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My Prokopyevsk

- *Hi, I'm Nataliya. I've been living in Prokopyevsk for 16 years I like it though it's not big and may be not so interesting as modern cities. Prokopyevsk is one of the main centers of coal mining in Kuzbass in Russia. There are 16 mines and coal cuts and a miner is the most popular profession in my town. Our town is rather young. In 2006 we celebrated it's seventy fifth anniversary.*

One of my favourite parts of Prokopyevsk is Tyrgan. It is just the part where I live. One of the main reasons I like it is that it's always bright and colorful, as compared with the old centre of the town. It has changed greatly for the last 10 years. The streets are always interesting with surprises around every corner.







Tyrgan

- *The name «Tyrgan» has its roots in the language of the aboriginal population «shortsy» and means «the mountain of winds.» It is really the highest point of the area. My best place is the square with a beautiful music fountain. It attracts people like a magnet. On Saturdays you can enjoy people dancing under a brass band. A statue of Adam and Eva enjoys wide popularity with young couples.*

Musical fountain



Statue of Adam and Eva



Brass Band of the fountain



Dancing under Brass Band



- *Not far from the fountain there is the Children's Town, one more popular place with young people. It's always full of children with parents. A lot of attractions can satisfy different demands.*



- *The Drama Theatre was established on the 1st December in 1945-in Angero – Sudgensk. In 1951 it moved to Prokopievsk. In 1960 the Theatre get its own building. It was built in classicism style.*

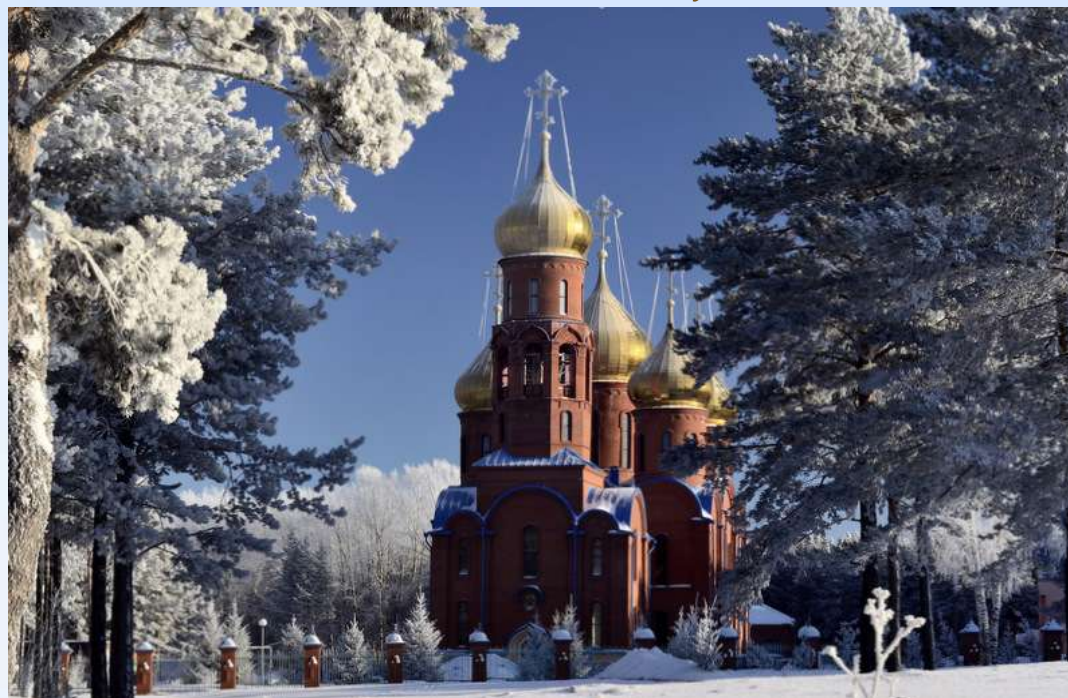


- *Our Drama Theatre surprised its audience every time by presenting new plays and productions. This amazing theatrical world capable of performing miracles and cause people to get away from everyday hustle and immerse into the atmosphere of a living art. The theater can be us companion, can be awaken in us bright good feelings and this is where you can feel completely different environment, "survive" along with the heroes of a some story and simply recharge with positive energy from the show.*



The Cathedral of Joan Predtechi.

- *This Church is prototype of famous Cathedral in Moscow. The Cathedral of Joan Predtechi is a monument to perished miners. On July, 21 in 2005 the Cathedral was sanctified.*



- *Prokopyevsk famous honorary citizens of our town, such as Boris Volynov – twice Hero of the Soviet union. He flew into space in 1969 and 1976. The monument to B.Volynov was opened 24.10.84.*

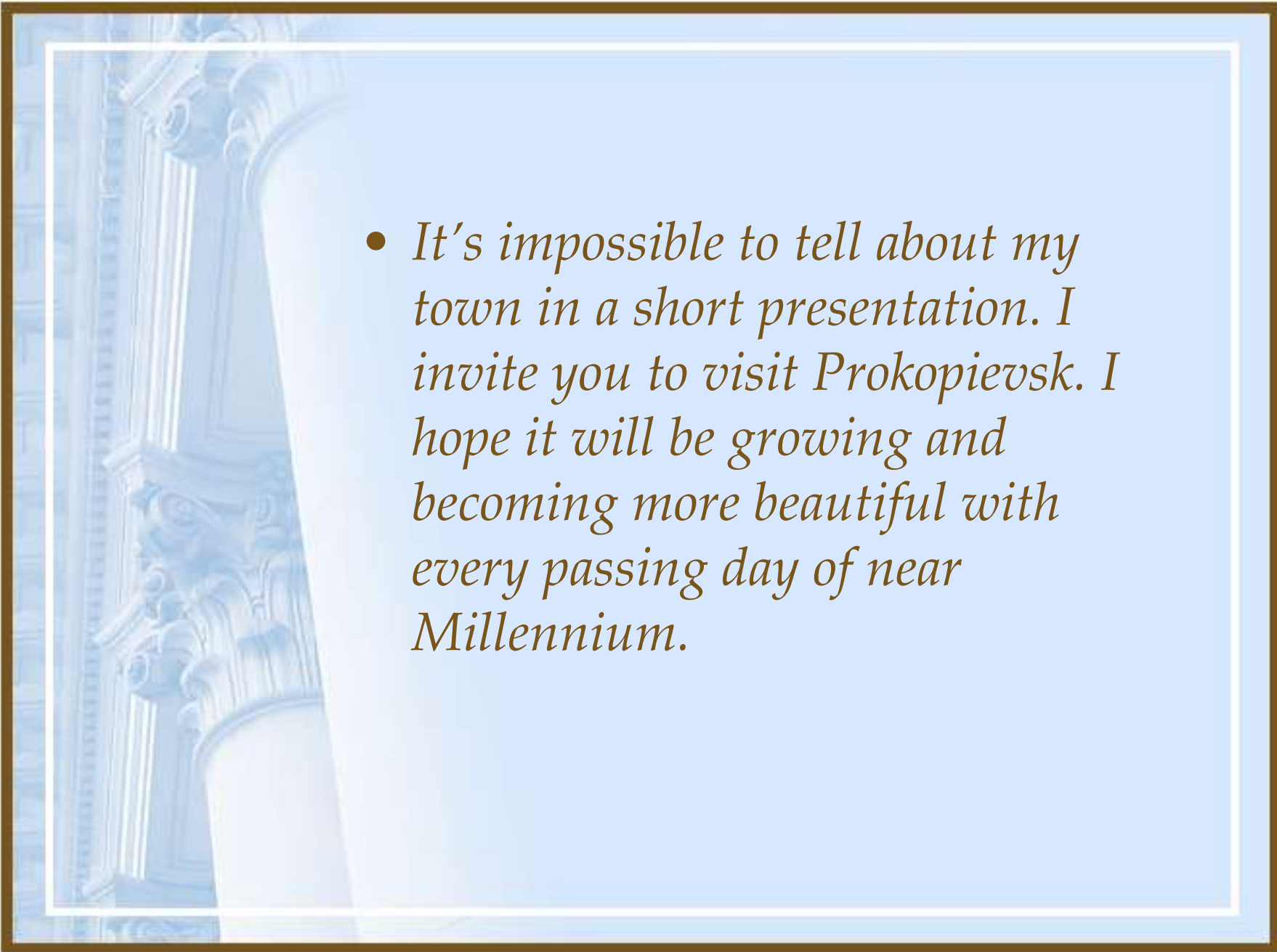


- *Grigory Drozd - Russian professional boxer, he in the first heavy weight. He graduated from Siberian State Academy of Physical Culture.*



- *I would also like to note that our city is famous for its talent, and young stars of the Kuzbass. Graduates, Scholars and winners of various competitions celebrate our town with their skills.*



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- *It's impossible to tell about my town in a short presentation. I invite you to visit Prokopievsk. I hope it will be growing and becoming more beautiful with every passing day of near Millennium.*

Welcome to Prokopyevsk!

