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## FOLLOWING IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF CLARA BARTON STUDY TOUR THE RED CROSS FROM THE CIVIL WAR TO TODAY

You are invited to join a Washington, D.C. based small tour to follow in the footsteps of Clara Barton.

Learn from historians and other Clara Barton experts about her life and journey to create the Red Cross. Travel to sites of historical significance.

## Highlights will include:

- Pry House Field Hospital Museum
- Antietam Battlefield
- Office of Missing Soldiers
- American Red Cross-National Headquarters
- Library of Congress
- National Museum of Civil War Medicine
- Clara Barton National Historic Site



**When:** June 3-7, 2024. Starting with an orientation dinner on Monday, June 3 and ending before lunch on Friday, June 7.

Where: Washington D.C. and surrounding area

Accommodations: Embassy Suites, Georgetown/ Washington D.C.

**Cost:** TBD, but will include hotel, most meals, bus transportation and site entrance fees. Travel to and from Washington, D.C. is on your own. Due to the "cost only"/low cost of this tour, a donation to the American Red Cross is suggested and appreciated (more on this later).

**TOUR IS LIMITED TO 35 PEOPLE/First Come First Served.** Reservations will be taken starting on Tuesday, January 9 only (to give everyone a fair chance of signing up.) I will let everyone know if you made it in or if you are on the wait list. Due to the demand of this tour, it may be repeated the following year. Directions for sign up will be sent the first week in January. Contact Sue Hassmiller at shassmiller@gmail.com if you have questions.