



## Flight 93 National Memorial



Visitors from around the world and across the nation honor the passengers and crew of Flight 93 for their courageous actions on September 11, 2001. Chuck Wagner

September 11, 2001 began as an ordinary, late summer day. With fair weather and blue skies over much of the country, thousands of commercial airliners prepared for flight. But in less than two hours' time, this ordinary day was transformed as 19 terrorists boarded four airplanes, hijacked them, and used them to attack America. Nearly 3,000 people were killed when the hijacked planes were flown into the World Trade Center in New York City, the Pentagon near Washington, DC and when United Airlines Flight 93 crashed in the Pennsylvania countryside.

**Flight 93 National Memorial** is a place to learn about the 40 passengers and crew of Flight 93 whose actions thwarted the hijackers' plan to fly this plane to a target in Washington, DC, most likely the US Capitol. It is a place to walk beside their final resting place and honor the extraordinary courage of those who fought back against the terrorists.



A marble wall engraved with the names of the 40 passengers and crew is built on the flight path. Chuck Wagner



Young visitors explore the story of Flight 93.  
National Park Service

Outdoor exhibits, a cell phone tour, Park Rangers, and volunteers provide more information to visitors.

### Cell Phone Tour - Dial & Discover

Call 814-619-2065, download OnCell's app, or scan QR code below.

### Future Plans

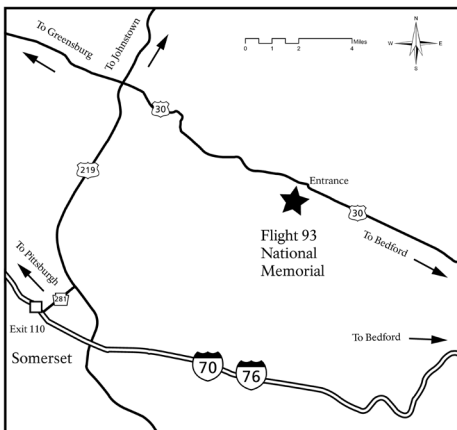
A Visitor Center and Learning Center are now under construction and will open in late 2015. Exhibits and special programs will more fully tell the story of Flight 93 and September 11. A walkway will lead from the Visitor Center to the Memorial Plaza along the Forty Memorial Groves of trees.

### Driving Directions

The memorial is located 20 miles northeast of Somerset and 24 miles west of Bedford.

**FROM SOMERSET:** from Exit #110 of the PA Turnpike, follow signs for Rte. 281 north. Take Rte. 281 north 1.7 miles to US 219 north. Travel 8.7 miles north on US 219 to the Stoystown/Jennerstown/US 30 (Lincoln Highway) exit; turn right on US 30 east. Travel 8.5 miles on US 30; Memorial entrance is on the right.

**FROM US ROUTE 30 EAST/WEST:** Entrance: 5 miles west of Rte. 160 and 8.5 miles east of US 219.



Using GPS:  
6424  
Lincoln Highway,  
Stoystown, PA 15563

GPS directions may provide a different route from above.



Free Admission

**Hours of Operation:**  
Summer (Apr through mid-Oct)  
9 am - 7 pm, last entry 6:30 pm

Winter (mid-Oct through Mar)  
9 am - 5 pm, last entry 4:30 pm

Check website for holiday closures

For general and special event information contact:

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