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## EUFULA PILGRIMAGE!

... ALABAMA'S Oldest Tour of Antebellum Homes!



4 DAYS APRIL 1 – APRIL 4, 2022

INCLUDES: 2 nights' accommodations at the Quality Inn & Suites Eufaula. 1 Night at the Valdosta Drury Inn. Conveniently located near our planned group touring activities and a lovely 45,000-acre lake! This tour includes 7 Meals (3B, 1L, 3D) scheduled group access to Homes on the tour, Gardens Antique show/sale and incredible dinner at the historic Shorter Mansion as well as a Picnic on the Porch lunch.

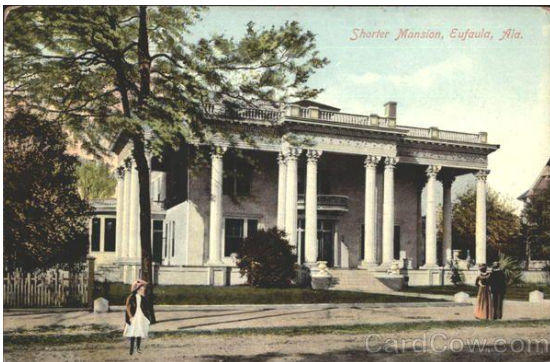
A little background on this event; Nestled on the banks of the Chattahoochee River at the junction of US Hwy 431 and 82 at the Georgia border, Eufaula is a picturesque and thriving town noted for its Southern hospitality and its beautiful Greek revival and Italianate mansions that bear Witness to its settlers' early prosperity. Lovely Queen Anne cottages and Victorian homes beckon visitors to savor the delights of small-town life.

**DAY ONE:** Our first Day together we will travel to Eufaula Alabama's **Quality Inn & Suites** featuring an included Hot breakfast each morning, Free in room hi speed Wi-Fi, Refrigerator, Microwave, flat-screen TV, coffee maker, hair dryer and iron with ironing board in each room. This hotel also features an Exercise Room & Outdoor Swimming pool.

Start each day with the hotel's free, hot breakfast which offers a variety of hot and cold items.

Keep up your daily routine in the fitness center with a variety of exercise equipment or take a dip in the sparkling outdoor pool.

This hotel is conveniently located minutes from the Historic District, shopping, and dining. You'll enjoy the beautiful view of Lake Eufaula and the closeness of the areas we are touring during our Eufaula Pilgrimage visit.



After a brief check in at our hotel, we will board our deluxe motorcoach for short ride to the historic **Shorter Mansion** for an included, fantastic Southern **dinner** in spectacular surroundings. The Mansion began as a humble home built in 1884, by Eli Sims Shorter II (1858 - 1908) and his wife Wileyna Lamar (1861 - 1927) of Macon, Georgia. An extensive renovation, began in 1901 and lasting through 1906, transformed it into the outstanding Greek Revival Mansion it is today, enabling it to be listed on the National Register.

After our evening meal we will take in a candlelight tour of one of the outstanding antebellum mansions before returning to our hotel for a well-deserved good night's rest!

**DAY TWO:** After a delicious Hot Breakfast our Quality Inn home we will board our deluxe Motor coach with our local Step-on guide for a great day of touring the spectacular mansions of Eufaula. We will learn why Eufaula has one of the largest collections of pristine antebellum (pre civil war) mansions in the South, as we soak in the beauty and rich history of this friendly small town. We expect to visit and tour at least five to ten homes during our visit to Eufaula. For our noontime activities today, we will visit the Eufaula Country Club for an **included Picnic on the Porch!**

After lunch we will visit the **“Living Wax Museum”** and tour the historic Library followed by a tour of the Episcopal Church. At the Episcopal Church there will be an amazing Tablescape display giving you inspiration for all your Holiday Decorating! Our step-on guide is with us each day to assist us in learning more about Eufaula’s heritage. This evening our dinner, a **Delicious Southern Barbeque** is included, as well as visiting more Antebellum homes. Finally, after a long, exciting day of touring one of the most beautiful historic cities in the South we will return to our hotel for a good night’s rest.



**DAY THREE:** Begin your day again with our hotel’s hot breakfast. Board our bus and we are off to begin our day with our local step on guide. We will tour a couple more historic Antebellum Homes this morning followed by **lunch on your own** downtown and an Art Show and a little shopping time. This afternoon we will depart for our enroute stay at the delightful **Valdosta Drury Inn**. Our home for the night is the Drury Inn. Drury Inns offer their guests an incredible array of amenities including arrival refreshments, complimentary in-room coffee, deluxe continental breakfast (hot & cold), also, evening cocktails and the **FREE 5:30 KICKBACK!** from 5:30 – 7:00 PM. Drury has increased their evening food offerings to always include salad and baked potato bar, nacho bar, snack mix, chips, carrots, celery and dip. There will also be items such as broccoli cheddar soup, macaroni and cheese, breaded chicken strips, boneless buffalo-style chicken wings, and chili dogs offered on a rotating basis. We will call this our **“Drury Dinner”**. The delicious, very deluxe continental breakfast Drury has always offered includes eggs, sausage, self-serve waffle maker, yogurt, fresh fruit, juices, milk & cereal, bagels, biscuits and gravy & more. Relax this evening and prepare for tomorrow’s adventures.

**DAY FOUR:** After our included **Drury Hot Breakfast**, it will be time to head back to sunny Florida as we share our wonderful memories of this charming and gorgeous Southern community! Today will be a great time to plan your next Travel Is Fun Tour and book it with your professional Tour Director!

**COST: \$619 per person twin, Or \$769 per person single.**

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