

Savannah, Tennessee, USA

A quiet Tennessee River town with enormous Civil War footprints — Shiloh's battlefield lies just 10 miles away, and Savannah's own storied streets connect you to Grant, gunboats, and Southern catfish tradition.

River dock (Wayne Jerrolds River Park)

Typical call: 6-8 hrs

USD

English

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____ Arrive: _____ All aboard: _____

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: River dock at Wayne Jerrolds River Park on the Tennessee River — ships tie up dockside, no tendering

Best For: Civil War history, river scenery, small-town Southern culture, catfish dining

Walk to center: Downtown Savannah is a short walk (~5 min) from the river park

Don't Miss: Shiloh National Military Park — one of the best-preserved Civil War battlefields in the US

🚗 Getting around: 🚗 **Taxi** ✅ Varies · 🚗 **Rideshare** ✅ Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Shiloh National Military Park** — One of the Civil War's bloodiest two-day battles (April 1862) is preserved across nearly 4,000 acres.
- **Tennessee River Museum** — Traces the Tennessee River Valley from prehistoric Native Americans and the Trail of Tears through the Civil War gunboat era to modern commerce.
- **Savannah Historic District Walk** — A self-guided 2-mile loop through 41 preserved historic homes and structures, the downtown Savannah Theater, and the old cemetery.
- **Pickwick Landing State Park** — A recreation hub on Pickwick Lake — roughly 43,000 acres of clear TVA reservoir water with fishing, hiking, birdwatching, and an 18-hole golf course.
- **Catfish Country Dining** — Savannah bills itself the "Catfish Capital of the World." Hagy's Catfish Hotel — a Tennessee institution since 1938 — serves legendary fried catfish...

BEST WALKS

- **Riverfront to Historic Downtown** 0.5 miles · Easy · 15-20 min — Stroll from Wayne Jerrolds River Park along the Tennessee River bank, past the riverfront park, into downtown Savannah's courthouse square.
- **Savannah Historic District Loop** 2 miles · Easy · 45-60 min — Pick up the self-guided brochure at the Tennessee River Museum and walk past 41 historic homes, Cherry Mansion (Grant's Civil War headquarters), the Savannah Theatre...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		76°	58°	9d
Jun		87°	72°	16d
Aug		88°	75°	22d
Sep		84°	70°	15d
Oct		78°	62°	8d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:55AM–7:53PM · Jun 6:17AM–8:32PM · Aug 6:49AM–8:07PM · Sep 7:08AM–7:29PM · Oct 7:28AM–6:51PM

USD

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Book Shiloh through your ship. It's the #1 reason to stop here and 10 miles from town — independent transport is very limited in this rural area.
- Eat the catfish. Savannah is the self-proclaimed "Catfish Capital of the World" — Hagy's Catfish Hotel is a genuine Tennessee institution worth the stop.
- Allow time for Shiloh. The battlefield is large; a rushed hour barely scratches the surface. Half a day is better for the full auto tour plus visitor center.
- Cash and cards both work. Downtown is small — most shops and restaurants accept cards, but carry some cash for the farmers market (Wednesdays).
- Heat warning in summer. Tennessee summers are hot and humid. Wear sunscreen and a hat, especially walking open battlefield terrain at Shiloh.
- Very walkable downtown, but not beyond. The historic district and museum are easy on foot; anything else (Shiloh, Pickwick Lake) requires a vehicle or ship excursion.

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This map shows the Savannah, Georgia area, with the Savannah River highlighted in blue. Numbered locations 1 through 6 are marked on the map. A scale bar in the bottom left corner indicates distances of 2 miles and 3 kilometers.

- Location 1:** Adams
- Location 2:** New
- Location 3:** Blakely
- Location 4:** Savannah
- Location 5:** Pittsburg
- Location 6:** Shiloh

Other labeled locations include Enville, Milledgeville, Lebanon, Saltito, Farmers Union Landing, Stringtown, Five Forks, Mount Zion, Morris Chapel, Sibley, Holtzville, Hookers Bend, Cerro Gordo, Centerville, Bucktown, Oak Grove, Good Hope, Hickory Flats, Bethlehem, Box Elder, Crump, Phillips, Olivet, New Hope, Mount Vinson, Stantonville, West Shiloh, Hurley, Shiloh, Nixon, West Hima, Austin, Maddox, and New Hope.

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