



A WALKING TOUR OF THE MAGNIFICENT CITY OF CHICAGO

**CHICAGO WITH 2.9 MILLION
POPULATION IS THE THIRD LARGEST CITY
IN USA. THE METROPOLITAN AREA HAVE
9.8 MILLION INHABITANTS. THE
DOWNTOWN AREA IS DOMINATED BY
SKYSCRAPERS. THE STREETS ARE LARGE
AND CLEAN AND THE PUBLIC
TRANSPORTATION IS VERY GOOD.
CHICAGO IS A LARGE PORT ON LAKE
MICHIGAN.**

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**MARINA TOWERS
LOWER 12 STORIES
ARE USED FOR
PARKING**



HIGH LEVEL-ROOFTOP SWIMMING



**LIVING IN A LARGE
GRACIOUS BUILDING
IT'S DIFFICULT TO KNOW
ALL YOUR NEIGHBORS!**



THE BEACH IS SO CLOSE!



AND ALSO THE MARINAS



**THE NAVY PIER IN THE MIDDLE OF THE TOWN IS A LARGE
AMUSEMENT PARK**



NAVY PIER CAROUSEL



NAVY PIER FERRIS WHEEL



CITY SKYLINE VIEWED FROM NAVY PIER



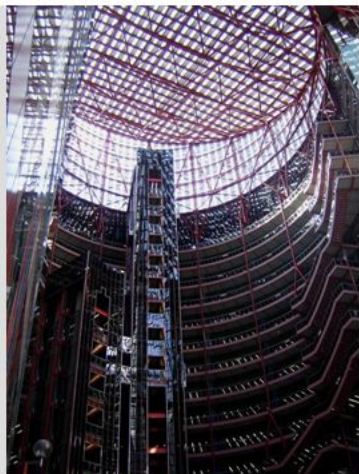
THE CHICAGO RIVER DIVIDES DOWNTOWN



CHICAGO SKYLINE SEEN FROM LAKE MICHIGAN



**THOMPSON CENTER
GOVERNMENT AND SHOPPING BUILDING**



**THE THOMPSON CENTER HAS A HUGE ATRIUM
WITH EXTERIOR GLASS ENCLOSED ELEVATORS**



& VERY NICE FLOOR AT THE BOTTOM OF THE ATRIUM



**THE FAMOUS
PALMER HOUSE
IN CHICAGO IS LIKE
THE PLAZA IN
NEW YORK**



PALMER HOUSE LOBBY ELEVATORS



CLASSIC SKYSCRAPERS OF DIFFERENT STYLES



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MANY MID-RISE BUILDINGS AND HIGHWAY NEAR DOWNTOWN



**THE "MAGNIFICENT MILE" IS A STREET WITH LUXURY STORES
SURROUNDED BY SKYSCRAPERS**



THE "LOOP" AREA IS DOMINATED BY THE SEARS TOWER



THIS AREA IS DOMINATED BY THE JOHN HANCOCK TOWER WHICH HAS AN OBSERVATION SKYDECK AT ITS 94th FLOOR



**THE SEARS TOWER IS THE
TALLEST BUILDING IN USA
HAVING 110 STORIES. IT
HAVE AN OBSERVATORY AT
THE TOP ALLOWING
MAGNIFICENT VIEWS. IT
WAS CONSTRUCTED AS A
TALL "RUBIK" CUBE
BUILDING HAVING 9
TOWERS THAT RISE AND
STOP AT DIFFERENT
ELEVATIONS**



**UNIQUE
ARCHITECTURE
IS NOT UNUSUAL
FOR CHICAGO**

**SPIRAL
BUILDING
NEAR CHICAGO
RIVER**

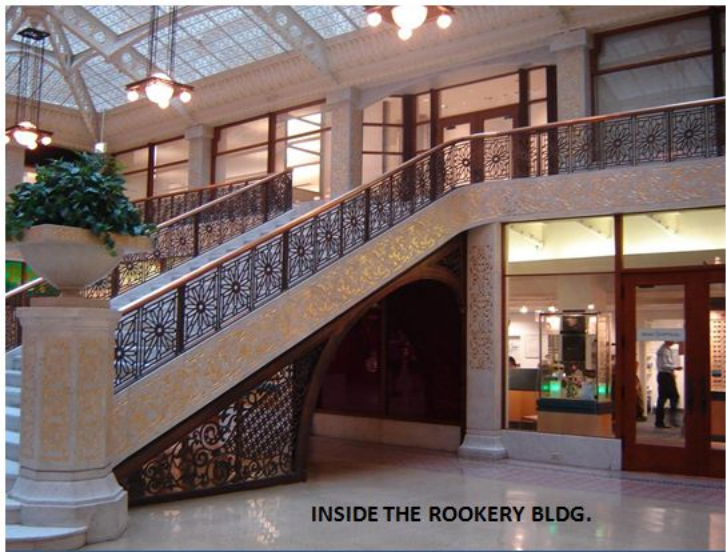
Chicago Landmark



Rookery Building Burnham and Root, architects 1886

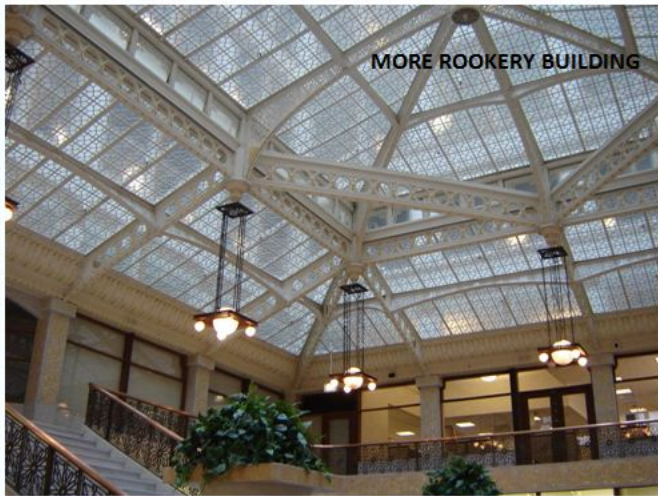
Its powerful exterior softened by John Root's lively ornament, the Rookery typifies the 1880s' lingering picturesque attitude toward commercial architecture. A transitional structure in the evolution of modern architecture, it employs both masonry wall-bearing and skeletal frame construction techniques.





INSIDE THE ROOKERY BLDG.

MORE ROOKERY BUILDING



EVEN MORE ROOKERY BUILDING

