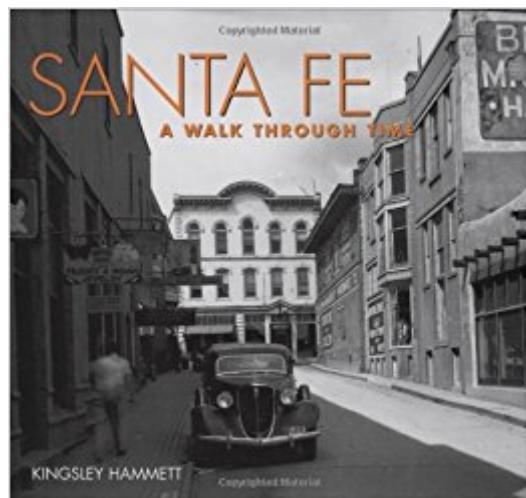


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Santa Fe: A Walk Through Time



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In Santa Fe: A Walk Through Time, author Kingsley Hammett takes us on a tour of downtown historic Santa Fe, capturing the architecture in both photographs and essays. He tells the stories of the buildings that have come and gone; who lived, worked, and played in them; and the continual changes that make Santa Fe what it is today-a town of adobe architecture that blends with the high desert landscape, a destination spot for art lovers, culinary enthusiasts, and Epicureans alike.

Relive the history, nostalgia, and old-time romance of one of America's favorite cities. Kingsley Hammett has been working as a journalist since 1979 and is publisher of DESIGNER/builder magazine. He holds a master's degree in both journalism and humanities/history. Kingsley is the author of three books on New Mexican furniture: Crafting New Mexican Furniture, Classic New Mexican Furniture, and Early New Mexican Furniture. He has lived in Santa Fe, with his wife Jerilou, for nearly twenty-five years.

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I am a native of Santa Fe. I enjoyed this book very much as it contains many photos of places that have disappeared from the Santa Fe scene. Lots of memories.

I visited Santa Fe 20 years ago and was charmed by the city, enough so that I moved here and have made it my home. I keep meeting other people with the same story. So what a pleasure it is to find this beautifully photographed love song to Santa Fe! The historical photos are fascinating. I recognize some of the spots, but many places have changed so much. The nice thing is that Santa Fe, while growing and changing, retains its charm and its easygoing atmosphere. This book is a treasure.

This handsome, well-designed book has a lot of pictures of buildings -- beautiful pictures, documentary pictures, artistic pictures, quaint pictures, snapshot-y pictures, and historically significant pictures. However, what struck me about it was the sense of community that emanates from this book. This isn't a book about architecture. Ultimately, this is a book about a place and about the people who lived there.

The speed in which I received my book was wonderful - and I can't remember the last time a book that was used was in such great quality! Thanks for making my Christmas a Merry One!

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