



*Frances E. Willard*  
HISTORICAL ASSOCIATION

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**The Frances Willard Historical Association invites you  
to join us at the Frances Willard House Museum in Evanston**

## Take a Tour

The Frances Willard House, “Rest Cottage,” is a National Historic Landmark. The house was built in 1865 by Willard’s father, and in 1900 became the nation’s first house museum to document a notable woman’s life.

The Willard House Museum is open for tours on the first and third Sunday of each month, from 1-4 (final tour at 3pm).

Tours are \$8 per person (children under 12, \$5). Members pay no fee.

Tours can also be arranged at other times by appointment for individuals and groups, including school groups. Call (847) 328-7500 or e-mail willardhouse@earthlink.net

## Get Involved

If you are interested in public history, women’s history, Evanston history, historic homes, or the history of social reform in America, or are looking for a new way to share your talents, please contact us at (847) 328-7500 or willardhouse@earthlink.net.

***Join a committee:*** The Frances Willard Historical Association Board is always looking for new members for the volunteer committees that keep the Museum running: Restoration, Collections, Membership, Garden, Archives, and Tours.

***Become a docent:*** By giving tours of this historic home you will learn about a remarkable woman who organized the nation’s women to agitate for women’s rights, while also learning more about the lives of middle class women in the 19<sup>th</sup> century. Best of all, you will have the opportunity to share with visitors the story of this National Historic Landmark.

## Get on our Mailing List

Find out about upcoming events, tour schedules, progress on the FWHA’s goals, and the Evanston Women’s History Project.

Fill out the form on the reverse side to join the mailing list.

## Become a Member

Current annual dues and accompaniments:

\_\_\_ **Individual Membership \$25**

Includes free admission for regular tours of the Museum, a postcard, and a subscription to our newsletter

\_\_\_ **Supporter Membership \$150**

Includes free admission for regular tours, a 10% discount on bookstore purchases and special tours and events, a newsletter subscription, and 4 free passes to the museum

\_\_\_ **WCTU Member Membership \$15**

\_\_\_ **Household Membership \$45**

Includes free admission for regular tours for the entire household, a 10% discount on bookstore purchases and special tours and events, and a newsletter subscription

\_\_\_ **Benefactor Membership \$250**

Includes free admission for regular tours, a 10% discount on bookstore purchases and special tours and events, a newsletter subscription, 4 free passes to the museum, a special gift, and acknowledgment in our newsletter

## Make a Donation

The Frances Willard Historical Association, a non-profit organization founded in 1994, manages the Frances Willard House and the Frances Willard Memorial Library and Archives on behalf of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union, which owns the properties. Our ambitious mission—to restore this historic home, create exhibits, produce educational materials, and promote research—requires hard work from our volunteers (including our volunteer Board), and funding from individuals, groups, and grants. Your donations are much appreciated, and are tax-deductible.

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Make checks payable to: **Frances Willard Historical Association**

**We look forward to your involvement. Thank you!**

***DO EVERYTHING!***  
**--Frances Willard's motto**