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Christmas
at Bok Tower Gardens

BOK TOWER GARDENS

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Departs Ormond to Port Orange, New Smyrna Beach, Viera
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Sunday December 20, 2026

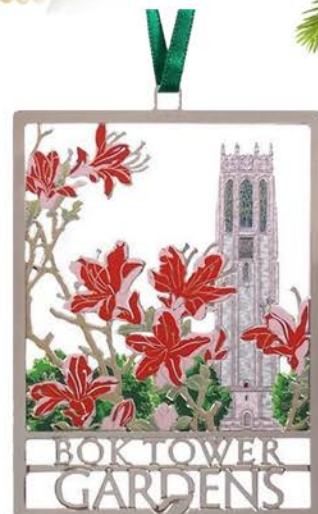
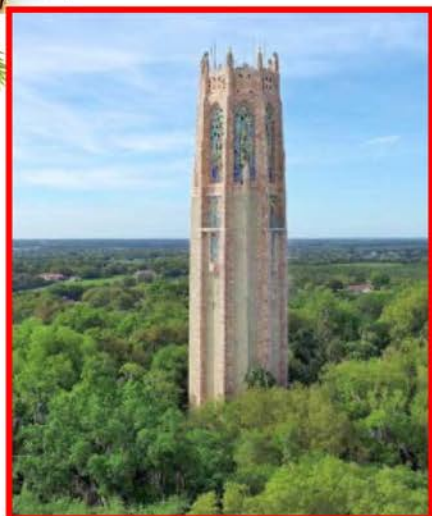
Join the Fun Package Includes:

- Motor Coach Transportation on New (56) Passenger Coach with Restroom and WIFI
- Escorted by Stefan
- Explore BOK Tower on your own 4.5 Hours
- Entry into BOK Tower Estate & Gardens
- Entry into El Retiro Home
- Lunch Included at THE BLUE PALMETTO CAFÉ
- Singing Tower

Bok Tower Gardens is a 250-acre contemplative garden and bird sanctuary located atop Iron Mountain, north of Lake Wales, Florida, United States, created by Edward Bok in the 1920s. Formerly known as the Bok Mountain Lake Sanctuary and Singing Tower, the gardens' attractions include the Singing Tower and its 60-bell carillon, the Bok Exedra, the Pinewood Estate now known as El Retiro, the Pine Ridge Trail, and the Visitor Center.

Let Your Heart Take Flight this holiday season at Bok Tower Gardens, where the beauty of the season comes alive in every corner. Stroll through breathtaking displays of vibrant poinsettias, fragrant evergreens, and festive annuals, and marvel at gorgeously decorated Christmas trees that sparkle with holiday cheer. Step back in time at El Retiro, a magnificent 20-room estate adorned for the season, where artful furnishings and timeless architecture create an unforgettable holiday celebration. Each afternoon, the enchanting sounds of The Singing Tower fill the air with daily carillon concerts, adding a magical soundtrack to your visit. From festive holiday festivals and engaging educational programs to delightful seasonal meals at the Blue Palmetto Café and unique treasures at The Shop at Bok, every moment is designed to inspire joy. This season, make Bok Tower Gardens your destination for beauty, music, and cherished holiday traditions.

What is a Carillon? The Singing Tower: A Carillon is an instrument of at least 23 tuned bells in chromatic series. Cast from bronze, which is composed mainly of copper and tin, and then specially tuned. The bells are "hung dead" meaning that the bells do not swing, only the clappers move. The instrument is fully mechanical (there are no electronics). The carillon art began in the low countries of Belgium and the Netherlands in the 17th century. Today, these countries still have the highest concentrations of carillons.



BOK TOWER GARDENS: Boasts one of the greatest works of famed landscape architect Frederick Law Olmsted, Jr. The meandering, historic landscape garden was designed to be a contemplative and informal woodland setting offering a series of romantic recesses and tranquil resting spots, picturesque vistas and breathtaking views of the Singing Tower. Acres of ferns, palms, oaks, and pines fashion a lush backdrop for flowering foliage and the spectacular seasonal color of azaleas, camellias, and magnolias

PRESERVE TRAIL: Education about the natural landscape of Bok Tower Gardens is a core component of our mission. The 1.5-mile Preserve Trail engages and inspires learners of all ages about one of Florida's most endangered ecosystems and our ongoing restoration efforts. Some of this land is an original Longleaf Pine forest, while some is former citrus grove being restored to Longleaf Pine.

STEP BACK IN TIME WITH A TOUR OF EL RETIRO: Nestled in the heart of 7.5 lush acres at Bok Tower Gardens is enchanting 20-room Mediterranean-style mansion that transports visitors back in time to the 1930s, a distinctive period in American history. Originally named "El Retiro," meaning "retreat" in Spanish, the home was built for Charles Austin Buck, a Bethlehem Steel executive. To preserve this architectural, cultural, and historic landmark, El Retiro was added to the National Register of Historic Places in 1985.

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