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A Tour of the Past

YOUR WEEKEND BEGINS upon your arrival at the French Quarter Inn, located at Limestone Landing on the peaceful Ohio River. The hotel's courteous staff will provide you with a comfortable stay, plus everything you need to have a wonderful weekend!

Begin Saturday, July 23 with breakfast at the Inn. Meet your Parker Travel representative in the lobby at 9:45 a.m. to board the bus for a personal tour of important stops along the Underground Railroad in Mason County, Ky. and Ripley, Oh.

Arrive at Phillip's Folly at 10 a.m. where you will meet historian Jerry Gore, great-great grandson of Addison White, a Fleming County slave who escaped to Ohio in 1856 via the Underground Railroad.

Guests will visit several sites during the all-day tour, including The National Underground Railroad Museum in the Bierbower House, the lawn of the Old Washington Courthouse where "Uncle Tom's Cabin" author Harriett Beecher Stowe witnessed a slave auction, Paxton Inn, owned by abolitionist James Paxton and the Rankin House in Ripley, Ohio, where runaway slaves first set foot and found shelter on free land.

You will be transported back in time as Gore enthalls visitors with stories of the travelers and operators of the Underground Railroad, singing songs that were popular with slaves as he guides you through one of the darkest and brightest stories of American history.

Return to the hotel around 5 p.m. to relax and freshen up before dinner at Caproni's.

Breakfast Sunday at the Inn and checkout before joining your Parker Travel representative for a walking tour of downtown Maysville, which was settled by Simon Kenton and Daniel Boone in the late 1700s. See the theater where singing sensation Rosemary Clooney premiered her first starring film, "The Stars Are Singing," the church where she grew up, married and was buried and stand on the corner where she and her sister, Betty sang as children.

PACKAGE INCLUDES:

- Two-night accommodations at The French Quarter Inn, Downtown Maysville (Includes breakfast buffet).
- Dinner Friday at Moyer's Winery & Restaurant, Manchester, Ohio (Includes soup or salad, entrée, and beverage).
- Catered box lunch Saturday (Includes meal and beverage).
- Dinner Saturday at Caproni's on the River, Downtown Maysville (Includes soup or salad, entrée and beverage).
- Lunch Sunday at Chandler's, Downtown Maysville, (Includes salad, entrée and beverage).
- Entry for two to the Kentucky Gateway Museum Center.

PRICE:

\$240 per person (Based on Double occupancy; single and triple rates are available).

