



I am Ranger Red Fox, your tour guide. Are you ready for an amazing adventure at Gettysburg?

Troops from 30 states fought at Gettysburg. Monuments around the park, such as this one for Ohio, honor each state.



## Welcome to Gettysburg National Military Park!

Gettysburg is in Pennsylvania. A big battle took place there from July 1 to July 3, 1863. The battle was the deadliest ever fought in the United States. About 50,000 soldiers were wounded or died.

In 1895, the battlefield was made a national **military** park.

Lincoln's Gettysburg  
Address Monument



Gettysburg is also famous because President Abraham Lincoln gave an important speech there. It is known as the Gettysburg Address. Lincoln said that the world should “never forget” why the soldiers died.

Today, visitors to the park can walk on the fields where the soldiers fought. They can see where President Lincoln stood to give his speech. They can remember the people who fought to save our country.

## Monument Guide

These are some of the monuments, memorials, and markers in the Gettysburg National Military Park.

Be a good visitor and don't climb on the cannons or monuments!



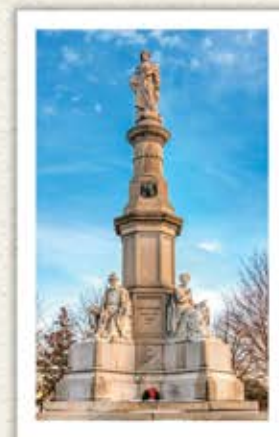
**High Water Mark of the Rebellion** marks the farthest point reached by the Confederates

**Eternal Light Peace Memorial** honored veterans on the 75<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the battle



**Women's Memorial** recognizes the women who helped and suffered during the battle

**Lincoln's Gettysburg Address Monument** honors Lincoln's address, which was given a short distance away from the monument



**Soldiers' National Monument** stands for peace and freedom

**First Shot Marker** marks where the first shot was fired by Union army soldier Marcellus Jones



## Monuments by the Numbers

The park is home to about...

**1,320** monuments and markers

**41** memorials to individuals

**12** Confederate state memorials

**18** Union state memorials