

## **A Trip to Alexandria, Virginia**

Doing business in our nation's capital? Fly into Ronald Reagan Airport a day early and immediately traipse a tiny bit south on the M to the beautiful city of Alexandria, Virginia, one of the oldest and most venerable cities in America. Within the confined geography of Alexandria's cobblestoned streets can be found such historic buildings and attractions as the Black History Museum, the Archeology Museum, the Fort Ward Museum, the Friendship Firehouse, Gadsby's Tavern, The Lyceum, and the Stabler-Leadbeater Apothecary Museum. Alexandria also harbors one of the My Organic Markets, staples of locally sourced produce. Within a short taxi or bus ride from the train station lies what may soon be one of the culinary destinations of the Mid-Atlantic region: Restaurant Eve. Located within the charm of the Old Town section amidst plenty of quaint shops to browse, the husband and wife team of Cathal and Meshelle Armstrong are conjuring up a magical marriage of French technique and American flavors. Restaurant Eve has avowed a steadfast commitment to regional producers and foods in season. The restaurant offers both a formal room offering tasting menus as well as a more relaxed bistro setting for a la carte service. Alexandria is a perfect place to be reminded however briefly that the Chesapeake Bay Region is more than pomp and monuments.

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