

Mission san diego de alcala



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Mission San Diego de Alcala Mission San Diego de Alcala was founded in the year 1769. It was a mission chain that was in essence built by Father Presidente Junipero Serra. In the present times, Mission San Diego de Alcala is also known as the “ California’s First Church.” It was a Spanish explorer by the name of Sebastian Vizcaino who coined the name San Diego Bay as San Diego de Alcala. This is at a distance of nearly 10 miles from the church. Roman Catholic Church is known for being at the ownership of Mission San Diego de Alcala and the current use of the same is by the Parish Church. The relocation of the Mission from Presidio Hill to the new site took place in the year 1774.

Mission San Diego de Alcala is listed as a designated National Historic Landmark and not only that but also on the state level is recognized as a Landmark by the Californian regime. The heritage resource is something that can be easily tied in with the Mission San Diego de Alcala. It has a lot of viewers annually due to its significance in terms of the historic site as well as the enigmatic structure which is based solely on the religious angles. It is after all a place of worship and surely looks like one. The open spaces within the Mission clearly suggest that there is indeed a large space for the worshippers and the sense of ease and calm is something that can be written home about as far as its architecture is concerned. The building rooms within the whole structure are not that tall but they provide space for a number of worshippers to be had within it. The roof at the lower level is covered in a very ancient looking manner which suggests that the traditional thinking was taken care of when it was being constructed. The official artistry of Mission San Diego de Alcala is in line with the religious places like a church or a mosque so to speak. The shades at the front end are supported

by a number of pillars which form the support structure for the entrance at the anterior end. The reredos typifies the architecture of the Mission. The wooden structure has different small openings which hold the statues within it. Apart from this, the reredos gives support to the various mirrors which have their front ends with the large arch present towards the bottom sides as well as a smaller one being positioned on the faux and top columns side by side. The reredos is thus a structure that holds the complete statues positioning.

Its location is somewhat of an interesting story since it is situated on the Friar's Road, Murphy Canyon Road where there is a small lane preceding the Mission San Diego de Alcala on the eastern side. Mission San Diego de Alcala indeed has Spanish architecture, one that makes it look all the more attractive and elegant. The age old style presents a regal touch to the whole ambiance.

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