

# Ruddick-Nugent House

Bed and Breakfast



Columbus, Indiana

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Fine Lodging  
Fine Food  
Fine Company



Welcome to our historic home in the heart of Columbus, Indiana, an All-America city noted for its significant contemporary architecture.

Our property occupies an entire city block, dominated by the house itself, a columned Colonial Revival design with a porch filled with wicker chairs for relaxing. The grounds offer a park-like setting that we are developing into extensive gardens, where our guests can enjoy a relaxing stroll among the trees to let go of the cares of the day.

We offer 4 bedrooms with private baths, air conditioning, cable television, and telephone in each room for the comfort of our guests. Furnishings and decor reflect the various periods in the house's history since 1884.

We serve our delicious and filling candle-light breakfasts in the formal dining room, though guests can choose to enjoy theirs on a balcony, the front porch or under the trees, season permitting.

## Guest Rooms



**William's Room**

The unique feature of the bedroom is the penciled notation on the wall of the birthday heights of William Ruddick's children. The gasolier (chandelier for both gas and electric light) shows off the twins or king-size bed. A cozy sitting room adjoins the bedroom. The bath, reputed to be the oldest indoor bathroom in Columbus, has been remodeled to turn-of-the-century charm, with claw-foot tub and shower, pedestal sink, and high-tank toilet. \$85



**Inez's Room**

Fine views of the front and side yards and a huge antique wardrobe characterize this bright and colorful space with its queen bed. The bathroom has a large shower, while the in-room vanity allows two to use the facilities at the same time. \$65

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**Lizzie's Room**

The queen bed is complemented by flocked patterned blue and silver wallpaper and matching blue carpeting, all illuminated by another gasolier. The vanity is in the room itself leaving plenty of space in the bathroom for the shower and for a door to a "speaker's balcony" overlooking the main porch for morning coffee or late evening relaxation. \$75



**Martha's Room**

At the top of the main staircase, Martha's Room boasts a queen bed with a headboard made from the original front doors of the house, a modern jetted tub/shower, a marbleized cast-iron working fireplace, and antique wardrobe. \$95

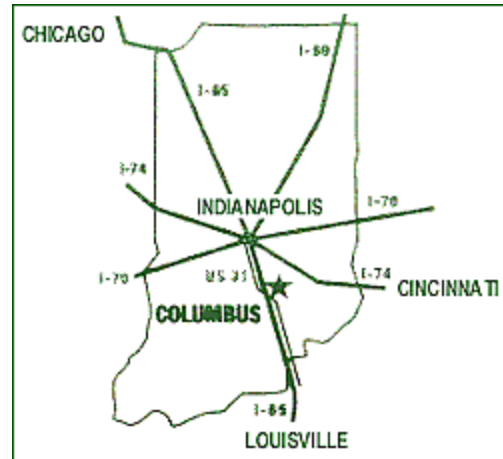
## Policies



**Dining Room**

- All room rates are per night for double occupancy; \$5.00 less for single occupancy. State (5%) and local (5%) taxes are not included in listed rates.
- Corporate rates are available. Please inquire.
- Facilities are available for an extra person in Lizzie's Room or Martha's Room at \$15.00 per night.
- For inquiries or to make a reservation, call toll-free 1-800-814-7478, or locally 1-812-379-1354.
- To confirm your reservation, send a personal check within one week of making your reservation, with the first night's tariff and tax as a deposit, or use Master Card, Visa, Discover, or American Express to hold your reservation. The card will not be charged until arrival. A \$10.00 handling charge will be applied if you cancel within 7 days prior to arrival. If cancellation is 48 hours or less before arrival, or you fail to show, the deposit is forfeited or credit card is charged for the full amount of the booking.
- Rates are subject to change without notice.

## Directions



Easy access from major interstates - Columbus is just 40 miles from Indianapolis, 75 miles from Louisville and 90 miles from Cincinnati.

Enter Columbus on U.S. 31 (North), S.R. 46 (West, South), or 25th Street (East), then travel east on 16th Street, west on 17th Street, or south on Home Avenue. 16th St. is one-way east, and 17th St. is one-way west. Please enter through the main gate on 16th Street.

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