

# Seeing In Seattle

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## Savoring Seattle's History with Smith Tower

For a peek into Seattle's past, look up to the [Smith Tower](#). In 1914, this tower became the first skyscraper in Seattle and the tallest building west of the Mississippi River. A ticket for their observatory experience enables visitors to explore the history behind this Seattle artifact. Exhibits follow a journey when Prohibition era Seattleites were grappling with the industrialization that transformed the city. The exhibit winds its way to the Observatory, where one can venture on to the balcony for a 360-degree view of the city. Then visitors can conclude their tour into Seattle's past with a craft cocktail served in their speakeasy-inspired bar.



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