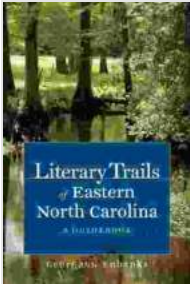


# Literary Trails of Eastern North Carolina: Unveiling the Tar Heel State's Hidden Literary Gems



## Literary Trails of Eastern North Carolina: A Guidebook (Literary Trails of North Carolina) by Georgann Eubanks

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Prepare to be captivated by the rich literary heritage of Eastern North Carolina. Embark on a journey through the places that inspired renowned authors and delve into the stories that have shaped the cultural landscape of the region.

## The Birthplace of Literary Legends

Eastern North Carolina has been the birthplace of some of the most celebrated authors in American literature. From the Pulitzer Prize-winning novelist Charles Frazier to the renowned historian David McCullough, the region has nurtured a wealth of literary talent.

Discover the humble beginnings of these literary giants at their former homes and writing studios. Imagine the creative process unfolding within these walls, as they poured their hearts and souls into their unforgettable works.

- Visit the childhood home of Charles Frazier, author of the Pulitzer Prize-winning novel "Cold Mountain," in Asheville.
- Explore the writing studio of David McCullough, renowned historian and Pulitzer Prize winner, in Tryon.
- Step into the literary world of Thomas Wolfe at the Thomas Wolfe Memorial in Asheville.

### **Places that Inspired Literary Masterpieces**

Eastern North Carolina's landscapes and landmarks have served as a backdrop for countless literary masterpieces. From the windswept beaches of the Outer Banks to the rolling hills of the Blue Ridge Mountains, the region's natural beauty has captivated authors for generations.

Walk in the footsteps of literary characters and experience the settings that ignited their imaginations. Discover the places that inspired the following works:

- Explore the Great Smoky Mountains National Park, the inspiration for Harper Lee's "To Kill a Mockingbird."
- Visit the Wright Brothers National Memorial in Kitty Hawk, where Wilbur and Orville Wright achieved their historic flight, immortalized in Howard Blum's "The Flight of the Century."

- Stroll along the beaches of Cape Hatteras National Seashore, the setting for Nicholas Sparks' "Nights in Rodanthe."

## **Literary Landmarks and Cultural Hubs**

Eastern North Carolina is home to a vibrant literary scene, with independent bookstores, charming libraries, and historic landmarks paying homage to the region's literary legacy.

Immerse yourself in the literary atmosphere at the following cultural hubs:

- Browse the shelves of Malaprop's Bookstore & Cafe in Asheville, one of the largest independent bookstores in the Southeast.
- Visit the Pack Memorial Library in Asheville, a stunning Beaux-Arts building housing a vast collection of literary works.
- Attend literary events and workshops at the North Carolina Writers' Network in Raleigh.

## **Unveiling the Stories Behind the Stories**

"Literary Trails of Eastern North Carolina" provides an in-depth exploration of the region's literary heritage, offering a unique perspective on the lives and works of its renowned authors.

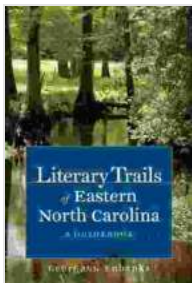
With captivating narrative and stunning photography, this book takes readers on a journey through the places that inspired literary masterpieces. Discover the untold stories behind the stories and gain a deeper understanding of the Tar Heel State's literary contributions.



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