



The best place to drop a few thousand dollars is Las Vegas casinos. In this most noisy and most vibrant American city, you can easily sign you off from the first counter, drink whiskey and be happy to help get rid of the extra money. Just do not get carried away, because you can be left with absolutely nothing!

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- Las Vegas (English and Spanish. Las Vegas) is a city in the western United States, in the state of Nevada, the administrative center of the southernmost state in the state of Clark. The city is located in the central part of the Mojave Desert. According to the 2010 census, its population is 596,424 inhabitants, and a total of 1,951,269 people lived permanently in the Las Vegas metropolitan area.



- Las Vegas is one of the world's largest entertainment and gambling centers. Numerous casinos, hotels, daily concerts and shows attract tourists from all over the world. In total, more than eighty casinos, several thousand game pavilions, and many fashionable hotels are concentrated in the territory of Las Vegas. The main casinos and hotels are located in the historic center of the city along Fremont Street (English Fremont street) in Downtown, as well as a few miles south on Las Vegas Boulevard [ru] - the main street of the city, going from north to south The lively part of which (4 miles from the Stratosphere Hotel in the Las Vegas itself and to hotels in the Paradise suburb) is called the Las Vegas Strip or simply the Strip.
- Many world famous companies choose Las Vegas for presentations and advertising campaigns. To a large extent, this is due to the focus of services of many hotels, where such a service is the norm, and there are no problems with the implementation of large projects.



City`s history

- In 1829, a trade caravan heading for Los Angeles from Texas along the Spanish Trail went astray. Under the inexorable sun, exhausted people set up camp, several volunteers went in search of a source of water. Among them was the Mexican Rafael Rivera, who was lucky enough to find in the desert a salutary oasis of artesian water. Accordingly, the name of the area was given, and later the city - "Las Vegas", which translated from Spanish means "fertile valleys".
- Further development of the territory began after visiting this area in May 1844 by John Fremont (Eng. John C. Fremont) - in the future he became a senator from California, and in 1856 was a US presidential candidate from the Republican Party. Fremont led an expedition that operated on behalf of the US Army Corps of Engineers. It was the time of the emergence of the independent Republic of Texas, which existed in 1836–1845, the subsequent American-Mexican war in 1846–48, and then the entry of a number of new southern and western states into the United States.

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- The city of Las Vegas was founded on May 15, 1905. For a long time it was a major railway junction and the main point for refueling and parking of trains, going mainly from west to east and back. Now, perhaps, the name of one of the casinos hotels “Main Street Station” in Downtown Las Vegas near Fremont Street reminds of this. The hotel is separated by a fence from a small railway junction on a single track road and is surrounded by old carriages, turned into a cafe and a museum. As of January 2010, there is no passenger railway traffic through Las Vegas, the main communication with the country and the world is now carried by road and air transport.

- Las Vegas is Hollywood for mere mortals, in which you play the main role, and not just watch a movie. This is the only place in the world where you can see the ancient hieroglyphs, the Eiffel Tower, the Brooklyn Bridge and the canals of Venice at once in just a few hours. No doubt, all these are copies, but in this part of the desert, which has turned into a blooming oasis, they do not know the middle - even in illusions.

