

THE CHARLES HOSMER MORSE MUSEUM of American Art

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Three Days of Free Admission and More during the Morse Museum's Second Thanksgiving Weekend Celebration

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WINTER PARK, FL—Admission to The Charles Hosmer Morse Museum of American Art will be free Friday, November 26, through Sunday, November 28, celebrating the weekend after Thanksgiving. The event will include live music in the galleries from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Friday. This celebration kicks off the Holidays at the Morse program which offers free admission on Fridays from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m., with music beginning at 5 p.m. Friday, December 3, 10, 17, and 31.

The Morse Museum is a benefaction to the community from Jeannette and Hugh McKean. Jeannette founded the Museum, intent on providing her adopted town of Winter Park, which she so dearly loved, with an enriching arts institution. Hugh, the Museum's first director, shared and fostered Jeannette's giving vision. It is in this spirit that we invite family and friends to view a bounty of beauty by Louis Comfort Tiffany (1848–1933) and others.

Located at 445 N. Park Avenue, the Morse Museum is home to the world's most comprehensive collection of works by American artist and designer Louis Comfort Tiffany.

The Museum's collections also include extensive holdings of American art pottery as well as late 19th- and early 20th-century American paintings and graphics, and decorative art.

Through April, Museum hours are 9:30 a.m. to 4 p.m. Tuesday through Thursday and Saturday, 9:30 a.m. to 8 p.m. Friday, and 1 p.m. to 4 p.m. Sunday. Regular admission is \$6 for adults, \$5 for seniors, \$1 for students, and free for children younger than 12. Admission is free from 4 p.m. to 8 p.m. on Fridays, November through April. Appointments to visit the Museum may now be made in advance at admissions.morsemuseum.org/mainstore. For more information about the Morse, please visit morsemuseum.org.

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