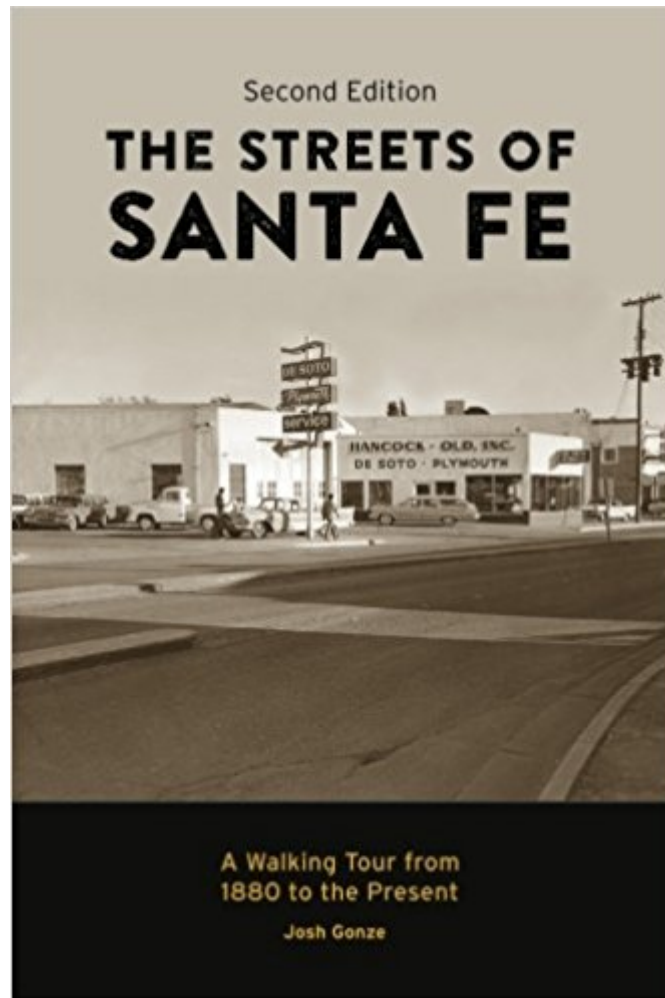




**Ebook Directory**  
the best source of ebook

The book was found

# The Streets Of Santa Fe: A Walking Tour From 1880 To The Present



## Synopsis

This newly revised, 2014 edition will be your time machine, zipping you back to Santa Fe in the post-World War II era to walk the streets of downtown and Canyon Road. The walking tour takes you backward in time and shows you what was there before—on the streets of Santa Fe, New Mexico. Block by block, it preserves the memories of the local landmarks, buildings, shops, and schools that everyone knew. You'll see the Plaza lined with shops where locals bought their pajamas and gasoline, milkshakes and haircuts. You'll see Canyon Road when it was a winding dirt road with family farms and neighborhood grocers. You'll see children ice skating on the frozen Santa Fe River in January and artist Will Shuster, inventor of Zozobra, sketching at George King's Bar on Galisteo Street. Prior to the mid-1970s, Santa Fe was a town of bohemians and shopkeepers. There were artists but no galleries. For three decades after World War II, no one thought it quaint to shop downtown, and until 1960 there were no street signs. By the early 1980s, however, the chain store invasion had begun and downtown had become a tourist mecca. Today, the memories of Santa Fe's oldest residents reach back no earlier than the 1940s, and soon those memories will be gone. This book seeks to preserve their colorful and classic recollections.

## Book Information

Paperback: 152 pages

Publisher: Gonze Publishing Company; 2 edition (September 5, 2014)

Language: English

ISBN-10: 098478182X

ISBN-13: 978-0984781829

Product Dimensions: 6 x 0.4 x 9 inches

Shipping Weight: 10.1 ounces (View shipping rates and policies)

Average Customer Review: 5.0 out of 5 stars 5 customer reviews

Best Sellers Rank: #2,301,425 in Books (See Top 100 in Books) #99 in [Books > Travel >](#)

[United States > New Mexico > Santa Fe](#) #3921 in [Books > Travel > Specialty Travel > Tourist Destinations & Museums](#)

## Customer Reviews

Josh Gonze (rhymes with Bronze), an East Coast native with a BA in economics and an MBA in finance, moved from New York City to Santa Fe in 1999. Soon after arriving he noticed how quickly the city was changing—how chain stores were invading and how old-timers' memories of Santa Fe in the old days were disappearing. Interviews with those who could recall

the 1940s and 1950s in Santa Fe encouraged him to read books on local history and keep notes on how the streetscape had changed. Today he still resides in Santa Fe with his family and still watches how the streets are changing. He hopes to publish a second edition of The Streets of Santa Fe, and invites readers to contact him at [www.streetsofsantafe.com](http://www.streetsofsantafe.com) with suggestions, corrections, and old photographs of how Santa Fe looked in the old days.

I truly enjoyed it even though I'll likely never visit Santa Fe. Such interesting details. Like the "Jewish Store Owners" section that throws light on the oddity of finding Hebrew inscriptions and Jewish stars in some of the towns Christian churches. And why a section titled "Downtown Filling Stations" (in the old days) should be interesting, I have no clue, but it is. The whole book is like that. The book is nicely put together, too. Attractive. The photos are somehow moving. Why, I don't know. The 1930s, 40s, 50s, aren't \*extremely\* long ago -- not the 19th century -- and yet the photos look so very old fashioned. It gave me an odd feeling about how fast time moves. The book has ... soul. Or maybe Santa Fe does, and the book captured it?

Enjoyed having this book on my trip to Santa Fe. Very informative and found my way to these wonderful historic places.

Gonze offers insights that can only be provided by a local insider. The Streets of Santa Fe is ideal reading for both long time residents interested in learning more and those planning a trip. Well written and enjoyable.

Very informative. As a Santa Fe resident, this book opened my eyes to the history of the city. Excellent read for Santa Fe residents or those looking to visit the City.

A wonderful guide to one of the oldest cities in North America. Full of poignant insights into a culturally rich and diverse community.

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

The Streets of Santa Fe: A Walking Tour from 1880 to the Present A Walking Tour: Singapore (5th Edition) (Walking Tour Series) Walking: Weight Loss Motivation: Lose Weight, Burn Fat & Increase Metabolism (Walking, Walking to Lose Weight, Walking For Weight Loss, Workout Plan, Burn Fat, Lose Weight) A Walking Tour of Santa Fe, New Mexico (Look Up, America!) How to be a Tour Guide: The Essential Training Manual for Tour Managers and Tour Guides Anchorage, Alaska Tour:

A Self-guided Pictorial Walking Tour (Visual Travel Tours) Brunei Tour: A Self-guided Walking/Public Transit Tour (Visual Travel Tours Book 262) Historic Munich City Tour: A Self-guided Walking Tour (Visual Travel Tours Book 86) Vatican, Rome Tour: A Self-guided Pictorial Walking Tour (Visual Travel Tours Book 65) Tour Johannesburg - Rosebank Art & Shopping: A Self-guided Pictorial Walking Tour (Visual Travel Tours Book 328) Savannah Walking Tour & Guidebook - Self Guided History Tour Raleigh North Carolian Highlights Tour: A Self-guided Pictorial Walking Tour (visualtraveltours Book 283) Copenhagen Walking Tour (Walking Tours) A Guide to Seville: Five Walking Tours (Walking Tour Guides) Explore The Rocks Walking - Sydney, Australia: The Rocks Self-Guided Walking Tour - plus where to find the best pubs food and nightlife at this iconic location The Philadelphia Inquirer's Walking Tour of Historic Philadelphia (Philadelphia Inquirer's Walking Tours of Historic Philadelphia) Streets of Tuscaloosa, Alabama (Rand McNally Streets Of...) Streets of Reno Sparks (Rand McNally Streets Of...) Cotswold Way, 2nd: British Walking Guide with 44 large-scale walking maps, places to stay, places to eat (British Walking Guide Cotswold Way Chipping Campden to Bath) West Highland Way, 4th: British Walking Guide: planning, places to stay, places to eat; includes 53 large-scale walking maps (British Walking Guide ... William: Planning, Places to Stay, Places)

[Contact Us](#)

[DMCA](#)

[Privacy](#)

[FAQ & Help](#)