



## **Hackensack's Historic White Manna Honored With Miniature Wooden Collectible**

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The Mr. Local History Project is proud to announce that the board has accepted The White Manna Hamburger diner stand in Hackensack, New Jersey to be included in the New Jersey Historic Wooden Keepsake collection made by the Cat's Meow Village of Wooster, Ohio.



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[Click Here](#) to order a piece from the inaugural run of this iconic Jersey eatery. Each piece typically sells out. Official release date is Wednesday, March 13, 2024.

Finished Dimensions  
4 1/4" H x 5 1/2" W

The White Manna, founded by Louis P. Bridges from Cordele, Georgia, this would be his 2<sup>nd</sup> hamburger diner stand. His first stand was in 1937 known as the White Diamond on State & Berry Streets also in Hackensack. His classic \$0.10 burgers promotion came 4 in a sack. Today it is Jersey's #1 rated classic hamburger joint.

Welcome to the 30th keepsake. [Online Orders](#) are being taken now for this limited edition piece of Jersey art!



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Available in the MLH Etsy Store.



The only thing better than this collectible is right here!



**1946- White Manna Hamburgers**  
358 River Street, Hackensack, NJ 07601

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The definition of White Manna goes back to origins in the bible; White stands for purity, Manna is an edible substance which God provided for the Israelites during their travels in the desert during the 40-year period following the Exodus prior to the conquest of Canaan.

White Manna was designed by Arthur E. Sieber, of Paramount Dining Cars Inc., in nearby Haledon, New Jersey. Over the years, Sieber would patent several unique portable stainless-steel diner concepts where Paramount utilized their patented pre-fabrication technique to manufacture a diner in three sections known as cells, which were individually transported. New Jersey would become the diner center of the world as the diner manufacturers dominated the industry for decades.

Many ask if there's a tie to Jersey City's White Manna. Yes, that Paramount hamburger stand was also purchased by Louis & Al Bridges after debuting at the 1939 New York World's Fair as the "Diner of the Future". The JC White Manna opened in 1946. As we like to say, the Bridges are 'New Jersey's Burger Royalty.'

#30 in the New Jersey Historic Village Collection

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Back of the Hackensack White Manna collectible includes the history of New Jersey's #1 hamburger stand.



"I'll gladly pay you Tuesday..."

## About the New Jersey Historic Miniature Village Keepsake Collection

The New Jersey Historic Village keepsake collection is a wood painted collectible series honoring historic iconic buildings, properties, and events that are part of the historic fabric of New Jersey's history. Each keepsake was selected based on community feedback and a voting process. "We're really excited to see how the public reacts to the next additions to this historic series." The Mr. Local History Project plans to introduce a number of new keepsakes help contribute our local memories to the series. Simply sign up to receive updates when the new pieces will become available.

## More New Jersey Wooden Keepsake Foodie Collectibles

We have over 30 collectibles to choose from but we LOVE NJ iconic eateries and here they are. [Click Here to see the entire collection](#) that's currently available. Get while you can, as they do sell out.



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