

CHICAGO IN PICTURES



The City in a Garden: A Photographic History of Chicago's Parks

by Bachrach, Julia Sniderman [977.311/BAC]

“One of America’s best kept secrets is Chicago’s historic park system. Even Chicagoans who routinely enjoy its diverse open spaces—from the magnificent lakeshore parks to intimate neighborhood settings—may be surprised about their parkland legacy... After an introductory essay presents the history of Chicago’s parks, 32 of the city’s finest parks are profiled, using fine-art photographs—both contemporary and historical—along with detailed vignettes and captions to trace their development.”

Richard Nickel's Chicago: Photographs of a Lost City

by Richard Cahan and Michael Williams [977.311/CAH]

“This is a book about one man’s relationship with his city, a remarkably personal story told through compelling photographs. Some show lost Chicago...some show new Chicago...Few have ever before been seen—until now.”

City 2000: Words and Images About Chicago and its People [977.311/CITY]

200 plus photographers are represented in these 199 photographs drawn from an archive of more than half a million images. The archive provides “a yearlong snapshot of Chicago, beginning the first minute of the new millennium and ending the last minute of the year 2000.”

Barrio: Photographs from Chicago's Pilsen and Little Village

by Paul D'Amato [977.311/DAM]

This collection of 90 photos covers a 14-year period spent photographing Mexican Chicago. “This book offers a penetrating, evocative, and overall streetwise portrait of two iconic and enduring Hispanic neighborhoods.”

The Chicago River: A History in Photographs

By Jonathan Genzen [977.311/GEN]

“The story of the Chicago River is in many ways the story of Chicago itself—a narrative of a city, its people, and the struggle between urban development and the natural landscape...For centuries, the Chicago River has captured the imaginations of explorers, artists, engineers, photographers, and recreationists, a number of whom have had a hand in the images presented here.”

The Archdiocese of Chicago: a Journey of Faith

by Edward R. Kantowicz [977.311/KAN]

This book presents a pictorial history of local Catholic churches, schools, and other institutions.

Sidewalks: Portraits of Chicago

by Rick Kogan [977.311/KOG]

This is an illustrated collection of Rick Kogan and Charles Osgood's *Sidewalks* column in the *Chicago Tribune Magazine*. "Osgood's evocative photographs and Kogan's distinctive words combine to give an intimate view of the people and places of Chicago and beyond."

Historic Photos of Chicago

Text and captions by Russell Lewis of the Chicago History Museum [977.311/LEW]

"The book follows life, government, education, and events spanning two centuries of Chicago's history. It captures unique and rare scenes through the original lens of hundreds of historic photographs. These images portray the evolution of Chicago from a frontier town to one of the world's most cosmopolitan cities."

Chicago's South Side: 1946-1948

by Wayne F. Miller [977.311/MIL]

"Wayne Miller's photographs chronicle a black Chicago of fifty years ago: the South Side community that burgeoned as thousands of African Americans, almost exclusively from the South, settled in the city during the Great Migration of the World War II years. The black-and-white images provide a visual history of Chicago at the height of its industrial order—when the stockyards, steel mills, and factories were booming—but more important, they capture the intimate moments in the daily lives of ordinary people."

Chicago Then and Now

by Elizabeth McNulty [977.311/McN]

This book "pairs archival, black-and-white photos from the nineteenth and early twentieth centuries with full-color views from today to tell a story of the city's history. It is a great story of determination and pride, and these evocative photos reflect the many faces of Chicago's heritage."

Real Chicago: Photographs from the Files of the Chicago Sun-Times

by Richard Cahan, Michael Williams, and Neal Samors, with an introduction by Roger Ebert [977.311/REA]

"These photos show the Metropolis of the Midwest as it battered its way through World War II, endured population booms and gusts and transformed itself. Real Chicago

Chicago Days: 150 Defining Moments in the Life of a Great City

by the staff of the *Chicago Tribune*, edited by Stevenson Swanson [977.311/SWA]

"Beginning in 1847, when the *Chicago Tribune* was founded, *Chicago Days* pays tribute to the area's crowded history of growth, innovation, and triumph over adversity. At the same time, it recalls the city's crooked politicians, notorious gangsters, and disreputable characters."

*Note: Descriptive information provided is from each book's inside flaps, back cover, or introduction.