

## **100 North Carolina Icons: From Our State Magazine** <sup>[1]</sup>

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<sup>[2]</sup>North Carolina has many traditions, places, and events that have come to be well-known or iconic representations of the state's history and folk heritage. In its July 2012 edition, *Our State* magazine <sup>[3]</sup> asked the question "What is a North Carolina icon?" and with it published a list of "100 icons" that they called the "definitive North Carolina to-do list". The list provides a fun and unique starting point for exploring the history and heritage of the state and many of its most cherished places.

*Our State* magazine is a long-running North Carolina publication that has been in publication since the first issue was published in 1933 as *The State*. It went by that name until 1996 when it became known as *Our State*. A complete run of digitized back issues of the magazine from 1933 to 2014 is freely available for viewing online at the [North Carolina Digital Collections](#) <sup>[4]</sup>. The Digital Collections are a joint project of the State Library and State Archives of North Carolina.

NCpedia has an article for each "icon". And each article includes a link to a back issue of *Our State* with an article about that individual icon.

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1930s



1940s



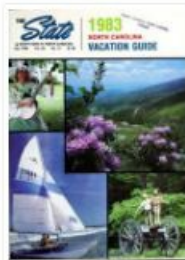
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1960s



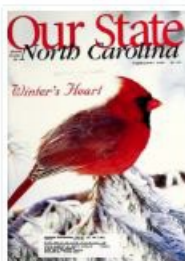
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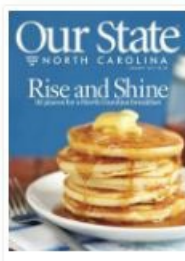
1980s



1990s



2000s



2010s

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Visit the July 2012 edition of *Our State* with the first publication of its "100 icons" list: <https://digital.ncdcr.gov/digital/custom/our-state> [6]

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