



Maybe you have Scots-Irish ancestors that you've known about for some time, but you don't know how to find them. Not only can Young Travel & Cruises help you travel to Scotland and Ireland and visit these lovely countries, but now we've partnered with a UK genealogy company that has great success in helping families find their roots. We can then take you there to visit their homeland and even the actual places they lived!

How it works

Professional genealogists work with you to identify your Scots-Irish family (who they were, where they lived) by researching records located in Europe. If you already know who your ancestors are, they can help find their abode, and you can possibly go visit their home and see where they lived -- maybe a cottage or perhaps a castle? Your trip could include a visit of the Royal Yacht Britannia (home to the royal family for over 40 years), St Andrews cathedral, Inveraray castle, the isle of Skye, a private cruise in Loch Ness or the Culloden Battlefield. See below an 8-day Scotland sample genealogy itinerary. We will plan a delightful trip for you and incorporate the surrounding areas. What a great family trip this would be!

Costs

Cost will differ from case to case, based upon the amount of research involved and the total travel.

Having successfully done research for many years to find my own ancestors, I have never been able to actually go back to their village for a visit. My husband also has Scots-Irish ancestors, so I am excited to use this new service and find out where his family lived too and plan a trip accordingly!

Give us a call today to get started on your ancestral quest! This could be a great conversation topic around the Christmas table this year. It would also make a wonderful present for a birthday or anniversary! Why not plan now for a big family reunion in the location of your ancestors? Summer is a great time for a visit.

 **YOUNG TRAVEL & Cruises**

- ✓ Travel to Scotland and Ireland to visit these lovely countries.
- ✓ Visit your ancestors homeland.
- ✓ See the actual places where they lived.
- ✓ Work with a designated UK genealogy specialist to find your family's roots and research local records.

Looking to find your Scots-Irish Ancestors?
Do you need help finding them?

Sample Itinerary:

Depending on the research, your custom trip from Young Travel could lead you to cottages and/or castles of your ancestors, the Royal Yacht Britannia (the Queen's former floating palace for over 40 years), St Andrews Cathedral, Inveraray Castle, the Isle of Skye, a private cruise in Loch Ness, or the Culloden Battlefield.

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Contact us today to plan a Genealogy Trip!

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8-Day Scotland Sample Itinerary

Day 1: Edinburgh

- Transfer from Edinburgh airport to the Balmoral Hotel
- Welcome to Scotland! Upon arrival into Edinburgh airport, meet your Driver at Edinburgh airport arrival hall for a private transfer to the Balmoral hotel. Once arrived, spend the rest of the day to unwind, relax and acclimatize
- Overnight in Superior Deluxe Room at Balmoral Hotel

Day 2: Edinburgh

- Breakfast at hotel
- Half Day Walking Tour (approx. 3 hours)
- Royal Yacht Britannia tour - The Royal Yacht Britannia
- This morning, you will meet your genealogist researcher to discuss and learn the findings and places of relevance of his works. Afterwards, discover the Scottish capital with a half day walking tour. In the afternoon, you will visit The Royal Yacht Britannia, which was home to Her Majesty The Queen and the Royal Family for over 40 years, sailing over 1,000,000 miles around the world. Now berthed in Edinburgh, you can follow in the footsteps of Royalty to discover the heart and soul of this most special of Royal residences. In the afternoon, learn about the Scotch Whisky and finish this experience with a food tasting.
- Genealogy Research
- Overnight in Superior Deluxe Room at Balmoral Hotel



The Royal Yacht Britannia © Visit Scotland

Day 3: Edinburgh

- Breakfast at hotel
- Meet your driver guide at the lobby of your hotel. He will be with you for the rest of your Scottish journey. Enjoy a day trip to St. Andrews which has its place firmly in the history books as being the home of golf. Explore the ancient town in the company of a qualified guide. Noted sites from Scotland's history books include St Andrews Castle and St Andrews Cathedral.
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- Overnight in Superior Deluxe Room at Balmoral Hotel



St Andrews Visit Scotland © Visit Scotland

Day 4: Edinburgh Oban Scotland

- Breakfast at hotel
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- Sea Plane tour of Scotland's west coast (approx. 1 h)
- Make your way to the Isle of Eriska. On the way, visit Inveraray Castle. continue to explore the Victorian's favorite holiday spot, Loch Lomond before taking a private sea plane tour over the spectacular landscapes of Scotland's west coast. continue then to Inveraray Castle. Enjoy a private guided of the castle, ancestral home of the Duke of Argyll, Chief of the Clan Campbell
- Inveraray Castle - Private guided tour
- Overnight in Superior Room at Isle of Eriska



Sea Plane Loch Lomond © Loch Lomond Seaplanes Ltd

Day 5: Oban Scotland Isle of Skye

- Breakfast at hotel
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- Today, you will make your way to the Isle of Skye via Ben Nevis, Scotland's highest mountain.
- Overnight in Four Poster Bed with Garden View Room at Duisdale House Hotel



Puffin Sea Bird © Visit scotland

Day 6: Isle of Skye

- Breakfast at hotel
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- On this day, you will explore the amazing beauty of the Isle of Skye
- Overnight in Four Poster Bed with Garden View Room at Duisdale House Hotel



Isle of Skye Fairy Pools © Visit Scotland

Day 7: Isle of Skye Highlands Inverness

- Breakfast at hotel
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- Chartered Cruise in Loch Ness (approx. 2 hours)
- This day, you will tour Inverness by way of Loch Ness and Urquhart Castle. Don't miss the opportunity to look for Nessy while enjoying your private cruise in Loch Ness!
- Overnight in Superior Room at Boath House



Loch Ness © Visit Scotland

Day 8: Highlands Inverness Highlands Inverness

- Breakfast at hotel
- Driver Guide (up to 8 hours a day)
- Culloden Battlefield - Jacobite experience (approx. 1 hour)
- Today, you will visit Brodie Castle & Gardens. Afterwards, you will immerse yourselves in one of the deadliest battles in the Scottish history while visiting Culloden Battlefield. Explore life as a Jacobite soldier in A Soldier's Life workshop, handle 18th-century replica weapons and tools, then dress in period costume (including tartan plaid) for the ultimate Jacobite experience.
- Overnight in Superior Room at Boath House



Culloden Battlefield © Visit Scotland

Day 9: Highlands Inverness

- Breakfast at hotel
- Private airport transfer from Boath House to Inverness airport
- Enjoy a comfortable airport transfer to Inverness airport. Time to continue your journey in Ireland

Estimated cost of this itinerary above is **\$17,415.**, to you, based on 2 pax sharing 1 Double Room. Each itinerary is designed just for you, and price varies from one itinerary to another.

Itinerary Above Includes:

8 nights' accommodation at the above-mentioned hotels inclusive of full Scottish Breakfasts and taxes

Transfer from Edinburgh airport to the Balmoral Hotel

Basic Genealogy Research

Half Day Walking Tour (approx. 3 hours)

Royal Yacht Britannia tour - The Royal Yacht Britannia

6 days with private driver guide (maximum of 8h per day)

Sea Plane tour of Scotland's west coast (approx. 1 h)

Inveraray Castle - Private guided tour
Chartered Cruise in Loch Ness (approx. 2 hours)
Culloden Battlefield - Jaccobite experience (approx. 1 hour)
Private airport transfer from Boath House to Inverness airport
Personalized itinerary, co-ordination & Support
24 hours assistance during your trip

Not included:

Admissions not mentioned above
Meals
Gratuities
Personal and Travel Insurance

Above is sample itinerary, as each one is custom designed just for you, Ireland itineraries available also, and itineraries including both countries. Costs vary from one itinerary to another, based on inclusions, number of days, lodging, and other features.

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