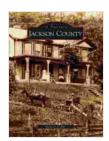
# **Arcadia Publishing's Jackson County Images of America: A Visual Journey Through Time**

Arcadia Publishing's Jackson County Images of America is a captivating visual journey through the rich history of Jackson County, Missouri. With over 200 vintage photographs, this book offers a glimpse into the county's past, showcasing its people, places, and events that have shaped its unique character.



#### **Jackson County (Images of America (Arcadia**

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#### The People of Jackson County

Jackson County has a long and diverse history, and its people have played a vital role in shaping its character. The photographs in this book capture the faces of the county's residents, from its earliest settlers to its modern-day citizens.

One of the most famous people from Jackson County is Harry S. Truman, who served as the 33rd President of the United States. Truman was born in

Lamar, Missouri, and he lived in Independence for most of his life. The book includes several photographs of Truman, including one of him shaking hands with Winston Churchill during World War II.

Another notable person from Jackson County is Walt Disney. Disney was born in Chicago, but he moved to Kansas City as a child. He attended the Kansas City Art Institute and began his career as a cartoonist for the Kansas City Star. The book includes several photographs of Disney, including one of him working on his first animated film, Snow White and the Seven Dwarfs.

#### The Places of Jackson County

Jackson County is home to a variety of landscapes, from rolling hills to lush forests to sparkling rivers. The photographs in this book capture the beauty of the county's natural surroundings, as well as its man-made landmarks.

One of the most iconic landmarks in Jackson County is the Kansas City skyline. The city's skyline is dominated by the Country Club Plaza, a world-renowned shopping and entertainment district. The book includes several photographs of the Country Club Plaza, as well as other landmarks such as the Liberty Memorial and the Nelson-Atkins Museum of Art.

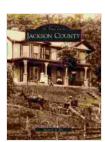
Jackson County is also home to a number of historic sites. One of the most popular historic sites is the Truman Library and Museum in Independence. The library and museum houses a vast collection of Truman's papers and artifacts. The book includes several photographs of the Truman Library and Museum, as well as other historic sites such as the Arabia Steamboat Museum and the Fort Osage National Historic Site.

#### The Events of Jackson County

Jackson County has been the setting for a number of important events in American history. The book includes photographs of some of these events, such as the Lewis and Clark Expedition, the Civil War, and the Great Depression.

One of the most significant events in Jackson County history was the Battle of Westport. The Battle of Westport was fought in October 1864, and it was one of the largest and most important battles of the Civil War. The book includes several photographs of the Battle of Westport, as well as other important events such as the founding of Kansas City and the opening of the Missouri Pacific Railroad.

Arcadia Publishing's Jackson County Images of America is a valuable addition to the historical record of Jackson County, Missouri. The book's over 200 vintage photographs offer a glimpse into the county's past, showcasing its people, places, and events that have shaped its unique character. This book is a must-have for anyone interested in the history of Jackson County.



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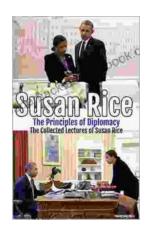
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