# **SCOTLAND**

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## **Edinburgh**

Royal Mile: From castle to Holyrood Palace

Edinburgh Festival: Late August through mid-September

St. Giles Cathedral: John Knox, the Great Reformer

Deacon Brodie: Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde

Walks: Public guided walks, Rick Steves' Audio Europe

app walk

Whiskey

Scottish Parliament: re-established in 1999 (after being in

London from 1707)

National Gallery and National Portrait Gallery

Robert Burns

## **Glasgow**

Ship building heritage

Kelvingrove Art Gallery & Museum

Charles Rennie Mackintosh

Glasgow School of Art

#### St Andrews

Birthplace of golf

### The Highlands

Kenmore

Crannog: Ancient loch-dwellings

Clan Gatherings

Sheep Dog show: Working Sheepdogs at Leault Farm,

with trainer Neil Ross

Inverness: Main city in the Highlands

Culloden Battlefield: Bonnie Prince Charlie defeated in 1746

Clava Cairns: Bronze Age circular chamber tombs

Cawdor Castle: Macbeth



Loch Ness, monster, Urquhart Castle

Caledonian Canal: British engineer Thomas Telford

Glencoe: Ben Nevis (4,406 feet), Weeping Glen (MacDonalds massacred by the Campbells in 1692)

Oban: Gateway to the Hebrides Islands (across Isle of Mull to Iona)

Iona: Birthplace of Christianity in Scotland, 563

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