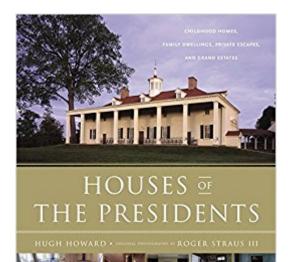


The book was found

Houses Of The Presidents: Childhood Homes, Family Dwellings, Private Escapes, And Grand Estates





Synopsis

HOUSES OF THE PRESIDENTS offers a unique tour of the houses and day-to-day lives of America's presidents, from George Washington's time to the present. Author Hugh Howard weaves together personal, presidential, and architectural histories to shed light on the way our chief executives lived. Original photography by Roger Straus III brings the houses and furnishings beautifully to life. From Jefferson's Monticello to Reagan's Rancho del Cielo, with fascinating and surprising stops between and beyond, HOUSES OF THE PRESIDENTS presents a fascinating alternative history of the American presidency.

Customer Reviews

"With gorgeous photos and a rich, fascinating text . . . HOUSES OF THE PRESIDENTS is the gift book that will grab everyone on your list, from your history-buff grandfather to your real-estate-obsessed sister. . . . The photographs are highly evocative, with a strong sense of place. The text encompasses architectural history, family stories and presidential lore. . . . A visual treat and an entertaining and informative read."â •More MagazineAmong the book's pleasures is the way it delivers American history in manageable bites. If you had to point to one thing that distinguishes the homes of American presidents from those of ordinary mortals, ultimately it wouldn't be the wallpaper or the plumbing, but the way history inhabits the walls.â •The Wall Street Journal"The White House is just a place to live for a few years; the places in this book are homes. A marvelous volume for the whole family to enjoy."â •Louisville Courier-Journal

Hugh Howard is the author of more than a dozen books on architecture, as well as Mr. and Mrs. Madison's War. His writings have also appeared in Smithsonian, New York Times, Washington Post, House Beautiful, Preservation, Early American Life, Traditional Homes, and many other publications. He lives in East Chatham, New York, with his wife and two daughters.Roger Straus III's photography has been featured in eight books, including America's Great Railroad Stations,US I: America's Original Main Street, Mississippi Currents, Modernism Reborn, and Wright for Wright. His work has also appeared in newspapers and magazines such as the Washington Post andArchitectural Digest.

Download to continue reading...

Houses of the Presidents: Childhood Homes, Family Dwellings, Private Escapes, and Grand Estates Tiny Houses: Minimalistâ ™s Tiny House Living (Floor Plans Included) (tiny house construction,tiny homes,tiny house design,small houses,small homes,tiny house building,tiny house lifestyle, micro homes) American Bar Association Guide to Wills and Estates, Fourth Edition: An Interactive Guide to Preparing Your Wills, Estates, Trusts, and Taxes (American Bar Association Guide to Wills & Estates) 5th Grade American History: American Presidents: Fifth Grade Books US Presidents for Kids (Children's US Presidents & First Ladies) Kid Presidents: True Tales of Childhood from America's Presidents (Kid Legends) Quick Escapes Minneapolis-St. Paul, 3rd: 25 Weekend Getaways in and around the Twin Cities (Quick Escapes Series) Quick Escapes Philadelphia, 2nd: 24 Weekend Getaways from the City of Brotherly Love (Quick Escapes Series) Quick Escapes Detroit, 3rd: 26 Weekend Getaways from the Motor City (Quick Escapes Series) Quick Escapes St. Louis: 25 Weekend Getaways from the Gateway City (Quick Escapes Series) Great Escapes: Long Island (Great Escapes) Shipping Container Homes: Shipping Container Homes 101, Shipping Container Homes for Beginners, Everything You Need to Know About, Tiny House Living, and...Container Home, Tiny House Living Books Homes Around World River and Sea Homes Macmillan Library (Homes Around the World - Macmillan Library) Shipping Container Homes: An Essential Guide to Shipping Container Homes with Examples and Ideas of Designs (Shipping Container Home Plans, Tiny Houses) (Volume 1) Tiny Houses: An Essential Guide to Tiny Houses with Examples and Ideas of Designs (Tiny House Living, Shipping Container Homes Book 1) Chinese Houses: A Pictorial Tour of Chinaâ ™s Traditional Dwellings Tiny Houses: Everything You Need to Know before Buying a Tiny House (Tiny Houses, Tiny House Living, Tiny Homes, Tiny House) Your New York Wills, Trusts, & Estates Explained Simply: Important Information You Need to Know for New York Residents (Your... Wills, Trusts, & Estates) Your Michigan Wills, Trusts, & Estates Explained Simply: Important Information You Need to Know for Michigan Residents (Your... Wills, Trusts, & Estates) Manhattan Family Guide to Private Schools and Selective Public Schools, 6th Edition (Manhattan Family Guide to Private Schools & Selective Public Schools) Manhattan Family Guide to Private Schools and Selective Public Schools, 5th Ed. (Manhattan Family Guide to Private Schools & Selective Public Schools)

Contact Us

DMCA

Privacy

FAQ & Help