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SLEEP WITH A GHOST ON THE COAST THIS HALLOWEEN

Haunted Historic Inns of Rockland guarantee that you'll sleep with a ghost on the coast

Rockland, ME – For those in search of spirited Halloween getaways and “bootiful” inns, Historic Inns of Rockland have obliged with a package that virtually guarantees guests will sleep with a ghost at each of their premier inns. Stay at the Captain Lindsey House, Berry Manor Inn or LimeRock Inn on Halloween, October 31, 2008 and you’ll be in for a hauntingly good time. Each couple booking the Ghost on the Coast Package will receive a pair of night shirts, with one side emblazoned with a ghost and the other side reading “I slept with a ghost on the Coast of Maine”. Unless they choose not to wear it, guests can claim with virtual certainty that they’ve slept with a ghost in Maine. Since a variety of friendly apparitions and unexplainable occurrences have happened at all three inns, it’s entirely possible that even without the night shirt, those who choose to believe may have more than one chance to experience a ghost. Even Today Show’s Travel Editor Peter Greenberg has experienced these New England spirits, as he revealed ghostly antics from Historic Inns of Rockland in his annual haunted hotels round-up in 2006.

The Historic Inns of Rockland’s Ghost on the Coast package includes:

- One night’s lodging at your choice of the three Historic Inns of Rockland, Berry Manor Inn, LimeRock Inn and Captain Lindsey House.
- Breakfast for two the next morning (more...)

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- *Ghosts on the Coast of Maine*, a compilation of ghost stories from Midcoast Maine.
- A nightshirt inscribed with a picture of the ghost on the front and “I Slept With A Ghost On The Coast of Maine” across the back.
- A pumpkin filled with tricks and treats upon arrival.

This package is offered October 31, 2008 and 2009 for \$195-270.00 plus 7% tax.

Can't come over Halloween? Have no fear, intrepid travelers in search of spooks and spirits won't be disappointed with their stay any time of year. Featured on the Today Show in Travel Editor Peter Greenberg's wrap up of haunted hotels, for those in search of “bootiful” inns, Historic Inns of Rockland offer plenty of options to sleep with a ghost. Captain Lindsey is still hanging around the Captain Lindsey House, along with thirty-five other spirits, according to what he told the “spiritologists” on their visit there. Included in the band of happy spooks is the Captain himself, along with T. B. Severence, the 41-year-old who purchased the inn from George Lindsey in 1857, a dominant spirit named Ensign, a five-year-old named Jeffrey and a four-year-old named Emmy, both of whom are waiting for their father to come and get them.

The majority of the spiritual activity usually takes place in the parlor, where glasses of water slide across tables, and doors have been known to slam on their own. For those in search of the phantom haunted inn, you'll find plenty of spirits willing and ready to commune with those in tune at the Captain Lindsey House.

When paranormal experts visited The LimeRock Inn, they felt the presence of many people in the front parlor – vestiges of the patients that formerly sat in the front parlor waiting room, when the inn was home and office to Dr. Lawry. A number of giggling phantoms played at the top of the stairs, checking in with the visiting paranormals. Many of the presences at the LimeRock Inn gaze longingly out the windows. All are friendly, and it's clear that happy family members are still hanging out here to welcome guests also in search of friendly spirits. (more...)

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At the Berry Manor Inn, paranormal experts could see ghosts welcoming them through the windows of this Rockland mansion turned B&B. There were three older ladies, dressed in early 1900's garb standing at the window smiling, with their pinkies in the air. It is clear that the spirits who inhabit Berry Manor Inn are friendly, and sometimes so funny they're a hysterical lot. Says innkeeper and owner, Cheryl Michaelsen, "Our guests who are more prone to "sensing" the presence of ghosts have expressed a feeling of warmth and happiness when they are in the house". According to Cheryl, the friendly spirits are an added bonus for Berry Manor Inn's guests.

Historic Inns of Rockland's members include LimeRock Inn, Berry Manor Inn, and Captain Lindsey House. For more information, including a press kit complete with a photo library and online availability go to www.HistoricInnsOfRockland.com. To book a reservation at any of these "spirited" inns, call 1-877-ROC-INNS (877-762-4667).

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