



Image: Franco Folini / Flickr.com

## Follow in the footsteps of these iconic women

International Women's Day is just around the corner and, while we are strong advocates of celebrating women every day, we thought this would be an opportune moment to highlight strong women. From Frida Kahlo in Mexico City to Rosa Parks in Alabama, here is our guide to following in the footsteps of these iconic women.



### Frida Kahlo - Mexico City

Portraits of Frida Kahlo sporting her unmistakable brow may have made their way from museum walls onto tote bags recently, but the allure of this feminist icon only seems to build. **Visit her family home in Mexico City >**

Image: Eric Titcombe / Flickr.com



### Marie Curie - Warsaw

Maria Skłodowska-Curie was a pioneer in the study of radiation, winning two Nobel Prizes. She is best known for discovering radium and polonium, and paving the way for the diagnosis and treatment of cancer. **Explore Marie Curie >**

Image: Warsaw Tourist Office



### Joan of Arc - Rouen

At the age of 18, Jeanne led her country's army to victory during the Siege of Orléans. She has been the subject of much controversy and fascination ever since, and the French city of Rouen, where her life came to a tragic end, still holds her memories. **Visit Rouen >**

Image: Catarina Belova / Shutterstock.com



### Malala Yousafzai - Pakistan

Already as a child, Malala became an advocate for female education in her country. She continues to speak for those without a voice, and became the youngest receiver of the Nobel Peace Prize in 2014, at just 17 years old. **Explore Pakistan >**

Image: Shahid Khan / Shutterstock.com



### Rosa Parks - Alabama

Rosa Parks sparked the flame for the Montgomery Bus Boycott by refusing to give up her seat for a white passenger. Her arrest sparked outcry in her support from the African American community, putting pressure on lawmakers to lift the segregation law. **Visit historical destinations in the US >**

**Historical destinations**



**Follow us on Instagram**



Visit [ArrivalGuides.com](https://www.arrivalguides.com)  
for more destination guides

