

## *Panhandle Seniors*

# Biltmore's Candlelight Christmas

4 Days November 13-16, 2024

*Travel to Asheville, NC for a Candlelight Tour of the Biltmore Estate. America's largest home is filled with music, evergreen garland, poinsettias, dozens of Christmas trees and a magnificent 35-foot tall Fraser Fir with twinkling Christmas tree lights - it's literally glowing with holiday spirit. This tour includes a Candlelight Dinner, Antler Village, the Biltmore Winery and the Chihuly Exhibit at Biltmore.*

### **Tour Highlights:**

- **Biltmore Estate:**
  - Daylight Christmas House Tour
  - The Chihuly Exhibit at Biltmore
  - Antler Hill and Winery
  - Candlelight Christmas Dinner
  - Candlelight Evening Tour
- **First White House of the Confederacy**
- **Three Nights Lodging**
  - One Night, Hampton Inn Duluth, GA
  - One Night, Hampton Inn Asheville, NC
  - One Night, Hilton Garden Inn Montgomery, AL
- **Three Breakfasts**
- **Two Dinners**
- **All tips & taxes on these services**
- **Luggage Handling (as available)**
- **Motorcoach Transportation**
- **Driver's Gratuity**

### **Per Person Prices**

**\$1,049** DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

\$999 TRIPLE...\$949...\$1,299 SINGLE

\$400 per person deposit due with reservation  
Final Payment due September 20, 2024

### Cancellation Waiver is Available

\$90 per person Double & Single Occupancy  
\$70 per person Triple & Quad Occupancy

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**Day 1 – Duluth, GA** – Travel today takes you to Duluth, GA where you enjoy an overnight stay at the Hampton Inn & Suites. Dinner is included this evening at a local restaurant. **(D)**



**Day 2 – Asheville, NC – Antler Village – Biltmore Winery - Biltmore Candlelight Evening Tour** - After breakfast at the hotel, depart Duluth for Asheville, NC. Arrive at the Biltmore Estate in time today for lunch on own at Antler Village. Step into the everyday lives of families who lived on the estate raising livestock, tending crops, and working at Biltmore Dairy in the 1890s.



The Barn in Antler Hill Village – once the social and work center for these families – is alive again with blacksmiths, woodworkers, and other craft demonstrations; The Barn Door featuring a unique selection of American made arts and crafts items; and a Smokehouse offering Carolina barbeque, quick sandwiches, and other Southern favorites.

This afternoon, enjoy a tasting at the winery. At the Biltmore Winery you delight in free wine tastings and a redesigned self-guided tour to learn how they make award-winning wines.

Dinner this evening is included at the Stable Café. Enjoy house-smoked meats, Carolina barbeque, grilled burgers, and other southern favorites in a historic setting that was once the estate's horse stable.

Tonight, enjoy a Candlelight Tour of the Biltmore Estate. Biltmore captures the magic of the holidays with grandeur, style and sheer wonder with more than 40 trees decorated by their talented staff, plus miles of ribbon and garland. Candlelight, firelight, dramatic outdoor illuminations, live music and entertainment accent the extravagant holiday decor of Biltmore House, creating an evening to remember. Audio is included. Then check into the Hampton Inn for the night. **(B,D)**

**Day 3 - Biltmore House Tour & Gardens – Chihuly Exhibit – Montgomery, AL** – This morning, tour the Biltmore House, America's largest privately owned home, and cross the threshold into a world of beauty virtually unchanged for more than a century Savor a self-guided visit to Biltmore House exploring grand spaces filled with masterpieces of art and stunning antiques.

Your visit to Biltmore will also include the Chihuly at Biltmore Exhibit. Featured in museums and gardens around the world, Dale Chihuly's awe-inspiring works have captivated millions. Specially curated for Biltmore, a new experience of the world-renowned artist's iconic creations debuts this spring in the intimate gallery setting of Amherst at Deerpark.

Following the tour, depart for Montgomery, AL where you enjoy an overnight stay at the Hilton Garden Inn. Dinner is on your own this evening. **(B)**

**Day 4 - First White House of the Confederacy – Depart for Home** - After breakfast, tour the First White House of the Confederacy, the Executive Residence of President Jefferson Davis and family while the capitol of the Confederacy was in Montgomery, Alabama. Then depart for home. **(B)**