

OLD-FASHIONED MAYBERRY



4TH OF JULY

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6 DAYS July 2-7, 2026

INCLUDES: 10 Meals (5B, 1L, 4D) Celebrate **Independence Day** the small-town American way in the hometown that inspired **Mayberry!** Enjoy **patriotic festivities**, historic sites, Southern hospitality, and comfortable hotels as we travel from Florida to the North Carolina mountains. **Fort Sumter** boat excursion, **Mayberry Fourth of July parade**, **Andy Griffith Museum** admission, Step-on **Mayberry guide (Deputy Barney Fife)**, **Horne Creek Living Historical Farm**, Comfortable Drury Plaza and Mount Airy hotel stays

DAY ONE – Florida to Historic Charleston – We'll depart with morning pickups in St. Petersburg and Seminole, Florida and travel north by deluxe motorcoach. Lunch will be on your own enroute. Tonight, we arrive in beautiful **Charleston**, one of America's most historic and charming cities. We will stay overnight at the **Drury Plaza Hotel Charleston** Historic District where guests enjoy the famous Drury 5:30 Kickback® featuring complimentary hot food, drinks, and relaxing hospitality in the heart of Charleston's historic district.

DAY TWO - Fort Sumter & Arrival in Mayberry - This morning we **cruise** across picturesque **Charleston Harbor** for a guided boat excursion to **Fort Sumter**, the site where the first shots of the Civil War were fired. **A boxed lunch** is included during today's excursion with your choice of: Smoked Turkey & Bacon Sandwich, Ham & Cheese Sandwich or Grilled Vegetable Wrap. After returning to Charleston, we continue north to the charming town of **Mount Airy**, the hometown of **Andy Griffith** and the real-life inspiration for **Mayberry**. We will check in for a 3-night stay at the **Comfort Inn Mount Airy**. Tonight, we enjoy an included dinner at a favorite local restaurant.



DAY THREE - An All-American Mayberry Independence Day! - After breakfast at the hotel, we head downtown for Mount Airy's classic small-town Fourth of July celebration.

- Watch the patriotic parade down Main Street
- Time for lunch on your own
- Admission to the Andy Griffith Museum
- Visit the Mount Airy Museum of Regional History and the fascinating Edwards-Franklin House Siamese Twins Exhibit

Dinner is on your own in the lively downtown district. Later, the bus returns to the hotel with an optional evening departure to the park for spectacular **Independence Day fireworks**.

DAY FOUR - Mayberry Memories & Local History - Today a special **step-on guide** dressed as **Deputy Barney Fife** brings **Mayberry** to life as we explore the local sites and stories that inspired the beloved television show *The Andy Griffith Show*. Free time for lunch on your own downtown. Then this afternoon we visit the historic **Horne Creek Living Historical Farm**, where North Carolina farm life of the early 1900s is preserved and demonstrated. Tonight enjoy an included dinner at the country classic **Cracker Barrel Old Country Store** before returning to the hotel.



DAY FIVE - Mount Airy to Georgia - After breakfast we depart Mount Airy and travel south toward Georgia. Lunch will be on your own along the route. Tonight, we stay at the comfortable **Drury Plaza Hotel Valdosta**, where you'll once again enjoy the Drury 5:30 Kickback® with complimentary hot food, beverages, and evening hospitality.

DAY SIX - Homeward Bound - Enjoy a delicious hot Drury breakfast before departing for Florida. Stops today include Lunch at **Cracker Barrel Old Country Store** in Ocala (not Included) and a sweet rest stop at Russell Stover candy outlet Arrival back in St. Petersburg and Seminole later this evening with wonderful memories of a truly old-fashioned Mayberry Fourth of July.

COST: \$1399 per person twin occupancy, Or \$1789 per person single occupancy

Please pay \$100 per person deposit when booking, final payment due 5/20/2026

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