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Charlotte Tours

A Day With the Queen Tour

This group tour is the perfect introduction to Charlotte, also known as the Queen City. Complete with a wonderful overview of her history, traditions, and most recent accomplishments -- you are about to visit one of America's most interesting cities. As the largest city in the Carolinas, Charlotte offers everything you'd expect from a big city - from the small town friendliness to the southern hospitality, we have it down to a science!

Besides the unique skyscraping architecture and quaint historic homes, Charlotte is also the home to several educational institutions like UNC Charlotte, Queens University, and Johnson C. Smith and an Uptown extension of Wake Forest. Johnson & Wales has had a major impact on the hospitality and restaurant industry.

Check out why some people consider Uptown urban living to be some of the finest. Then just a few minutes away, experience Dilworth and Myers Park, the first two communities developed outside of Uptown, with large traditional and contemporary homes, well -manicured lawns, breath -taking gardens, quaint shops, and more eateries. On the tour, stops may include Seventh Street Station, which is an interactive architectural masterpiece filled with local, fresh goods and the Historic Duke Mansion, with its newly renovated 4.5 -acre garden.

\$49 per guest Minimum of 35 people 1:30 PM to 5 PM

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Charlotte Homes and Gardens Tour

Enjoy this tour that provides a fascinating look at architecture new and old. This tour will take you back in time to experience life the way it was from the 1880s to 1930s. Whatever you fancy, you are sure to find Charlotte's Historic homes to be both beautiful and interesting. From their wonderfully designed homes, to their historic backgrounds, you are sure to find a favorite.

Historic Hezekiah Alexander Home – Visit the oldest still existing home in Charlotte. Hezekiah Alexander was a signer of the Mecklenburg County Declaration of Independence. The stone home has 8 period-furnished rooms, a kitchen building, and a Spring House building.

Historic Rosedale – This is the home of Archibald Frew, an early Charlotte tax collector. The Caldwell and Davidson families also lived in the home. Now owned and operated by a private foundation, this turn of the century home boasts original wallpaper in three rooms. The gardens have recently been restored to their original patterns.

Historic Fourth Ward – You will get a glimpse of life the way it was from the 1880's to the 1930's, for the city's most prestigious residents. The homes were owned by the area's wealthy merchants, ministers, physicians and civic leaders. Hear the story of how the trolley affected the area's decline, and how, later, the neighborhood was restored to its original vitality and popularity by farsighted Charlotteans looking forward to Uptown's development.

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Come Fly With Me Tour

Walking through the Carolinas Aviation Museum, you will learn all about historical aircrafts with their collection of commercial, civil and military equipment. The museum collections include magazines, technical manuals, flight manuals, documents, books, photographs, scale models, engineering drawings, uniforms (textiles), and multimedia. Using interactive displays for visitors of all ages, you can actually climb into the pilot's seat of their F4 Phantom! Providing military, civil, commercial, and historical aircrafts, you can see so much of our development in the engineering of these machines. Some of the aircrafts include: The Savoia Marchetti, the Grumman F-14D, Tomcat, the D-558-1 Skystreak, and the CH-46C Sea Knight.





The prized exhibit –"The Miracle on the Hudson": US Airways Flight 1549 – which took off from LaGuardia airport for a flight to Charlotte and as a result of multiple bird strikes was forced to land on the Hudson River. After leaving the museum, you will be taken to the best secret spot in the City to see actual planes that are coming into the Charlotte Douglas Airport. Tour includes: Escort, admission, and transportation.

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