



## Washington, D.C. and Gettysburg Sample itinerary

| DAY 1   | DAY 2   | DAY 3   | DAY 4  | DAY 5  |
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| <p>Group arrives in Washington, D.C. and is met by a WorldStrides representative.</p> <p><b>Arlington National Cemetery</b><br/>Burial grounds for American military personnel</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Changing of the Guard</li> <li>▪ Tomb of the Unknown Soldier</li> <li>▪ Kennedy Gravesites</li> <li>▪ Space Shuttle Challenger Memorial</li> </ul> <p><b>Iwo Jima Memorial</b><br/>A tribute to all U.S. Marines who have died since 1775 while serving our country</p> <p><b>September 11th Memorial</b><br/>Honors the 184 victims killed at the Pentagon during the September 11th attacks</p> <p>Dinner</p> <p>Hotel check-in</p> | <p>Breakfast</p> <p><b>Alexandria</b><br/>One of America's oldest and most historic cities</p> <p><b>Mount Vernon</b><br/>George Washington's home and plantation will showcase life during colonial times, 18<sup>th</sup>-century treasures, and our first President as a farmer and businessman</p> <p><b>Washington Monument</b> (picture stop)<br/>World's tallest stone monument</p> <p>Lunch</p> <p><b>Capitol Hill Grounds Tour</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Capitol Visitor Center (appointment required) – new education center welcomes visitors to the place where Congress meets to decide law</li> <li>▪ Supreme Court - our nation's highest court (picture stop)</li> <li>▪ Library of Congress - world's largest library (picture stop)</li> </ul> <p><b>National Archives</b><br/>Home of the original Constitution, Bill of Rights, and Declaration of Independence</p> <p>Dinner</p> <p>Return to hotel</p> | <p>Breakfast</p> <p>Depart for Gettysburg</p> <p><b>Gettysburg Battlefield</b><br/>Relive this historic Civil War battle</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ Gettysburg Film: <i>A New Birth of Freedom</i></li> <li>▪ Battlefield Tour</li> </ul> <p>Lunch</p> <p>Return to Washington, D.C.</p> <p><b>Embassy Row</b><br/>Street lined with homes of over 100 foreign ambassadors</p> <p><b>National Zoo</b><br/>Home to three pandas</p> <p>Dinner</p> <p><b>FDR Memorial</b><br/>Memorial not only to President Franklin D. Roosevelt, but also to the era he represents</p> <p><b>WWII Memorial</b><br/>Honors the 16 million who served and 400,000 who died in the U.S. Armed Forces during WWII, and all who supported the war effort from home</p> <p>Return to hotel</p> | <p>Breakfast</p> <p><b>Smithsonian Institution</b><br/>The world's largest museum complex</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>▪ National Air &amp; Space Museum</li> <li>▪ Natural History Museum</li> <li>▪ National Gallery of Art</li> <li>▪ National Museum of American History</li> </ul> <p>Lunch</p> <p><b>Lincoln Memorial</b><br/>A tribute to President Abraham Lincoln and the nation he fought to preserve during the Civil War</p> <p><b>Vietnam Veterans Memorial</b><br/>Monument to over 58,000 men and women killed or missing in Vietnam</p> <p><b>Korean Memorial</b><br/>Dedicated to all those who fought in defense of South Korea</p> <p>Dinner</p> <p><b>Jefferson Memorial</b><br/>Dedicated to our third President who left to the future not only ideas but also a great body of practical achievements</p> <p><b>Kennedy Center</b><br/>A magnificent performing arts center</p> <p>Return to hotel</p> | <p>Breakfast</p> <p>Hotel check-out</p> <p><b>Ford's Theatre</b><br/>(appointment required)<br/>Where President Lincoln was shot</p> <p><b>Petersen House</b><br/>Where President Lincoln died after being shot (across the street) at Ford's Theatre</p> <p><b>Holocaust Museum</b><br/>Daniel's Story – Living memorial to victims of Nazi Germany</p> <p>Lunch</p> <p><b>White House</b> (picture stop)<br/>Home of the U.S. President</p> <p><b>Naval Museum</b><br/>U.S. Navy exhibits from the Revolutionary War to present</p> <p>Dinner</p> <p>Group departs Washington, D.C. for home.</p> <p><i>Note: Travel time from different parts of the country may modify this itinerary.</i></p> |

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