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South Carolina State Parks added 9 new photos — at [Redcliffe Plantation State Historic Site](#).

at 16:06:08 on 7/31/2012 UTC · 🌐

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Susan Kellett I visited Redcliffe ages ago and really enjoyed it. Beautiful place. :)

at 16:16:42 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Ann Forrest Watkins I will definitely be going here. Thanks for posting.

at 16:17:46 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Joy Burke Raintree Wonderful photos by Larry Gleason (Aiken photographer) that capture an amazing event! I was honored to be a part.

at 18:19:46 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Pamela Romeo Monroe What a beautiful experience. Thank you Elizabeth For everything you did to make this memorable for my family and I.

at 19:10:22 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Elizabeth Laney Pamela you and Ann definitely made this just as memorable experience for me and for Redcliffe. I hope we can get together for some moer one on one time in the near future.

at 22:06:10 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Linda Rogers Weiss Love Redcliffe, thanks for sharing this.

at 22:45:49 on 7/31/2012 UTC



Joel Raintree You ladies (and Doug) should be very proud for putting together such a successful 2 day event--was a wonderful time!

at 1:35:09 on 8/01/2012 UTC



Tammy Yonce yep just a few miles from my families home. i went there all the time to be alone with my thoughts. it's a beautiful place.

at 13:11:50 on 8/01/2012 UTC



Germa Porter I really enjoyed visiting the Radcliffe Plantation when I was there. Joan really knows her history. It is always a pleasure to tour with Joan. Love her.

at 15:17:52 on 8/01/2012 UTC



Emily H. Wilson Thank you for putting on such a nice weekend. I always love coming back down south from MD to visit the places that were so dear to my grandmother and so many members of my family.

at 1:04:03 on 8/02/2012 UTC



David Allen Jones Nice. Some day I am going to have to break down and actually GO there

at 1:32:38 on 8/02/2012 UTC



Gail-Faith Horgan It's so important to connect ourselves to the history we share ..nice idea!

at 13:39:33 on 8/03/2012 UTC