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REBUILD THE TWIN TOWERS! Nothing has rewarded the jihadists more than the ongoing sight of a world landmark wiped off the face of the earth.

— Dan Taylor / Citizen of Other Nations

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

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Alex Steines * All Other Americans 9/14/2009
i was in new york after the destruction and never got to see the towers. i really strongly believe that we shouldnt build something that doesnt belong there and we NEED to bring back the twin towers

Ronald Regen Other NYC Responders & Families 9/14/2009
As the Twin Towers fell, First Aid Squads from throughout the State of NJ were staged in the Meadowlands. Approximately fifty were taken through the Holland Tunnel and staged at Chelsea Piers. One ambulance was placed at Ground Zero's Comman Center, and it was the one I was part of the crew, "Mine Hill First Aid Squad". Captain Edna Deacon, George Morris, Lisa Alers, and myself Ronald Regen. There were no lives to save at this point, but a lot to witness.

Jerry Morris NYC's Finest & Families 9/13/2009
please rebuild the twin towers. please i want them rebuilt so we can remember the people and how they saved each other life. please please please rebuild them cause them dun heads trying 2 build that freedom tower trying 2 call that the twin towers that is not the twin towers please just rebuild them please. thank you and god bless America.

Darren Livingston * All Other Americans 9/13/2009
I, along with other americans want the twin towers back, I agree with Donald Trump, the freedom tower design is the worst piece of crap design ever proposed for hallowed ground, I have maintained my idea since year 2, but my design would not be two 111 towers but rather two 120 TOWERS! I fully support your cause and pray this design will happen! lets make america, america agian, while honoring those brave firefighters, police first responders and workers who lost thier lives that day.

carlo lighthart Citizens of Other Nations 9/13/2009

Allen Wilkes Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 9/12/2009
Not being able to look downtown and see the stable anchor of the World Trade Center Towers leaves me with a sense of loss and sadness on a daily basis.

Zackary Taylor McElveen All Other Americans 9/12/2009

pat mcandrew Lwr. Manhattan Residents & Workers 9/12/2009
Bring the towers back! The Freedom Tower project is a disaster- scrap it and do what makes sense. Twin Towers are an American Icon!!

Eric Keeley All Other Americans 9/11/2009

From the second they fell I've wanted them rebuilt the way the were. This is what we need. This is what we deserve. The Freedom Tower makes no sense.

Andi Loveall * All Other Americans 9/11/2009
Go for it! :)

Rex Stone * All Other Americans 9/11/2009
Rebuild the towers! We do not want the "freedom tower". We want the original towers back so New York can look normal again. We have truly let Osama Bin Laden win if we don't rebuild and move on.

Robert Baeza All Other Americans 9/11/2009
I think that the towers should be reconstructed as they were. Instead of 200 ft square make the 300 ft. And use all of the latest technology to make them as safe as possible. If the desire is to make them taller then so be it. It was a very sad day on 9-11 and my soul goes out to those who passed away on that day. I am from Arizona but I will never never forget what happened.

Nikolai M. Citizens of Other Nations 9/11/2009

Derek Clemens All Other NY & NJ Residents 9/11/2009
Rebuilding the WTC would not only be a great symbol, but it'd give a lot more job opportunities to us hard-working Americans. Do it. Do it now. Do it good.

Scott Faith All Other Americans 9/11/2009

Chad Sides All Other Americans 9/11/2009
I was in New York on September 8th through the 10th 2001 and always wanted to go to the World Trade Center. On the way home September 10th 2001 I looked back and said next time we come Im going to see the WTC. The next day they were gone. I don't feel that the "Freedom Tower" is a sutiable replacement. We need to have an original design like the originals. I truly hope that this disign will be the one I go to see.

RAYETTA HUARD All Other Americans 9/11/2009

I questioned the rebuilding of "The Towers". I felt like we would be asking for trouble, asking for another strike. I feared for the lives of others in another assault. "Fear" is exactly what terror is about. I am sure the people who lived through "Pearl Harbor" had similar, if not worse thoughts. Still they moved forward & rebuilt. REBUILD THE TOWERS!!

Tyler Head All Other NY & NJ Residents 9/11/2009
The one true symbol of America's prosperity and power is the twin towers, not the Freedom Tower,

Manav Mehta

Citizens of Other Nations

9/12/2009

Zara Beth Nelson

Citizens of Other Nations

9/12/2009

I was only young when the twin towers fell. I now at 13 years old look at the sky line of new york and feel there is something missing from what was a beatiful sky line. I enjoy watching the programme 'friends' just to see if I can spot the twin towers in it, i am obsessed with them. they should be rebuilt.For my birthday someone bought me a picture of the sky line and i could not look at it so i told my dad to take it back to the shop. please rebuild them make america america again.

H.M.

Citizens of Other Nations

9/12/2009

James Ashley

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

The new towers could be called the "Freedom Towers", but I think naming them the "Phoenix Towers" would also be appropriate; they would have literally risen from the ashes.

Also: I like the idea of rebuilding the Towers exactly as they were (though maybe a little taller!). I believe that to do anything else would say to the terrorists: "You've given us the opportunity to create and build something different, something new." I believe the first Towers are still something NEW.

Morgan Hill

All Other NY & NJ Residents

9/12/2009

Robin Handshue Hill

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

Patrick B.

Metro New Yorkers

9/12/2009

I want to see the original twin towers rebuilt, but they should be built even bigger than they were before. The new design is ugly and stupid, and Silverstein should step down because he's done a horrible job. Why doesn't Trump buy him out and just build his twin towers proposal? I think he should if he can, he definitely has the money for it. Please rebuild the towers bigger and better! It's the best way to stick it to those bastard terrorists.

Logan Visavati

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

Penn & Teller' B.S. (on Showtime) dedicated one of their episodes to the rebuilding of the twin towers, it was a good episode and it made me angry that the buearacrats can't get ANYTHING done.

Salvatore Anello

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

Rebuild them and do it now!

Mary Stroka

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

God bless America.

Janet Lippert

Metro New Yorkers

9/12/2009

keith koch

All Other NY & NJ Residents

9/12/2009

The Freedom Tower IS Nice And All But It Doesnt Show The Real New York Which Is Why I Want My Old Towers Back!

Matt Crocco *

All Other Americans

9/12/2009

The Freedom Tower is ugly not as big and doesnt show the iconic symbol of America and New York. The Twin Towers fit in and were huge they proved American strength and if we rebuild we will send a message saying: Terrorist you can destroy our buildings, we will mourn, but we will rebuild

Ryan Nichols

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

8 years what has happened to us! This is the U.S.A ! WE rebuild, we overcome, we do not argue and drag our feet and get nothing done.. We must make our voices heard! In President Bush's words the terrorists will hear from all of us soon. That is our victory!! Rebuild Our Towers!!

Bruno Peixoto

Citizens of Other Nations

9/11/2009

Don't scar New York's skyline forever!

Rebuild the towers.

-Lisbon, Portugal

Robert G

All Other NY & NJ Residents

9/11/2009

Vincent Castro

Metro New Yorkers

9/11/2009

I too want the towers built. I have photographs of the World Trade Center all over my home and have made my own memorials around the house. I usually can't wait for night fall because that's when I enjoy and turn on all the lights and tributes I've made here. I even have a lamp in my window that's built like the Twin Towers and I've placed it there so when I turn on the lamp at night the second towers reflects in the window and I have my towers back. 6th floor of 295 Park Ave So. Take a look.

Brenda Saxe

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

Paul Bettencourt *

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

I was at the WTC just a few months before the attack.I've visited NYC many times since, but I still can't bring myself to visit Ground Zero. I feel that rebuilding the towers would be the most fitting memorial, and an act of defiance to the people that hurt us, and those who would like to in the future.

Alex C

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

WTC is a historical Manument. Not just a building. It must be rebuilt to honor the city. ASK the voice of people. It is symbol of NY and USA. It must be honored by rebuilding the towers to "RESURRECT the SPIRIT within."

Paul Zavaglia

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

PLEASE build the Twin Towers in the exact same way (with safety improvements of course). We need to tell the terrorists "In your face buddy! No one messes with the USA!"

John Manuel

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

I cannot believe that it has been 8 years and still no rebuilding has even started.

It is a national disgrace that politics has gotten in the way of rebuilding the twin towers.

The time is now.

andrew hall *

Citizens of Other Nations

9/11/2009

Daniel Davis

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

I am a fireman from Northern Virginia and I am a strong supporter of rebuilding the Twin Towers to show the world that no matter what they do or think we are strong. Also so that the lives that were MURDERED eight years ago today will not have been lost in vain. I lost 343 brothers that day and I would hate to think they paid the ultimate sacrifice, and then for america to back down and not rebuild a great symbol of this country.

thomas henry *

Citizens of Other Nations

9/11/2009

Chris Skalski

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

The very best way slap terrorism in the face is to re-build the twin towers. The new towers should look like the old ones, but even taller and more modern. Two gigantic Americvan flages shoould top each tower, with "we will never forget" written on the lower part of each flag.

Sincerely, and with the highest respect,

Chris Skalski
Northern, VA (10 miles from the pentagon)

Stephen Pursley *

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

Rebuild

Matthew Kenney

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

I always wanted to visit New York City...why? The Twin Towers. After them evil forces destroyed them and murdered all those souls, my spirit cried out and my wishes waned. If the towers were rebuilt, which they should be, in the way that the scientists say they should have been infrastructurally speaking, they would sustain anything those forces would throw at them! I would also be one of the billions of visitors on grand re-opening of the rebirth of 'our twin Phoenixes'!

Quentin Wathum-Ocama *

All Other Americans

9/11/2009

Anthony Mazzu *

Citizens of Other Nations

9/10/2009

I am from Canada but love the USA, especially NYC. I have American family members. One who has worked

as a security guard in the twin towers.. I would love to see the towers built exactly how they were...

 **Seth Buchanan *** All Other Americans 9/10/2009

I can add nothing more than what has already been said in so many ways: Put the towers back, now! What better way to show the attackers that they cannot win, then to watch the towers rise again, better, taller, stronger, like the future of America.

 **Kent M Henry** All Other Americans 9/10/2009

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