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The World Trade Centre (WTC) was also known as the Twin Towers.

It was officially opened on April 4th, 1973.

50,000 employees worked in the offices.

The Twin Towers were designed by the architect Minoru Yamasaki.

The twin towers were 110 stories high.

The Twin Towers formed the heart of New York's financial district.

The cost of building the Twin Towers was \$2.3 billion.

It took more than 10,000 workers to build the Twin Towers.

Three men jumped from the top of the Twin Towers and parachuted down, and 12 mountain climbers managed to scale the Twin Towers'.

The Twin Towers collapsed on September 11th, 2001 after jet airliners crashed into them in a terrorist attack.

A French tightrope walker named Phillipe Petit strung up a rope between the Twin Towers in 1974 and walked across from one tower to the other.

Nearly 3000 people died when the towers were attacked.