



FACES OF LODO



KEVIN RUCKER

Con-man, Desperado, Storyteller?

When Kevin Rucker, descendent of America's early Puritan settlers, dons his paisley vest, ascot and bowler hat, he immediately inhabits not just the clothes, but another century. He undergoes this transformation into 19th century scalawag bi-weekly, as tour guide to LoDo's colorful past. You can find him most Saturdays at the Del Mar Crab House on Larimer Square, where the gold rush began in 1858 and where, these days, the LoDo Walking Tours begin.

After a week of teaching American, European and Colorado History at Metropolitan State College of Denver, Kevin, whose grandmother, an avid genealogist, launched him into his own exploration of the past, is primed for more immersion into history. "It invigorates me to lead tours in LoDo," he enthuses. And Kevin is not alone in his passion for Denver's early desperados, brothels, and opium dens. He is assisted by his wife, Darcey, who is equally enchanted by Denver's long-ago underbelly.

Sign up for a walking tour to hear eye-witness accounts of LoDo ghost sightings, and find out why all tours stop in the men's room at the Oxford Hotel.

GET TO KNOW KEVIN AND DARCEY RUCKER AND OTHER "FACES OF LODO".
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