

*8-Day US Colonial History Tour
with Greg Kirksey
September 15 - 22, 2021*



Day 1, Wed, Sep 15 **Little Rock/Philadelphia**

Today we arrive at Philadelphia International Airport and meet our tour guide, Greg Gude, at baggage claim. Then we board our motor coach and drive into the city, where we check into the **Courtyard Philadelphia City Avenue Hotel**. Dinner will be included at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2, Thu, Sep 16 **Philadelphia/Lancaster**

This morning we will have breakfast before checking out of our hotel and beginning a morning of touring in historic Philadelphia. We will start with America's most historic square mile – Independence National Historical Park. Here we will visit two of the most treasured monuments celebrating American freedom. In Liberty Bell Pavilion, while viewing the Liberty Bell, a National Park Service Ranger will give a brief talk, then allow a few minutes for picture taking. Hear about how an ordinary bell was transformed into one of the world's most famous symbols of freedom. Afterwards, your tour guide will bring you across the lawn to Independence Hall, the birthplace of our nation. Here you will have a talk from a National Park Service Ranger as they bring you to different rooms in this most famous building. See where the Declaration of Independence first was adopted, and the US Constitution was written. As part of our touring today, we will also see the outside of the Betsy Ross House and take a walk in Elfreth's Alley, the oldest continuously occupied residential street in the nation. We view Christ Church, "The Nation's Church" where Colonial patriots, loyalists and heroes worshipped. There we will see Ben Franklin's Grave through Christ Church Burying Ground's fence and toss a penny on it for good luck. Lunch today is on your own before visiting the Museum of the American Revolution. From here we depart for Lancaster and have dinner before checking into the **AmishView Inn & Suites**. (B, D)

Day 3, Fri, Sep 17 **Lancaster**

After breakfast we tour Amish country where we will see an Amish Market and take a riding tour through the Amish farmlands. Here you will see Amish farms, one room schoolhouses, and farmers working the fields with their horse drawn plows. After lunch on our own and free time at Kitchen Kettle Village, we will continue to the Amish Farm and House. On our guided tour of this 1805 farmhouse furnished as an Old Order Amish home, learn about the history, religion, customs and culture that lead to the Amish's simple and unique way of life. Included is a visit to the new Willow Lane One Room School House on property. A 15-minute private presentation is included for the group in the schoolhouse. Learn hands on about Amish Education and a typical school day. Outside, explore the operating farm on your own and see the variety of livestock and crops, along with Amish buggies, wagons and sleighs. Tonight, we have an early dinner at *Miller's Smorgasbord*. After dinner we will attend the show "Queen Esther" at the Sight & Sound

Theatre. Set in the opulent yet perilous Persian Empire, "Queen Esther" is a captivating tale of beauty and bravery. Esther's ordinary life changed forever when she was taken through the palace doors, entering a new world of royalty and risk. With a crown on her head and a secret in her heart, can she find the courage to trust in God's plan and believe that she was made for a time such as this? Experience one of the most riveting Bible stories of Old Testament as it comes to life with magnificent sets, special effects and live animals!

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Day 4, Sat, Sep 18 **Lancaster/Gettysburg**

After breakfast we check out from our hotel and depart for Gettysburg, Pennsylvania. Once in Gettysburg, we start our day by viewing exhibits at the museum at the Gettysburg National Park Visitors Center, and then see the Cyclorama. After lunch on our own, we embark on a two-hour narrated tour of the Gettysburg Battlefields with a licensed battlefield guide. Gettysburg has always been a "must see" for every American. With the opening of the new Museum and Visitors Center at Gettysburg National Military park on April 14, 2008, it became a "must do" for those who have visited before as well as those who have yet to come. Throughout the 11 exhibit galleries, visitors will still encounter some of the popular items from the collection – weaponry and uniforms, for example – along with a great deal more. State-of-the-art galleries will display an even greater variety of objects and artifacts from the Gettysburg National Military Park's extensive collection – and from other museums and private collections from around the country – to offer perspective and a greater appreciation for the sacrifices of those who became a part of the greatest battle ever fought in North America. Next we transfer by bus to the Eisenhower National Historic Site – the only place President and Mrs. Dwight D. Eisenhower ever called home. In 1950, the Eisenhowers, looking forward to retirement, purchased the Allen Redding farm adjoining Gettysburg National Military Park. Tour the farm and house that are filled with artifacts from the Eisenhower days. From here we will go check into the **Wyndham Hotel**. Dinner is included tonight at *Dobbin House Tavern*. (B, D)

Day 5, Sun, Sep 19 **Gettysburg/Harpers Ferry/Charlottesville**

Following breakfast and check-out from our hotel, we depart for Harpers Ferry and visit Harpers Ferry National Park where we will tour with a Certified Harper's Ferry Guide. After touring the park and lunch on our own, we visit James Madison's Montpelier Estate which features the historic home and grounds, gardens, historic buildings, exhibitions, archaeological sites, and walking trails. Following our time here we continue on to Charlottesville where we check into **Hyatt Place Charlottesville**. Enjoy some leisure time and dinner on our own in one of the restaurants just across the street from our hotel at *The Shops at Stonefield*. (B)

Day 6, Mon, Sep 20 **Charlottesville/Williamsburg**

This morning we tour Monticello, the estate of Thomas Jefferson, the principal author of the United States Declaration of Independence, third President of the United States, and founder of the University of Virginia. Here we get an intimate look at Thomas Jefferson on a guided tour of the first floor of the house he built and furnished for himself and his family. We see a wide variety of objects such as books, gifts, furniture, reproductions, and historic seeds and plants reflecting the interests of Thomas Jefferson. After lunch at *Mitchie Tavern*, we depart for Colonial Williamsburg where we have a tour led by a historic interpreter in Colonial Williamsburg Historic Area. Interpreters impart their knowledge of the history, citizenry, architecture, gardens, archaeology and decorative arts of 18th century Williamsburg. Time permitting, we may stop at Merchants Square - an 18th-century style retail village with over 40 shops and restaurants. We then check into our hotel, **The Williamsburg Lodge, Marriott Autograph Collection**, with dinner included this evening. (B, D)

Day 7, Tue, Sep 21 **Williamsburg/
Jamestown/Yorktown**

Following breakfast, we visit the National Park Service Visitor Center at Historic Jamestown, the first permanent English settlement in the New World. Today only the church tower and the outlines of foundations remain. Here we view the Captain John Smith Statue, and we may see archaeologists working as they excavate remains of the 1607 fort. Next we will visit the Jamestown Settlement History Museum. Our two-hour guided tour highlights exhibits in the new museum gallery and all four outdoor living history areas. Here we will visit the outdoor village depicting the early settlement and ships that arrived in the early 1600s. The village includes primitive Indian shelters, ships like the *Susan Constant*, *Godspeed*, and *Discovery*, a 17th century fortress, and more. After taking lunch on our own, we will see where American Independence was won at Yorktown Battlefield. At the National Park Service Visitor Center, view exhibits and the film, "*Siege at Yorktown*," and then if available, take an NPS ranger-led tour that will allow you to learn more about the history of the Siege of Yorktown. Stroll the streets of Historic Yorktown, and imagine the town as it once was, a thriving tobacco port near the Chesapeake, that witnessed the last battle of the American Revolution. We end our evening back in Williamsburg, with dinner included at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Day 8, Wed, Sep 22 **Williamsburg/Richmond/Little Rock**

After breakfast, we check out from our hotel and depart for Richmond. Along the way we stop to see St John's Church, the first church built in the city of Richmond. Then we view the White House of the Confederacy, which served as the Executive Mansion of the Confederacy from 1861 to 1865, when Richmond was the capital of the Confederacy. The

mansion was the official quarters during the Civil War of the only President of the Confederate States of America, Jefferson Davis. Lunch is included at the *Hanover Tavern*. This afternoon we visit Richmond National Battlefield Park. Pending availability, we may visit Tredegar Iron Works, which was the biggest ironworks in the Confederacy during the American Civil War, and a significant factor in the decision to make Richmond its capital. This afternoon we continue to the Richmond Airport for our flight home, arriving in Little Rock later tonight. (B, L)

Sightseeing as listed in the itinerary is currently available to tourists but remain subject to local and federal health guidelines. Should a site become unavailable, we will endeavor to substitute a similar site or activity. The sequence and days may be altered to adjust to religious holidays, special closings of sites, air schedules, etc.

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