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Charms of the Chesapeake

Baltimore, Annapolis, St. Michaels, Oxford, Virginia Beach, & Norfolk
A GUARANTEED DEPARTURE – Groups and Individuals

❖ **September 23 – 30, 2016** ❖
8 Days – 7 Nights
Optional Post Night Available

Contact Us

Nestled between the Atlantic Ocean and Chesapeake Bay are cities, villages, countryside, the Intracoastal Waterway, and a culture dating back centuries. The history of our nation, including the Revolutionary War and the War of 1812, is tightly woven around the Bay and its tributaries. Experience a Maryland Style Crab Feast; walk the Yard with cadets at the Naval Academy; see the mighty warships of the awesome Atlantic Fleet in Norfolk; dine on the delicious bounty of the Bay; visit historic sites, museums, and attractions. Stay on the oceanfront and stroll the beach.

Day 1 – Arrivals

Arrive at Baltimore Washington International Airport and meet our full-time escort. Depart on the motorcoach transfer and check into our hotel. Enjoy a welcome dinner this evening at the Inner Harbor of Baltimore. **Courtyard Baltimore BWI Airport, Linthicum Heights, MD. (D)**

Day 2 – Baltimore

Breakfast is included at our hotels each morning. This morning, depart for a guided tour of historic Baltimore and its diverse neighborhoods. Enjoy free time at the Inner Harbor. After lunch on your own, see a panoramic view of Baltimore from the Top of the World. Tour the B&O Railroad Museum. Enjoy dinner and a show this evening at Toby's Dinner Theatre, Baltimore. **Courtyard Baltimore BWI Airport, Linthicum Heights, MD. (B,D)**

Day 3 – Baltimore, Annapolis

Today, we depart for a patriotic flag raising at Fort McHenry. Continue to Annapolis for free time and lunch on your own in the Harbor area. After lunch, begin a guided tour of historic Annapolis, home to more surviving colonial buildings than anywhere else. Next, we'll stop for a photo opportunity of the Maryland State House and tour of the U.S. Naval Academy. Continue to Kent Narrows Island and check into our hotel. Enjoy

a Maryland Style Crab Feast this evening. **Hilton Garden Inn Kent Island, Grasonville, MD (B,D)**

Day 4 – St. Michaels, Oxford

Check out and depart for St. Michaels, 'The Town that Fooled the British'. Visit the Chesapeake Bay Maritime Museum and the Hooper Straight Light. Enjoy lunch on your own in the charming harbor area. This afternoon, board our cruise for a tour of the Miles River, a beautiful arm of the Chesapeake Bay. Later, board the ferry to historic Oxford. Arrive and enjoy dinner at the Robert Morris Inn. After dinner, check into our hotel for the night. **Holiday Inn Express, Cambridge, MD (B,D)**

Day 5 – Eastern Shore, Virginia Beach

This morning, check out and depart for a tour of the Ward Museum of Wildfowl Art. Continue along the Eastern Shore peninsula to Virginia Beach. Stop and enjoy lunch on your own enroute. Arrive at the tip of the peninsula and cross the Chesapeake Bay Bridge-Tunnel, designated one of the seven engineering wonders of the modern world. Stop at a man-made island in the middle of the bridge. Continue to Virginia Beach and check into our oceanfront hotel. Enjoy dinner at a popular seafood restaurant overlooking a picturesque inlet. **Country Inn & Suites, Virginia Beach, VA (B,D)**

