

Take a walk back in time...

to where the West began. Leavenworth the "First City of Kansas", invites you to step back in time and explore the rich history of Leavenworth by visiting our Historic Wayside Tour.

Waysides are interactive displays located throughout Leavenworth that feature unique local artwork depicting images of significant historical people, structures or events associated with that site. There are 13 Waysides located in the riverfront downtown area that can be experienced as a walking tour as well as 7 Waysides as a driving tour.

From President Abraham Lincoln, to Buffalo Bill Cody, Susan B. Anthony, the Star of the West Saloon, the Underground Railroad, and our African-American "Unsung Heroes", we know you will be captivated by Leavenworth's abundant history. The citizens of Leavenworth, past and present, are eager to share their warm hospitality and unique history and heritage with you.

You can begin your walking tour at marker #1 located at the beautiful Leavenworth Landing Park that runs adjacent to the Missouri River, or start the driving tour wherever you please. (Please refer to the map on the inside of this brochure for more information).



Leavenworth, Kansas



CONVENTION AND VISITORS BUREAU

Leavenworth

The First City of
Kansas

1854

Leavenworth Historic Wayside Tour

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16 Federal Prison

Metropolitan Ave

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Fort Leavenworth
Visitors Center

Wayside Tour
Map



Pottawatomie St

Shawnee St

Cheyenne St

Pawnee St

Dakota St

Kiowa St

Kickapoo St

Ottawa St

Osage St

Miami St

Seneca St

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N Esplanade St

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N 5th St

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N 7th St

N 10th St

Broadway St

Delaware St

Cherokee St

Choctaw St

Walnut St

Olive St

Harvey House

Fred Harvey House

Chestnut St

S Esplanade St

S 2nd St

S 3rd St

S 4th St

S 5th St

S Broadway St

Thornton St

Limit St

Pennsylvania St

Carroll Mansion

University of St. Mary

Historic Leavenworth

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92 Spruce St

WALKING TOUR:

- 1 The Port of Leavenworth, 1854 to 1875
- 2 "Manufacturing Metropolis of the Midwest"
- 3 Carry A. Nation "Cyclone Carry"

- 4 William F. Cody "Buffalo Bill"
- 5 The Star of the West Saloon
- 6 Russell, Majors & Waddell
- 7 Stockton Hall
- 8 "The Liberator and the Assassin"
- 9 "Our Jewish Heritage"
- 10 General William Tecumseh Sherman "Local Lawyer & Total Warrior"
- 11 The Great Railroad Era
- 12 Lincoln at the Planters December 5, 1859
- 13 Bleeding Kansas 1854 To 1861
- 14 The Anthonys
- 15 Susan B., Women's Champion Daniel R., Publisher & Patriot

DRIVING TOUR:

- 14 Unsung Heroes
- 16 Federal Prison
- 17 Broadway Homes
- 18 Fred Harvey House
- 19 Carroll Mansion
- 20 University of St. Mary
- 21 Historic Leavenworth

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