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## **ICONIC HISTORIC CHURCH NOTRE DAME DE PARIS IS STILL ON FIRE FOR 1 HOUR AND A HALF**

### **THE SPIRE JUST COLLAPSED**

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**USPA NEWS** - The images are sad and impressive of Notre Dame on fire, for an hour and a half. A fire, is still in progress Monday, April 15 at the end of the day from 6:45 pm, Notre Dame de Paris, has lost part of its framework of the 15th and 16th century on fire. The spire at Notre Dame Cathedral has just collapsed, as flames engulf one of the world's most famous cathedrals on the holiest week of the year for Catholics. French President Macron tweeted that he is sad as Notre Dame is burning, « Notre-Dame de Paris in flames. Emotion of a whole nation. Thought for all Catholics and for all French. Like all our compatriots, I am sad tonight to see this part of us burn. » . The Address of the French President Macron scheduled at 8pm on Tf1, TV, has been cancelled due to the fire, as the President Macron went to the site, and set back very sad and overwhelmed. President Trump has tweeted immediately : As Paris' historic Notre Dame Cathedral burned Monday, Donald Trump tweeted about the "horrible" sight and suggested the French deploy flying water tankers to quell the flames engulfing the iconic church

Notre Dame de Paris, is one of the most visited historical monuments by tourists from all over the world, was in restoration, including including a huge scaffolding and a lift of more than 50m. The whole of the Cathedral Notre Dame de Paris, includes a part dating from the 12th century and the 19th century, is mainly wood, oak. The fire is "potentially linked" to the building's renovation work, firefighters said. Firefighters are several dozen to stop this fire, accompanied by the civil protection and the police mobilized,

**NOTRE DAME THE PARIS IS THE CHIRCH THE MOST VISITED IN THE WORLD BY 12 MILLION A YEAR-----**

The 12 million visitors a year from all over the world, often feel sad. Notre Dame de Paris, had persisted in both world wars, and had been proud for more than 1000 years, was the subject of a fire, which continues to burn at the time it is published. The Fleche did not exist in 1831, when Victor Hugo had published his work Notre Dame de Paris, the Fleche was reinvented to this Gothic masterpiece, just after this publication. Huge flames devoured part of the roof of the building, giving off a thick smoke with yellowish hues. The fire, whose gravity still remained to be determined, took in the attic of the cathedral, the most visited historical monument in Europe, said firefighters. According to the spokesperson of Notre-Dame, the fire would have declared itself around 18h50. According to this spokesperson, the entire frame "is burning". This fire occurs on the first day of Holy Week celebrations that lead to Easter, the main Christian holiday. On social networks, several witnesses relayed impressive images of the disaster.

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