

NOTES


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Firmness: The elements of Architecture.

- The most apparent part of a building is the structure and what makes it stand up.

Physical structure: The literal bones of building that do work.

Perceptual structure - what we see (overlooking of structure).

- The Column can be made or can be much larger than what is need for job.
- Tennis Club: The wall make it look stronger than what it need to be.
- Lever House: Covered by a suspended skin of green glass. The actual structure (columns) need to hold the back of building.
- ~~E~~s sense of architectural structural - making sure that object will not fall to earth due to the pull of gravity.
- Empathy - Imagining ourselves inside of object and feeling how gravity work on it.
- Sense of Instability. Columns and walls. 

★ The Post and Lintel ★

- The beginning of structure is the wall stone, bricks, or any variety of materials.
- A beam or Arch supported against the pull of gravity for open object.
- Lintel - beam inscribed in wall to support the wall.