

VESTIGES of *Lands End*

Statues

Visitors to Sutro Heights were treated to Adolph Sutro's ideas of sophisticated European culture. His estate gloried in over 200 sculptures, planters, fountains, and rustic furniture. Statues included a replica of the Venus de Milo and many Greek and Roman gods, goddesses, and mythical creatures. Nude figures abounded.

Only a few replicas of the statues remain in Sutro Heights Park. No one knows for certain what became of the hundreds of statues that once dotted the landscape. Archaeologists have uncovered fragments of statues in their work around the park. Perhaps some lay buried, to be discovered by some future restoration.



On left: statue of woman on Parapet with view of Cliff House below; top right: Statues surrounding the carriage turn-around at the end of Palm Ave.; bottom right: The Satyr's Dream statue in the Old Grove.