

“Coppertrees” Calendar 2000



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Dear Friends,

Happy Millennium! Welcome to the Y2K “Coppertrees” calendar. Our theme this year is “contrasts”. As we travel around, we’re amazed how many different ways people live, work and play, but also at the unexpected parallels we find. This calendar is a celebration of cultural and geographical diversity, and how people find different solutions to common problems. *Vive la difference!*

Please accept our sincerest wishes for a very happy and prosperous 2000.

*Love,
Andrew & Frances*

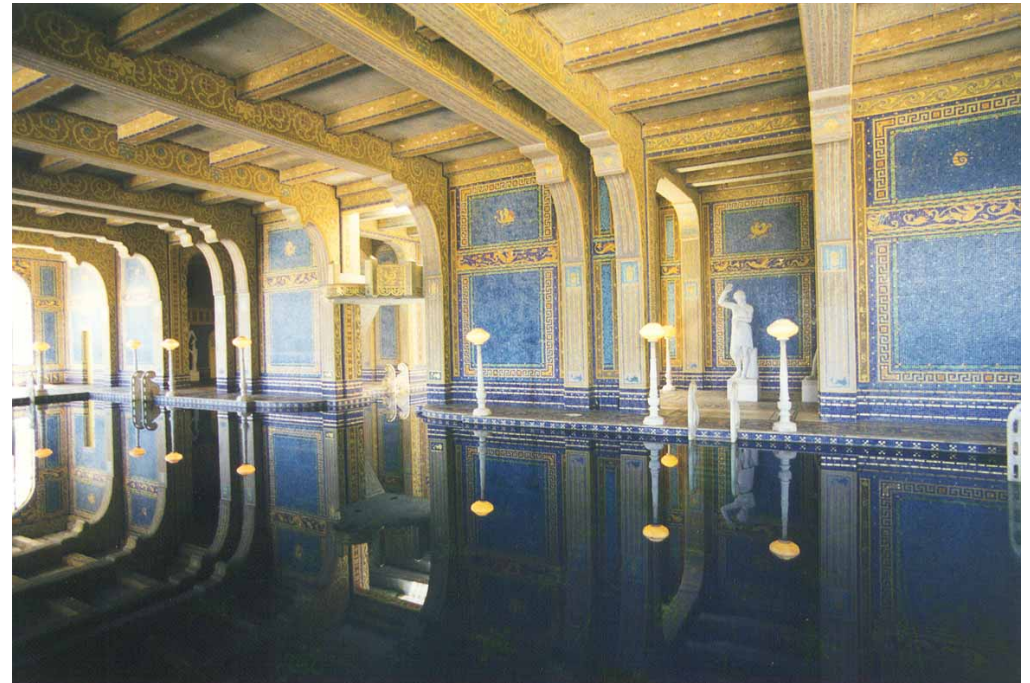


January
2000

This guest house at Snoqualmie in Washington State scored 10 out of 10 for in-bedroom bathing facilities, but 0 out of 10 for curtain facilities. Yes, we did sellotape a blanket over the windows!

William Randolph Hearst had a much better solution at Hearst Castle - 100m Olympic sized indoor pool, and separate bedrooms!

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February 2000

His and Hers:

As they say in the Welsh Valleys:
"Now There's Posh, So"

You know, I'm sure that leaf wasn't on the
bonnet when I started the timer!

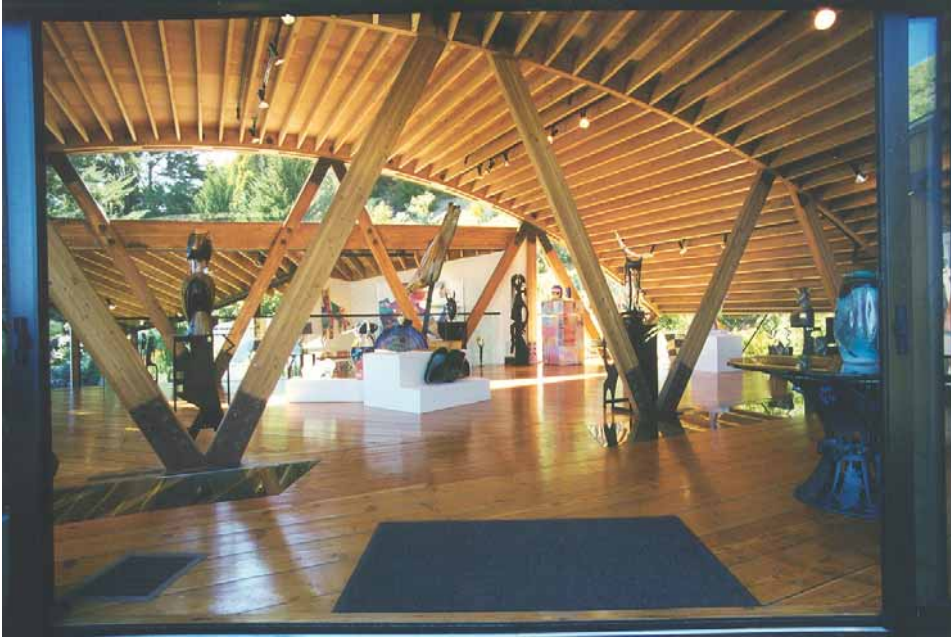


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Old and New:

OK, so I'm a
fan!





If you've got it, flaunt it!
 We just love the use of
 structural wood and glass
 in the interior of this West
 Coast art gallery in
 California.

*March
 2000*



In California's Sierra
 Nevada, wooden structures
 have a harder time, like
 this old water butt in the
 ghost town of Bodie.

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April
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*"When it's Spring again,
I'll bring my friend,
Megawatts from Amsterdam..."*

Well not quite. The turbine hall is in the Grand Coulee Dam in Washington state. The big blue things are the tops of the turbines, and each is about twice as wide across as the windmills are tall!

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May
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'Ello, 'Ello, 'Ello,
what's going on
'ere then?

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June
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Holiday hire cars always seem to be such a lottery!
I'd like to say "You pays your money and you takes your choice", but I can't since I don't recall every actually being offered a *choice*...

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July 2000



Maybe not a true East *vs.* West comparison, but the West German statues of Don Quixote and Sancho Panza, in honour of Expo '92 at Seville, do contrast with the statue of Giorgi Dimitrov taken in Sophia, Bulgaria, in 1988.



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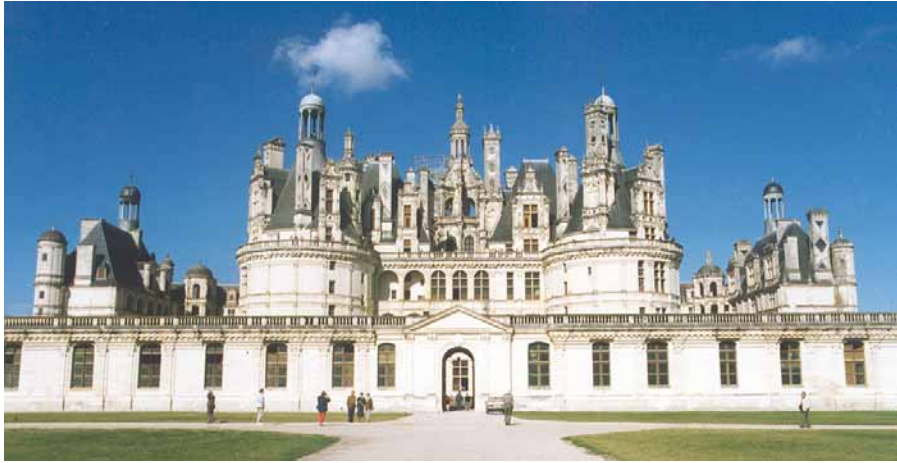
Almost regardless of where we go on holiday, I always seem to get a picture of Frances standing in the snow, tee hee. We thought we'd be safe in New England in the fall...

August 2000

Now this is more like it!



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Chambord, one of the most famous of the Loire Chateaux, might be quoted as a prime example of “Let them eat cake” architecture.



September 2000

The Santana houses of Northern Madeira may be much more modest, but they're delightful and still very much lived in.



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October 2000



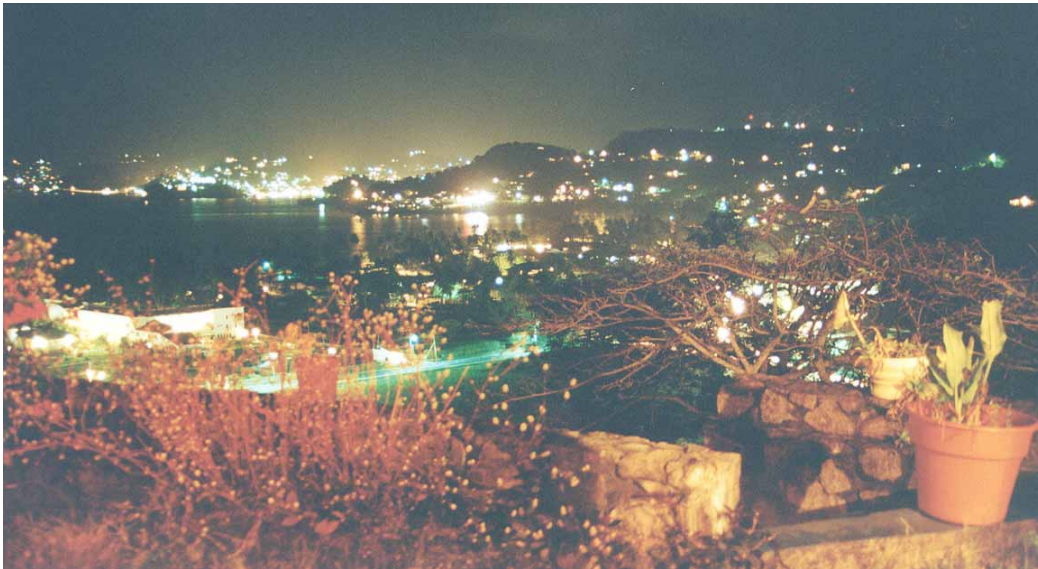
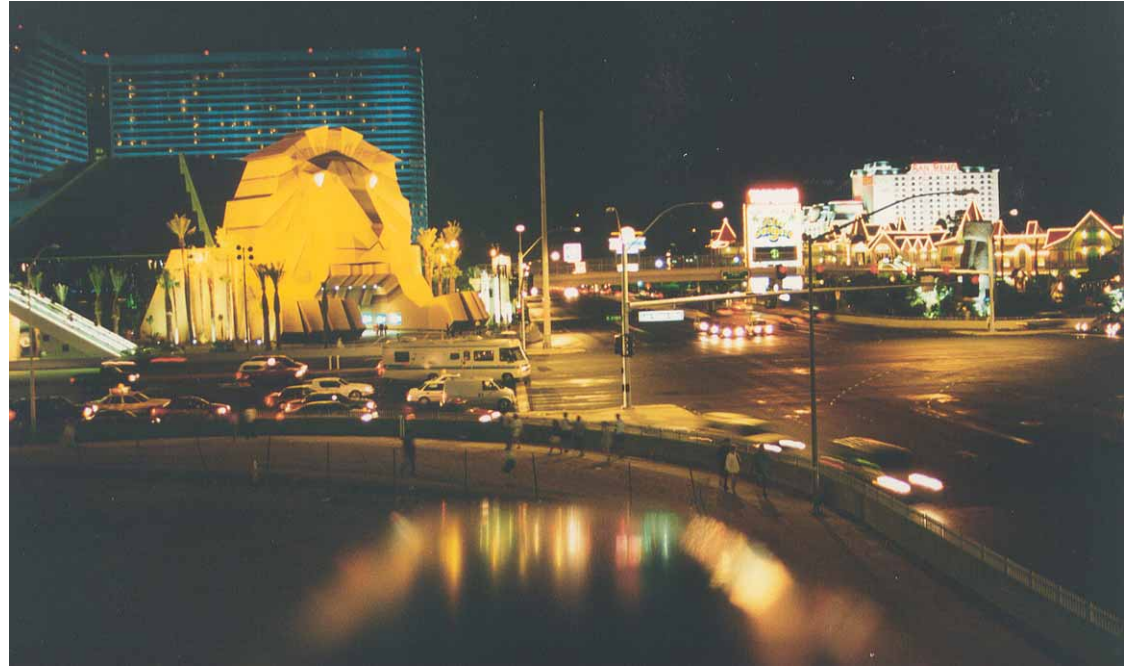
Bridges in the New World:
On the left, the new bridge
across the Colorado in Utah,
and below a quaint covered
bridge in New England.



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November 2000

The peace and quiet of St. Georges' Bay in Grenada at night-time, contrasts strongly with the bustle of the strip in Las Vegas, but both make a surprisingly good night photo.



The big lion is the entrance to the old MGM hotel and casino, based on a "Wizard of Oz" theme. Since this picture was taken, it's been changed again. Business as usual in Las Vegas, then.

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December 2000



Catering standards vary widely on the North American continent. The rather elegant cakes came with coffee at the Rundlestone Lodge in Banff, Canada.

However the Storybook Inn in North Conway, New Hampshire goes for quantity rather than quality. Sticky buns as a main course accompaniment has to be a first!

We hope you all had a good start to the Millennium. See you in 2001.

Pasta, Chicken, Fish and Beef

All entrees served with garden salad, fresh vegetables, potato or rice pilaf and a basket of Storybook's famous freshly baked "Sticky Buns."

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