BBC LEARNING ENGLISH Story of the Week 每周一报 New York's view from the top 高塔顶上俯瞰纽约



Transcript 文字稿

The Freedom Tower in New York. The tallest building in the western **hemisphere** is now open to visitors.

The history of the city **flashes by** on the 100-floor journey to the top.

The skyscraper replaces the World Trade Center, and many visitors will **inevitably** think of September 11th, 2001.

New York still feels the **trauma** of those events. But the opening of this **landmark** is part of the city's ongoing recovery.

Vocabulary 词汇

hemisphere 半球

flashes by 一闪而过

inevitably 不可避免地

trauma 创伤,痛苦经历

landmark 地标(建筑)

Text 中文文字稿

纽约的自由塔。这个西半球的最高塔现在已开始对公众开放。

在通往塔顶的 100 层电梯旅程中纽约城的历史在人们眼前飞闪而过。

这栋摩天大楼取代了原来的世贸中心,不过许多访问者仍情不自禁地回想起 2001 年的 911。

纽约仍能感到那次恐怖袭击事件所留下的伤痛。而这一地标建筑的落成剪彩正是这座城市 持续复苏过程中的一部分。

Watch this video online: New York's view from the top http://bbc.in/1LIhXtB

Exercise 练习

以下练习中的语句全部选自于其他网页。 请从下面的词汇表里选择答案来完成句子。 注意:你可能需要改变单词的时态来完成句子。

hemisphere / flashes by / inevitably / trauma / landmark

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