

ITINERARY DESCRIPTION

Charlottesville-Monticello & UVA

Trip 62

Thursday

Rest stops will be made in route.

Charlottesville...Enjoy lunch (included in price) and guided tour at the 1784 Historic Michie Tavern and museum. This is one of the oldest homesteads remaining in Virginia. Lunch will be typical colonial fare.

Monticello...Home of Thomas Jefferson. First conducted tour will be the "Slavery at Monticello". Followed by a tour of the mountaintop home and gardens. The house is a remarkable integration of classical architecture and modern innovations designed by Jefferson. Monticello means "Little Mountain". Time will also be available for the Visitor Center and Education Center.

Hotel Check-In at 5:30...Hilton Garden Inn, 1793 Richmond Rd., Charlottesville.

Evening Meal...Wood Grill Buffet (included in price). A casual chain eatery offering an American buffet with carving stations, fresh baked bread & more.

Friday

Breakfast included at the hotel.

Leave at **9:00** with a step-on guide for a driving tour of Charlottesville and the University of Virginia. We will visit the Rotunda & Academical Village at UVA. The Rotunda was designed by Jefferson to represent the "authority of nature and power of reason" and was inspired by the Pantheon in Rome. The Academical Village represented Jefferson's vision of a school with students and professors living together in a secular learning environment.

Downtown Pedestrian Mall/Lunch...Free time on one of the longest pedestrian malls in the U. S. Lunch will be on your own.

Montpelier – Home of Pres. James & Dolly Madison...Located about an hour north of Charlottesville in Orange County. 197 acre plantation forest of the Madison family. We will tour the recently restored house.

Stop for evening meal on the way home. Not included in trip price.

Approximate arrival at Weis Market 8:00 p.m.

NOTE: Hotel reservations must be finalized by Sept 14.

Waiver Form

In consideration of my participation in this bus tour and intending to be legally bound, I hereby waive, release and forever discharge any and all rights, actions and claims which I or my heirs, executors or assigns may have against the **Franklin County Historical Society-Kittochtinny or Joyce L. Horst** (tour organizer) for death, injury, loss, and any and all damages which may be sustained and or suffered in connection with my participation in this bus trip. The undersigned assumes full responsibility, and risk of, bodily injury, death or property loss that can occur due to participation in this bus trip.

Participant's Signature: (1) _____ (2) _____ Date: _____