

Basic Detail Report



Title Views of Osaka, Japan, 1952

Date 1952

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Medium Photography; color slide on plastic in cardboard mount

Description Color mounted slides of views of Osaka, Japan in 1952 during the Korean War. (.67) A man and a woman are walking in front of stone walls towards steps to the entrance of Osaka Castle. The woman is wearing a Japanese kimono, and the man is wearing a black suit. People are seen on the steps walking in and out of the building. (.68) Stone wall entrance of Osaka Castle with people entering and exiting the building. (.69) View from the street of building structures sitting atop stone walls. A white sign on the right side of image next to a wooden fence close to the road reads in black text, "15 / Km/h / Speed / Limit." (.70) A white wooden sign with black text next to a bush reads, "Dragon Stone & Tiger Stone / Height 15 ft. Width 21 ft. / Superficial area 315

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square ft. / This gate is called ‘Dragon Stone’ and left / one. ‘Tiger Stone’ .

These two huge stones were brought / far from the province of Bizen by a certain

‘daimyo’ / in the middle of 17th century.” The bottom portion of the sign is

the text translated from English to Japanese. (.71) View of Osaka Castle from the

park on the grounds. On the left, a white sign with green text reads, “Parking /

Area.” People are seen walking on a concrete path towards the castle. A knee-

high white fence runs along the edges of the grass from the park. (.72) Front

façade of a one level wooden building. A short white wooden fence sits in front

of the trees of the structure. (.73) A white sign with black text that has the title,

“History of Osaka Castle.” The left side of the sign is written in English and the

write side is written in Japanese. (.74) Landscape view of buildings in Japan. A

stone wall structure sits at the bottom left corner of the image. Mountains and

trees are in the background. (.75) Stone wall structure with a building standing

behind it. Trees are in the background. (.76) Probably an underexposed image of

a section of a building of Osaka Castle. People are seen exiting the building. (.77)

Landscape view of the city of Osaka taken from behind a wired fence. A long

body of water, probably a lake or a river, runs through the middle of the city. (.78)

Birds eye view of a stone structure taken from behind a wired fence. (.79)

Pathway to the entrance of Osaka Castle. Three white buildings of the site are

seen in the background. (.80) Up close view of people exiting the stone wall

entrance of Osaka Castle. The woman in the image that is standing in front of

the tall wooden doors is wearing a Japanese kimono and holding a black bag.

The men in the image are wearing suits and ties. (.81) Up close view of a man,

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women, and children walking down the stone entrance steps of Osaka Castle.

The man wearing a military uniform and a hat. (.82-.83) Up close view of men

and women at the steps of Osaka Castle. (.84) Probably an up-close front façade

view of a Japanese Temple. The structure is made up of orange and white

material. (.85) Up close view of men and women walking down the steps of

Osaka Castle. (.86) View of a street in Japan from a driveway. A tall white fence is

at the end of a driveway. A man in a military uniform is walking up the path

carrying boxes. On the opposite side of the road are facades of buildings with

various advertising signs. A large yellow sign in front of one of the buildings

reads in red text, “SOUVENIR / COMPANY / BRANCH.”