### 5-Day South/North Carolina Tour (Atlanta Departure) (NAS5)

**Departure Date: Sunday** 

Price List: buy two get one free

1st & 2nd Person	3rd Person	4th Person	Single
738/person	0	408	1108

#### **Pick Up Information**

Time	Location	Address
7:30AM	Duluth, GA	2300 Pleasant Hill Rd, Duluth, GA 30096 (The Great Wall Supermarket)
8:15AM	Georgia Institute of Technology	355 Ferst Dr NW, Atlanta, GA 30313 (Entrance of Visitor Parking 2)

#### **Itinerary Highlights**

- I. Exclusive tour! Official recommended! Visiting south & North Carolina.
- II. Visit the City of Atlanta, the most populous city in the Southeast of the US, and its popular attraction such as CNN headquarter, Georgia Aquarium, and World of Coca Cola.
- III. Visit historic city Charleston, experience the early history of colonial America.
- IV. "Gilded Age" Biltmore Estate, the biggest private estate in North America.

# **Itinerary**



**Atlanta - Charleston** 

Hotel: Quality Inn Charleston Gateway or equivalent

In the morning, we head to east and will arrive the oldest and largest city in South Carolina, Charleston. Charleston is known for its rich history, well-preserved architecture, distinguished restaurants, and mannerly people, Charleston is a popular tourist destination and has received many accolades, Charleston was ranked the "World's Best City" by Travel + Leisure.

First, we will visit an American heroine— The USS Yorktown (60 minutes), which is the tenth aircraft carrier to serve in the US Navy. And participated world war II and Vietnam. Climb aboard the Carolina Belle Cruise (90 minutes) to enjoy the beauty of the Charleston Harbor and learn the rich history of the Holy City. During the scenic and relaxing tour, you will see lots of landmarks and points of interest! The one-hour Carriage tour (60 minutes) of Charleston's historic district areas is an interesting blend of history combined with the witticism and humor of the tour guides.

#### Charlotte - Asheville



Hotel: Baymont by Wyndham Asheville/Biltmore or equivalent

After departing from hotel, we will visit Magnolia Plantation and Gardens (90 minutes), which is selected as one of "America's Most Beautiful Gardens" (Travel + Leisure Magazine). Magnolia Plantation has survived the centuries and witnessed the history of our nation unfold before it from the American Revolution through the Civil War and beyond. It is the oldest public tourist site in the Lowcountry, and the oldest public gardens in America.

Later we will head for Charlotte, which is the largest city in North Carolina. Charlotte is home to the corporate headquarters of Bank of America and the east coast operations of Wells Fargo, which along with other financial institutions made it the second-largest banking center in the United States from 1995 to 2017 and the third-largest from 2017 to present.

In Charlotte, we will visit NASCAR hall of Fame (60 minutes), it wasn't just built to be a museum. It was built to be a shrine to the history, heritage, and future of the sport we love. And then we will stop by City Hall, bank of America headquarters.

## Day 3

#### Asheville - Atlanta

Hotel: Wyndham Garden Duluth or equivalent

Asheville is a city in western North Carolina's Blue Ridge Mountains. In the morning, we explore the city by foot, walking tour (80 mins) will provide lots of information about its vibrant arts scene and historic architecture.

We depart around noon to visit Biltmore estate (240 minutes), the main residence, is a Châteauesque-style mansion built by George Washington Vanderbilt II between 1889 and 1895 and is the largest privately-owned house in the United States. It stands today as one of the most prominent remaining examples of the Gilded Age. Also, we have a chance to visit Biltmore Winery which is the most visited winery in the country. (Wine tasting MUST be 21+ years old)

## Day 4

#### **Atlanta City Tour**

Hotel: Wyndham Garden Duluth or equivalent

In the morning, we will visit **Georgia Institute of Technology** (40 minutes) which is one of the best institute of technology in the world. And in the one-day tour, we also will visit **Georgia State Capitol** (15 minutes), Martin Luther King, Jr. National Historical Park (20 minutes) and Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum (30 minutes).

In the afternoon, we first visit Atlanta Olympic Park, CNN Studios (60 minutes) is right next to it, Journey behind the scenes of "The Worldwide Leader in News" to see how a news broadcast is put together and aired. Inside CNN Studios offers an exclusive look at the headquarters of one of the largest and most venerable news organizations in the world.

Georgia Aquarium (90 minutes) houses more than a hundred thousand animals and represents several thousand species. It was the largest aquarium in the world from its opening in 2005 until 2012. Later we will experience the history of the world's most famous soft drink at the dynamic, multimedia home of the 125-year-old secret formula for Coca-Cola (90 minutes). Get closer than ever before to the vault containing the secret recipe and see the fully functioning bottling line that produces a commemorative glass bottle of Coca-Cola for every guest.

#### Day 5

#### Gold Mine —Stone mountain

In the morning, we head to north to Dahlonega which is a site of the first major U.S. Gold Rush.

Dahlonega gold mine (90 minutes) is the largest hard rock gold mine in east of the Mississippi. Head 200 feet underground and over 100 years back in time to experience life as a turn of the century gold miner. Tour guide will demonstrate how miners blasted quartz veins to uncover huge deposits of gold. After underground tour, our miners will teach you how to pan for gold.

At last, we arrive **Stone Mountain Park** (120 minutes), which is Georgia's most popular attraction and features a wide variety of activities. Located on 3,200 acres of natural beauty, adventure awaits as you discover interactive friendly attractions and many natural and historic sights.

Tour will be end around 4:30PM, and then drop-off at departing location

# **Special Remarks**

#### **Scenic Spots Notes:**

- 1. Itinerary will be subject to traffic and weather. The sequence of the attractions might be changed according to actual and practical situation for better service.
- 2. In case of attraction closures (due to holidays or construction etc.), tour guide may make some necessary changes to the itinerary accordingly.
- 3. This tour doesn't accept any City Pass or your own tickets for the attractions. Guests must purchase admission tickets from tour guides.

#### **Refund Policy:**

- 1. If the weather condition, war, general strikes and other unforeseen circumstances interrupt the journey, our company reserve the right to rearrange the journey without refunding the tour fee.
- 2. If visitors cannot join the tour because of personal reason, the fee for hotels and transportation is not refundable.

#### Tour fee notes:

- 1. Tour fee only includes transportation & hotel.
- 2. Tour fee excludes the meals, attractions tickets, service fee (\$10/person/day), and any private expenses (such as hotel telephone charges, laundry etc.).

#### **Attraction Admission List**

Attraction	Adult	Senior (65+)	Children (3-12)
CNN Studio Tour	\$16.34	\$15.25	\$15.25(13-18)
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Georgia Aquarium	\$43.15	\$39.91	\$36.67
World of Coca Cola	\$18.51	\$16.34	\$14.16
Jimmy Carter Museum	\$8.00	\$6.00	\$8.00
Dahlonega Consolidated Gold Mine	\$16.00	\$16.00	\$11.00
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The USS Yorktown	\$22.00	\$17.00	\$14.00
		(62+)	(6-11)
Historic Charleston Harbor Tour	\$27.56	\$25.97	\$20.14
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Carriage Tour	\$27.56	\$27.56	\$16.96
Carriage Tour			(4-11)
Magnalia Plantation & Cardons	\$20.00	\$20.00	\$10.00
Magnolia Plantation & Gardens			(6-12)
NASCAR Hall of Fame	\$25.00	\$22.00	\$18(8-12)
NASCAR Hall OF Fairle			\$12(3-7)
Asheville Walking Tour	\$15.00	\$15.00	\$15.00
Biltmore Estate	\$69.55	\$69.55	\$34.77
Dittillore Estate			(10-16)

Price and schedule are subject to seasonal change without notice