

# HISTORIC TOUR - ISLE OF SKYE

With *Serenity Scotland* and Augusta

*In the foot-steps  
of  
Flora MacDonald*



**Day One:** Leave Fort Augustus for Mallaig where the ferry will be taken to reach the MacDonald Clan Centre, the Armadale Castle.

This is the place where Flora married Allan MacDonald on the 6<sup>th</sup> of November 1750.

By 1650 there were two farmhouses at Armadale, but after 1690 the family moved back to Duntulm Castle at the north end of Skye. The farm and gardens at Armadale were looked after by various other MacDonalds. Lunch at the castle.



The second stop will be at Dunvegan Castle, home of Clan MacLeod for 800 years. In the aftermath of the 1745 Jacobite Uprising, Flora MacDonald helped Bonnie Prince Charlie escape by boat from the Outer Hebrides to the Isle of Skye at the dead of night. MacLeod of MacLeod, the clan chief at Dunvegan, was on the side of the Government in pursuit of Bonnie Prince Charlie. Flora's daughter, despite her mother having helped the prince against the efforts of MacLeod, married the tutor to the young Chief of MacLeod some thirty years later, and daughter and spouse both lived in the castle at Dunvegan. Because of this connection, some personal Jacobite relics can be seen in one room.

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**Day Two: Leave Dunvegan for Trotternish, Flodigarry, Kingsburgh, Portree, and Inverness.**

**The third stop will be in Killmuir where you will find the grave of Flora MacDonald facing Uist. You will also have the possibility to visit the Museum of the Island Life.**



**The fourth stop will be the Duntulm Castle residence of the MacDonalds abandoned in 1730. It is waiting for a community trust to be able to take over ownership for restoration.**

**Lunch at the Flodigarry Country house Hotel.**



**Trotternish is an area of considerable historical interest with a fascinating association with the Jacobite Rebellion. Flora MacDonald, who saved Bonnie Prince Charlie's life lived also at Flodigarry.**

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**Day Two... continued: Leave Trotternish for Portree, Inverness and back to Fort Augustus.**

**A rapid visit of the town and a drink at the MacNab's Inn, place where Bonnie Prince Charlie bade farewell for the last time to Flora MacDonald.**



**On our way back to Fort Augustus, you will be able to see the Eilean Donan Castle which castle has been partially destroyed in a Jacobite uprising in 1719 and layed in ruins for around 200 years before Lieutenant Colonel MacRae-Gilstrap bought the island and proceeded with the restoration of the castle. It took 20 years to rebuilt and it was opened to the public in 1932.**



**In Inverness, capital of the Highlands, you will be able to see the statue of Flora MacDonald nearby the Castle. Visit of the Inverness Museum & Art Gallery.  
Shopping**

**Back to Fort Augustus.**

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