

# UPTOWN MARION TOUR

Be sure to take advantage of the chance to check out the *only ArtPlace America Grant Project in Iowa.*

**And** your leader will be Karen Hoyt who received the 2018 Governor's Art Legacy Award for her work on the project.



Convention Chairs Verna and Don Klosterman demonstrate the scale of the nine sculptures scattered in the pedestrian alleyways connecting Uptown Marion's Main Street District.



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The 56th Iowa convention this next April is your chance to have a tour of the only ArtPlace America Grant project in Iowa.



The project is in Uptown Marion, about a mile from the convention. So plan for a short trip on Friday morning to explore this collection of nine huge sculptures by nine different artists.



More information below

# UPTOWN MARION ArtAmerica Tour

## Additional Information

Those who are going on the ArtAmerica tour **Friday morning will meet in the Longbranch lobby at 10:00 to organize into a car pool.** We will head out about 10:15, and plan to arrive on site at 10:30. (While some part of this tour can be done from indoors in rainy weather, you will experience it better if you bring along an umbrella and jacket if it is a dreary day.) We can see five of the projects from the patio of the 'Snug' if it is raining, but seeing it all is better!

If you plan to go with us on the tour, please try to let us know ahead of time so we can let Karen know what size group to expect. We can be reached at 319-377-6775, or [dvklos@gmail.com](mailto:dvklos@gmail.com)



Note: You can even bring your friends back after the evening dance and experience the alley when it is glowing with colorful lights.

Don & Verna Klostermann