

# What's really going through Lincoln's head?

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**Lincoln's face looks too smug to not be hiding something from the public eyes. What we're all asking is; WHAT IS IT?? Look no further as we unravel the secret of Mount Rushmore...**

Everyone should be familiar with the famous 4 American presidents, who humiliate the current leader, in whose name a monument was created. Mount Rushmore. However take a look behind Abraham Lincoln's head to find a stunning secret, being harboured from public eyes since its making years, 1927; the hall of records.

The original sculptor, Gutzon Borglum, plan was to create a secret chamber behind the brows of Abraham Lincoln's, in which you would be able to find the history of Americas evolution. He also planned to create a fourth image to accompany the four presidents. But Gutzon was forced to abandon his plans as the carving would have been too ambitious to achieve.

Instead, to still honour Gutzon's dream, the government allowed him to establish something a little more achievable, a hall of records; somewhere to store America's most important documents.



The actual entrance to the hall itself

Unfortunately, before the events took place, Gutzon passed away. However, the plan was brought back to life in the late 1990s, and the hall of chambers rooms and halls had finally been polished off. Today, they stock American history, including the Declaration of Independence, the Constitution, and the Bill of Rights. Important paperwork indeed – sealed in a titanium vault.

The reason behind all this kerfuffle is that after 1,000 years even, if humans are still around, explorers will be able to find this chamber and familiarise with their ancestors.



The building site, way back then

To prevent any disturbing's, after all, this is intended for 1,000 years, it is a banned place to access by tourists. High security is found there to protect its content. However, Mother Nature has provided enough security by providing an impossible path to walk through to reach the destinations.



The titanium vault, to be open in 1,000 years. Wonder how...

Interesting, no? Read more about Mount Rushmore at:

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/news/uk-18260748>

