



## Join the Aggies on a Road Trip through the South! Including USU Aggies vs. Wake Forest Demon Deacons football game!

August 27<sup>th</sup> – September 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019



**\$1,695.00** Per Person

Based on two people sharing one room

Airfare is available starting at \$435\*

\*Several airline schedules are available. Ask for details at the time you make your reservations.



### Hosted by Dr. F. Ross Peterson



Dr. Peterson has hosted numerous Aggie trips to the historical highlights of America and looks forward to hosting this tour in conjunction with the USU vs. Wake Forest football game. Dr. Peterson graduated from USU with a degree in History. He received his PhD in American Studies from Washington State University in 1968. After three years at the University of Texas at Arlington, he returned to USU in 1971 where he served as Professor of American history for thirty-three years. In 1986, he established the Mountain West Center and served as its director for over a decade. He was President of Deep Springs College in California from 2004-2007 before returning to USU as Vice President for Advancement, where he helped conduct the University's first comprehensive campaign. Author of numerous books on the American West, Ross maintains that his great love is teaching. In 1998, Governor Michael Leavitt and Utah Humanities Council presented him with the Governor's Outstanding Humanist Award for the state of Utah, and in 2015 he was named the Wayne Aspinall Chair in Western history at Colorado Mesa University. Ross and his wife, Kay, are the parents of three married sons and have eleven grandchildren.

## Trip Itinerary:

### August 27<sup>th</sup> – SLC to Raleigh Durham

Flight departs Salt Lake City to Raleigh Durham. There will be an Aggie Alumni gathering tonight at the historic Crossroads Diner Chapel Hill near the hotel.

Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott. Meals: Welcome Dinner at Crossroads Diner.

### August 28<sup>th</sup> – The Research Triangle

The University of North Carolina is the oldest public university in the United States and features the Morehead Planetarium and Science Center, and the iconic Dean Smith basketball museum. Duke University is only seven miles away and is home of the famous Duke Chapel as well as the Indoor Cameron Arena. In Raleigh, we will see the spectacular North Carolina state capitol building.

Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott.

Meals: Breakfast at the hotel.

### August 29<sup>th</sup> – Greensboro

Today we ride to Greensboro, North Carolina, home to the famous Guilford Court House National Battlefield that was a turning point in the American Revolution. We will also visit the International Civil Rights Center Museum which exhibits the 1960 Sit-in movement which began in this city. In the evening the group travels to Winston-Salem and visit the Old Salem Museum and Garden.

Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott.

Meals: Breakfast at the hotel



### August 30<sup>th</sup> – Winston Salem – Game Day

We will continue our visit of Old Salem and include a tour of the Reynolds House Museum of American Art near the Wake Forest campus. We will join the Aggie faithful from the mid-Atlantic states, parents of players, and the traveling party for a pregame function at the Wake Forest Stadium followed by the USU vs Wake Forest game.

Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott.

Meals: Breakfast at the hotel and pregame tailgate with USU.

### August 31<sup>st</sup> – Rural North Carolina

Leave early and travel the Blue Ridge Parkway to historic Ashville, NC. Home of the legendary Biltmore Mansion, built by George Washington Vanderbilt. This 225-room estate includes many acres of gardens and will leave a lasting impression. The Thomas Wolfe State Park is dedicated to the celebrated NC author of *You Can't Go Home Again*. Finally, we will visit the Chimney Rock State Park.

Hotel: Hyatt Greenville.

Meals: Breakfast at the hotel.



### September 1<sup>st</sup> – Atlanta

This morning we will visit Shoeless Joe Jackson State Park, a tribute to the hero of the movie *Field of Dreams*, before driving the rest of the way to Atlanta. Enjoy lunch at SIX FEET UNDER, the famous brewpub adjacent to the Atlanta Cemetery. Then off to see the Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum. Tonight, prepare for the best of Southern Style Cooking at the Alumni Dinner at Mary Mac's Tea Room.

Hotel: Atlanta Hilton.

Meals: Breakfast, Lunch, & Farewell Dinner provided.

### September 2<sup>nd</sup> – Atlanta

Explore some of the amazing sites Atlanta has to offer. The Martin Luther King, Jr. National Historic District including Ebenezer Baptist Church, the birthplace, and the Museum are a must see. In the afternoon we will travel to the new Atlanta Braves Stadium for a Labor Day afternoon game against the Toronto Blue Jays. (1:20 p.m.).

Late flight back to SLC

Meals: Breakfast at the hotel

## Trip Includes:

- Daily Breakfast
- Accommodations in hotels as listed
- Aggie Alumni gathering
- Tickets to the USU vs. Wake Forest game
- Dinner at Crossroads Diner
- Morehead Planetarium and Science Center
- Dean Smith basketball museum
- Duke Chapel
- Cameron Arena
- North Carolina State Capitol Building
- Guilford Court House National Battlefield
- International Civil Rights Center Museum
- Old Salem Museum and Garden
- Reynolds House Museum of American Art
- Pregame function
- Biltmore Mansion
- Thomas Wolfe State Park
- Shoeless Joe Jackson State Park
- Lunch at Six Feet Under, Atlanta
- Jimmy Carter Presidential Library and Museum
- Alumni Dinner at Mary Mac's Team Room, Atlanta
- Martin Luther King, Jr. National Historic District
- Ebenezer Baptist Church
- Braves vs. Toronto Blue Jays baseball game

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**Final Payment Due:** June 28, 2019

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