

# Statue of Liberty



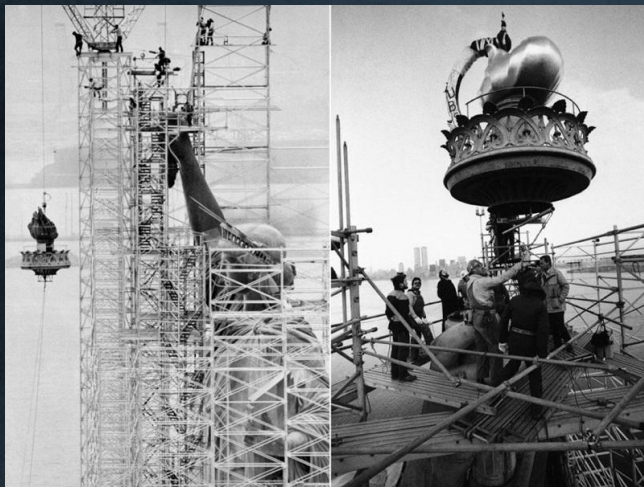
The most recognizable symbol in the world of New York City and the United States - the monumental statue of Liberty. The full name of the sculpture is "Liberty Enlightening the World".





The Statue of Liberty is on Liberty Island (Bedloe's Island until 1956), where it was inaugurated on October 28, 1886 by US President Grover Cleveland.

Liberty Island is located in the upper part of the New York Bay, at the mouth of the Hudson River. Its area is about 10 acres.





The total weight of the Statue of Liberty exceeds 200 tons.

The height of the Statue of Liberty in New York is 93 meters.



Inside the pedestal there is an elevator. To rise to the crown of Freedom from the level of her legs, it is necessary to overcome 377 steps.

Entrance to the National Park of Liberty Island is free, but access to it is possible only by ferry, for a trip on which you need to pay a fixed amount. The route also covers Ellis Island, where the immigration museum is located. For private vessels, the quays of the island are closed



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# Facts about the Statue of Liberty



At the very beginning, the statue was not green, it turned green due to atmospheric conditions, the main of which are acid rains.





The inscription on the plate reads: "JULY IV MDCCLXXVI", which means "July 4, 1776" - the date of signing the Treaty of Independence of the United States of America.





In 1984, the statue underwent a process of complete reconstruction, and then by 4 July 1986 it was re-established in its original place.



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