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Cane River National Heritage Area

A Unique Creole Heritage

Cane River National Heritage Area located in Natchitoches is a largely rural, agricultural landscape known for its historic plantations, Creole architecture and multicultural legacy. Historically, this 116,000 acre region lies at the intersection of French and Spanish colonial realms.

Today, it is home to a unique blend of cultures, including French, Spanish, African, American Indian and Creole.

Experience the stories of this region as you travel the Cane River National Heritage Trail, a Louisiana Scenic Byway. Stretching from the Spanish presidio of Los Adaes to the southern tip of Natchitoches Parish, the highways and byways of the Cane River Region will engage you whether your interest is in historic plantations, military history, Creole culture and cuisine, or the scenic beauty of the area's lakes, rivers and forest.

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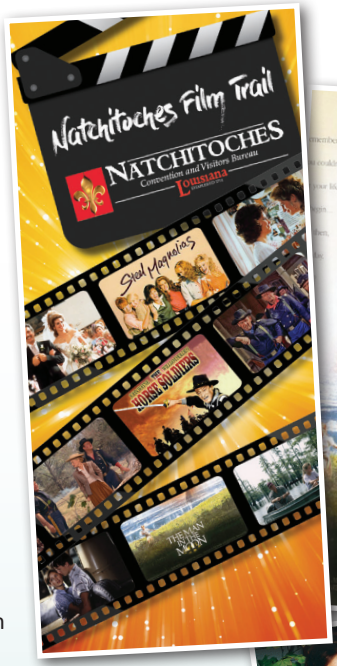
Natchitoches Film Trail



In 1989, Natchitoches achieved national spotlight with the premiere of the classic southern movie ***Steel Magnolias***. This movie was based on a true story about the citizens of Natchitoches. Mr. Robert Harling, a native of Natchitoches, wrote about the bond among a group of women surrounding the family experience with the death of Harling's sister, Susan Harling Robinson in 1985. The title suggests the main female characters can be both as delicate as the magnolia and as tough as steel. In 1988, filming began in Natchitoches with A-list actors such as Sally Field, Julia Roberts, Shirley MacLaine, Dolly Parton, Olympia Dukakis and Daryl Hannah.

Natchitoches has been the site for other movies such as the 1959 war film ***The Horse Soldiers*** starring John Wayne, Constance Towers and William Holden.

The movie was filmed on location at Oakland Plantation now a National Park along the historic Cane River region In the early 90's, Academy Award winning actress Reese Witherspoon made her acting debut in ***The Man In The Moon***.

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Bed & Breakfast

Natchitoches Historic District

Property Name	# of Rooms	Pets	Description
****Creole Cottage on Cane River** 319 rue Jefferson (318) 413-0579 • (318) 352-7490 www.creolecottage.net innkeeper@creolecottage.net	4	No	Located on Cane River in the historic district. Amenities galore, private entrances, private baths, king beds and continental breakfast. No children under 12.
Ducournau Townhouse 752 Front St. (318) 471-4049	4	No	Historic townhouse with balcony overlooking Front St. and Cane River Lake. Antique beds, private baths and breakfast.
Elizabeth Lane Guesthouse 228 Henry Ave. (409) 489-9010	4	Yes	Rent the whole house with 4 suites with private baths, internet, TV-DVD player and Netflix, back screened in porch with wicker furniture and self-catering. Vacation home rental, 2 night minimum.

Good House B&B 314 Rue Poete (318) 332-5195 thegoodhousebandb.com	4	No	Overlooking Bayou Amulet. An English cottage, built in 1930 and restored in 2013. Furnished with antiques, updated decor, and amenities. Four rooms with on-suite bathrooms, common areas, pool, and fresh southern breakfast.
Green Gables & Camellia Cottage 201 Pine St. (318) 352-5580 www.virtualcities.com/la/greengables.htm	3	No	Queen Anne Victorian House. Camellia Cottage is a perfect romantic retreat. Large porches, full breakfast and other amenities. Walking distance to shops.

****Located on Cane River Lake.**