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Gettysburg, Williamsburg & Washington, DC

April 3-15, 2018 • 13 Days



Day 1 Tues. Apr 3 Off we go on our path through US History! We travel to Springfield, IL, our overnight stop. We will enjoy dinner at our hotel. (D)

Day 2 Wed. Apr 4 Today we tour Abraham Lincoln's Home, Museum and Tomb. We travel on making stops along the way to Greenfield, IN, our overnight stop. (B)

Day 3 Thur. Apr 5 Today is a travel day. Sit back and enjoy the scenery as we travel across Indiana making stops along the way towards Pennsylvania. We overnight in Breezewood, PA. (B)

Day 4 Fri. Apr 6 After breakfast, depart for Gettysburg, PA. Upon our arrival, we enjoy a self-guided tour of the museum and film/Cyclorama. Next stop is the Jennie Wade House. Tour this museum which is not only a shrine to a heroic martyr but has become a museum of life and living during the American Civil War. After lunch, a licensed guide will board our coach for a fascinating 2-hr tour of the Battlefield. Following the tour, you experience the Diorama presentation. Finally, we tour the opulent Shriver Home, pre-Civil War home. Learn the other side of the story -the civilian side of the Battle of Gettysburg, the story of what life was like before, during, and after the Civil War. Tonight we check into our hotel in Gettysburg. Enjoy the "All-You-Can-Eat-Dinner", at General Pickett's Buffet. (B,D)

Day 5 Sat. Apr 7 After breakfast, depart for Washington, DC. We begin our 3-day stay in our Nations Capitol at Union Station, by boarding the Old Town Trolley for a "Hop-on-Hop-Off" narrated guided tour of Monuments, Attractions and Historic sights. Maps with stops will be provided prior to your arrival. **You have the option to get off at any designated trolley stop and explore the area or, stay on-board and ride throughout the DC area. Several options for lunch, on your own, along your trolley tour. We re-board the coach at Union Station. (time will be announced)* Arrive your hotel in historic Alexandria. Unpack for the next 3 nights. Stroll along Old Town Alexandria streets and enjoy dinner on your own at many restaurants and diners in the area. (B)

Day 6 Sun. Apr 8 The first Sunday of your trip will be a beautiful memory. You will be welcomed by a docent for a guided tour of the newly opened Museum of the Bible, with over 40,000 artifacts! You have options, for lunch on your own, within the museum. We depart for Arlington National Cemetery.

\$2,399 per person, dbl occ.

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\$2,199 per person, triple/quad occ.

**Government-issued photo identification required for this trip.*

Book by
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- **Gettysburg Battlefield & Battlefield Diorama** • **Historic Williamsburg**
- **Jenny Wade & Shriver House** • **Monticello** • **Mount Vernon** • **Lincoln Home Museum & Tomb** • **DC Monuments** • **Arlington National Cemetery**
- **NEW Museum of the Bible** • **DC Monuments** • **Smithsonian** • **and lots more!**

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“A Place of Honor...A Place of Remembrance.”

We board the Old Town Trolley for our guided tour of Arlington Cemetery. Our 45-60min narrated tour loops through the hallowed grounds of Arlington. Maps with stops will be provided prior to your arrival. **You are free to get off at any of the designated stops, or remain on the trolley throughout the tour.* Later we return to our hotel. **(B)**

Day 7 Mon. Apr 9 Tour the Smithsonian Museum Complex at your leisure. Enjoy a farewell dinner at “The Hamilton” downtown. After dinner, we will enjoy an incredible narrated guided tour- “Monuments by Moonlight Night Tour.” This is sure to be a memorable evening on our last night in DC. **(B,D)**

Day 8 Tues. Apr 10 We begin your day with a tour at the Distillery & Gristmill. Lunch will be on your own in the food court. Next, travel to the original Washington Monument, George Washington’s Mount Vernon. We will have a private specialty tour: “History Meets Hollywood”, we will see where the movie “National Treasure” was made, ending at the Potomac River. Next you tour the Mansion, Museum and the gift shop. We travel to Williamsburg, our overnight stop. **(B)**

Day 9 Wed. Apr 11 A full day to tour Colonial Williamsburg. Travel to Charlottesville, VA, our overnight stay. **(B)**

Day 10 Thurs. Apr 12 Tour Thomas Jefferson’s Monticello. Lunch is at the renowned Michie Tavern. You will have time to visit the quaint shops in the area. Travel to Staunton, VA, for our overnight stay. **(B,L)**

Day 11 Fri. Apr 13 Tour the Woodrow Wilson Presidential Library. Enjoy the beautiful scenery between Staunton and Beckley, WV. Overnight in Mount Sterling, KY. **(B)**

Day 12 Sat. Apr 14 Travel day with stops along the way through Kentucky, Indiana, to Bloomington, IL. Dinner at Michaels in downtown Bloomington. We overnight in Bloomington. **(B,D)**

Day 13 Sun. Apr 15 After breakfast, we head our way home to Iowa. Overnight tonight, your own bed at home! **(B)**

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- Luxury motorcoach transportation
- Lodging for 12 nights
- Luggage handling for 1 suitcase per person
- Tickets/admissions to listed attractions
- 18 Meals (including tax & gratuity)

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