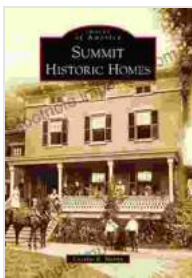


Summit Historic Homes: Preserving the Legacy of a New Jersey Gem

Nestled in the heart of Union County, New Jersey, Summit is a picturesque city brimming with architectural beauty and historical significance. Its tree-lined streets are adorned with an array of historic homes that have meticulously preserved the city's rich heritage.

A Tapestry of Architectural Styles

Summit's historic homes are a testament to the diverse architectural influences that have shaped the city's history. From stately Victorian mansions to charming Craftsman cottages and elegant Colonial revivals, these homes reflect the changing tastes and trends of the past two centuries.



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- **Victorian Era (1840-1900):** Summit witnessed a surge in Victorian-style architecture during this period. With their elaborate ornamentation, turret-like towers, and vibrant paint colors, these homes added a touch of whimsy to the city's streetscape.
- **Craftsman Era (1905-1915):** The Arts and Crafts movement inspired the construction of Craftsman cottages in Summit. These homes emphasized natural materials, simple lines, and functional design.
- **Colonial Revival Era (1910-1940):** This era saw a renewed interest in traditional American architectural styles. Colonial-style homes, with their symmetrical facades, pillared porches, and dormer windows, became a popular choice among Summit's residents.
- **Mid-Century Modern (1950-1970):** After World War II, modern architectural styles emerged in Summit. These homes featured clean lines, open floor plans, and innovative materials.

Unveiling Summit's Past: "Summit Historic Homes: Images of America"

The allure of Summit's historic homes has inspired many publications, including the recently released book, "Summit Historic Homes: Images of America." This fascinating volume offers a comprehensive glimpse into the architectural legacy of this remarkable city.

"Summit Historic Homes" presents over 200 stunning photographs of houses that span the city's history. Each image is accompanied by captivating stories and anecdotes that bring the homes and their former occupants to life.

A Stroll Through Time

As you delve into the pages of "Summit Historic Homes," you'll embark on a captivating journey through the city's past. You'll discover:

- The history of the town's founders, including banker John Kean and inventor Alexander Graham Bell.
- The stories behind iconic homes, such as the stately Oakeside Mansion and the charming Elston Cottage.
- The evolution of architectural styles in Summit, from its Victorian origins to its modern transformations.

A Treasure for History Buffs and Architectural Enthusiasts

"Summit Historic Homes" is an invaluable resource for anyone interested in history, architecture, or the charm of Summit. Its captivating photographs and engaging narratives make it a treasure that will be cherished for generations to come.

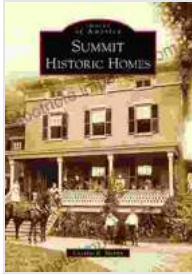
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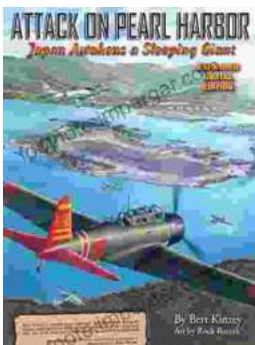


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