







# Georgía on My Mind

Single Hotel Stay, Atlanta, Gone with the Wind, Macon, Callaway Gardens, Warm Springs, Stone Mountain

### March 21-26, 2026 - 6 Day Tour

#### **Tour Highlights**

- Enjoy a single-hotel stay with nightly "happy hour" at an upscale hotel in the heart of downtown Atlanta at Centennial Olympic Park
- Comprehensive sightseeing in Atlanta with a local guide including Stone Mountain Park, Jimmy Carter Presidential Library & Museum, Martin Luther King, Jr. National Historic Site, Cyclorama: The Big Picture, the Swan House, and lunch at the Swan Coach House
- Visit the Gone with the Wind Museum and see an incredible collection of memorabilia related to the beloved book and movie
- ◆ Tour Macon, the "Cherry Blossom Capital of the World" at the time of year when the 300,000 cherry trees are typically in bloom
- Visit Franklin Delano Roosevelt's "Little White House" in Warm Springs and tour Callaway Gardens at the time of year the azaleas are typically in full bloom
- Savor authentic Southern cuisine at a variety of legendary locals' favorites

#### **Tour Inclusions**

- ◆ 5 Nights deluxe hotel accommodations
- ◆ 9 Meals 3 dinners, 1 lunch, 5 breakfasts
- Services of a professional GTT tour director
- Comprehensive sightseeing with local guides
- Admissions per itinerary
- Transportation aboard a deluxe motorcoach
- ◆ Airport-hotel transfers (with purchase of group air)
- Luggage handling throughout the tour

#### **Tour Prices**

Double Occupancy: \$1,999 per person Single Occupancy (no roommate): Add \$600 Roundtrip airfare from \$795 per person Deposit: \$1,000 p.p.









#### **Itinerary**

Immerse yourself in the heart of the South on this 6-day journey through Georgia's rich history and vibrant culture. While enjoying a single-hotel stay with nightly "happy hour" at an all-suites hotel in the heart of Atlanta – the "Gateway to the South" – we'll explore the legacy of presidents and civil rights leaders, savor authentic Southern cuisine and experience the roots of true Southern hospitality. From the cherry blossoms in Macon and Roosevelt's "Little White House" in Warm Springs to the serene beauty of Callaway Gardens and the timeless elegance of Gone with the Wind, this tour features a number of unforgettable experiences and the undeniable charm of the Old South at a delightful time of year.

#### Day 1 – Welcome to Atlanta! (Saturday, March 21)

Optional transfers from our departure points will have us at LAX this morning for a scheduled nonstop flight arriving in Atlanta, Georgia this afternoon. Those guests making their own flight arrangements can request the group's flight schedule (subject to change) to coordinate a flight arrival time that would allow them to be included on the complimentary transfer to the hotel. In Atlanta, we'll board our deluxe motorcoach and travel to downtown Atlanta to begin a five-night stay at an upscale, all-suites hotel adjacent to Centennial Olympic Park. Enjoy the balance of the evening at leisure with dinner on your own and a complimentary, nightly "happy hour" in the hotel lobby.

#### Day 2 - Macon (Sunday, March 22)

Following an included made-to-order breakfast at the hotel, we'll travel south to **Macon, Georgia** – known as "The Heart of Georgia," it features a rich history, incredible architecture, a soulful musical heritage, and an unforgettable Southern charm. Also known as the "Cherry Blossom Capital of the World," Macon has

#### Make a Booking

Mail/drop off reservation form to:

WISE & Healthy Aging 1527 4th Street, 2nd Floor Santa Monica, CA 90401



Attention: Grace Cheng Braun

(310) 394-9871, ext. 440 or (310) 729-5221 trips@wiseandhealthyaging.org

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#### **Accommodations**

 Nights 1-5 Embassy Suites Atlanta at Centennial Olympic Park Atlanta, GA

#### **Optional Roundtrip Airfare**

Airfare is available as an optional add-on as advertised on the front of this brochure. Because airfare generally increases closer to departure, it's best to purchase airfare as soon as possible to lock in the lowest price and best schedule.

#### **Optional Airport Transfers**

Optional LAX transfers from home are available for an additional charge.

#### **Payment Information**

• \$1,000 p.p. deposit due at time of booking by attaching a check to your reservation form, money order, or credit card payment; balance payment due by November 17, 2025

#### Cancellation/Travel Protection

A travel protection policy (which includes cancellation protection and other benefits) is highly recommended and available through a third-party. A travel protection brochure will be provided with your payment receipt and invoice. Regardless of the reason, cancellations, credits and transfers of paid bookings require us to retain an administrative fee (ranging from \$100-\$600 depending on the date of cancellation) in addition to all non-recoverable fees paid to our tour suppliers on your behalf. Those guests who have purchased travel protection and must cancel for a covered reason, will be reimbursed by the travel protection company the balance of any non-refunded or credited monies (minus the pre-mium itself). Contact Grace Cheng Braun about 3rd party insurance and full cancellation policy and other terms and conditions.

#### **Tour Pace & Activity Level**



ACTIVITY

Moderate amount of guided walking or at your own pace over slightly longer distances and periods of standing, for example on nature walks with rest time on coach at attractions.

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more than 300,000 Yoshino Cherry Trees that are typically in bloom this time of year. We'll be joined by a local guide for a journey through the heart of the Old South including the iconic legacy of musicians like Little Richard, Otis Redding and Allman Brothers Band. After time at leisure in historic downtown Macon, we'll tour the **Hay House** – the 18,000-square-foot Italian Renaissance Revival mansion known as the "Palace of the South." Declared a National Historic Landmark in 1974, this beautifully preserved antebellum home was considered the most advanced antebellum building in America for its style, craftsmanship and technological innovations. Back in Atlanta we'll enjoy an included dinner at a locals' barbecue favorite. (Breakfast, Dinner)

#### Day 3 - Atlanta (Monday, March 23)

This morning we'll be joined by a local guide for a driving tour of Atlanta including downtown, midtown and Buckhead. We'll visit the **Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum** – the award-winning museum that features interactive displays and fascinating exhibits about the peanut farmer from Plains, Georgia. After time for lunch on your own at the **Ponce City Market**, we'll continue to **Martin Luther King Jr. National Historic Site** and visit the **King Birth Home**, **Historic Ebenezer Baptist Church** and Dr. King's Tomb at **The King Center**. This evening, enjoy an included dinner at "Atlanta's Dining Room," the legendary **Mary Mac's Tea Room**. (Breakfast, Dinner)

#### Day 4 - Atlanta (Tuesday, March 24)

A local guide will join us this morning as we visit the **Atlanta History Center**, located on 33 beautiful acres in Atlanta's historic Buckhead neighborhood. Tour the **Swan House**, one of the city's most iconic landmarks and offers a glimpse into the lifestyle of Atlanta's elite during the 1920s and 30s. See **Cyclorama**: **The Big Picture**, featuring the fully restored cyclorama painting, *The Battle of Atlanta*. At the centerpiece of this new multi-media experience is a 132-year-old hand-painted oil painting that stands 49 feet tall, is longer than a football field and weighs 10,000 pounds. We'll enjoy an included lunch at the **Swan Coach House** – housed in the original carriage house and garage of the Swan House, this charming restaurant has served delicious Southern-inspired cooking since 1967. This afternoon we'll travel to Marietta and visit the **Gone with the Wind Museum**, featuring a vast collection of memorabilia, props, and costumes related to the book and movie. See historic artifacts related to the book's author, Margaret Mitchell, original movie props and one-of-a-kind pieces from the film set along with original costume pieces from the film, including one of the iconic mourning bonnets worn by Vivien Leigh as Scarlett O'Hara and Rhett Butler's jacket. We'll return to the hotel with the balance of the evening at leisure. (Breakfast, Lunch)

#### Day 5 - Warm Springs, Callaway Gardens (Wednesday, March 25)

This morning we'll travel south to **Warm Springs**, **Georgia**, steeped in traditional southern charm and hospitality. Franklin Delano Roosevelt was so enchanted with Warm Springs, he built the only home he ever owned here – a modest, six-room cottage that served as a relaxing, comfortable haven for him during his regular visits to Warm Springs. We'll visit **Roosevelt's Little White House** to see where he relaxed and socialized, where he developed his New Deal policies and where he died on April 12, 1945. We'll tour the house which remains as it did the day he died, along with the Memorial Museum, Historic Pools Museum, Memorial Fountain, Guest and Servant's Quarters and see Roosevelt's 1938 Ford convertible with hand controls. Following time at leisure for lunch on your own along Main Street in downtown Warm Springs, we'll travel into the Southern foothills of the Appalachians. Enjoy a docent-led tour of **Callaway Gardens**, featuring astonishing azaleas, Japanese magnolia and daffodils amongst sprawling woodland gardens. Enjoy time at leisure to explore the gardens and the butterfly center, where more than 1,000 butterflies flutter freely in one of North America's largest tropical butterfly conservatories. We return to Atlanta for an included farewell dinner at a locals' favorite. (Breakfast, Dinner)

#### Day 6 - Atlanta, Journey Home (Thursday, March 26)

Enjoy the morning at leisure to explore **Centennial Olympic Park** and a variety of museums and attractions within walking distance of the hotel (admission additional) including the Georgia Aquarium, College Football Hall of Fame, the National Center for Civil and Human Rights and the **World of Coca-Cola**. This afternoon we'll visit **Stone Mountain Park** where the centerpiece is **Stone Mountain Confederate Memorial Carving**, the largest high relief sculpture in the world which depicts three Confederate figures of the Civil War – President Jefferson Davis, General Robert E. Lee and General "Stonewall" Jackson. Board the **Summit Skyride** (weather permitting) for a high-speed cable car ride to the top of Stone Mountain and stunning views of the carving. Later, we'll board our scheduled nonstop return flight to Los Angeles. *Those guests making their own flight arrangements can request the group's flight schedule (subject to change) to coordinate a flight departure time that would allow them to be included on the complimentary transfer to the airport. Back in Los Angeles, those guests with pre-arranged transfers will be returned to their respective drop-offs. (Breakfast)* 

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\$1,999/traveler (based on Double occupancy)

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