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# The Community 21st Century US Stamp Album 2001 Supplement

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## A Note About Mounting Stamps

I designed all the stamps boxes to show around the stamp mount. In order to do that, I assume the following:

For singles that have pre-cut sizes from Showgard/Schaufix and Scott/Prinz, I assume you will use those.

If you are cutting your own mounts from strips, I used the mount size recommended on Showgard's web site. The mounts should be cut 6mm wider than the width of the stamp (or se-tenant.) This puts the stamp nicely right in the middle of the mount.

For most booklet stamps, I used a mount that was 1 mm higher than the recommended size, because of the extra thickness of the backing paper. There should be screen shots on stamphacks.com showing my stamps mounted on the pages. Coil stamps with backing paper that extended above the stamp, I used 30mm mounts on them.

## **Appreciation**

These stamp pages will always be free. If you have a dying need to show me your appreciation for these pages, glance through the page scans on stamphacks.com and consider donating any stamps that I am missing.

## THANK YOU!

I would like to that all the members of stampbears.com and stampcommunity.org for their feedback and suggestions in helping design this supplement! Making the rest of these supplements could take a while, but with their help, I'm sure it will get done.

## **Technical**

These pages were designed using the excellent **Scribus Open Source deskop publishing app**: <a href="http://www.scribus.net">http://www.scribus.net</a>

The typeface used is **Source Sans Pro**, Adobe's first open source typeface: http://store1.adobe.com/cfusion/store/html/index.cfm?event=displayFontPackage&code=1959

## 2001 Commemoratives

#### Year of the Snake

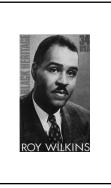
January 20, 2001



2001 was the year of the snake in the modified lunar calendar used in many Asian countries. This stamp was the ninth stamp in the Lunar New Year series.

#### **Roy Wilkins**

January 24, 2001



Roy Wilkins was an officer of National Association for the Advancement of Colored People, holding the position of executive director for 12 of those years. This stamp honors the 100th anniversary of his birth. This is the 24th stamp in the Black Heritage series.

#### **Diabetes Awareness**

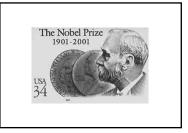
March 16, 2001



In 2001, the USPS ran a year long diabetes awareness campaign, of which this stamp was a part. Diabetes is characterized by the inability control blood sugar levels without medicine. As much as 40% of the US population may have diabetes

#### **Nobel Prize**

March 22, 2001



The Nobel Prize is a set of annual international awards bestowed in a number of categories by Scandinavian committees in recognition of cultural and/or scientific advances. The will of the Swedish philanthropist inventor Alfred Nobel established the prizes in 1895

#### **Peanuts**

May 17, 2001



Peanuts is a syndicated daily and Sunday American comic strip written and illustrated by Charles M. Schulz, which ran from October 2, 1950, to February 13, 2000, continuing in reruns afterward. The strip is the most popular and influential in the history of the comic strip, with 17,897 strips published in all, making it "arguably the longest story ever told by one human being", according to Robert Thompson of Syracuse University.

#### **American Illustrators**

February 1, 2001



20 illustrators from the 19th and 20th centuries had their works featured on this pane of stamps. From upper left to lower right we have: Coles Philips, Robert Fawcett, Joseph Christian Leyendecker, Maxfield Parrish, James Montgomery Flagg, Dean Corrwell, Rose O'Neill, Howard Pyle, Arthur Burdett Frost, Al Parker, Harvey Dunn, Jon Whitcomb, Neysa McMein, Jessie Willcox Smith, Edwin Austin Abbey, John Held Jr., Norman Rockwell, Newell Convers Wyeth, Rockwell Kent, and Frederic Remington.

## **The Pan-American Inverts Souvenir Sheet**

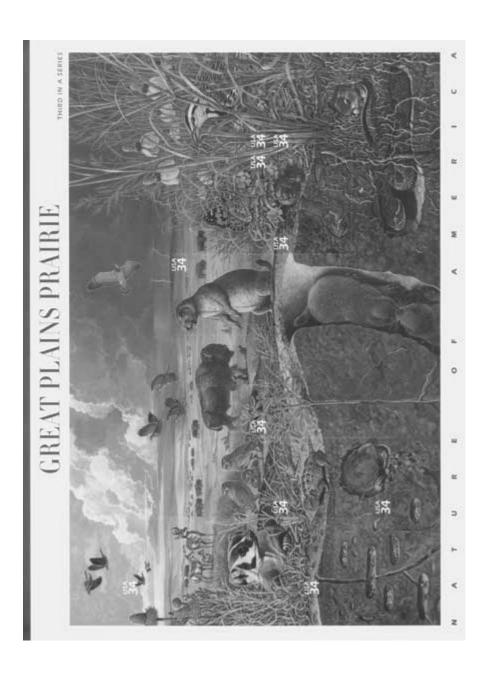
March 29, 2001



On the 100th anniversary of the Pan-American Exposition, the USPS made this souvenir sheet depicting the three errors made in the printing of the original Pan-American commemorative stamps available.

### **Great Plains Prairie**

April 29, 2001



## **Honoring Veterans**

May 23, 2001



This stamp was issues to honor the veterans of the US armed services and their continuing contributions to their communities.

## **Baseball's Legendary Playing Fields**

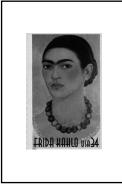
June 27, 2001



Vintage post cards were used as images for the 10 legendary US baseball fields shown on these stamps. Each stamp shows the name of the stadium on the front, and descriptive text on the backing paper telling you about the field.

#### Frida Kahlo

June 21, 2001



Considered one of Mexico's greatest artists, Frida Kahlo began painting after she was severely injured in a bus accident. Kahlo later became politically active and married fellow communist artist Diego Rivera in 1929. She exhibited her paintings in Paris and Mexico before her death in 1958.

#### **Leonard Bernstein**

July 10, 2001



Leonard Bernstein was an American composer, conductor, author, music lecturer, and pianist. He was among the first conductors born and educated in the United States of America to receive worldwide acclaim. According to The New York Times, he was "one of the most prodigiously talented and successful musicians in American history."

## **Amish Quilts**

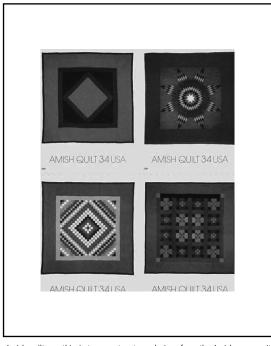
August 9, 2001

#### **Lucille Ball**

August 1, 2001



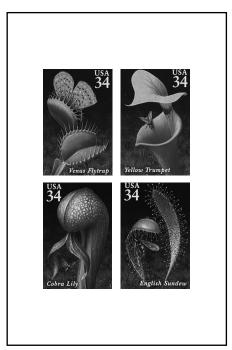
Lucille Ball was an American comedienne, model, film and television actress, Executive, and star of the sitcoms I Love Lucy, The Lucy-Desi Comedy Hour, The Lucy Show, Here's Lucy and Life with Lucy. One of the most popular and influential stars in the United States during her lifetime, she had one of Hollywood's longest careers, especially on television.



The Amish quilts on this 4 stamp se-tenat are designs from the Amish community in Lancaster County, PA. The geometric designs of Amish quilts are sought after around the world for their simple design and hand-made quality.

#### **Carnivorous Plants**

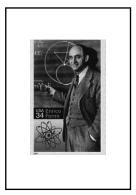
August 23, 2001



Carnivorous plants are plants that derive some or most of their nutrients (but not energy) from trapping and consuming animals or protozoans, typically insects and other arthropods.

#### **Enrico Fermi**

September 29, 2001



Enrico Fermi was an Italian theoretical and experimental physicist, best known for his work on the development of Chicago Pile-1, the first nuclear reactor, and for his contributions to the development of quantum theory, nuclear and particle physics, and statistical mechanics.

## **Porky Pig**

October 1, 2001



Die Cut

Porky Pig is an animated cartoon character in the Warner Bros. Looney Tunes and Merrie Melodies series of cartoons. He was the first character created by the studio to draw audiences based on his star power, and the animators created many critically acclaimed shorts using the fat little pig. Even after he was supplanted by later characters, Porky continued to be popular with moviegoers and, more importantly, the Warners directors, who recast him in numerous everyman and sidekick roles. He is known for his signature line at the end of each short, "Th-th-th-that's all folks!" The USPS Porky Pig stamp was the last stamp in the Warner Brothers cartoon series

## **Porky Pig**

October 1, 2001



Imperforate 10th Stamp On Right

The USPS issued a limited number of Porky Pig booklets where the stamp on the right was imperforate and the die cut of the stamps on the left extends through the backing paper.

#### **James Madison**

October 18, 2001



James Madison, was an American statesman and political theorist, the fourth President of the United States (1809–1817). He is hailed as the "Father of the Constitution" for being instrumental in the drafting of the United States Constitution and as the key champion and author of the United States Bill of Rights.

## **2001 Specials**

#### Love

February 14, 2001







Booklet



Vending Booklet



Pane of 20

November 19, 2001



Pane of 20

The 2001 Love stamps feature a rose laying on top of a handwritten love letter. The letter on the three 34¢ stamps is a love letter from John Adams to his future wife Abigail Smith. The 55¢ and 57¢ stamps contain a letter from Abigail back to John.

#### Eid

September 1, 2001



The Eid stamp was issued to commemorate two different festivals (Eids) in the Islamic lunar calendar: Eid al-Fitr, the end of Ramadan, and Eid al-Adha, the period of annual pilgrimage to the Holy Land. The Arabic caligraphy on the stamp translates to "Blessed Eid."

#### **Madonna and Child**

October 10, 2001



The 2001 Traditional Christmas Stamp features Lorenzo Costa's "Virgin and Child."

#### **We Give Thanks**

October 16, 2001



This stamp was issued to commemorate the US holiday of Thanksiving, a remembrance of a festival shared between the Pigrims and Native Americans.

## **Holiday Santas**

October 10, 2001





Booklet

Vending Booklet

The four images of Sants shown on these stamps are from Chromolithographic prints between 80 and 110 years old.

#### Hanukkah

October 21, 2001



Hanukkah is an eight-day Jewish holiday commemorating the rededication of the Holy Temple (the Second Temple) in Jerusalem at the time of the Maccabean Revolt of the 2nd century BCE.

#### Kwanzaa

October 21, 2001



Kwanzaa is a week-long celebration held in the United States. The celebration honors African heritage in African-American culture, and is observed from December 26 to January 1, culminating in a feast and gift-giving

## **2001 Definitives**

#### **Statue of Liberty**

January 7, 2001



Self-Adhesive Coil (Roumded Corners)

USA

Water Activared Coil

February 7, 2001



Self-Adhesive Coil



Booklet

The Statue of Liberty is a colossal neoclassical sculpture on Liberty Island in New York Harbor, designed by Frédéric Bartholdi and dedicated on October 28, 1886. The statue, a gift to the United States from the people of France, is of a robed female figure representing Libertas, the Roman goddess of freedom, who bears a torch and a tabula ansata (a tablet evoking the law) upon which is inscribed the date of the American Declaration of Independence, July 4, 1776. A broken chain lies at her feet. The statue is an icon of freedom and of the United States: a welcoming signal to immigrants arriving from abroad.

#### **Capitol Dome**

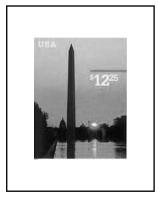
January 29, 2001



This US Priority Mail stamp features the dome of The United States Capitol. It is the meeting place of the United States Congress, the legislature of the federal government of the United States. Located in Washington, D.C., it sits atop Capitol Hill at the eastern end of the National Mall.

#### **Washington Monument**

January 29, 2001



This US Express Mail stamp features the Washington Monument. It is an obelisk on the National Mall in Washington, D.C., built to commemorate the first American president, General George Washington. The monument, made of marble, granite, and bluestone gneiss, is both the world's tallest stone structure and the world's tallest obelisk, standing 555 feet 518 inches.

#### Flag Over Farm

February 7, 2001



Water Activated

March 6, 2001



Self-Adhesive

December 17, 2001



ATM Booklet

The Flag Over Farm stamp shows a classic American farm and farmhouse with the US flag superimposed over the lower portion of the stamp.

#### **Flowers**

February 7, 2001



Booklet



Coil

The 2001 Flowers definitves features: Longiflorum Lily (upper-left), Cymbidium Orchid (upper-right), Freesia (lower-left), and the Asian Hybrid Lily (lower-right). Stamps were issued in both booklet form as well as coil.

## **Art Deco Eagle**

February 22, 2001



September 20, 2001



Art Deco is an eclectic style that combines traditional craft motifs with Machine Age imagery and materials. The style is often characterized by rich colors, bold geometric shapes and lavish ornamentation.

#### **Hattie Caraway**

February 21, 2001





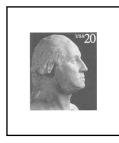
Die Cut Perf 11

Die Cut Perf 11 x 11.5

Hattie Caraway was the first woman elected to serve a full term as a United States Senator. Senator Caraway represented Arkansas.

## **George Washington**

February 22, 2001





Booklet Die Cut Perf 11 3/4

Booklet Die Cut Perf 10 1/2 x 11 1/4

September 20, 2001





Pane of 20 Die Cut 11 1/4 x 11 3/4

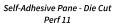
Coil Stamp Die Cut 9 3/4

George Washington was one of the Founding Fathers of the United States, serving as the commander-in-chief of the Continental Army during the American Revolutionary War. He also presided over the convention that drafted the Constitution, which replaced the Articles of Confederation. The Constitution established the position of President of the republic, which Washington was the first to hold.

#### **Bison**

#### February 22, 2001







Self-Adhesive Coil - Die Cut Perf 8 1/2



Water Activated Pane - Perf



September 20, 2001

Self-Adhesive Booklet - Die Cut Perf 11 1/4



Self-Adhesive Booklet - Die Cut Perf 10 1/2 x 11 1/4

The American bison (Bison bison), also commonly known as the American buffalo, is a North American species of bison that once roamed the grasslands of North America in massive herds. It became nearly extinct by a combination of commercial hunting and slaughter in the 19th century, and introduction of bovine diseases from domestic cattle. It has made a recent resurgence largely restricted to a few national parks and reserves.

### **Official Mail**

February 27, 2001



Official Mail stamps are valid US postage, but can legally only be used by the United States Government.

## **Apples & Oranges**

March 6, 2001

Late April/Early May 2001



Convertible Booklet Pane of 20



Vending Booklet of 20

The apple and orange are both fruits grown in the United States. This pair of fruit was designed by the same artist who drew the peach and pear se-ten-

#### Nine Mile Prairie

March 6, 2001



Nine Mile Prairie is a 230-acre (0.93 km2) tract of conserved tallgrass prairie in Lancaster County, Nebraska, United States. It is one of the largest areas of virgin tallgrass prairie in the state of Nebraska. It has been listed on the National Register of Historic Places since 1986.

#### **Mount McKinley**

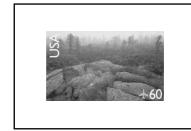
April 17, 2001



Mount McKinley is the highest mountain peak in the United States and in North America, with a summit elevation of 20,320 feet (6,194 m) above sea level. Located in the Alaska Range in the U.S. state of Alaska, it is the centerpiece of Denali National Park and Preserve.

#### **Acadia National Park**

April 17, 2001



Acadia National Park is a National Park located in the U.S. state of Maine. It reserves much of Mount Desert Island, and associated smaller islands, off the Atlantic coast. Originally created as Lafayette National Park in 1919, the oldest National Park east of the Mississippi River, it was renamed Acadia in 1929.

#### **Atlas Statue**

June 29, 2001



Atlas is an art deco bronze statue in front of Rockefeller Center in midtown Manhattan. The sculpture depicts the Ancient Greek Titan Atlas holding the heavens. It was created by sculptor Lee Lawrie with the help of Rene Paul Chambellan, and it was installed in 1937.

#### **Woody Wagon**

August 3, 2001



A woodie is a car body style, especially a station wagon, where the rear bodywork is constructed of wood framework with infill panels of wood or painted metal.

#### **United We Stand**

October 24, 2001



Booklet Pane of 20



Coil Stamp with Right Angle Corners



Coil Stamp with Rounded Corners

The United We Stand stamps were issued after the September 11, 2001 terrorist attacks to show American unity against terrorism.