square, near the fountain at the south end of the Park. Pershing Square is located in the heart of downtown Los Angeles, at Olive and 6th Streets.
Parking: Parking is at the Pershing Square Garage (\$6). Enter garage from 6th Street or Olive Street.