

# A Girl's Guide to Favorite Movies That Were Filmed in Chicago

Some amazing movies were filmed in Chicago and when using this girl's guide you can visit the film locations, watch a few Chicago movies, and enjoy some fun activities along the way

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## Risky Business (1983)

- Drake Hotel (140 East Walton Place)
- Lana's apartment building (14 W. Elm Street/great neighborhood to walk around and see all the historic homes)
- Belmont Harbor

## Ferris Bueller's Day Off (1986)

- Sear Tower/Willis Tower Skydeck
- Wrigley Field
- Art Institute of Chicago
- 'Chez Quis', the posh restaurant (fake) (22 West Schiller Street in the Gold Coast/great neighborhood to walk around and see all the historic homes)
- Calder's Flamingo (50 W Adams Street)

## She's Having a Baby (1988)

- The Field Museum
- The Castle (632 N. Dearborn Street)

## About Last Night (1986)

- Wrigley Field
- North Avenue Beach
- Grant Park
- Kelly's Pub (949 W. Webster Avenue in Lincoln Park)

## National Lampoons' Christmas Vacation (1989)

- Marshall Fields on State Street (Now Macy's on State Street, 111 N State St)
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## Curly Sue (1991)

- Marshall Fields on State Street (Now Macy's on State Street, 111 N State St)
- Millennium Knickerbocker Chicago (163 East Walton Place)

## Sleepless In Seattle (1993)

- Wrigley Field
- The Wrigley Building (400-410 N. Michigan Avenue)

## Primal Fear (1996)

- Hilton Chicago (720 S. Michigan Avenue)
- Michigan Avenue stairs down to the Chicago Riverwalk

## My Best Friend's Wedding (1997)

- Charlie Trotter's/Closed but a cute boutique area to explore (816 West Armitage Avenue)
- Dress Shop (727 N. Rush Street) close to the The Peninsula Hotel
- Sox Game at Guaranteed Rate Field
- Hilton Chicago (720 S. Michigan Avenue)
- Marshall Fields on State Street (Now Macy's on State Street, 111 N State St)
- Drake Hotel (140 East Walton Place)
- The Architecture Boat Cruise on the Chicago River
- Union Station (225 S Canal Street)
- Fourth Presbyterian Church (on Michigan Avenue at East Chestnut Street)

## Kissing A Fool (1997)

- Wrigley Field
- South Pond by Lincoln Park Zoo
- The Green Mill Cocktail Lounge (4802 N. Broadway St, Uptown)

## Return to Me (2000)

- Lincoln Park Zoo
- Twin Anchors Restaurant And Tavern (1655 N. Sedgwick Street)

- Buckingham Fountain

### **What Women Want (2000)**

- North Michigan Avenue (at Michigan and Chicago Ave and Michigan and Superior)
- Marshall Fields on State Street (Now Macy's on State Street, 111 N. State St)
- North Avenue Beach
- Saks Fifth Avenue (700 N. Michigan Avenue)
- Drake Hotel (140 East Walton Place)

### **Save the Last Dance (2000)**

- Chicago Theater (175 N. State Street)
- Chicago Riverwalk (between Clark Street And Dearborn Street)

### **High Fidelity (2000)**

- The Art Institute
- Music Box Theatre (3733 N. Southport Avenue, Southport)
- The Green Mill Cocktail Lounge (4802 N. Broadway St, Uptown)

### **Derailed (2005)**

- Chicago Union Station (225 S. Canal St)
- Millennium Park
- Lake Hotel(fake)/18 E. Elm Street/great neighborhood to walk around and see all the historic homes)

### **The Break-Up (2006)**

- Wrigley Field
- Chicago Double Decker Bus tour
- The Art Gallery (543 N. Michigan Avenue)
- North Avenue Beach
- Smith And Wollensky Steakhouse (318 N. State Street)
- Pilsen's Skylark (2149 S. Halsted Street, Pilsen)
- Millennium Park
- Riviera Theater (4746 N Racine Ave, Uptown)

- 843 W. Armitage Avenue (a cute boutique area to explore), Lincoln Park (location at end of movie)

## **The Dilemma (2010)**

- The Green Mill Cocktail Lounge (4802 N. Broadway St, Uptown)
- Garfield Park Conservatory, the Fern Room (300 N. Central Park Avenue)
- United Center (1901 W. Madison Street)
- Golden House Restaurant And Pancake House (4744 N. Broadway, Uptown)
- Smith And Wollensky Steakhouse (318 N. State Street)

## **The Vow (2012)**

- Millennium Park
- The Art Institute

***\* Please note this list is based on movies that girls love and the locations listed are places that you can still currently visit today .***

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