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The world was robbed of the 21st-century Twin Towers most of us always wanted.

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Carter Yanac * All Other Americans 7/7/2010
I would love to see our nation put back up what we lost by terrorists, what i think is sad is how people died working. :(

Glare Andrews * 9/11 Families & Close Friends 7/6/2010
The fact that we lost those gorgeous towers was bad enough, now they want to build some mother freakin' Freedom Tower. We should build the Twin Towers back, bigger and more durable than the old ones, just to show the terrorists that they can't keep us down! We didn't mess up the Pentagon, we didn't change it at all, granted it was not completely destroyed, they still did nothing to alter what it was!
Please.
~Glare Andrews

Lucian Balaita Citizens of Other Nations 7/6/2010

Claudio Deluca * Citizens of Other Nations 7/4/2010
From Argentina, in Spanish Language, sorry for no speak in english: Uno de mis muchos sueÃ±os era no solo visitar las Twin Towers, tambien era llegar a trabajar en ellas, Desde muy pequeÃ±o quede asombrado por su construccion y belleza, hoy en dia no superada por otros rascacielos.
Similitud que encuentre en estos aÃ±os que pasaron del cobarde ataque hecho por cobardes de la vida, es el nombre Twin Towers asociado con ManhaTTan (TT Twin Towers).
I love the Twin Towers!!, Rebuild It!!!!.

Pratiksha Patel All Other NY & NJ Residents 7/1/2010
the twin towers should be rebuilt

Aaron McGee All Other Americans 7/1/2010
Yes! Bring back the Twin Towers! This will help the U.S.A. feel at home. With out them I feel like something is missing. I never got to see the Twin Towers in person before. This would be a great chance to see them!

George Bauer * All Other Americans 7/1/2010
Rebuild them it is the right and only thing to do.

nathan stewart All Other Americans 6/30/2010
Hello America, On 9/11 our amazing country and the people and buindings which we love so much and truly miss were attacked by evil cowereds. I believe I speak for most that the Twin Towers were not just buildings where business was done. They represented everything America stands for which is strength, rising above anything that is bad and standing side by side together with pride. We where hit hard on that day

campbell smith Citizens of Other Nations 6/5/2010

the twin towers should be rebuilt, its common sense, why build another building that isnt the same and only 1 of them, they should be rebuilding the twin towers pretty much totally identical to the first ones tho maybe a bit taller, stronger and more resistant, the 1st ones were completed in 1970 its now 2010 there is alot more advancments in modern technology and construction though this idea will likely fail as the new single tower has already far began construction. rebuild the twin towers WTC.

TTA Note: Even those who don't think we have a chance know that what is going up is wrong and say so. Fortunately, we have a much better chance than he or she thinks.

Candace McCall * All Other Americans 6/3/2010
Rebuilding the Twin Towers is a right, good idea!!

Clyde Bailey All Other Americans 6/2/2010
Please rebuild the Twin Towers. They were a symbol of America's prosperity and uniqueness. They were a symbol to the world of our status and national pride. There is no better memorial and testament to the brave souls lost there than to rebuild the towers.

C Eudy All Other Americans 6/2/2010
Please rebuild so Twin Towers II are the only thing that can be seen from the new Cordoba mosque!

Manny Moran All Other Americans 6/2/2010
i hope to see the towers rebuilt because i want to be able to look up and smile not look up and see nothing rebuilding them may not change what happened but it helps heal the wounds

William Dietrich 9/11 Families & Close Friends 6/1/2010

Jay Thomas All Other Americans 6/1/2010
Thank you.

Mark Smith * Citizens of Other Nations 6/1/2010
The twin towers need to be rebuilt; they fit in with New York much better than this other design, and as we are mourning the loss of the buildings as well as the loss of life, it makes sense to attempt to heal some of these wounds with a bigger and better World Trade Center.

Kurt Majka All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/30/2010
I think that if we were to recreate these towers, it would represent this nation's ability to emerge from our darkest times. It is our willpower that makes these united states proud. September 11th was one of

but we we sure the hell where not broken and non-rebuildable. Love You all God Bless!!!


 **Benjamin Rajner** All Other Americans 6/29/2010

9/11 is a is a huge disaster in American history, my grandmother was on the twins towers. (25/06/2001). I'm not from America, but I know what symbol are twins for America.I think that the relatives of the witness would reather see re-built twin towers as an urban skyscrape.

R.I.P. all victims in 9.11.

 **michael pileggi** All Other NY & NJ Residents 6/27/2010


we need our towers back this will show the world we can make it thru anything life can throw at us if we let them build the freedom tower it dont show the world nothing at all we need the towers back built bigger an better then before govt do the right thing an help heal those who were lost!!!!!!!


 **Curtis Johnathan *** Citizens of Other Nations 6/26/2010

Please Rebuild them, the beutifulest towers i have ever seen then the Empire State.

 **Ben Carson** Citizens of Other Nations 6/24/2010

It hasnt really affected me until recently when I did some reasearch into several different areas of 9/11. Although I live in the UK seeing the New York skyline without the towers is incomplete and shows the terrorists won. I have always wanted to visit the towers. Please rebuild them.

 **Alexander Davison** All Other NY & NJ Residents 6/23/2010

 **Ricky M *** All Other NY & NJ Residents 6/20/2010

Not rebuilding the Twin Towers is like saying we're too scared to rebuild them. Bring them back!! They were an icon in NYC, and we'd show that we can rebuild from something like 9/11.

 **Anthony Wise *** Our Armed Forces & Families 6/19/2010

 **Hope d'Amore** NYC's Bravest & Families 6/18/2010

Stand up and show the world – NYC is NOT IMPOTENT: rebuild the Towers!


 **S McAusland** Citizens of Other Nations 6/18/2010

It's been almost ten years and still nothing. If the new One World Trade Center is all we've got, then at least give it a twin. For thirty years the New York skyline as we knew it had two towers as the focal point; if they don't come back, the terrorists have won. Deepest respect to those who lost their lives and those who worked to save them, and I believe restoring the skyline and the original World Trade Center complex would be a true tribute.

 **Eric Lin** Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 6/14/2010

I HATE THE FREEDOM TOWER. The one thing I have to say about the WTC Site now:

I don't want to see the hole in the ground, nor the skeleton in the sky.

 **Chris Foster** Citizens of Other Nations 6/13/2010

The Twin Towers should be rebuilt in memory of those lost on 9/11. When someone is down, they get back up, and so should the Twin Towers.

Deepest respect and support from people of the UK.

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 **Kelly Lewis** All Other Americans 6/12/2010


I went to NYC before 9/11 but I don't think I'll ever go again if the Towers aren't rebuilt. It's Paris without the Eiffel Tower: not Paris. Maybe it wouldn't be so bad if what they were building instead wasn't horrible, but...

our darkest days, but we stood strong. Hopefully one day the Twin Towers will also once again stand strong.

 **K J *** All Other NY & NJ Residents 5/30/2010

Well the "Osama Bin Laden tower" has topped the street. This building is a friggin joke. It took almost a decade to build this atrocity. It took Dubai half of that to build the awesome Burj Khalifa. I hope you gov't assholes enjoyed pissing my tax dollars on the al queda center. Will never visit this joke of a complex ever in my life. Rebuilding the tougher towers would have been quicker and cheaper to do.

 **seneca washburn *** Our Armed Forces & Families 5/29/2010

 **John Gallo** Metro New Yorkers 5/29/2010

WE MUST REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS AS THEY WERE !!!

TO DO LESS WILL BE AN INSULT TO THOSE HEROS WE LOST ON 9/11/01.

 **Joe Pucci** All Other Americans 5/27/2010

I am 16 years old at the time I sign this petition. I was 8 when the terrorists knocked down our buildings, killed almost 3000 Americans, and tried to bring us to our knees. It is great that we are pushing them back, defeating and dispersing them, however, the damage done to America's being has not been fixed. The scar will always remain, but we must heal the wound. To heal that wound, we must rebuild the Twin Towers.

 **kim barry *** Citizens of Other Nations 5/25/2010

you can rebuild them but dont destroy them cause they are are valuable.

 **Daniel Odette** All Other Americans 5/25/2010

Although Iâ€™m only 12 years old, I think that the World Trade Center Twin Towers must be rebuilt to help make America what itâ€™s supposed to be. The Twin Towers play an emotional part in my life. I never go a day without thinking about them. Iâ€™m hoping one day i won't have to remember them in sadness. Instead I'll remember the great time I had visiting them (which I hope will come soon). Those beautiful towers standing in lower Manhattan rising above NYC were just amazing. With the Freedom Tower in their place, America is not what itâ€™s supposed to be. With the memorial to all those who died on 9/11 and the remains of the original north tower facade, the Twin Towers are the only right answer. Rebuild the Twin Towers!

 **Tobias Weihs** Citizens of Other Nations 5/24/2010

The twin towers were beautiful buildings, and although I don't see greater sense in this petition I give my vote for it, because if you don't fight, then you've already lost.

I never got the chance to climb to the top of the WTC (always saw it in 'Kevin Lost in New York' at the beginning) but it was taken away from me with the attacks. I admire the architecture and I think it matches the skyline much better than a supermodern building and that it's NOT a vilification of the victims of 9/11.


 **eubaldo moreno *** All Other Americans 5/23/2010

im 14 but id love to see the TWIN Towers up again. they were so beautiful.

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 **Nicholas Barker** All Other Americans 5/22/2010

 **Anthony Zile *** All Other Americans 5/22/2010

 **John Darcy** Metro New Yorkers 5/21/2010

If it aint broke, dont fix it!

Everyone loved those towers, why not rebuild them?

it is and will just ruin the skyline. I'd rather them leave it a gaping hole than build the "Freedom Tower."

 **Jennifer Smith *** All Other Americans 6/11/2010

Rebuild the Twin Towers. That farce of Freedom/One World Trade Center is not what the public wants. New York skyline will NEVER be the same without those iconic twins in the sky.

 **Melvin Feliz** Metro New Yorkers 6/8/2010

I was fortunate to go inside the World Trade Center two times in my entire life. Both of those times I was a toddler in a stroller. To this day I always think about symbolism it had on the city, Empire state, Statue of liberty and the Twin towers. I agree with building the towers to make the city, the city again.

 **David Arias** All Other NY & NJ Residents 6/8/2010


Just rebuild them!

 **ALLIE WOOD *** All Other Americans 6/7/2010

There should never have been debate, they should have been immediately rebuilt..

 **Jake Jandrt** All Other Americans 5/20/2010

I think we should rebuild the towers but in a unique way. They can't take it away from us.

 **Jason Smith** Citizens of Other Nations 5/20/2010

America without the Twin Towers is like Microsoft without a computer. For the sake of all that makes sense, rebuild the Twin Towers. Standing, they would represent a nation of great power, for which you should be proud. Freedom Tower represents a nation defeated by terrorists, for which you will be ashamed.

 **Jodi Allen** All Other Americans 5/20/2010

Rebuilding shows recovery, resilience, and strength. It shows we won't be knocked down. We are America. Knock us down and we are going to brush ourselves off and stand right back up to you. It is symbolic. We can't let them win by showing we are so damaged we can't recover in some way. In addition to that all those that sacrificed their lives should have a legacy, a landmark, and a memorial. It should be rebuilt bigger and better with a memorial for the fallen.

 **Tracy Armentano** All Other Americans 5/20/2010

They should be rebuilt the exact same way just one floor higher. The terrorists need to know you may have gotten to us but we have and will continue to be stronger than ever.

 **Alissa Cannon *** All Other Americans 5/20/2010

Our country needs to show the rest of the world we can get through this kind of tragedy as strong as before. Rebuild.

 **Bill Sanislo** All Other Americans 5/19/2010

I think it's absurd that the Twin Towers are not being rebuilt in their original glory. The concept of the "Freedom Tower", while admirable, is a concession at best and possibly criminal at its worst.

For God's sake — we are Americans!!!! You may knock us down, but we'll rise up again, stronger than ever.

Rebuild the Twin Towers!

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