The Wallace Collection

Hertford House, Manchester Square, London, W1U 3BN

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The Wallace Collection is a national museum housing unsurpassed masterpieces of painting, sculpture, furniture, arms and armour, and porcelain.

Built over the 18th and 19th centuries by the Marquesses of Hertford and Sir Richard Wallace, it is one of the finest and most celebrated collections in the world.

The Collection was given to the British Nation in 1897 by Lady Wallace, so that it could be kept together and enjoyed by generations of visitors. It was an astonishing bequest and one of the greatest gifts of artworks ever to be transferred into public ownership.

Click **here** for more info.

There is a café and fine dining restaurant in the courtyard, under an impressive glass atrium, which must be pre-booked and for those interested I will organise. The guided tour cost is £12.50 per person, entry is free so you can wander around the collection afterwards. There are plenty of shops and other eating places in the immediate area and London's various parks are all nearby.

Travel: Overground to Victoria station, 390 bus right outside the station to Selfridges (Oxford Street) approx. 20 mins then 5 mins walk to the house. Alternatively by tube to Bond Street – Victoria Line to Green Park then Jubilee Line to Bond Street.

If you would like to join me on this guided tour please email Sue Cox at suecox05@hotmail.co.uk. Booking opens at 10am Friday 26th April.

Bookings will be taken on a strictly first come first served basis and you can book up to one other person.