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Georgia Traveler Kicks Off Fifth Season Chickamauga Battlefield Featured in All-New Episode

Fort Oglethorpe, Georgia: Chickamauga and Chattanooga National Military Park invites the public to watch the premiere episode of Georgia Traveler's fifth season. Co-hosts David Zelski and Michelle DeShields take in the sights of Lake Lanier Islands Resort in Buford, visit the Windsor Hotel in Americus, travel to Providence Canyon in Lumpkin and enjoy the tastes of Vinings' Canoe Restaurant. Plus, special contributor Rickey Bevington takes viewers on a bike tour of Chickamauga Battlefield in Fort Oglethorpe. The all-new episode will be airing Saturday, October 15 at 7 p.m. and Sunday, October 16, at 7 p.m.

Special contributor Rickey Bevington visits Chickamauga Battlefield in Fort Oglethorpe. She takes a bike tour of the nation's first federally-protected Civil War Battlefield at Chickamauga and discovers why almost a million people a year visit this pristine 5,300-acre park. She also shares the history of the Confederacy's last major combat victory.

Georgia Traveler is a GPB original weekly half hour series that explores all corners of Georgia.

Watch GPB on these nine stations across Georgia: Atlanta – WGTV/Channel 8.1; Albany - WABW/14.1; Augusta - WCES/20.1; Chatsworth - WCLP/18.1; Columbus - WJSP/28.1; Dawson - WACS/25.1; Macon - WMUM/29.1; Savannah - WVAN/9.1; Waycross - WXGA/8.1.

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