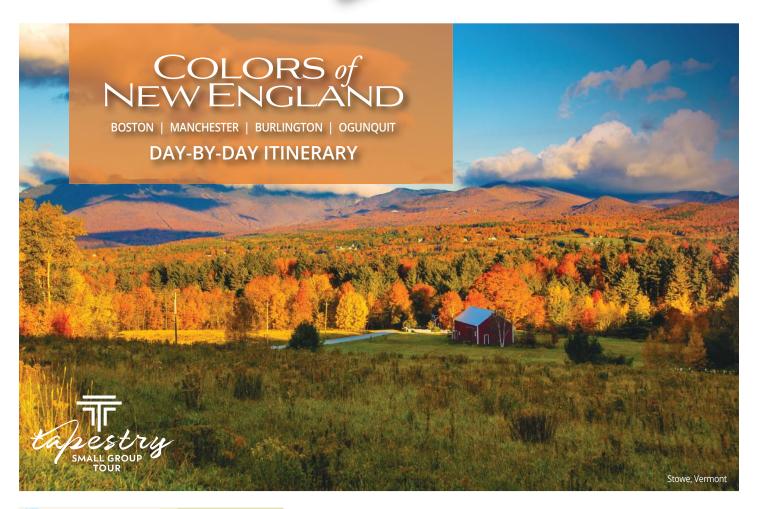
COUNTRY HERITAGE TOURS

QUILTOURS





OCTOBER 5 – 11, 2024

HAND-SELECTED HOTELS

BOSTON: Hotel AKA Back Bay **MANCHESTER:** DoubleTree by Hilton

Manchester Downtown

BURLINGTON: Hilton Burlington

Lake Champlain

OGUNQUIT: Anchorage by the Sea

6 NIGHTS

Hotel accommodations, including baggage handling

9 MEALS

American breakfast 3 daily, 1 lunch 0, 2 dinners 0

DEPARTURE TRANSFER

Return transportation to Boston Logan International Airport (BOS)

TOP-RATED HIGHLIGHTS

- Kick-off Welcome Meeting
- Lull Farm
- Pickity Place Luncheon and Gardens
- LaBelle Winery Tour and Wine Tasting
- Canterbury Shaker Village
- Quilted Threads Fabric Shop
- Shelburne Museum
- Trapp Family Lodge Dinner
- Morse Farm Maple Sugarworks
- Woodstock, Vermont
- Quechee Gorge
- · Kennebunkport, Maine
- The Marginal Way and Perkins Cove
- Nubble Lighthouse
- Walker's Point Scenic Drive
- Customary New England Farewell Dinner
- Boston Panoramic City Tour
- Historic Faneuil Hall
- Freedom Trail

COLORS OF NEW ENGLAND DAY-BY-DAY ITINERARY

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DAY 1 ARRIVE BOSTON - TOUR BEGINS

Welcome to **New England**, where the vibrant hues of autumn leaves will be your backdrop for the next seven days. Your adventure begins in **Boston**, savor the crisp fall air and marvel at the kaleidoscope of changing colors. The city's blend of Colonial history and modern appeal sets the stage for our journey. Gather with your fellow quilting enthusiasts and meet your **Tour Manager** at our evening **Welcome Meeting**, the perfect opportunity to build bonds over shared interests and anticipation for the journey ahead.

DAY 2 BOSTON - MANCHESTER

Our journey takes us north into the heart of **New England**, to the verdant **New Hampshire** landscape. Our first stop is a family-run farm, a living testament to the region's deep-rooted farming heritage. At the picturesque **Lull Farm**, you'll learn about the traditional methods of **cider-making**, immersing yourself in the rustic charm of rural life. Indulge in a warm cider donut while you soak in views of sunflower fields and apple orchards. Next, we venture to **Pickity Place**, a rustic cottage in the woods, for a quaint **farm-to-table lunch**. The day concludes with an enriching **wine tour and tasting** at the acclaimed **LaBelle Winery**, offering a glimpse into the intricacies of wine production.



DAY 3 MANCHESTER - CANTERBURY - BURLINGTON

Following a hearty breakfast, we travel through serene farmlands to **Canterbury Shaker Village**. Here, step back in time and explore the unique living history of the Shaker community. Witness the community's strong values of hard work and unity with nature as you stroll through diligently maintained gardens and restored buildings. Later, a visit to **Quilted Threads** in Henniker provides a chance to indulge in luscious quilting cottons and sewing materials. After exploring this quilter's paradise, enjoy a **scenic drive through the Green Mountains'** vibran t hues to **reach Burlington**, a city embodying New England's spirit. **3**

DAY 4 BURLINGTON - STOWE

The day begins at the extraordinary **Shelburne Museum**, a rich repository of art, design, and Americana. Every artifact here tells a story, creating a tapestry of history and culture. After immersing yourself in the museum's **private quilt collection**, explore the charm of downtown Burlington independently. Tonight, we'll escort you to the delightful town of **Stowe**. Here, you're in for a culinary treat with an **Austrian dinner at the Trapp Family Lodge**, rounding off the day with a flavorful experience. **3 1**



DAY 5 BURLINGTON - MONTPELIER - WOODSTOCK - OGUNQUIT

Our journey continues through scenic **Montpelier**, noted for its beautifully adorned Victorian homes and the historic State House. At **Morse Farm Maple Sugarworks**, uncover the centuries-old tradition of maple sugaring, a distinctive aspect of Vermont's heritage. Next, visit the charming village of **Woodstock**, a quintessential New England treasure showcasing a stunning historic covered bridge and local boutiques. Later, travel over breathtaking **Quechee Gorge** as we transition from Vermont's verdant landscapes to **Maine's captivating coastline**. ③

DAY 6 OGUNQUIT - KENNEBUNKPORT

Wake up in the picturesque seaside town of **Ogunquit, Maine**. Take the morning to explore the charming village, where coastal serenity and the sweet scent of beach roses set the tone. Later, relish a delectable lobster roll in downtown **Kennebunkport**, a culinary icon synonymous with Maine. The afternoon offers a **scenic coastal drive** with a visit to the iconic **Nubble Lighthouse**, a beacon of Maine's maritime history. Return to Ogunquit for a stroll along the historic **Marginal Way**, which leads to **Perkins Cove** where we'll enjoy a customary **New England Farewell Dinner** at the locally famous Barnacle Billy's. **9**

DAY 7 OGUNQUIT - BOSTON - TOUR ENDS

Our journey concludes in Boston, a city steeped in rich history and timeless charm. Traverse the city's historic landmarks, including the sights from the **Freedom Trail**, **Fenway Park**, and **Paul Revere's house**, symbol of the American Revolution. Savor a farewell lunch at the bustling **Faneuil Hall Marketplace**, a food-lover's paradise, before we bid our goodbyes at Boston's Logan Airport. As you leave, you'll carry beautiful memories and treasured friendships from this heartwarming New England fall adventure. ③



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