

**OLD FAITHFUL HAYNES PHOTO SHOP**

**TIMELINE HISTORY**

**March 1, 1872** President Ulysses S. Grant establishes Yellowstone as the world’s first

national park.

**1881** Frank J. Haynes spends two months photographing Yellowstone National Park’s major attractions.

**August 1883** Frank J. Haynes selected as the official photographer for U.S. President Chester A. Arthur’s two-week visit to Yellowstone.

**1884** Secures license to operate his first photo ‘concession stand’ at Mammoth

Hot Springs.

**1887** Takes the first-ever winter photos of Yellowstone during an epic 29-day, 200-mile ski and snowshoe trip that nearly costs him his life.

**1897** Begins selling picture postcards when the Post Office first issues them in 1897.

**1900** Produces hand-colored postcards of Yellowstone, selling them along

with photos, guidebooks and souvenirs at several Haynes Picture Shop locations.

**1916** Son Jack Ellis Haynes assumes ownership of Haynes, Inc.

**March 10, 1921** Frank J. Haynes dies.

**1920’s** Jack E. Haynes films “Magic Yellowstone”, a black and white “moving” picture to promote tourism for the Northern Pacific Railroad.

**1927** Old Faithful Haynes Photo Shop is built.

**June 1962** Jack E. Haynes dies, after spending 76 of his 78 summers in Yellowstone.

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**March 1968** Jack’s widow, Isabel Haynes, sells Haynes, Inc. to Hamilton Stores, Inc.,

ending a continuous 84-year presence in Yellowstone National Park.

**1993** Yellowstone memorabilia collectors Jack and Susan Davis attend Haynes

estate auctions, and acquire the most complete privately-held collections of Yellowstone memorabilia known.

**2001** The Yellowstone Park Foundation acquires the Davis’ collection through

purchase and donation by the Davis family, then presents it to Yellowstone National Park.

**June 22, 2013** Restored by the Yellowstone Park Foundation and the National Park

Service, the Old Faithful Haynes Photo Shop opens.

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