

# Cherry Blossoms in WASHINGTON, D.C.

The cherry blossoms signal Washington's rite of spring with an explosion of life and color, surrounding the Tidal Basin in a sea of pale pink and white blossoms. Washington itself is a city of treasures—some that we all know about like the Smithsonian Museums, the monuments, the National Cathedral, the Capitol Building, and the White House—others will surprise us as we become familiar with this historic city.

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**PER PERSON PRICE:**

**\$1,776.00** Double Occupancy  
\$2,495.00 Single Occupancy

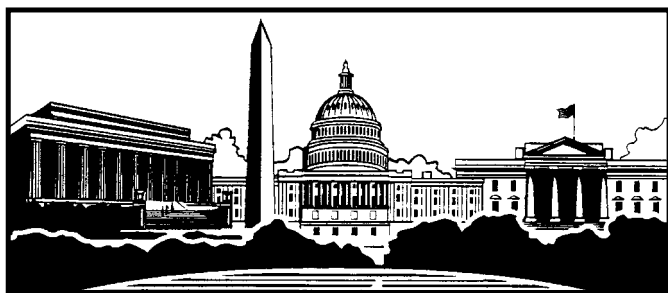
**NO  
HOTEL  
CHANGES**

**DAY 1 HOME / WASHINGTON**

We fly to Washington where we lodge for six nights. Our hotel is located just one block from the Smithsonian Mall near the Air & Space Museum, the beautiful new American Indian Museum, and the National Gallery of Art.

**DAY 2 CHERRY BLOSSOMS / CITY TOUR**

Our local guide shows us our nation's capital starting with the cherry blossoms and the classic Jefferson Memorial in the Tidal Basin. We also see the federal buildings, the White House, the Capitol Building, the Smithsonian museums, the foreign embassies, and Georgetown. Then we tour the gothic National Cathedral, the sixth largest in the world. During our free afternoon we visit our favorite Washington attractions.



**DAY 3 MOUNT VERNON / MEMORIALS**

We drive to Mount Vernon, George Washington's impressive home on the Potomac River for 40 years. We can tour the Mansion house, a dozen outbuildings, Washington's tomb, and the Museum & Education Center. Back in Washington we see the new Air Force, World War II, and FDR memorials. The Lincoln, the Vietnam War, and the Korean War memorials complete our day.

**DAY 4 FREE DAY**

From our hotel's central location by the Smithsonian Mall, the country's finest museums are near at hand. We could spend all day at the National Gallery of Art with its special exhibition, *From Impressionism to Modernism: The Chester Dale Collection*. Or choose from the Museum of the American Indian, Air & Space Museum, American History Museum, Holocaust Memorial Museum, Arts and Industries Museum, Corcoran Gallery of Art, Natural History Museum, Freer Gallery of Art, and many more. Scores of other attractions near the city center are just a short cab ride away.

**April 1 - 7, 2011**  
**7 Days**

**New  
Tour!**



**From Impressionism  
to Modernism:  
The Chester Dale  
Collection**

features 83 of the finest French and American paintings in the collection, the most valuable ever bequeathed to the National Gallery of Art. Artists represented include: Renoir, Cassatt, Manet, Picasso, Bellows, Cezanne, Degas, van Gogh, Matisse, Modigliani, Monet, and Corot.

**DAY 5 WHITE HOUSE / CAPITOL BUILDING**

We tour the White House, home of our president. Then we visit the Jefferson Building of the Library of Congress, one of America's most beautiful buildings. We also tour the Capitol Building where our senators and congressmen pass laws. At Ford's Theater & the Petersen House we see where Lincoln was shot and where he died.

**DAY 6 HILLWOOD / FREE TIME**

The air is fresh along the Potomac River as we again walk among the blossoming cherry trees of the Tidal Basin. Then we visit Hillwood, the former home of Marjorie Merriweather Post. It has a peerless collection of furniture and decorative art. Beautiful formal, Japanese, and rose gardens surround the house. More free time this afternoon.

**DAY 7 ARLINGTON CEMETERY / HOME**

We cross the Potomac River to Arlington Cemetery. Here we visit the Women in Military Service Memorial, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, and JFK's grave site. We return to the Washington airport for our late afternoon flight home.

**TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:**

- Roundtrip Airfare from Albuquerque to Washington (Not including airline baggage and in-flight charges)
- Transportation by Deluxe Motorcoach
- 6 Nights' Lodging in Washington near the Mall
- Admission to All Listed Attractions
- Baggage Handling at Hotel (for one piece)
- \$100,000.00 Flight Insurance
- Your Professional SUN TOURS Tour Director
- All Taxes and Tips for Included Items

**DEPOSIT:** \$100.00 Per Person NOW Holds Your Place

**FINAL PAYMENT DUE:** January 26, 2011

**CANCELLATION FEES:**

None .....Through January 26, 2011  
\$100.00 .....January 27 - February 22, 2011  
\$750.00 .....After February 22, 2011

*Cancellation Insurance is Recommended*

This itinerary is subject to change due to security and traffic conditions. We will make every effort to secure passes for the White House and Capitol Building tours through our congressmen but the tour passes cannot be guaranteed. The tour is scheduled in prime cherry blossoming time. However, the cherry blossoms cannot be guaranteed.