



A Good Fence

Designs and styles of Upper East Side fences/gates

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An interesting design for an interesting placement to go with it.



Unlike the other fence, this one has a clear meaning and a nice design.



A simple circle and square design.



Trying to preserve nature with a small but useful fence.



This room is hidden in much love.



Someone doesn't want anybody going over that. Or else....



Trying it to preserve nature again...
it's not working that well. The
fence is nice and simple though.



If the fences are opening and you have to go, take a minute to look at the fence. Look at some of the wonderful designs.

As Robert Frost says, " Good fences make good neighbors" Everybody likes a good fence; to keep people in or out or just to look aesthetically pleasing. There are many ways to use fences. There are also many designs to go with it.

The start of fences coincided with the start of people caring about land. People started caring about the land because it was also at the time as the start of agriculture. Now fences are thought of as security measures and sanctity. It is also known as boundaries or safety.

Wait, what does the word fence come from? It comes from the Middle English word fens, which is short for 'defens', which is now defense. That is why one of the ways fences are used is for defense. There are other meanings to the word fence but they aren't relevant to how we are referring to fences, here.

Although you might not think there are any major known fences... there are. One is the Lock Fence. Located on the Pont des Art Bridge in Paris, there thousands of padlocked fastened on the side of the bridge as a sign of love. In 2014 there were so much "love" that part of the bridge collapsed.

Although not technically a fence, there is one that runs for thousands of miles. You've probably guessed it already. The Great Wall of China. This mammoth stands at more than 13,000 miles in length, separating two halves of an entire country. Wow!

Now, what you've all been waiting for. The world's longest actual fence is known as the Ding Fence. It is called "Dingo" because it separates dingoes from sheep and cattle to keep them safe in the southeast of Australia. There are many other fences in the world. You should stop and take a look at the details and designs.