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## Rustapalooza Vintage Market Expands to St. Marys, GA

Tickets on Sale Now for Rustapalooza at the St. Marys Riverfront on April 16<sup>th</sup>

**ST. MARYS, Ga.,** (January 26, 2016) – St. Marys Main Street and Rustapalooza Vintage Markets, the premier vintage outdoor market in the North Florida area, are excited to announce the Rustapalooza Vintage Market at the St. Marys Riverfront on Saturday April 16, 2016.

"St. Marys Main Street is excited to partner with Cottle & Gunn, Rustapalooza Vintage Markets and other sponsors to bring a curated group of fabulous vintage and antiques vendors to the beautiful Gateway property this Spring. We have had a great response to this announcement from both vendors and customers. They look forward to spending a day shopping and exploring the beautiful town of St. Marys," says Gary Straight, St. Marys Main Street Chairperson.

Rustapalooza St. Marys, an upscale vintage-inspired market, will capture the DIY (Do It Yourself) and HGTV wannabe with demonstration booths and vintage finds just waiting to be reimagined. Discover one-of-a-kind treasures to decorate your home, all while enjoying live music and yummy food.

Rustapalooza has a large social media following and credits its loyal online customers for the extra excitement and buzz over the new location. "Facebook and Instagram are huge assets to our show, customers love to meet the vendors in advance through our vendor highlights and get a sneak peek of what they will be bringing. It's fun to see them all connecting and planning their road trips for the show," says Rustapalooza curator Maria Riebe. Find more information regarding the show at www.Facebook.com/rustedmarkets and @rustedmarkets on Instagram. Two special hashtags have been created for the spring event, #rustinpeace and #stmarysrust and will be used online and at the photo-booth to share your treasures onto social media.

The Vintage Market will be held April 16<sup>th</sup> at the Gateway property located at 100 Ready St. at the St. Marys waterfront. General Admission begins at 10 a.m. for just \$5 and "Early Pickin Tickets'" are available for a \$10 admission fee for those that love to shop early and get the first choice of goodies beginning at 8 a.m. to 10:00 a.m. Demonstrations featuring Annie Sloan Chalk Paint<sup>®</sup> and Miss Mustard Seed Milk Paint<sup>™</sup> will occur throughout the day. Food vendors, including St. Marys own the Blue Goose, Market on the Square and Chet's BBQ will be on site for snacks and lunch. The Vintage Market will be open until 5 p.m. Tickets may be purchased now at the St. Marys Visitor Center, Kingsland Welcome Center, Cottle & Gunn and at the gate on the day of the event.



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