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**Polly Stramm, Janice Shay : Walking Tours of Old Savannah** before purchasing it in order to gage whether or not it would be worth my time, and all praised Walking Tours of Old Savannah:

0 of 1 people found the following review helpful. Explore old Savannah and be your own tourguide. By Jane in AtlantaBook arrived in great condition. There are 4 separate walks and each has a map. It would have been better if more of the streets were listed. Each walk suggests how much time is needed to complete the walk and of course, that depends upon how often you stop and ponder. We would buy this again

Wander the history-filled streets of Savannah. Saunter through Savannah's varied streets and squares with this invaluable guide. Tour the city's oldest buildings and majestic homes, such as the Mercer House and the De Soto Hotel, and savor the histories and traditions of the relics of the romantic past. Accompanied by charming photos, this work provides insight into life in the 1800s, Savannah's Historic Plan, industry in the 19th and early 20th centuries, and local art, all of which are revived in these pages.

From the Back CoverThe National Landmark Historic District of Savannah embodies the timeless grace of the city. The walking tours in this book let you see Savannah through the eyes of a visitor in the nineteenth century. Four tours-architecture, social life, commerce, and art of the 1800s-allow you to tailor your walking tour to suit your individual interests. Stroll oak-lined streets adorned with elegant historic homes. Visit River Street-the site of the old port-where trading ships have docked for more than three hundred years. Tour the first elementary school in Georgia, the site of a Revolutionary War battle, and the Civil War headquarters of General Sherman. Enjoy the collections of the historic Telfair Academy of Art and its sister house museum, the Owens-Thomas House. Each tour offers a glimpse into a facet of Savannah's charming past.

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