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All visits by booked tour only

## INTRODUCTION



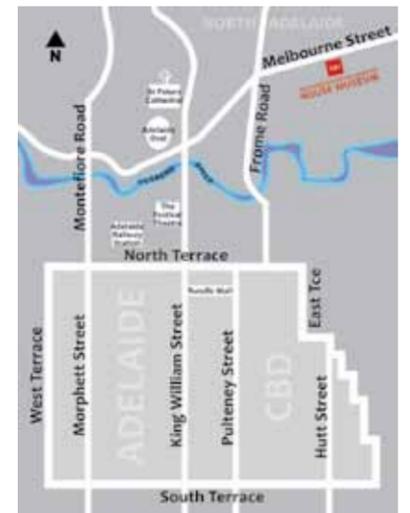
The David Roche Foundation was established in 1999 by the late Mr David J Roche AM (1930-2013) to be the recipient and custodian of the exceptional collection of antiques, paintings and objets d'art accumulated by him over his lifetime and to be preserved for future generations.

A devoted collector of antiques and fine art, David was acknowledged both in Australia and abroad as a renowned collector. He often referred to himself as an 'enthusiastic buff'. As such, he was made very welcome by antique merchants from emporiums around the world. His entire life was spent acquiring mostly what he thought essential and all items were acquired with a place in mind.

From toys, money boxes and naïve items to the finest of porcelains, paintings and furnishing items - he loved them all. It is fair to say that David rarely let a day go by without adding another 'essential' piece to his collection. It was his heartfelt wish to open his collection to the people of Australia with a hope that visitors would leave having found a favourite piece to remember.

The Trustees and Staff of The David Roche Foundation look forward to welcoming you to the house museum complex, whether that is your first visit or 50th visit. With over 3000 items in the collection, you will always see something new that was overlooked before.

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**PUBLIC TRANSPORT**

Adelaide Metro runs regular bus services to and from the City to Melbourne Street and the free City Connector bus passes close by.

**DRIVING**

241 Melbourne Street is located between Frome Road and Mann Terrace on the south side.

Free on-street parking with 2-hour limit is available on Melbourne Street during Gallery hours.

Limited off-street parking available.

Only 20 minutes from Adelaide Airport.

**BOOKED TOUR TIMES:**

**Tuesday to Saturday 10am, 12noon and 2pm.**

Adult \$20 | Conc. \$17

Not suitable for children under 12.

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