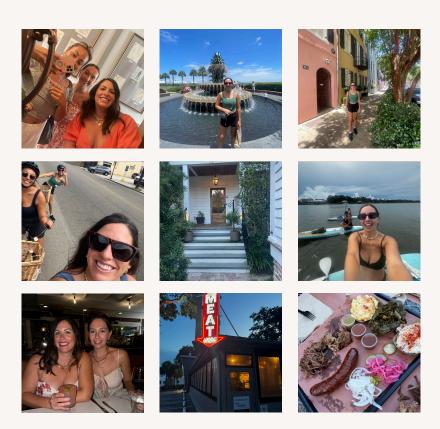
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CHARLESTON

The girls trip that made it out of the group chat! Me and two of my girlfriends managed to ditch our husband's and children for a glorious 3 night break in Charleston. We flew in quite early in the morning so decided to hire a cabana at The Wonderer and get some R&R. Although pricey, the food and drink was delicious!

I had been told I needed to try South Carolina BBQ and Lewis BBQ was the most highly recommended so that was our first dinner destination! We LOVED the fact that you could order by the I/4lb so we got to try a bit of everything - including my first collard greens which I loved! My favourite meat was the brisket and the vinegar based BBQ sauces were right up my street. That night we went to a few bars downtown and were home by midnight - perfect!

The next morning we hired bikes and toured the whole city. I can't write all the stops but check out my vlog to see my favourites. This was a great way to stay cool, save on travel and squeeze everything in to a short break. That evening we went for dinner at Poogan's Porch and I tried fried green tomatoes and she crab soup. The food, atmosphere and service were all AMAZING and I wouldn't hesitate to go back here. After dinner we went on a super cool horse and carriage ghost tour with Old South Carriage and learned so much about the history of the city.



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We started our final full day with a trip to Folly Beach for a paddleboard tour with SUP Safari's. We saw a turtle and so many dolphin which was magical from the POV of a paddle board! The guides were excellent. Right around the corner there's an awesome brunch spot called The Lost Dog. Really busy but worth waiting!

Our afternoon plans were rained out but we managed to squeeze a last supper at Nico, a French restaurant, I had the best octopus EVER! Can't wait to get back to Charleston - so many more places I want to eat!

LINKS

<u>Charleston Vlog</u>, <u>Our Accommodation</u>, <u>Ghost Tour</u>, <u>Paddleboarding</u>

