



## Welcome to the Levendecker Museum!

The Leyendecker Museum (or "The Leyendecker," as it is affectionately known) is New York City's oldest and most revered repository of the scientific and cultural history of the world. Rather than the singular scope of most museums, our goal is to provide a well-rounded experience: an immersion in cultures, in plants

and animals, in artwork, and in history. Therefore even the most blase of visitors are sure to find something to amaze and tantalize, whether it be our re-creations of the prehistoric behemoths that once ruled the Earth, the Old Masters from Ignatz Leyendecker's fabulous private collection, the impressive Medieval Armor that recalls the days when



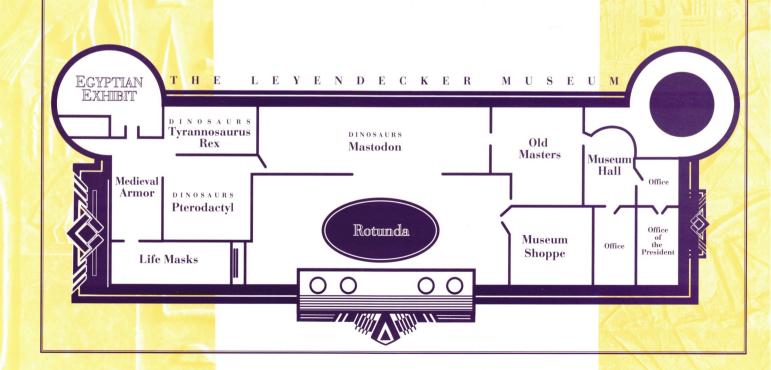


Knighthood was in flower, or our newest exhibit of authentic artifacts and towering statuary built by the Ancient Egyptians.

We ask that while visiting the Leyendecker, you observe a few rules of etiquette.

Please do not eat or drink in our Halls; we strive to keep the Museum scrupulously clean. Please do not shout or act in a boisterous manner.

We do encourage you to bring your youngsters to the Leyendecker, but please ensure that they do not touch or mar the exhibits, nor misbehave in a manner that would disturb other patrons. Lastly, please be sure to enjoy yourself. If there is anything we can do to make your visit here more pleasurable or more educational, feel free to inquire of the nearest Museum employee. Our museum is your museum!



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A D M I S S I O N: There is no charge for admission. However, donations are cheerfully accepted. Much of our financial support is provided by the private sector: larger donations qualify for Sponsorship and a place on the Museum Board. Please contact the Museum Secretary should you wish to be a Benefactor or a Friend.

HOURS: Monday thru Friday - 8:30 am to 6:30 pm Saturday - 9:00 am to 5:00 pm Sunday - closed Holiday hours vary; call for details

T O U R S: Tours are available every day on the hour. Our final tour is at 5:00 on weekdays and 3:00 on Saturdays.

P A R K I N G: This being Manhattan, parking is not readily available for many miles in any direction. Please see "Public Transportation," below.

## PUBLIC

TRANSPORTATION: From Long Island and Brooklyn, take the G train to Pennsylvania Station. Take the downtown F streetcar and disembark at Hoffman and 6th Ave. Walk two blocks south to Balmoral and turn right. Walk one block to the crosstown Q streetcar and board for 6 stops. Disembark at the corner of Wallen and Wayne and proceed west to the N Shuttle Express. Take the Shuttle to the end of the line (Pennsylvania Station). Walk half a block to Bethesda and turn left. We take up the entire block and cannot be missed. From New Jersey, take the J train to Pennsylvania Station and follow the directions above.

MUSEUM STORE: The Levendecker Museum's Gift Shoppe offers quality reproductions of many of the Museum's exhibits. Lithographs, statuettes, postcards and other fine artwork is available for cash or cheque purchase. Shoppe Hours are 12:00 pm to 3:00 pm every day except Sunday. Catalogs are available for shopping by Post; inquire at the counter.