



San Francisco Heritage President and CEO Mike Buhler, speaker Paul Fisher, 640 Heritage Preservation Foundation Event Chair Gee Gee Platt and San Francisco Heritage Vice President of Advocacy & Programs Woody LaBounty at the Alice Ross Carey Memorial Lecture on November 14, 2019.



At the Sixth Annual Alice Ross Carey Memorial Lecture, Architect and City Guides tour guide Paul Fisher spoke about the fascinating history of South Park & Rincon Hill. Fisher discussed San Francisco's rough history in the 1850s with an island of style and propriety blossoming within: Rincon Hill and South Park. Robert Louis Stevenson called it "the most San Franciscoey part of San Francisco." The notorious Second Street Cut, the 1906 Earthquake, and the Bay Bridge almost killed it, but today it has been reborn as a unique and delightful part of the City.

The Legacy of Alice Ross Carey



On November 13, 2019, the 640 Heritage Preservation Foundation, in partnership with San Francisco Heritage, sponsored the 6th annual Alice Ross Carey Memorial lecture. The event is usually scheduled in early November to coincide with Alice's birthday. The inaugural lecture in 2014 covered Alice's remarkable life and career and was given by Anthea Hartig, current Director of the Smithsonian Museum of American History.

Remembering Donna G. Krupp

In April 2019, Donna Goodheart Krupp, a generous and long-time supporter of the 640 Heritage Preservation Foundation, passed away at the age of 98. Donna was born in San Francisco and lived in Sea Cliff as a girl. She attended and thrived at the Sara Dix Hamlin School for elementary and high school, skipping a whole year, before attending Stanford University (1942). Donna later worked for Stanford in the Department of Drama, establishing Stanford's first box office, and then as secretary to the director of the Hoover Library.

