

ANGEL OF PEACE BRIGHTENED AND RISEN

GUESTS GATHER at the summit of East Rock Park for a ceremony before the 14-foot Angel of Peace statue is lifted back onto the top of the New Haven Soldiers and Sailors Monument on Wednesday. The 3,500-pound bronze statue underwent repairs, then was placed at the New Haven Green while the monument underwent maintenance. On Wednesday, a flatbed truck transported it back to East Rock Park. At right, workers from G.L. Capasso Co. prepare the statue to be lifted by crane onto the top of the 110-foot monument. Completed in 1887, the monument was inspired by the Civil War, but has since become a tribute to all of America's veterans.

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