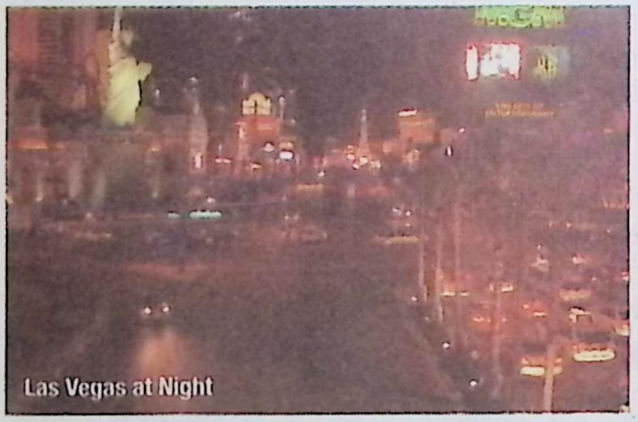
a glaring beauty before. Everyone was clapping after the event. Every hour this fountain performed its beautiful dance with the music to astound the tourists passing by. Then we started walking around the city and everything we encountered increased our merriment. After that we came back to our room and just relaxed ourselves.

The next morning we met up with our friends at McDonalds to have breakfast. Then we came out to see Las Vegas in the morning light. In comparison to the night the city was awfully calm; there was no hustle and bustle from the crowd. Tourist came to Las Vegas from Europe and other parts of America. They were moving around to see Las Vegas. Few tourists from Indian origin also caught our sight. Watching the beauty of the morning light we felt even charmed. There are lots of grand hotels and resorts in the city to provide accommodations for increasing number of tourists every year and specially that time of the year because Christmas and New Year were two big festivals and lots of tourists liked to

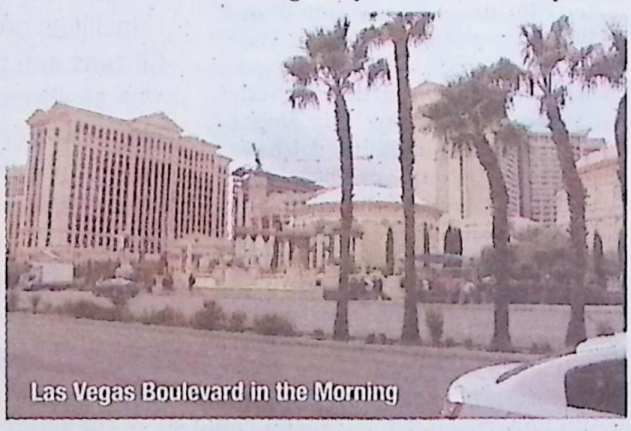


Las Vegas at Night

spend that time in Las Vegas. It would be worth mentioning that these hotels were more than just hotels; they were more like palaces. Every hotel in itself is a city. Bellagio, Monte Carlo, Treasure Island, The Mirage, Flamingo, New York-New York, Luxor, Mandalay Bay, MGM Grand, The Palazzo, The Venetian are some of the famous Hotels with the best facilities in Las Vegas. Normally the rent is expensive but if someone can manage a travel package it is cheaper. All the best architects of the world gathered here to furnish and decorate these beautiful hotels. No one can grasp the extent of the architectural beauty of Las Vegas without witnessing it first hand. Another thing worth mentioning is that while walking we thought that the adjacent hotel was within walking distance but usually the hotels were at least half a mile apart and the architects designed the hotels in such a way that everyone got puzzled while assessing the relative distance. Every hotel arranged different shows to entertain the tourists and those shows were a little bit expensive. We were able to see some of those shows. We managed

those tickets in the Internet, since they were cheaper in the Internet. All the famous artists from different parts of the world came frequently in Las Vegas to entertain the tourists. David Copperfield, Rita Rudner, Barry Manilow, Lance Burton, Bobby Slayton are among those of famous entertainers. The great Sphinx's, The Pyramid of Egypt, Eiffel Tower of Paris, Statue of liberty, The History of Greek Mythology and Roman Emperor, Famous canals of Venice these famous monuments and more were featured in Las Vegas. There are lots of grand shopping malls in Las Vegas. The city also has a lot of Casinos since it is the city of gambling. Gamblers gathered here from all the parts of the world.

Walking for half a day we felt our legs aching. We also felt really hungry. We were introduced to a British couple in a Bus stand and they let us know that there was a cheap buffet there and if we had coupons we could have lunch for only $4 each. The readers might find it interesting to know that a tourist can go anywhere in the city if he



Las Vegas Boulevard in the Morning

bought a ticket for $5 in Deuce Bus Service The ticket could be used in any other buses running on other roads. Deuce runs in only Strip. You can go in any particular direction with $2 if you are not interested to buy ticket for all the day. We used the five-dollar ticket for the rest of the day. We found it easy to move anywhere in the city. Buses were really neat and clean. Buses were readily available every five minutes or so. Las Vegas also had an amazing weather. In Vegas the average temperature is 67.1 (F) and it goes to maximum in the July to 91.1 (F) and it the temperature decreases in the month of January. Although snowfall is unusual in Vegas, one fine day snow started falling thus ruining our trip to the Grand Canyon or Hoover Dam. All the trips from Las Vegas were cancelled due to the unexpected snowfall. There were arrangements for tourist from Las Vegas to go the two famous places mentioned earlier. In Vegas it is possible to visit two places with a cost below $100. If money is not a problem for you, you can always travel from one place to another in a helicopter Normally it takes 12/14 hours to have a roundtrip