



ABOVE: OAK HILL, CARMICHAEL MANSION SCENE IN SWEET HOME ALABAMA

NW GA's Historic High Country 2017



Film & TV in Northwest GA

Film and television has come to Georgia in a big way, and the Historic High Country region is no exception.

From iconic scenes such as the Carmichael mansion in *Sweet Home Alabama* and heaven in *Miracles from Heaven* to lesser known locations, there is no shortage of places to visit where fans can get a first-hand look at where their favorite movies and TV shows were filmed. Film is just another reason to discover our Land of Sights and Legends... NW Georgia's Historic High Country!

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DID YOU KNOW?

The scene from "Sweet Home Alabama" where Reese Witherspoon pretended her family home was a Southern mansion is actually **Oak Hill**, the historic home of Berry College founder Martha Berry. The house and gardens are open for tours Tue-Sat. www.berry.edu/oakhill



Rome-Floyd County is home to over 45 TV and movie productions with the most iconic outlined in the **Rome Film Tour**.

Visit the website for an interactive map of 15 sites where visitors can see and experience film locations.

<http://romegeorgia.org/attraction/film-tour-locations-around-rome/>

- Need for Speed (2014)
- Identity Thief (2013)
- Constantine (2015)
- Casting Crowns - "Does Anybody Hear Her"
- Remember the Titans (2000)
- The Following (2013)
- Sweet Home Alabama (2002)
- Mosquito Coast (1986)
- The Originals (2016)
- Dance of the Dead (2008)
- Alton Brown's Good Eats (2006)
- The Double McGuffin (1979)
- If Loving You is Wrong (2016)
- Allegiant (2016)
- DeSoto Theatre

Rome International Film Festival

Founded in 2003, Rome International Film Festival (RIFF) is northwest Georgia's signature film festival event, and named in MovieMaker Magazine's list of "Top 20 Festivals Worth the Admission Fee." November <http://riffga.com>

Experience Cartersville!

Guardians of the Galaxy (2017)
downtown locations

The Fundamentals of Caring (2016)
Wes Man's restaurant in White

90 Minutes in Heaven (2015)
Bethany Bridge leading to Red Top Mountain State Park

The Red Road (TV 2014-15)
Cartersville Depot

Need for Speed (2014)
Old Alabama Road

Devil's Knot (2013)
1902 Bartow County Courthouse

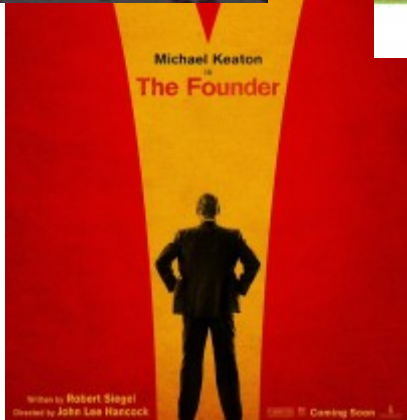
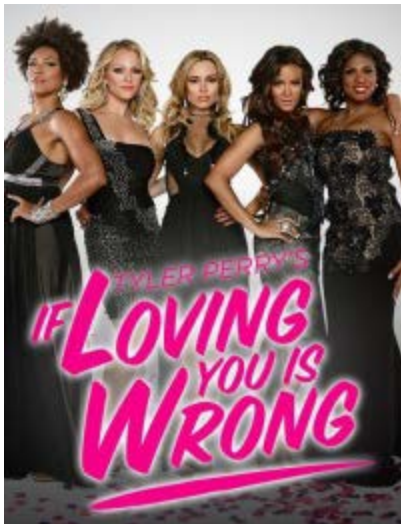
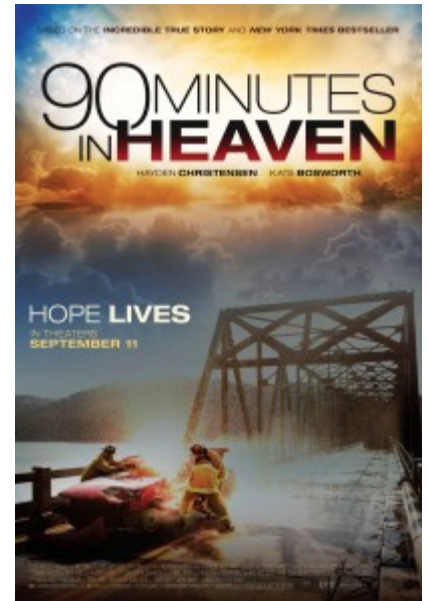
www.VisitCartersvilleGA.org



Caught on Film in Cherokee Co

The cities of Ball Ground, Canton and Waleska have all been sites of several films and TV shows, more to come!

www.DestinationCherokee.com



DID YOU KNOW?

The beautiful heaven scene in "Miracles from Heaven" is actually Gibbs Gardens. Open March – December.

www.GibbsGardens.com



Other Film Locations in the NW GA Historic High Country Region



HBO movies include *We Shall Remain* featuring the Chief Vann House (left), and *Warm Springs* featuring the Summerville Depot (below)



The Robert Duvall movie *Get Low* featured his character's home as this rustic log cabin actually located at Pickett's Mill Battlefield Historic Site in Dallas.



Coming in the fall of 2017 is *American Made* starring Tom Cruise. This true story about a drug runner and the CIA in the South during the 1980s was filmed in downtown Ball Ground.