

“Brick by Brick”



In March 2004, Nasa's **Spirit rover** on Mars captured the first image of Earth ever taken from the surface of another planet.

In 2014, NASA's **Curiosity rover** accomplished the same feat, snapping a photo of the Earth and the Moon in the sky of another world. Mars and Earth were 100 million miles apart when the photo was taken.



Psalm 8

“O Lord, our Lord, how majestic is thy name in all the earth, who hast displayed thy splendor above the heavens...”

When I consider thy heavens,
the work of thy fingers, the moon and the stars,
which thou hast ordained;
what is man,
that thou dost take thought of him?...”

Psalm 90:2

“Before the mountains were born or you brought forth the whole world, from everlasting to everlasting You are God.”

Psalm 103:15-16

“As for man, his days are like grass;
As a flower of the field, so he flourishes.
Yet, when the wind has passed over it,
it is no more,
And its place remembers it no longer.”

Martin Tower was a 21-story, 332 ft building at 1170 8th Avenue in Bethlehem, Pennsylvania. It was the tallest building in the city as well as the greater Lehigh Valley - 8 ft (2.4 m) taller than the PPL Building in Allentown.

Martin Tower was listed on the National Register of Historic Places on June 28, 2010. Originally built as the headquarters of the now-defunct Bethlehem Steel, the building dominated the city's skyline following its completion in 1972.

It stood vacant from 2007 until 2019.

On May 19, 2019 at 7:03 am, it was imploded.

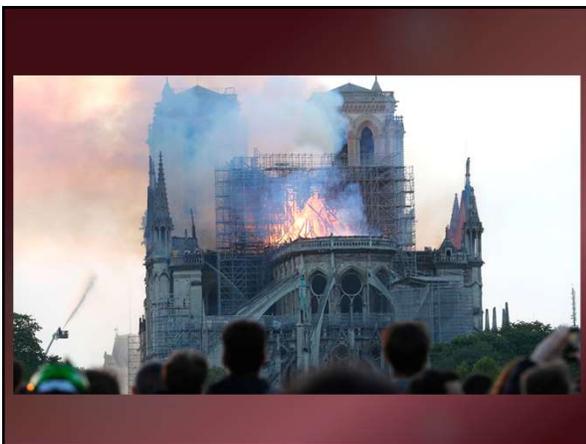
Its final demise took 14 seconds.

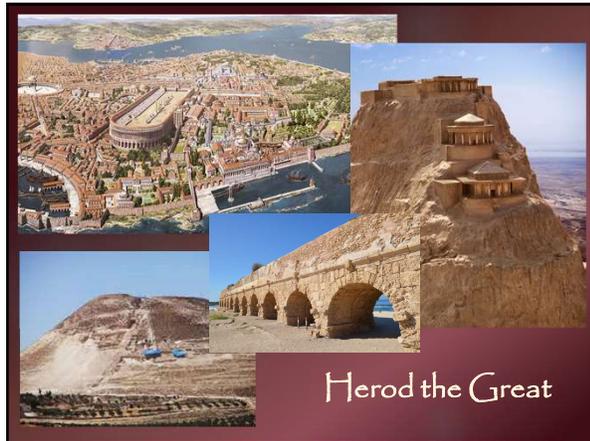


VIDEO –
Martin Tower
Implosion



The Notre Dame Cathedral - Paris, France





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Psalm 102:12

“But Thou, O Lord, dost abide forever,
and Thy name to all generations!”

James 4:13-17

“Now listen, you who say,
‘Today or tomorrow we will go to this or
that city, spend a year there, carry on
business and make money.’
Why, you do not even know what will
happen tomorrow. What is your life? You
are a mist that appears for a little while and
then vanishes!”

1 Chronicles 29:15

“We are here for only a moment, visitors and
strangers in the land as our ancestors were
before us. Our days on earth are like a passing
shadow, gone so soon without a trace.”

Psalm 39:4

“Show me, Lord, my life’s end
and the number of my days;
let me know how fleeting my life is.”

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Isaiah 55:2

“Why spend your money on food that
does not give you strength?
Why pay for food that does not satisfy?”

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2 Corinthians 5:9-10

“So whether we are at home or away, we
make it our aim to please him.
For we must all appear before the judgment
seat of Christ, so that each one may receive
what is due for what he has done in the
body, whether good or evil.”

Matthew 7:24-25

“Therefore everyone who hears these
words of mine and puts them into practice
is like a wise man who built his house on the
rock. The rain came down, the streams
rose, and the winds blew and beat against
that house; yet it did not fall, because it
had its foundation on the rock.”

Each moment...

Each decision...

As a brick we are given to build with...



We can build...



Mind for today!

...or...

Mind unto eternity!

We can build... 

Unto ourselves!

...or...

Unto God!

Colossians 3:1-2

"If then you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth."

Galatians 6:8

"He who sows to the Spirit will of the Spirit reap everlasting life."

What are you building?

