

VISIT HISTORIC APPOMATTOX VIRGINIA

All of us in the South have reason to feel gratitude to General Grant, who, with quiet humility offered General Lee surrender terms that were generous in every way; all officers could keep their horses and sidearms; men in the ranks who owned either horses or mules could keep them, Grant said, "to work their little farms".

This famous contemporary painting by Louis Guillaume depicts the final surrender negotiations between Generals Lee and Grant.

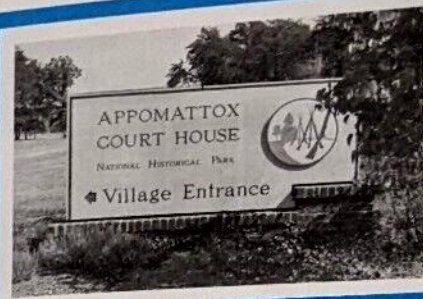


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On Palm Sunday, April 9, 1865, General Robert E. Lee surrendered the most renowned and successful of all Confederate Armies to Union General Ulysses S. Grant. At that time, the once-mighty army of Northern Virginia numbered little more than a third of Grant's force. This cessation of hostilities led to a new era of brotherhood and national solidarity, guided by such men as Robert E. Lee.

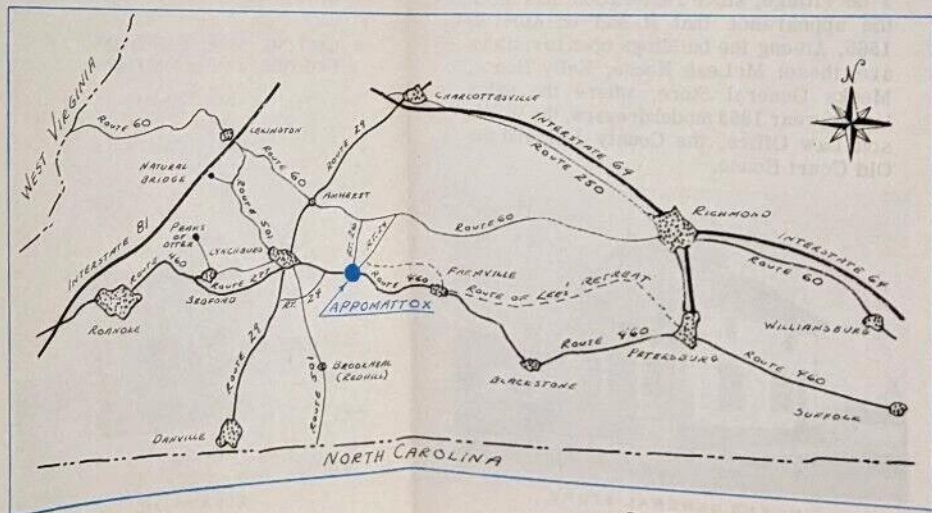


Appomattox, centrally located in historic Virginia, continues to open the doors of the McLean House to thousands of visitors every year.



The beautiful dogwoods draw the attention of the nature-lover as he follows the picturesque drives to the park area.

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