

The book was found

# The American Monument



## Synopsis

Originally published to great acclaim in 1976, The American Monument has become one of the most sought-after photography publications of the 20th century. Long out of print, this second edition is once again available again for all to enjoy and own. Published in the same oversized format as the first edition with exquisite duotone reproductions of the original 213 photographs the album of post-bound single sheets can easily be disassembled for display. Considered by many, including Friedlander himself, to be one of his most important books, The American Monument has influenced generations of photographers, curators and art historians. The second edition includes the original essay by Eakins Press founder Leslie George Katz along with a new essay by eminent past NYC s Museum of Modern Art s photography curator and Friedlander scholar Peter Galassi, which illuminates the history and continued significance of this iconic artist and this early publication. The deeply influential American curator of photography at MoMA during the 1960s-70s, John Szarkowski (1927 2007), stated: I am still astonished and heartened by the deep affection of those pictures, by the photographer s tolerant equanimity in the face of the facts, by the generosity of spirit, the freedom from pomposity and rhetoric. One might call this work an act of high artistic patriotism, an achievement that might help us reclaim that word from ideologues and expediters. Lee Friedlander is the recipient of three Guggenheim Fellowships as well as a MacArthur Fellowship. He has published more than 50 monographs since 1969, and exhibited extensively around the world for the past five decades, including a major retrospective at the MoMA, NY, in 2005.

## Book Information

Hardcover: 80 pages

Publisher: Eakins Press Foundation (September 17, 2017)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 0871300729

ISBN-13: 978-0871300720

Shipping Weight: 1.7 pounds (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: Be the first to review this item

Best Sellers Rank: #116,312 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #6 in Books > Arts & Photography > Photography & Video > Architectural > Monuments #37 in Books > Arts & Photography > Photography & Video > Individual Photographers > Monographs #141 in Books > Textbooks > Humanities > Visual Arts > Photography

[Download to continue reading...](#)

Paria Canyon, Kanab [Vermillion Cliffs National Monument, Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument] (National Geographic Trails Illustrated Map) The American Monument American Monument The Georgia Guidestones: America's Most Mysterious Monument Eiffel's Tower: The Thrilling Story Behind Paris's Beloved Monument and the Extraordinary World's Fair That Introduced It What Can and Can't Be Said: Race, Uplift, and Monument Building in the Contemporary South Washington's Monument: And the Fascinating History of the Obelisk Traces of the Sage: Monument, Materiality, and the First Temple of Confucius (Spatial Habitus: Making and Meaning in Asia's Architecture) Climber's Guide to Pinnacles National Monument (Regional Rock Climbing Series) Standing Soldiers, Kneeling Slaves: Race, War, and Monument in Nineteenth-Century America Monument Eternal: The Music of Alice Coltrane (Music/Culture) Guide to Gettysburg Battlefield Monuments: Find Every Monument and Tablet in the Park Trails of Crater Lake National Park & Oregon Caves National Monument Moon Southwest Road Trip: Las Vegas, Zion & Bryce, Monument Valley, Santa Fe & Taos, and the Grand Canyon (Moon Handbooks) Top Trails of Arizona: Includes Grand Canyon, Petrified Forest, Monument Valley, Vermilion Cliffs, Havasu Falls, Antelope Canyon, and Slide Rock Moon Southwest Road Trip: Las Vegas, Zion & Bryce, Monument Valley, Santa Fe & Taos, and the Grand Canyon (Travel Guide) Pima County, Arizona: Including its History, the Ironwood Forest National Monument, the Cerro Colorado Mountains, the Fox Tucson Theatre, and More Mapsco Colorado Springs/Monument Valley Street Map There's Always a Trail / Home in the Valley / Monument Rock Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)