



AN INTERVIEW WITH KERRY

TRANSCRIPT

- **What is your connection with NYC?**

Well, my paternal grandparents emigrated from Ireland to New York City in the early 1900s and then my dad was born in the Bronx and I later spent a year living in New York.

- **How old were you when you moved to NYC?**

I moved to New York City when I was about 22 years old, right after University.

- **Where did you live in NYC? Who with?**

In New York I lived in a condominium. At that time I was living with the cousin of a friend from college.

- **What was your neighbourhood like?**

The neighborhood was quite residential, there were tons of people from all over the world, from all kinds of backgrounds, economic and social, and there were lots of single people as well as couples and families.

- **Did you commute to work?**

Yes, I usually took the bus and then I had to take the subway.

- **What kind of job did you have?**

In NYC, I was working as a legal assistant in a big law firm. I was working in a financial law department.

- **What are the good and bad points about NYC?**

Well, I absolutely love New York City because it's an amazing city, it is quite cosmopolitan and there are tons of things to do and to see. One of my favorite things was trying different foods from all over the world with friends. The biggest negative point about New York City is the fact that it is really really expensive, if you don't have a good salary you're not really able to enjoy all the city has to offer.

- **What is your favourite place in NYC?**

My favorite place would be Central Park.

- **What is your favourite attraction in NYC?**

My favorite attraction would be the top of the Empire State Building because it's a great place to see the entire city.

- **What is your favourite museum in NYC?**

My favorite museum would be the MoMA, the Museum of Modern Art in New York City.

- **What is your favourite place outside NYC?**

My favorite place outside NYC is New Jersey. It's just across the river and it takes you about 20-30 minutes to get there.

- **Who is your favourite actor from NYC?**

My favorite actor is Robert De Niro. I think he's one of the best actors in the industry right now and I specially love him in films like *Goodfellas* and *A Bronx Tale*.

- **What is the weather like in NYC?**

The weather in general is, well, it's quite typical in the States. In the winter it's quite cold and it usually snows quite a bit, which sometimes creates problems for commuters and in the summer it gets quite hot, so hot that most people stay inside and then in the autumn or fall you have the typical rain showers and windy days.

- **What is the public transport like in NYC?**

Public transport is quite good, you have a huge variety of options, for example you can take taxis, the buses, the subway and if you live outside the city you can usually take a train from Connecticut or New Jersey and arrive in the center and you can also take a ferry from one side of the river to the other.

- **Invite people to come and visit the city .**

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