



Savannah & Charleston

8 Days - Featuring Jekyll Island & St. Augustine in springtime
 From historic house tours and lush garden sanctuaries, to the cultured, refined and utterly charming plantations, you'll surely enjoy the sights of Savannah and Charleston.



April 7, 2015 **\$2,179 double | \$2,889 single**
April 14, 2015 **\$2,179 double | \$2,889 single**

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:

- Savannah City Tour
- Charleston City Tour
- Magnolia Gardens with nature train
- Middleton Plantation
- St. Simon Isle of Eugenia Price
- Tour millionaire homes in Jekyll Island
- St. Augustine's tour with St. George's Street

INCLUDED IN TOUR:

First Class Accommodations
 7 Breakfasts
 4 Dinners (incl. 2 at the Jekyll Grand Dining Room & Local Restaurants)
 Professional Tour Manager
 Deluxe Motorcoach
 Baggage Handling
 Round trip Airport Transfers
 Taxes & Gratuities except Tour Manager and Driver



Deposit: \$300 per person due at time of booking

Final Payment Due 60 days prior to departure

Cancellation: Fully refundable 61 days before departure; 60 - 45 days before departure: 25% cancellation policy; 44 - 30 days before departure: 50% cancellation policy; 29 - 15 days before departure: 75% cancellation policy; 14 days and less: no refund.

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Itinerary

Arrive Into: Charleston, SC by 5:30 pm at Charleston Airport (CHS)

Depart From: Jacksonville, FL after 3:30pm from Jacksonville Airport (JAX)

Day 1 Fly to Charleston

Upon arrival at the Charleston Airport, meet your tour manager and transfer to your historic district hotel for the next three nights. Enjoy the evening on your own to relax. **Courtyard Historic, Charleston, SC**

Day 2 Charleston Sightseeing

Built on a peninsula, Charleston has remained a beautiful port city over 300 years. Preservation and Southern gentility are both a way of life here. Your city tour includes the historic district, the Citadel, Battery Park and a tour of an Antebellum Mansion. The afternoon is free for you to explore. Tonight, enjoy your Get Acquainted Dinner. **Courtyard Historic, Charleston, SC (B,D)**

Day 3 Gardens and Plantations

Today visit two Ashley River Plantations. Magnolia Gardens has 50 acres filled with magnolias and azaleas. Observe the wildlife as you ride the Nature Train through the cypress swamp. Next, visit Middleton place, home to America's oldest landscaped garden. Begun in 1741, it took 10 years to complete the terraces, lakes and camellia alleys. Tour the home and stable yard with its craft displays. Enjoy a free evening tonight. **Courtyard Historic, Charleston, SC (B)**

Day 4 Charleston to Savannah

Depart for the historic port city of Beaufort, a quaint 1711 town with its narrow tree lined streets and historic homes. It will remind you of "Gone with the Wind". Next, arrive in Savannah, one of the south's most graceful cities. Stay two nights right in the historic district. Tonight, enjoy southern cuisine at a fine local restaurant. **Courtyard Historic, Savannah, GA (B,D)**

Day 5 Savannah Sightseeing

The Cotton Trade made this city a vital shipping port during the 1800's and today her unique past has been preserved. You'll begin today with a morning city tour where you will see the 20 original squares, all landscaped with oak, azaleas, fountains, and statues. Drive by the Old Cotton Exchange, River Street, and Madison Square of General Sherman's 'March to the Sea' fame. You will also tour a restored antebellum mansion prior to a free afternoon to see the sights of John Berendt's "Midnight in the Garden of Good & Evil" or stroll the cobblestone streets at your leisure. More free time this evening to enjoy a local restaurant or shopping on your own. **Courtyard Historic, Savannah (B)**

Day 6 Savannah to Jekyll Isle

Motor south today to the Golden Isles of Georgia. Visit famous St. Simon's Island to view famous Christ Church and lighthouse. This afternoon arrive on Jekyll Island, once a hunting reserve for America's top millionaires. Goodyear, Pulitzer and Rockefeller built elaborate "cottages" here. Stay at the 1886 Victorian-style hotel, originally an exclusive retreat for the wealthy. Dinner is choice-of-menu in the elegant Grand Dining Room. **Jekyll Island Club, Jekyll Island, GA (B,D)**

Day 7 Jekyll Isle / Free Time

Start with a tour of the Historic District's Rockefeller Indian Mound & Faith Chapel (houses may be substituted). Then you will have time to explore Jekyll Island at your leisure. This evening, reminisce over your journey at your Farewell Dinner which is another choice-of-menu at your resort hotel. **Jekyll Island Club, Jekyll Island, GA (BD)**

Day 8 St. Augustine / Fly Home

After breakfast travel to St. Augustine, America's oldest city; founded in 1565 and made famous by Ponce De Leon's search for the Fountain of Youth. Learn about Henry Flagler's railroad and the Old Castillo Fort. Then it's on to the nearby Jacksonville Airport for your return flight home. **(B)**