

Master Castle List

Description

416 Castles and counting.....

Castles.....Our Happy Place

watermark Our obsession with castles started with Trim Castle in Ireland, which opened doors we never imagined. It was the first full day of our trip and Ryan's first European travels. The best way to describe it was, "There was magic in them, their walls" that has never dimmed.

I watched a young man jet-lagged and apprehensive of what was ahead come fully alive and engaged. It was his epiphany and panacea. It was like taking a child to a toy store and telling them the whole store was all for them. The joy and excitement I observed were contagious and exhilarating. We did not know then its impact on both our lives. It became the central theme of our next trip and continues to be a priority at every destination.

Do we ever tire of castles?

No, we continue to be amazed at how unique and fascinating they are, even the simplest of ruins. It is often about allowing your imagination to go back in time. We marveled and were in awe of the architecture and the long and complicated construction process it must have taken. Some of these incredible castles are sometimes still standing 1000 years later. These magnificent structures have many stories to tell if you listen carefully. Maybe we romanticize what must have been a harsh and challenging existence. But it is often what fairy tales are made of, for a good reason.

This Master Castle list includes all the castles we have personally visited. Our definition of castles is broad. We will often include fortresses and citadels under this category and palaces that date back several centuries. Then there are just a few fun modern castles, like the ones in the Disney Parks. We have broken the list down by country, not in the order we saw them.

Most castles have a link associated with them. Click on the castle name to be taken to a website for

more information. Some castles, mainly in Croatia, have no link because either we could not find a reputable site or there was no link, and we tried! With each trip, the list grows, and we always welcome suggestions. We would love it if you shared your favorite castles.

We hope to share a little of the magic of our discovered castles. Open your hearts and eyes to their story, and you will be well rewarded.

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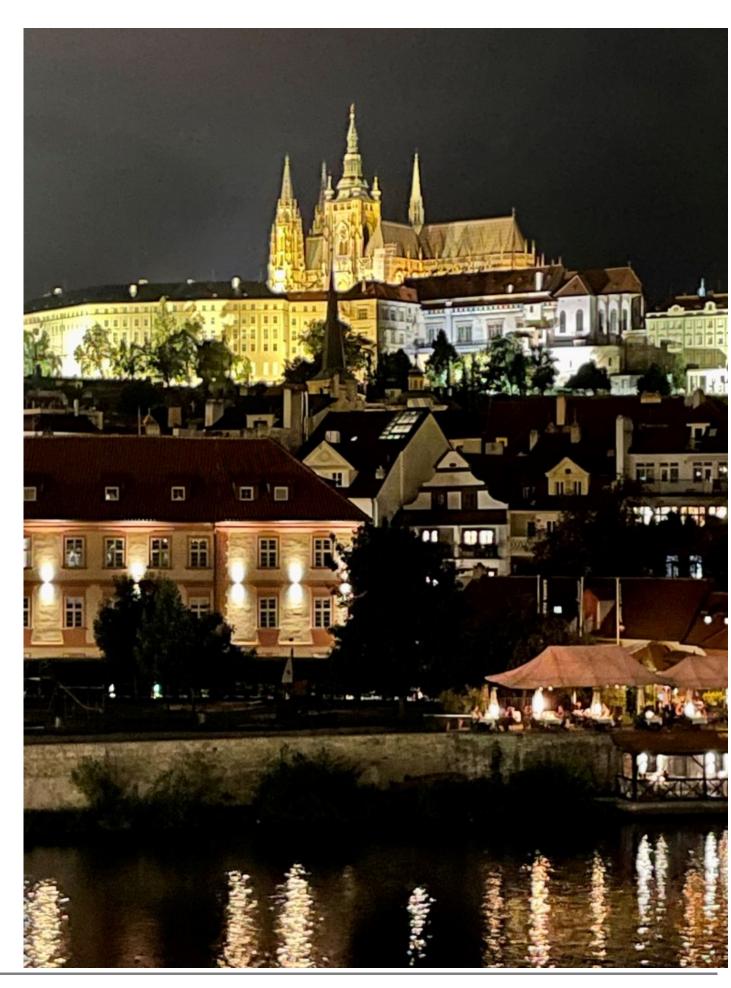
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- Buzet Stari Grad



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- Vysehard
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Denmark (11)

- Rosenberg Castle
- Juelsbuerg Castle
- Nyborg Castle
- Holckenhavn Castle
- Egeskov Castle
- Ulriksholm Castle
- Odense Slot Castle
- Kronborg Castle
- Frederiksborg Castle
- Jaegerspris Castle
- Rosenborg Castle



Lowther Castle England

England (26)

- Buckingham Palace
- Windsor Castle
- Portchester Castle
- Arundel Castle
- Pevensey Castle
- Hastings Castle
- Bodiam Castle
- Warwick Castle
- Whittington Castle
- Ewell Castle
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- Le Chateau de Fontaine-HenryMont St Michel

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- Chateau d'Amboise
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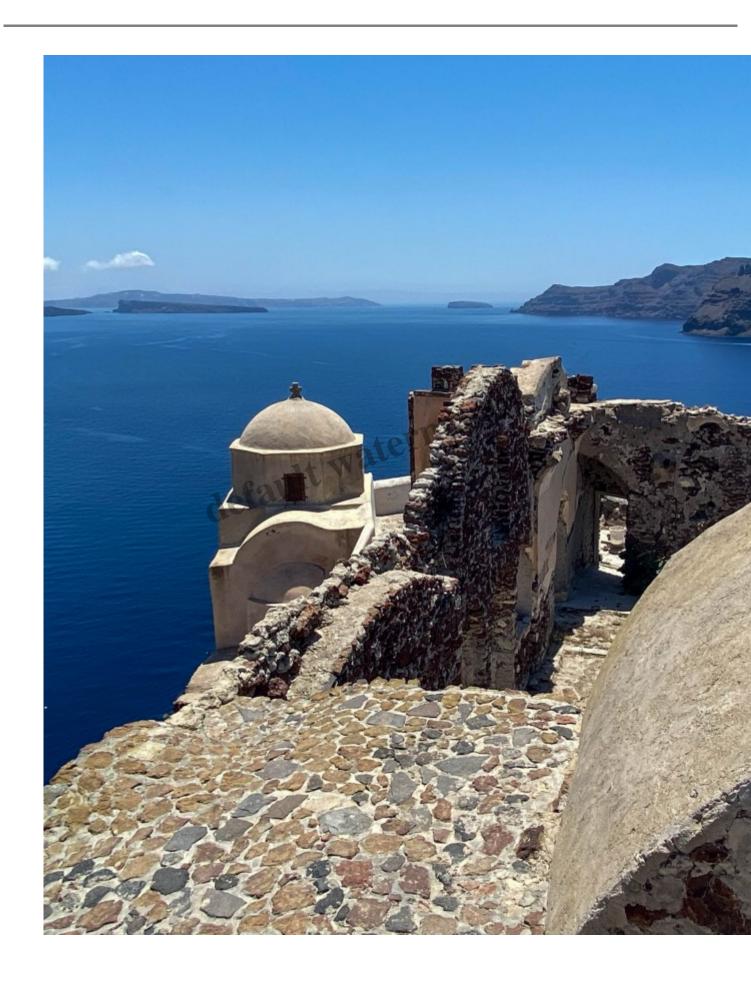


Lichtenstein Castle

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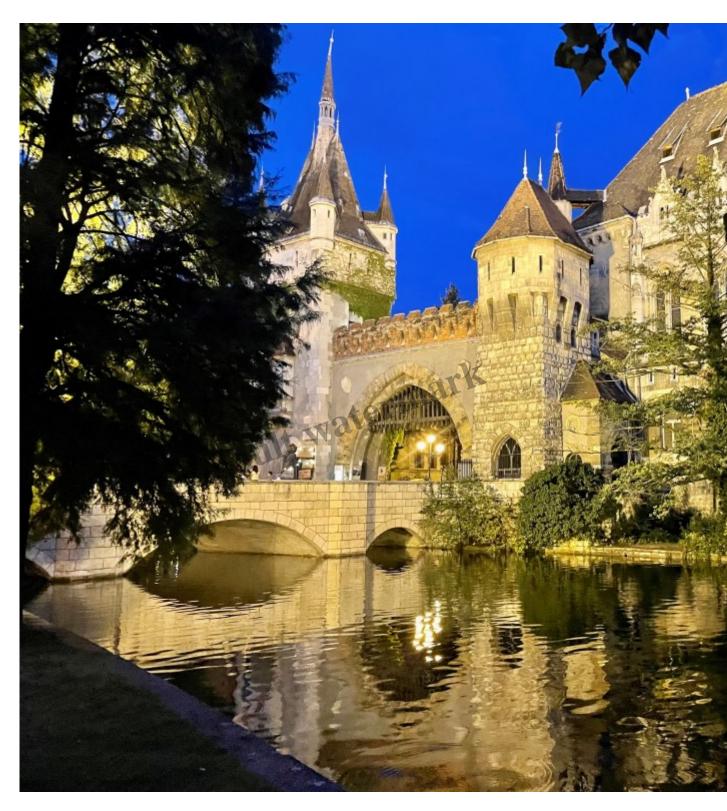
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Greece (12)

- Oia Castle or Castle Agios Nikolaos
- Lamia Castle
- Castle of Akrotiri
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- Fortezza at Rethymnon
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Hungary (3)

- Buda Castle
- Puspokvar-ToronykilatoVajdahunyad



Ireland (21)

- <u>Dublin Castle</u> <u>Trim Castle</u>

- Aughnanure Castle
- Oranmore Castle
- Gregans Castle
- O'Dea Castle
- Donore Castle
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- Doges Palace
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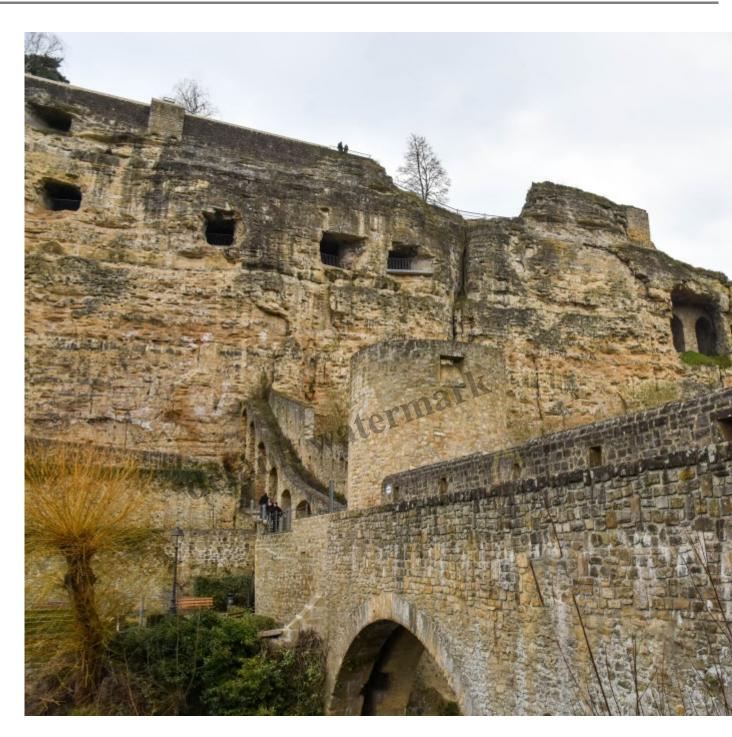
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Luxembourg (1)

• Chateau de Hesperange



<u>Malta</u> (4)

- Citadel Gozo in Victoria
- Fort Saint Angelo

- Selmun Palace
- Tal Virtu Castle



Mexico (1)

• Chapultepec Castle, Mexico City



Monaco (1)

• Princes Palace



Montenegro

Montenegro (3)

- Forte Mare
- Kanli Kula Fortress
- Fort Citadela



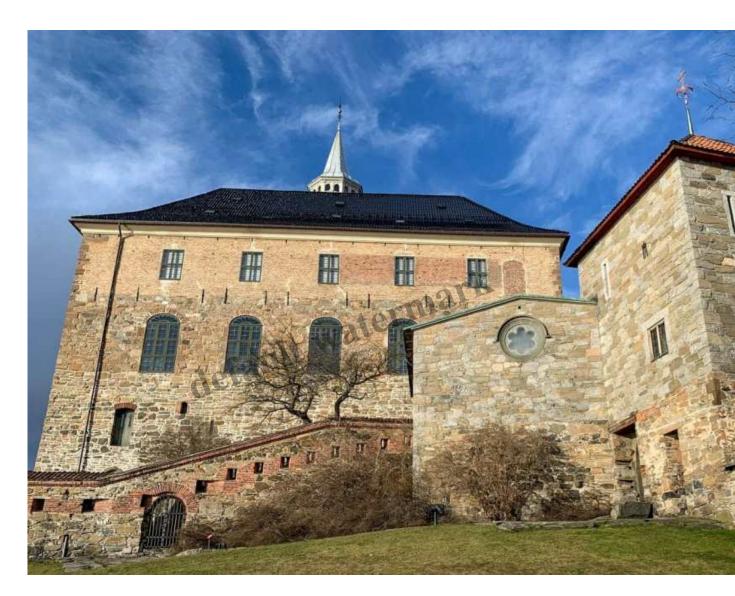
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- Castle de Haar



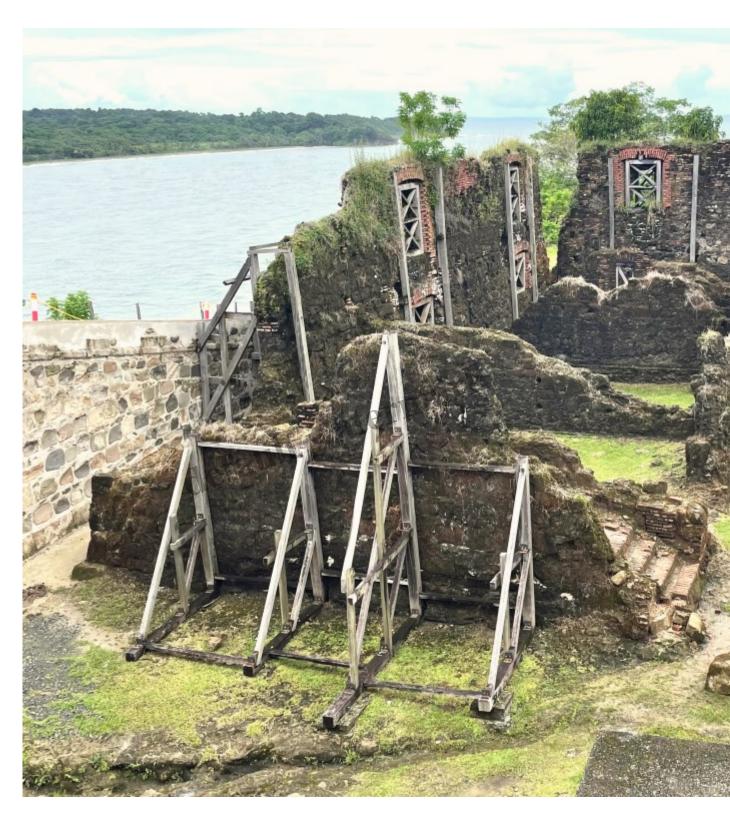
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- Bangor CastleDunserverick Castle



Norway (1)

• Akershus Castle



Panama (2)

Castillo de Sa Lorenzo del Chargres

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Castelo de Sao Joao Arade

Portugal (16)

- Castelo de Porto de Mos
- Obidos Castle
- Castelo de Lamego
- Castelo de Celorico de Biere

- Pena Palace
- Moorish Castle
- Castelo de Castro Marim
- Castelo do Sao Joao Arade
- Castelo Aljezur
- Castelo de Silves
- Castelo de Lagos
- Castelo de Mertola
- Castelo de Beja
- Castelo de Tavira
- Castelo de Portel
- Castelo de S Jorge



Dumfries Castle, Scotland

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- Glasgow Castle
- Dumfries Castle (no link found)
- Caerlaverock Castle
- Crookston Castle
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- Dunstaffnage Castle

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- Eilean Donan Castle
- Inverness Castle
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- Cawdor Castle
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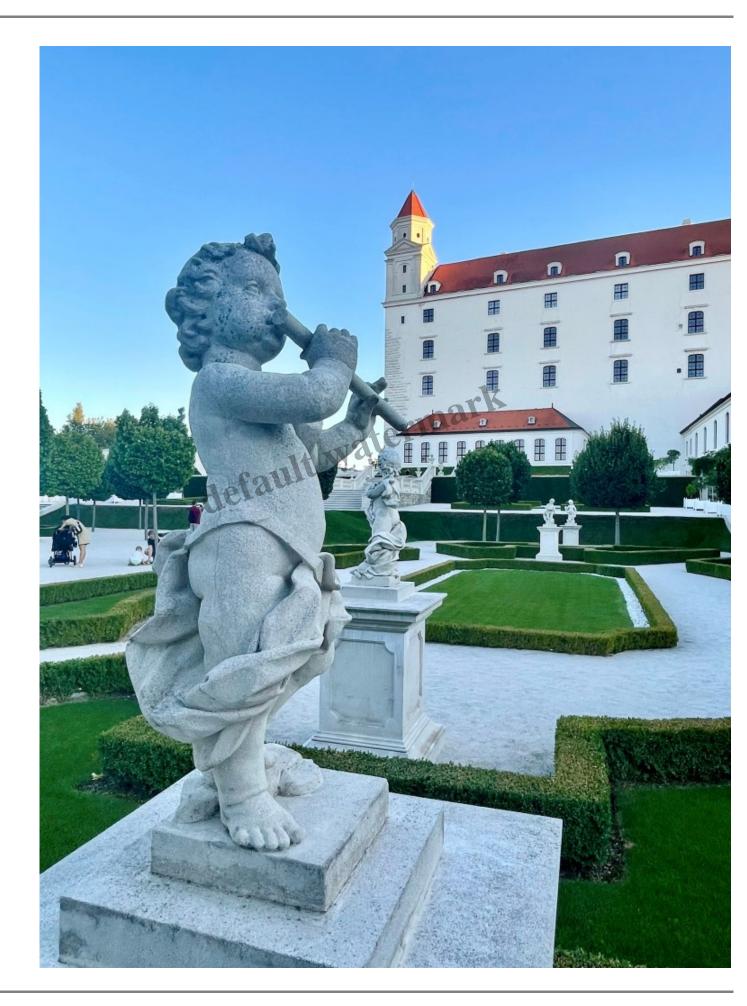
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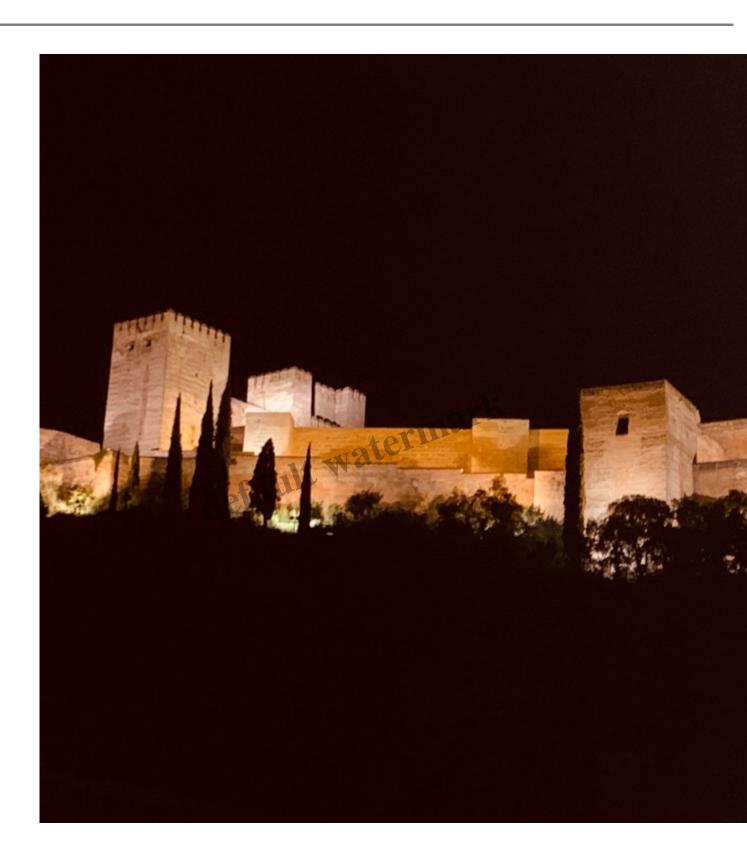
- Bratislava Castle
- Presidential Palace
- Palais Kinsky



Bled Castle

Slovenia (26)

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- Grad Khislstein
- Ljubljana Castle
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- Brdo Castle
- Divja Loko Castle
- Predjama Castle
- Zaprice Castle
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- Katzenberg Castle
- Zovnek Castle
- Celje Castle
- Knežji dvorec Palace
- Maribor Castle
- Svecina Castle
- Velenje Castle
- Komenda Castle
- Castle of Senek
- Praetorian Palace
- Palace Almerigogna
- Palace Gravisi-Barbabianca
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- Stroml Castle
- Grad Jable



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- Alcazar de Sevilla



Svelda, Sweden Bara Castle

Sweden (3)

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- Skabersjo Slott Castle



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<u>Wales</u> (3)

- Chirk Castle
- Denbigh Castle

• Flint Castle



Canada (1)

• Chateau Fontenac, Quebec



The United States (19)

California

- Castello di Amorosa, Castiloga
- Disneylands Sleeping Beauty Castle

Colorado

Miramont Castle, Colorado Springs

Florida

- Coral Castle Homestead
- Disneys Magic Kingdom Cinderella Castle

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Iolani Palace

Massachusetts

Gloucester Hammond Castle

Missouri

Ha Ha Tonka Castle

Pennsylvania

- Fonthill Castle
- Nemacolin Castle

New York

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Rhode Island

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- The Elms

Washington DC

Smithsonian Castle

Washington State

- Alexander Castle in Fort Worden State Park
- Manresa Castle

Wisconsin

Mars Cheese Castle Kenosha

Puerto Rico

Castillo San Felipe del Morro

- Castillo San Cristobal
- Castillo de Morovis
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