# Cutlines

## Visiting Liverpool in search of John Lennon’s first muse

**A Adelphi Bank**

This beautiful building was built in 1892 as the Adelphi Bank. It ground floor is now a café. It is one of hundreds of architectural gems throughout the city.

**A Beatles statues**

These larger than life statues of Liverpool’s favourite quartet are to be found down by the docks of the Mersey ferries. The Beatles continue to bring nearly 82 million pounds ($142 million Cdn) in tourist dollars to the city each year, and their attractions support 2,300 jobs.

**A Cavern singer**

There’s always someone performing Beatles’ songs in the Cavern, near the original site where the Beatles started their climb to the top of the pop charts.

**A Cityview from the Mersey Ferry the Royal Iris**

The buildings known as “The Three Graces” have been sandblasted in recent years, restoring their former glory. This view is from the Mersey Ferry, the Royal Iris.

**A Cynthia statue**

This statue was donated by John Lennon’s first wife, the late Cynthia Lennon, and their son Julian on Oct. 10, 2010, on what would have been the singer’s 70th birthday.

**A Dovedale Towers**

The Dovedale Towers, on Penny Lane, was one of the first sites to host the fledgling Beatles.

**A John Cavern statue**

John Lennon’s presence can be found in the most unusual places. This statue is on Mathew Street, near the Cavern.

(Mathew is the correct spelling)

**A John’s house**

This house, known as Mendips, is where John spent most of his youth, living with his Aunt Mimi.

**A Julia headstone**

This simple headstone marks the grave of John Lennon’s mother, Julia. It is inscribed with her name and those of her four children.

**A Lennon Airport**

The motto of the Liverpool John Lennon Airport is “Above us only sky”

**A New Cavern stairs**

The Cavern has been moved up the street from its original site, but it’s still very popular with fans who come from all over the world to soak up the atmosphere.

**a Paul’s house**

Paul McCartney’s house is where he and John would skip school to write songs and dream of becoming famous.

**a Penny Lane fish and chips**

A popular fish and chips shop on Penny Lane, a favourite with the locals.

**a Royal Iris ferry**

You can’t go all the way to Liverpool without taking a cruise up and down the Mersey on the ferry. And yes, they do play the song “Ferry cross the Mersey” every time it sails.

**a Strawberry Field**

John Lennon used to love to play here when he was a boy, and the memory has been immortalized in his famous song.

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