

HISTORICAL TOUR OF SOUTH, UNITED STATES

6 Nights/ 7 Days

DAY 1 - Arrive in St. Augustine

Arrive in Jacksonville and transfer to the hotel in St. Augustine.

Overnight: St. Augustine

DAY 2 - Guided Trolley Tour of St. Augustine

Today's guided trolley tour of St. Augustine winds through the many contrasting sections of this city. Spend the rest of your day at leisure using your included trolley pass to see some of the major sights. Perhaps, visit the spring that Ponce de Leon deemed the Fountain of Youth. Experience early St. Augustine as you walk through old St. Augustine Village. Other stops could include the Old Jail, History Museum, Potter's Wax Museum, San Sebastian Winery, and Flagler College.

Overnight: St. Augustine

DAY 3 - Jekyll Island, Continue to Savannah

Depart St. Augustine and travel north along the Georgia coast to Jekyll Island, situated in the midst of Georgia's fabled "Golden Isles." The island is famous for its Jekyll Island Club, where some of America's elite families vacationed. Take a narrated tram tour of Jekyll Island's Historic District and hear more about the stories of the island's beginnings and development in the late 1800s. Continue to Savannah for an evening at leisure, or join the *optional* Savannah Evening Cruise*

**Cruise operates departures Apr through Oct*

Optional: Savannah Evening Cruise (PM)

Overnight: Savannah

DAY 4 - Guided Trolley Tour of Savannah

A full day to enjoy the beauty of Savannah, often called the "Belle of the South." Experience the city's storied past on the guided trolley tour that takes you through the historic district, featuring a myriad of architecturally significant buildings. Highlights include landmarks such as Forsyth Park, River Street, the Waving Girl statue, the Cotton Exchange, and Colonial Park. Walk along the cobblestone streets and see the manicured gardens and oak-shaded parks draped with Spanish moss

Overnight: Savannah

DAY 5 - Beaufort Carriage Ride, Continue to Charleston

Today, depart Savannah and travel to Beaufort. After lunch on your own, take a guided tour of the city by horse-drawn carriage. Pass the beautifully restored historic mansions built by the wealthy plantation owners before the Civil War. Beaufort was one of the Southern towns chosen to be occupied by Union troops, rather than destroyed. Depart for Charleston, known for its warm Southern hospitality. Arrive at your hotel for an evening at leisure

Overnight: Charleston

DAY 6 - Charleston City Tour

Today's discovery of Charleston begins with a city tour taking place along the centuries-old cobblestone streets, past stately multi-coloured homes, representing a range of architectural styles from the Revolutionary War period to antebellum mansions.

The rest of the day is at leisure. Don't miss the *optional* tour to a working plantation, Boone Hall, where you'll hear about the day-to-day life of those who ran the plantation as well as their history. At this evening's dinner, share wonderful memories of your journey

Optional: Boone Hall Plantation Tour (PM)

Overnight: Charleston

DAY 7 – Charleston Departure

Transfer to the airport for your departure flight

**** Return Home with the beautiful memories of your tour ****