

TOP MOC CASTLE

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Building with LEGO was a really big part of our childhood. Years later, during some boring weeks in the first Covid lockdown we dug out our old bricks and started to build some MOCs again! Since then we are always on the hunt for some new pieces and minifigs on BrickLink!
<https://www.instagram.com/brickbrotherzz/>





Guilherme Santos, Portugal

Guarded Inn, December 2016

I have played with LEGO since I was born in 1981! This was thanks to my mother, who was lucky enough to have a few LEGO sets when she was a little girl and carried her enthusiasm to me. The sets from the 80s and 90s have a special meaning to me. The nostalgia of my childhood plays an important role, but the main reason was the importance of the space and medieval themes. Both continue to be my favorite themes of all time.

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Paweł Michalak, Poland

Chateau Mokotoff, May 2020

How did I start? As well as I can remember I saw photos from Colossal Castle Contest somewhere on the internet. I thought: "it's fantastic I have to try". And that is the whole story.

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Sylvain Rioux, Canada

Medieval Castle, November 2019

I got my first LEGO kit, Basic 190, when I was 10. I played a lot with LEGO until I was about 15, then put them away for a long, long time. Then I had kids. They started playing with my LEGO and that was it, I was hooked. They have since grown out of their LEGO phase, but I haven't!

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Frank van Eenbergen, Netherlands

The Western Wall of Fraketon, October 2019

As a kid I was fascinated by the Danish bricks. I always asked for LEGO on Christmas and birthdays and the times I got something else I tried to exchange the gift in the toy store. But as most AFOLs my age, I also had a dark age. I think that started somewhere around the time I was 17 when I started studying at the Dutch equivalent of a university (HBO-school). Back in 2006, when I moved in with the woman I still share my life with, my LEGO moved with me. I must have been 23 around that time. I felt compelled to build some old Technic sets from my childhood period in the evenings and before I knew it I was searching for second hand sets that I always wanted but never got.

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Maciej Koszyka, Poland

Black Falcon's Stronghold, May 2019

I started playing with LEGO around 1986 as a kid with two Basic sets. I came back to it after quite a short Dark Age in high school. I've been an AFOL for 20 years now.

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