

WASHINGTON, DC WALKING IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF HISTORY

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| DAY 1 | | <p>Lunch–En route</p> <p>STA representative meets group upon arrival. Boards sightseeing bus</p> <p>National Archives Preserves and documents government historical records such as the Declaration of Independence & the US Constitution</p> | <p>Dinner–Hunan Gate</p> <p>Hotel check-in</p> <p>Professional security guard monitors each floor.</p> |
| DAY 2 | <p>Breakfast–Hotel buffet</p> <p>Group boards sightseeing bus</p> <p>Bureau of Printing & Engraving See how money is printed and circulated</p> <p>US Holocaust Museum “Daniel’s Story” Exhibit designed for youth that is a memorial to the millions of European Jews and others killed during the Holocaust</p> | <p>Lunch–Museum Cafeteria</p> <p>SMITHSONIAN COMPLEX Natural History Museum Located on the National Mall, the museum’s collections total over 125 million specimens of plants, animals, fossils, minerals, rocks and human cultural artifacts</p> <p>National Air & Space Museum Features the largest collection of aircraft and spacecraft in the world, like the original Wright Flyer.</p> <p>National Gallery of Art Includes many paintings by masters like Rembrandt, Monet, Van Gogh, Leonardo da Vinci, Picasso, Matisse, Warhol and more</p> | <p>Dinner–Old Post Office</p> <p>NIGHT TOUR Iwo Jima Memorial Dedicated to all US Marines who have died in the defense of their country. Based on the iconic photo from the Battle of Iwo Jima</p> <p>Jefferson Memorial Round-shaped memorial honoring the country’s third president Thomas Jefferson</p> <p>Lincoln Memorial Honoring 16th president and location of MLK’s famous “I have a dream” speech</p> <p>Kennedy Center Performing arts centre, located beside the Potomac River, adjacent to the famous Watergate Hotel</p> <p>Return to hotel. Professional security guard monitors each floor.</p> |
| DAY 3 | <p>Breakfast–Hotel buffet</p> <p>Group boards sightseeing bus</p> <p>CAPITOL HILL US Capitol Serves as the seat of government for the US Congress, the legislative branch of the US federal government</p> <p>Supreme Court Highest judicial body in the US</p> <p>Library of Congress One of the most important libraries in the world, it includes the largest rare book collection in North America, including a Gutenberg Bible</p> | <p>Lunch–Union Station</p> <p>ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY American military cemetery established during the Civil War</p> <p>Tomb of the Unknown Soldiers Honors unknown soldiers who have died in war</p> <p>Changing of the Guards Military patrol who perpetually look over the Tomb of the Unknowns</p> <p>Kennedy gravesites JFK, his wife and two children lay at rest here. Marked by an eternal flame</p> <p>Challenger Memorial Honoring the crew of the Space Shuttle Challenger</p> | <p>Dinner–Old Country Buffet</p> <p>World War II Memorial National war memorial that honors members of the US armed forces who died in service or were unaccounted for during these wars</p> <p>Return to hotel. Professional security guard monitors each floor</p> |

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| DAY 4 | <p>Breakfast–Hotel buffet</p> <p>Group boards sightseeing bus</p> <p>White House (photo stop) <i>Group photo taken in front of the home of the President</i></p> <p>Vietnam Veterans Memorial <i>A national war memorial that honors members of the US armed forces who died in service or are unaccounted for during the Vietnam War</i></p> <p>Korean War Memorial <i>National war memorial that honors members of the US armed forces who died in service or were unaccounted for during the Korean War</i></p> | <p>Lunch–Fuddrucker's</p> <p>National Postal Museum <i>Interactive displays about the history of the US Postal Service</i></p> <p>National Geographic Explorer's Hall Society <i>Not-for-profit organization that produces five magazines, television channel and other media to educate others on science, geography and cultures</i></p> <p>Washington Monument <i>A 555-foot tall white obelisk located at the west end of the National Mall that was built to honor the first president, George Washington.</i></p> | <p>Dinner–Pentagon City Mall</p> <p>FDR Memorial <i>Features 4 outdoor rooms, one for every term of office that FDR served</i></p> <p>Return to hotel. Professional security guard monitors each floor</p> |
| DAY 5 | <p>Breakfast–Hotel buffet</p> <p>Hotel check-out</p> <p>Group boards sightseeing bus</p> <p>Embassy Row <i>Massachusetts Ave and surrounding neighborhood which includes more than 50 embassies representing countries around the world</i></p> <p>Washington National Cathedral <i>Episcopal cathedral where the President worships; site of funerals for three former presidents</i></p> | <p>Lunch–Roy Rogers</p> <p>Mt. Vernon <i>George Washington's home, which includes a tour of the Mansion house and more than a dozen outbuildings</i></p> <p>Old Town Alexandria <i>Historic district know for preserved homes, galleries and restaurants</i></p> <p>Group departs for home</p> | <p>Dinner–En route</p> |