Don't worry about the future It's here sooner than you think And then before you know it Becomes the past in a blink

Downtown was once the future It's currently here and now A new town is up and coming So get up and take a bow

Downtown may be your past quite soon But nothing will take its place Head up the road to another Site in this Road Rally race A birds-eye view of this special school Reveals an outer Ring It's shaped like the face of a clock Two o'clock finds your thing

Driving around in a circle
Can get you nowhere fast
Like a dog that's chasing its tail
A chance you'll finish last

But now it's time for you to learn The curve will be your guide Its hue is clear, the clock is high Beneath it clues may hide

Through the doorway you must not go Stay near it nonetheless Spend a moment to read a plaque The rest you have to guess "A towering achievement"

## - The Monthly Times

"This work stands higher than most of its kind"

- Architectural Digested

"Only time will tell of its enduring influence"

- Yesterday's News

"Not bad for a coffee table book"

- Higher Times

The critics all agree. This is a book about Towers. All of them are tall. Most are made of stone or brick. There are a lot of them in the world and this books shows some of them. Many of the clocks still work. A book that you will look at for a certain amount of time.

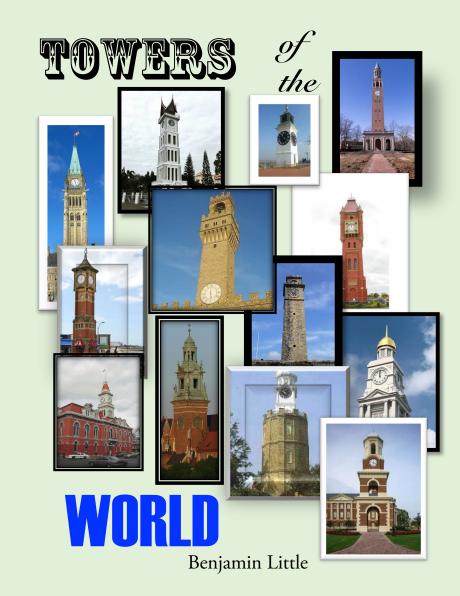


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Of course a circle's round Like the face of a clock Stand up in the middle Now's the time to take stock

As you face the dial Inside your garden round Turn to face 3 o'clock That is where you are bound

At this place you'll gather By spirits you've been sent Not to just find clues, but To seek enlightenment

Now call out Na'tsa'maht Together you must pull Unity of one mind In your collective skull

Others may be present So show them some respect There may be other teams But of a different sect Antiques and collectables Have stood the test of time Passing on from hand to hand Gathering dust and grime

Some of them will hit the trash And some will find a home Some sit years inside a shop Some seem to always roam

Don't ask why they stick around The reasons vary wide Some exist in open sight While some prefer to hide

Those you search have found a place With others of their kind Waiting very patiently For you to seek and find

That you seek is not the first Which goes by given name Second one is what you'll find Different but still the same The time has come, dear Rally crew To stretch your lungs with song Learn it well and give it your all Show your voices are strong

Seek out a place where you can howl Where Snoopy has a drink It's not what you'd call a doghouse Inside the glasses clink

But first sit down and have a meal With a laugh and a smile Quick in and out is not allowed You must chill out a while

Now coin and verse come into play With drink and with a tune Facing the crowd show them your worth Be bold and not a goon

When you're done a clue will be found Just ask a worker there If they don't know then ask again For one who is aware

Before you flee please step outside And look around the street A timepiece displays the hour A photo makes complete A timepiece should read the time that is now It's useless for future and past Yet time alone is always correct Whether the clock is slow or fast

Many places can be in one site
And each one has its own name
Look for the name encompassing all
And you'll be ahead in the game

A verdant land where people relax And nature is on display Its size and grandeur is unmatched It attracts folks from far away

Named for an object no longer there That beamed out to all around The view from the summit still exists But below is where you are bound You've searched Victoria up and down But now it's time to leave this town Seventeen is the road you'll take So, find it now, for heaven's sake

Measure by kilometer or by mile Northbound you'll travel for a short while Continue on past where airplanes fly To the next exit, do not ask why

A beacon now does light your way Beneath your wheels by the light of day Don't be fooled by thrifty tower The road will be your source of power

The centre of towne is where you'll aim Even the building contains the name There's even an office for your olde post Keep an eye open and you'll see the most

A timepiece stands out front with pride Nowhere to run, nowhere to hide A photo will record the hour Give a big smile and don't look sour

The Rally time is running out You're almost there without a doubt Take a moment, reflect on the day Then look to the future, come what may