

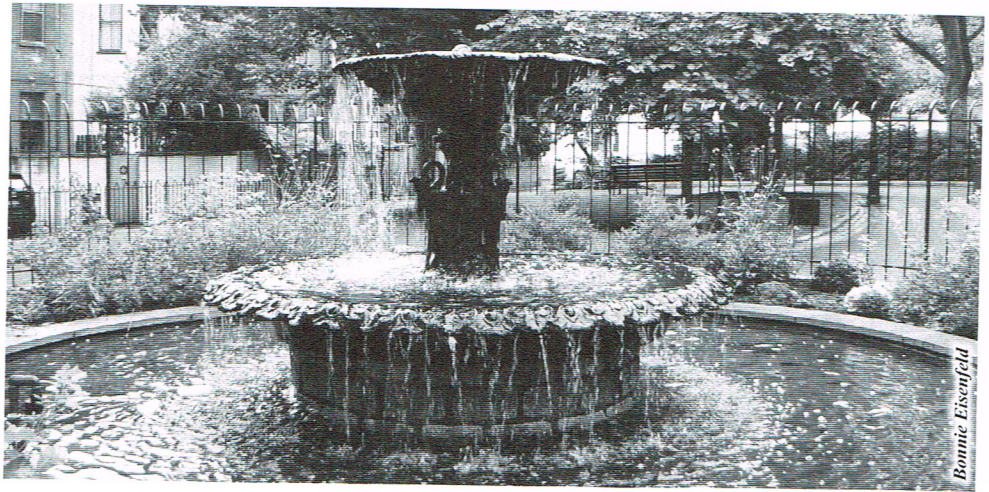
# See 30 Philadelphia Neighborhoods Through Eyes of Local Writer and Photographer

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Natalie and Tricia Pompilio, two sisters who live near each other in Queen Village, collaborated on the new guidebook *Walking Philadelphia: 30 Walking Tours Exploring Art, Architecture, History, and Little-Known Gems*. The Free Library praises the book, which they say is “like a love story to the city,” and its authors, who are “big Philly fans.”

About two-thirds of the neighborhoods covered are located in or adjacent to Center City and the rest are located in Manayunk, Germantown, Mt. Airy, and Wissahickon. The small paperback book, which includes maps and photos, is easy to carry and easy to read. It includes an index and three appendices: “Walks by Theme”; “Points of Interest”; and “Sources of Information,” including websites and print sources. This book is recommended for both city residents and visitors.

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