



Exterior of Xiushui Market

Curios

about 300 m long in the past, has been well received by foreign customers with its unique glamour. The new Xiushui Market, which was built on the original site, covers an area of 28,000 sq m. It preserves the commodity structure and characteristics of the original market, where customers may bargain with sellers about the price, most sellers can speak some foreign languages, and more commodities with national characteristics are sold. In addition, Quanjude Roast Duck Restaurant is located on the sixth floor of the market. After doing shopping, customers may go to the restaurant to taste the typical Beijing food.

Beijing Curio City

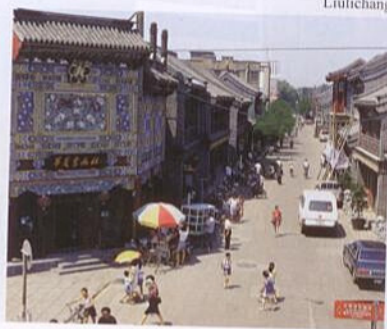
The Beijing Curio City is the largest exchange center of curios and folk art works in China, mainly selling 1,000 varieties of objects of 10 major categories, such as ancient pottery and porcelain

wares, Chinese and foreign calligraphic works and paintings, jade articles, bone carvings, and old time-pieces. In addition, various kinds of activities, such as the exhibitions of ancient art works, auctions and lectures on curios, are held regularly at the city. Hence it is an ideal place for doing shopping and appreciating works of art.

Liulichang Cultural Street

Full of old Beijing flavor, Liulichang is even attractive to local Beijing people; because it is permeated with the cultural flavor of old Beijing. The shops in the architectural style of the late Qing Dynasty stand side by side, selling an enormous variety of goods, such as pottery and porcelain, carved lacquer wares and jewels. Tourists may feast their eyes on various antiques, ranging from ancient bamboo, wooden and jade articles to the traditional Chinese furniture. All the

Liulichang



Shopping



people who cherish the love for the Eastern culture will surely gasp in admiration at the street.

★ Tourists may take subway and get off at Hepingmen Station, and then walk 250 meters along Nan Xinhua Jie.

Friendship Store

If you have limited time to stay in Beijing, the Friendship Store is a one-stop place to buy gifts to take back. Here you can buy all kinds of traditional Chinese crafts and goods, such as textiles, hand-made carpets, folk crafts, the four treasures of the study (writing brush, ink stick, ink slab and paper), etc. All the shop assistants in the Friendship Store offer good service and can speak several foreign languages.



Arts and crafts

★ Tourists may take subway and get off at Jianguomen Station, then walk about 500 meters eastward.

Qianmen Street and Dashilar

The area used to be a shopping center of old Beijing 500 years ago, with a large number of old stores and small shops, which were always crowded with customers. After the renovation of Qianmen Dashilar Pedestrians-only Street integrating the history of 570 years and unique cultural sights, Qian-



Foreigners shopping

Beijing Department Store

men attracts numerous Chinese and foreign tourists every day.

★ Tourists may go to Qianmen by subway and get out of the southeastern exit of Qianmen Station.

Shopping Tips

Large department stores are where you should go if you want brand-name and high quality goods. But it is more fun to visit the open markets, for example, Hongqiao and Xiushui Market, where you can bargain for a satisfactory price, and have more choices of tourist souvenirs and traditional Chinese dresses.

Shopping Hours

In general, shops in the urban area are open daily from 09:00 to 19:00; and some large shopping centers close at as late as 21:00.

Shopping Centers

- Beijing Department Store
255 Wangfujing Dajie, Dongcheng Dist.
Tel: 010-65223388

- Beijing Friendship Store

17 Jianguomenwai Dajie
Tel: 010-65003311

- Ruifuxiang Silk & Cotton Shop

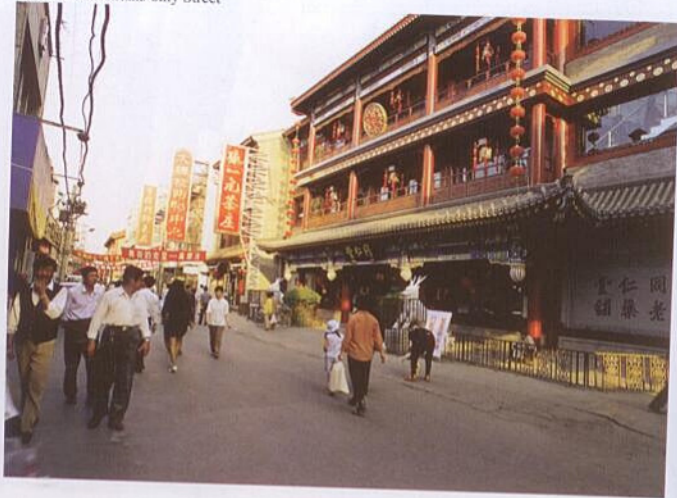
5 Qianmenwai Dashilar,
Xuanwu Dist.

Tel: 010-63032880

- Beijing Yuanlong Silk Co., Ltd.

55 Tiantan Lu, Chongwen Dist.
Tel: 010-67052451

Dashilar Pedestrians-only Street



Ruifuxiang Silk & Cotton Shop at Wangfujing



- Youyi Shopping City
Beijing Lufthansa Center
52 Liangmaqiao Lu, Chaoyang
Dist.
Tel: 010-64651188
- Tongrentang Pharmacy
24 Dashilar, Xuanwu Dist.
Tel: 010-63014883
- Foreign Languages
Bookstore
235 Wangfujing Dajie
Tel: 010-65126911
- White Peacock Art World
3 Dong Binhe Lu, Deshengmenwai
Tel: 010-62011199
- Rongbao Studio
19 Liulichang Xijie
Tel: 010-63035279
- World Trade Tower
Shopping Center
1 Jianguomenwai Dajie
Tel: 010-65052288



The shop sign of Tongrentang Pharmacy

Longfusi Shopping Street



Entertainment

