

230 years of the foundation of Guatemala City

**Ciudad Vieja Neighborhood, zone 10**

**Did you know that...?**

...just a handful of persons know that the very modest church located west of the plaza and the beautiful

...the Ceiba tree was planted in 1801 along with a bottle with a paper inside of it that lists the names of t

...that the plaza is a veritable historical nucleus, along with its Ceiba, the national tree, and the church w

...at the Ciudad Vieja plaza there is a Canaletas fountain donated by the Barcelona City Hall?

...the Ciudad Vieja cemetery used to be behind the church? The land belongs today to the Uribe family.

...up to the year 1934 Dr. Alejandro Carrillo Rocha, director of aquatic sports of the Guatemalan Sports

...the Ciudad Vieja neighborhood covers 60 blocks and that inside that perimeter there are 118 informal

...the Aguilar Pinto family ~~Aguiar~~ founded the small “ ” condominium with 25 houses?

...at 7th Street and 2nd Avenue in a small condominium named “*Doña Reina*”

...Mr. Éfego Monzón, who for a short period served as President of Guatemala in the 1930s, lived in a house

...teacher Clara Cobar de Marroquín, principal of the “Republic of France” public school, wrote a letter to

...a Botanical Garden is an area where collections of live plants are kept, organized according to their habit

...the Military Hospital was created by Government Decree of October 9, 1880, with the purpose of alleviating the suffering of the wounded soldiers.

... new facilities for the Military Hospital were built in zone 16 because a fire destroyed the former wooden buildings.

...the ceilings of the Estrada Cabrera Asylum and the Joaquina Maternity Ward were done in wrought iron.

...the MacDermont School started out in this neighborhood?

...the Swiss American, ABC, El Prado, and Rabke schools also started out in this neighborhood?

...the “Mario Monteforte Toledo” library operates inside the facilities of the Ministry of Foreign Relations?

...the Honduran transportation company “~~Haitian~~ ~~Alpa~~”, founded in 1952, operates in 2nd Avenue 8-73, Zone

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