

Comparison of 1987 and 2011  
Photographs of Watts Towers Sculptures

Center Tower (CTO)

December 14, 2012



Center Tower  
Panel 1  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 1  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

					
Color Change					
					
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression
					
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Panel 2  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 2  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						TRANSPARENT
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987		New Ornament Impression
						TRANSPARENT
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression		Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Panel 3  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 3  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification



Center Tower  
Panel 4  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 4  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Panel 5  
1987

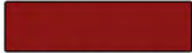














Center Tower  
 Panel 5  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Panel 6  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 6  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						TRANSPARENT
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987		New Ornament Impression
						TRANSPARENT
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression		Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Panel 7  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 7  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						TRANSPARENT
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification



Center Tower  
Panel 8  
1987
















Center Tower  
Panel 8  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 1e, 1m, and 2e  
1987
















Center Tower  
Columns 1e, 1m and 2e  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	TRANSPARENT	New Ornament Impression
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	TRANSPARENT	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 2e, 2i, 2m and 3e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 2e, 2i, 2m and 3e  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

					
Color Change					
					
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression
					
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 3e, 3i, 3m, 4i and 4e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 3e, 3i, 3m, 4i and 4e  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression	
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987	

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification



Center Tower  
Columns 4e, 4m, 5i, and 5e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 4e, 4m, 5i, and 5e  
 2012



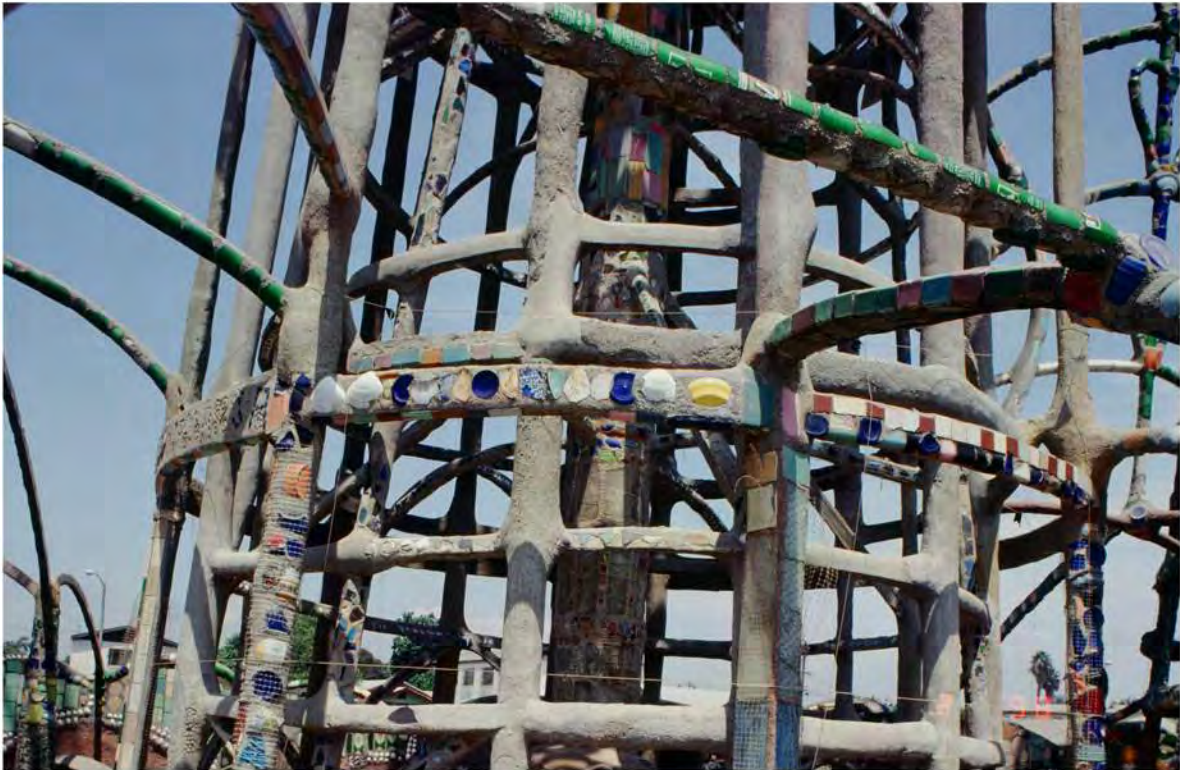
2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						TRANSPARENT
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987		New Ornament Impression
						TRANSPARENT
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression		Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 5e, 5m, 6i, and 6e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 5e, 5m, 6i, and 6e  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

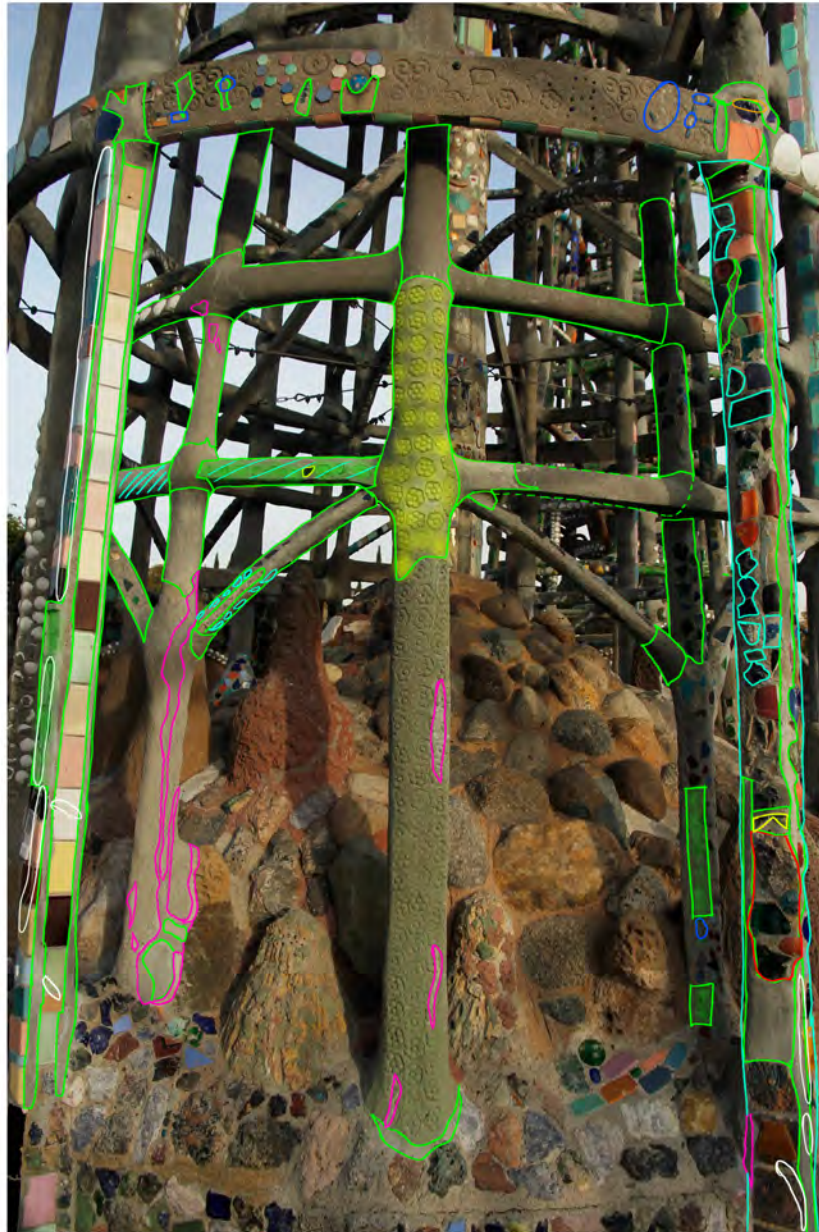
						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	TRANSPARENT	New Ornament Impression
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	TRANSPARENT	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 6e, 6i, 6m, 7i and 7e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 6e, 6i, 6m, 7i and 7e  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

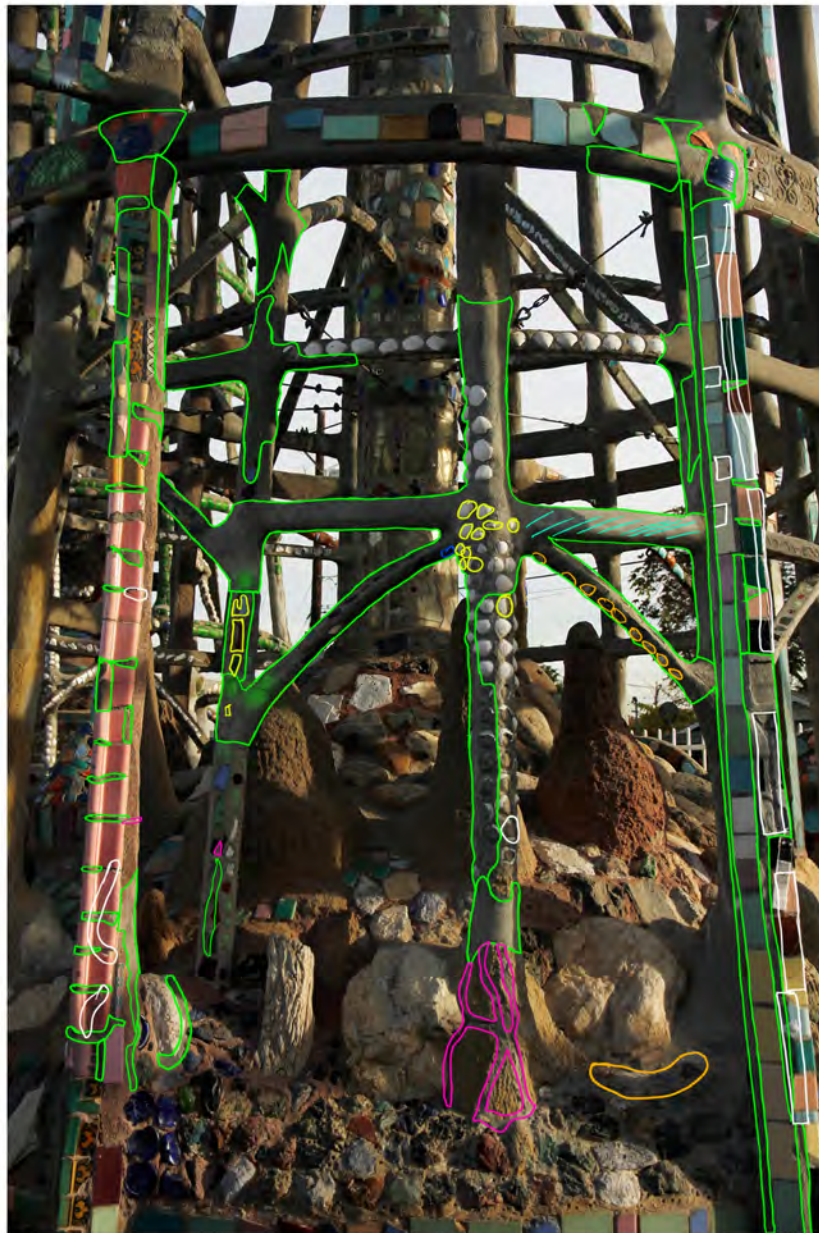
					
Color Change					
					
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	New Ornament Impression
					
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification

Center Tower  
Columns 7e, 7m, 8i and 8e  
1987
















Center Tower  
 Columns 7e, 7m, 8i and 8e  
 2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
 Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						TRANSPARENT
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987		New Ornament Impression
						TRANSPARENT
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression		Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification



Center Tower  
Columns 1e, 8i and 8e  
1987
















Center Tower  
Columns 1e, 8i and 8e  
2012



2012 Analysis/Comparison of Site in  
Relation to 1987 Rand Photos

LEGEND

						
Color Change						
						
Mortar Reattachment	New Mortar Application	Missing Ornament	Uncovered Ornament	Treatment Prior to 1987	TRANSPARENT	New Ornament Impression
						
Added/Rearranged Ornament	Crack Fill	Altered Shape or Contour	New Damage	Lost Ornament Impression	TRANSPARENT	Removed Treatment Prior to 1987

NOTE: Dashed line indicates uncertainty/need of verification