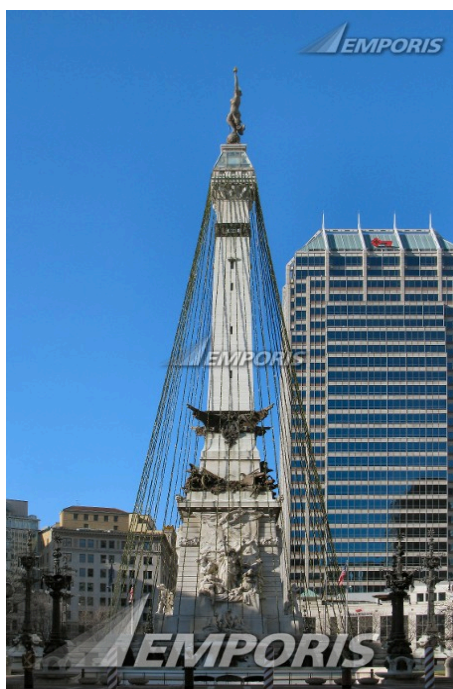


# Soldiers & Sailors Monument



## Identification

<b>EBN</b>	118685
<b>Name</b>	Soldiers & Sailors Monument
<b>Construction Type</b>	monument
<b>Current Status</b>	existing [completed]

## Location

<b>Continent Name</b>	North America	<b>City Name</b>	Indianapolis
<b>Country Name</b>	U.S.A.	<b>District (1st level)</b>	Center Township
<b>State Name</b>	Indiana	<b>Postcode</b>	46204
<b>Zone</b>	Monument Circle	<b>Address (as text)</b>	Monument Circle, Meridian Street & Market Street
<b>Metro Area Name</b>	Indianapolis- Anderson-Columbus	<b>Virtual Address</b>	0 Monument Circle

Combined Statistical Area

## Description

<b>Structural Material</b>	masonry	<b>Facade Color</b>	light gray
<b>Facade System</b>	exposed structure	<b>Architectural style</b>	neo-classicism
<b>Facade Material</b>	limestone	<b>Main Usage</b>	commemoration museum

## Spatial dimensions

<b>Height (structural)</b>	284.5 ft	<b>Elevators</b>	1
<b>Height (tip)</b>	284.5 ft		

## Years and costs

<b>Year (construction start)</b>	1888	<b>Year (last renovation)</b>	1989
<b>Year (construction end)</b>	1902	<b>Building costs</b>	\$ 598,318

## Features & Amenities

- One of the city's famous buildings
- City landmark
- National landmark
- Observation deck on roof

## Facts

- A 30-foot statue of "Victory" tops the obelisk.
- The Colonel Eli Lilly Civil War Museum is located in the monument's lower level.
- Constructed of gray oolitic limestone, the monument commemorates Indiana war dead from 1776-1865.

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- The Soldiers and Sailors Monument is the focal point of the 342-foot diameter Monument Circle. The site was once home to the Governor's Mansion, but no Governor ever resided in the house. The empty structure was razed in 1857.
- The Limestone Sculptures at the monument's base are the work of Austrian Sculptor Rudolf Schwarz and the Bronze Astragal the work of Nicolaus Geiger of Berlin.
- An extensive renovation of the monument by Schmidt Associates and Geupel DeMars was completed in 1989.
- The monument was added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1973.
- An indoor observation deck at the 244.5-foot level can be reached by a single elevator or stairway.
- The building's renovation was recognized in 1990 with the Monumental Award, representing the most significant visual and physical enhancement in Marion County.

## Involved companies

*Architect*.....

**Bruno Schmitz**

Berlin  
Germany

*Associate Architect*.....

**Frederick Baumann**

Chicago  
U.S.A.

## Additional company data available for this building

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## Renovations

### Renovation 1989

*Companies involved in this renovation*

*Architect*.....

**Schmidt Associates, Inc.**

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