

SHOCKEY 2019 FIELD CATALOG

### **NEW INSIDE FOR 2019**

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### A MESSAGE FROM SHOCKEY

# WHAT A DIFFERENCE A YEAR MAKES

So here we find ourselves once more - for many of you it's like dear trusted friends meeting again as Shockey continues to be a member of your vacation families. We cannot thank you enough for entrusting us with planning and providing you the priceless gem we know as tours and charters.

### **BUT HOLD YOUR HORSES**

(literally this year...more later)

We want to let everyone of every age know the secret you, our touring friends, already know - traveling is the key to life and happiness. In a world so in need of peace, tranquility and understanding nothing can cure discord and distrust of our fellow man quite like traveling.

So, while you were out enjoying yourselves, exploring the world with Shockey firmly at the helm, we were busy making 2019 even better! travel is fatal to prejudice, bigotry, and narrow-mindedness, and many of our people need it sorely on these accounts. broad, wholesome and charitable views of men and things cannot be acquired by vegetating in one little corner of the earth all one's lifetime.

mark twain



# NEW, NEW, NEW! 2019 IS GOING TO ROCK! ARE YOU READY TO ROLL?

### SHOCK ME® AUTHENTIC ADVENTURES!

Are you ready to get your blood pumping? Do you have kids or grandkids that need to step away from Facebook or the X-Box and get knee deep in some heart-pounding experiences they'll remember for a lifetime?

We have pulled together packages as far as the canyons of the Southwest and as close as the rugged hills of West Virginia. On a SHOCK ME® Adventure you'll experience zip lines, white water rafting, hiking, camping and more. Our fresh and invigorated professional partners and attraction guides are sure to get you close to the edge and back safe and sound. Only your ability to return to normal work life again will be bruised a tad.

### FAMILY EXPERIENCE EXPEDITIONS!

We are a family owned and run business. We know the value of true family fun adventures. A little less "extreme" than our SHOCK ME® Adventures but no less designed to connect families with nature and the great outdoors. Shockey Family Experience Expeditions are fantastic ways to begin a new healthy attitude for you and your family or to reward milestones on a lifestyle path already well underway.

There's a reason we say "Memories over Mementos."

### HORSE COUNTRY DAY TRIPS!

Why is bourbon even called bourbon? Does limestone-rich water make good beer? Isn't the limestone really the reason Lexington is called the horse capital of the world? What's with the broodmares, isn't it the stallions that make the thoroughbred industry tick?

WHOA NELLY - Just book one of our Horse Country Day Trips and you'll get all of these answers and so much more.



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### Booking couldn't be easier!

Start by selecting your Shockey Tour and the date that is most convenient for you.



### Call Us

Locally (502) 267-4007 or our toll free number (800) 633-4147 When making your reservation, please have each passenger's first and last name, address and phone number, roommate's name and departure point ready to give the receptionist. We must have this information in order to book the passenger on the tour. HOURS: Monday thru Friday 8:00am to 5:00pm.



### Post Us

Mail in your deposit (via check or money order) made payable to Shockey Tours within 10 days of making your reservation. Separate checks should be sent for each tour individually.

Please note that we will not send a billing statement for your deposit. Your cancelled check from your bank is confirmation of your reservation. Your seat will be guaranteed.



### Click Us

Beginning for 2019, we will be making all of our tours available on-line.

Visit *www.shockeytours.com* to book tours and learn how to stay informed of new tours. We are always making plans for your next vacation!

You will receive your itinerary and final balance statement approximately 30 days prior to departure. Your final payment is due within five days of receipt of the balance statement.

# pick-up locations

### LOUISVILLE

YOKI BUFFET 1700 Alliant Avenue Louisville, KY 40299



Facing Blankenbaker Park on far right

### LEXINGTON

MARRIOT GRIFFIN GATE RESORT 1800 Newtown Pike Lexington, KY 40511



Park at Side Entrance

### FRANKFORT

WALMART SHOPPING CENTER Highway 127 & I-64 Frankfort, KY 40601



Main Parking Lot Near Section 7-C

### **CLARKSVILLE, IN**

RADISSON HOTEL 505 Marriott Drive Clarksville, IN 47129



Park in Side Parking Lot

# day trips

# your daily life just got a whole lot more fun!

Of all the new experiences we have put together for 2019, we are more than a little excited about launching several new "quick trips" around the region.

Horse Country and Bourbon Country have collided with what's being called The Brewgrass Country and Shockey is taking you there!



# Bourbon, Brews and Broodmares

### Lexington's secrets await you...

Why is bourbon even called bourbon? Does limestone-rich water make good horses AND beer? What's with the broodmares, isn't it the stallions that make the thoroughbred industry tick? Whoa Nelly! Just book a trip and you'll get all these answers and so much more!

DATE	CODE	
April 14	2019407	
July 20	2019701	
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# Burgers, Bourbon & Brews

### Taste Louisville's renaissance!

Why did the Food Netword bring their hit show, TOP CHEF to our fair city and state? FOR GOOD REASON!

Leave the chores alone for one day and reintroduce yourself to The River City all over again!

### DATE CODE

March 232019304June 222019613Aug 242019808Nov 1620191109





### INDIANA AMISH Cost: \$86

May 11Tour #2019504Nov 2Tour #20191105

Our destination for today is the Amish Country of Central Indiana. We make our way through the rolling countryside and over sparkling spring-fed streams as we travel back to a time when life was simpler and at a slower pace. Our motorcoach shares the scenic country roads with buggies of the Amish as a local step on guide takes us on a guided tour of the countryside, stopping at an Amish home for a homecooked lunch. We will spend the rest of the day browsing through the shops and looking at the handiwork of the Amish, such as homemade quilts, crafts and wholesome baked goods. Meal: Lunch

### THUNDER OVER LOUISVILLE RIVERBOAT DINNER CRUISE

### Cost: \$195

April 13 Tour #2019402

Back by popular demand! The kick-off for the Kentucky Derby Festival is Thunder Over Louisville, an incredible fireworks and light extravaganza. Enjoy the show but miss the crowds by joining Shockey Tours as we step on board our chartered riverboat to view this celebration from a special vantage point on the Ohio River. A delightful evening begins as we cruise the Ohio River for a couple of hours before our boat is anchored in downtown Louisville to view the Fireworks Extravaganza - the greatest fireworks display in all of North America from the top deck of our riverboat. Be amazed and relish the feeling as the night is filled with its sights and sounds of "Thunder over Louisville." Your Thunder package includes: Cruise, hot buffet dinner with dessert, cash bar, unlimited soft drinks, live music and transportation via Shockey Tours motorcoach to and from the riverboat.

### BOURBON, BREWS AND BROODMARES Cost: \$107

April 14	Tour #2019407
July 20	Tour #2019701
Sept. 21	Tour #2019901

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# Talk to us @ 800-633-4142 / 502-267-4007

### CAVE CITY ADVENTURE Cost: \$187

#### June 2 Tour #2019603

Our adventure tour begins as we travel south to Cave City, Kentucky. Our first stop for the day will be at the Kentucky Action Park, where we will have a thrilling ride on the Twin Zipline. Ride the scenic chairlift up the mountain and then zip across the first two lines and swinging bridge, then hit the last zipline, for the thrill of a lifetime, zipping over one half mile and over 300 feet high through the woods and beautiful open landscape. Next, we ride the only Alpine Slide in Kentucky. After taking a chairlift up the mountain, you'll grab a sled and start down the 1/4 mile slide, controlling your own speed on the way down. Next, experience Kentucky's only cave rappel! Lower yourself by slow descent as you rappel down the limestone face of Hidden River Cave. Next, we take a guided tour of Hidden River Cave. We will learn how Hidden River Cave ties into the story of Horse Cave and see wildlife, historic equipment and natural features that you won't see in any other cave. Meals: 1 Lunch and 1 Power Snack

### CAVE CITY FAMILY ADVENTURE Cost: \$182

#### June 23 Tour #2019608

Our family adventure begins as we travel south to Cave City, Kentucky. Our first stop for the day will be at the Kentucky Action Park, where we will have a thrilling ride on the Twin Zipline. Ride the scenic chairlift up the mountain and then zip across the first two lines and swinging bridge, then hit the last zipline, for the thrill of a lifetime, zipping over one half mile and over 300 feet high through the woods and beautiful open landscape. Next, we ride the only Alpine Slide in Kentucky. After taking a chairlift up the mountain, you'll grab a sled and start down the <sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> mile slide. This afternoon, we visit Jesse James Riding Stable for an unforgettable experience. We ride their calm and gentle horses on a guided excursion along the trails where Jesse James roamed during the height of his bank robbing days and see some of his hideouts along the way. Our last stop will be a tour of Hidden River Cave. We'll see wildlife, historic equipment and natural features that you won't see in any other cave. Meals: 1 Lunch and 1 Power Snack.

### NOAH'S ARK Cost: \$95

August 3 Tour #2019803 The Ark Encounter in Williamstown, Kentucky features a full-size Noah's Ark, built according to the dimensions given in the Bible. The largest timber-frame structure in the world, spanning seven stories tall and a football field and a half long, this modern engineering marvel amazes visitors young and old. From the friendly animals in the zoo, to the entertaining and educational exhibits inside the Ark, you'll experience the pages of the Bible like never before. We will have lunch on our own while at the Ark.

# GENERAL JACKSON SHOWBOAT & OPRY MILLS

### Cost: \$125

August 10

This morning we make our way to Music City, USA - Nashville, Tennessee. Our first stop will be at the beautiful General Jackson Showboat for a scenic cruise down the Cumberland River. With its elegant lacy filigree and stately design, the boat is reminiscent of the opulence of the American Victorian era. We will enjoy a delightful Southern lunch buffet, followed by toe-tapping entertainment performed in the Victorian Theater on board the boat. Next, we will visit Opry Mills for shopping. There are over 200 retailers, unique restaurants, outlets and specialty stores in this impressive shopping complex. Meal: Lunch

Tour #2019811

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### CHATAUQUA FESTIVAL OF ART MADISON, INDIANA Cost: \$66

### Sept 29 Tour #20191006

Our destination for today is Madison, Indiana, a wonderfully preserved 19th century town along the Ohio River. This quaint community is loaded with fabulous museums, specialty shops and period architecture. Each September, Madison's historic district welcomes thousands of visitors during the Madison Chautauqua Festival of Art. We will be able to browse through over 250 fine arts and crafts booths with artists from across the nation showcasing their works. In addition, the festival also features music and a riverfront food fest (meal on own).

### GLENDALE CROSSING FESTIVAL Cost: \$66

Oct 19 Tour #20191005

This morning, we board our deluxe Shockey motorcoach and make our way to the historic train town of Glendale, Kentucky, nestled by the railroad tracks. Time seem to slow down a bit here -- history, antiques, collectibles, furniture, glassware, pottery, quilts, specialty food, country crafts, and fine dining are all within an easy stroll in this quaint setting where we celebrate the "Glendale Crossing Festival." Both sides of Main Street will be lined with over 500 craft booths and eateries where you can feast on beans, cornbread, pork chop sandwiches, fried pies and more (meal on own). Bring your Christmas list and find that unique handmade gift for someone special.

### BURGERS, BOURBON AND BREWS Cost: \$143

March 23	Tour #2019304
June 22	Tour #2019613
August 24	Tour #2019808
Nov 16	Tour #20191109

This morning, we visit Evan Williams Bourbon. The traditional tour and tasting takes you back in time to meet Kentucky's first licensed distiller, Evan Williams. Along the way you will visit recreations of the Louisville wharf in the late 18th century, as well as Whiskey Row along Main Street from the 1890's through the present. You'll learn how Heaven Hill's modern Bernheim Distillery operates and discover how it is different from distilling in Evan's era. Next, we visit Great Flood Brewery Company. Located in the heart of the Highlands, they offer a rotating selection of handcrafted brews in a comfortable, welcoming atmosphere. This afternoon, we will visit the famous Kaelin's Restaurant, the "birthplace of the cheeseburger" for an included lunch. Kaelin's has been serving the first version of this timeless classic for over 70 years. Next, we visit Goodwood. The gents behind Goodwood are some of Louisville's longest serving brewing veterans, running production breweries here since 2001. Goodwood's "shade grown" beers are all touched by the natural gradations of reclaimed casks and other wood types for flavorful expressions that are unique to Goodwood. Our last stop for the day will be at the Jim Beam Urban Stillhouse. The Jim Beam Urban Stillhouse proudly debuts a premier tableside cocktail experience, "raising the bar" for bourbon tastings and at-home mixology. You'll roll up your sleeves and learn how the world's No. 1 bourbon can be the perfect foundation for both classic and contemporary cocktails. Meal: Lunch



Make your reservation for any 2019 tour in this catalog, pay your deposit by January 18, 2019 and you will be entered into a drawing for your choice of one of our day trips for two.

Winner Announced on January 26, 2019

### A DAY IN BROWN COUNTY NASHVILLE, INDIANA Cost: \$84

### October 19 Tour #20191015

A natural beauty surrounds Brown County State Park and the country village of Nashville, Indiana. The rolling hills not only bring many artists to the area but also entice us for this fall experience. Crackling leaves and apple cider, candle wax and stained glass, charming country crafts and hearty home cooking -all are part of the kaleidoscope of treasures found in this tiny community. Even though the quaint town of Nashville offers more than 300 places to browse, it can easily be covered on foot. So take advantage of this artistic community filled with specialty shops, antique stores, museums and galleries. We have included a lunch in one of Nashville's famous restaurants. Meal: Lunch

### CHRISTMAS IN BROWN COUNTY NASHVILLE, INDIANA Cost: \$84

#### Dec 7 Tour #20191210

Join us in Brown County and experience the enchantment of a village Christmas. This unique "artist colony" town will be dressed in splendor for the holidays. Fresh baked gingerbread, warm apple cider, holiday music, colorful lights, charming country crafts and hearty home cooking are all are part of the kaleidoscope of treasures found in this tiny community. Enjoy the aroma of candles and fresh-cut Christmas trees as you browse through the shops looking for that last unusual Christmas gift. After our browsing and shopping this morning, we will satisfy our appetites with an included lunch at one of Nashville's restaurants. Meal: Lunch

# take only memories, leave only footprints.

**Chief Seattle** 

### SHOCKEY TOURS CHRISTMAS PARTY AT CLAUDIA SANDERS DINNER HOUSE Cost: \$59

Dec 8 Tour #20191211 Get your friends and family together and come celebrate with Shockey Tours at this special year-end celebration, which marks end of the 2019 touring year and reveals the exciting things in store for 2020. We will enjoy a delicious buffet luncheon at Claudia Sanders Dinner House in Shelbyville, Kentucky. There will be special discounts, giveaways, door prizes and free tours given on this one day only. Special discounts will be given for tour reservations made at the luncheon. Entertainment will be provided by a guest entertainer. Free Transportation provided from the Louisville, Lexington, Clarksville and Frankfort areas. Please make your reservations for the luncheon at least 45 days in advance. You may reserve online or simply call the office to order your ticket. Tickets will be mailed approximately two weeks prior to the luncheon. Come and bring a friend with you - you may win the trip of your dreams. Meal: Lunch

### **IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR DAY TRIPS:**

Call our local number (502) 267-4007 or our toll free number (800) 633-4147 to make your reservation. When making your reservation, please have each passenger's first and last name, address, phone number and departure location ready to give the receptionist. We must have this information in order to book the passenger on the tour.

Day Trips can be paid by check or money order or credit card upon booking.

Payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. Separate checks should be sent for each tour individually. Please note that we do not send a billing statement for day trips. Your cancelled check from your bank is confirmation of your reservation. Your seat will be guaranteed.

Two weeks prior to tour departure, you will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times.

Gratuities to the tour director and driver are not included in the cost of the tour and should be extended on an individual basis. A recommended gratuity is \$4.00 per day per passenger for the Tour Director, and \$4.00 per day per passenger for the Driver.

# family fun

### Let our family carry your family

# United States

# Cincinnati, OH Family Fun Tour



Canor

2 Days Mar 31-April 1 2019 #2019303 Adult \$239 person Child \$229 person Deposit \$100

Day 1 - DUKE ENERGY CHILDREN'S MUSEUM - SMALE RIVERFRONT PARK - CINCINNATI ART MUSEUM - OVER-NIGHT ADVENTURE AT THE NEWPORT AQUARIUM - This morning, we depart on a fun-filled and educational adventure to Queen City, USA - Cincinnati, Ohio. Our first stop will be at the Duke Energy Children's Museum, rated as one of the top 10 children's museums in the U.S. There are eight educational, hands-on exhibit areas to explore that cover art, culture, reading and much more. This afternoon, we visit Smale Riverfront Park located along Cincinnati's downtown riverfront, where we have included a boxed lunch. Next, we will visit the Cincinnati Art Museum, one of the most prestigious art museums in the country with a collection of more than 67,000 works. We will have time for dinner on own and shopping before making our way to the Newport Aquarium for our Overnight Adventure program.

First, we explore the hidden treasures of the Aquarium and visit the most wondrous animals in the underwater world before camping out among amazing sea life. Bring your pajamas, sleeping bag, sleeping mat/ pad (no air mattresses or cots permitted).

Day 2 - CINCINNATI ZOO - HOME - After an included breakfast, we will visit the Cincinnati Zoo, one of the finest zoos in the nation, with over 500 animal species. We will have lunch on our own while we are here. After our visit to the zoo, we journey back home with memories of our delightful vacation fresh in our minds. Meals: 1B, 1L

# New York, NY School Break



Early Booking Reminder: Our hotel is located in Midtown Manhattan, within walking distance of Times Square and the theaters.

# Talk to us @ 800-633-4142 / 502-267-4007

NEW YORK SCHOOL BREAK CONT. -

This tour requires a very early reservation, due to a limited number of rooms at the hotel. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than January 24, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

If a picture is worth a thousand words, then a visit to New York City could easily be worth a million! On this educational and recreational tour, young and old alike will find New York City a wonderful place to visit. Here, fascinating history as well as the latest in fashion, the arts and architecture co-exist. And with eight million people, over 120 spoken languages, 150 museums, 18,000 restaurants and countless places to shop, New York City is the ultimate bazaar. Absolutely monumental, it is America's alpha city; the one by which all others are measured.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Our educational adventure begins today as we travel through West Virginia and Maryland to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown. Along the way, we will cross the Eastern Continental Divide and also travel on the route of the 200 year old National Pike, the original interstate for settlers of the Midwest.

Day 2 - STATUE OF LIBERTY - ELLIS ISLAND - EMPIRE STATE BUILDING - After an included breakfast, we depart and drive directly to Liberty Park in New Jersey, where we board the ferry to Ellis Island, the nation's main point of entry for millions of immigrants from 1892-1924. Next, we ferry to Liberty Island to view the Statue of Liberty. Few sights are as emotional and exhilarating as the first time you see the Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor. Next, the song "East Side - West Side - All around the Town" will begin to take on new meaning following our arrival at our hotel for the next two nights in Midtown Manhattan. Upon arrival, we will enjoy dinner (on our own) and shopping in Times Square, the "Crossroads of the World." Tonight, our Shockey Tour Director will conduct a nighttime driving and walking tour of Midtown Manhattan. Breathtaking sights await us, especially from the 86th floor observatory of the one and only Empire State Building; the granddaddy of all skyscrapers.

Day 3 - 9/11 MEMORIAL AND MUSEUM - BROADWAY SHOW - After an included breakfast, we visit the National 9/11 Memorial and Museum. We will look at the permanent collection of artifacts, stories, photos, videos and other materials that shape our shared history and honor the memories of those killed on 9/11. Next, we are off to explore two well-known New York City neighborhoods. After indulging in the "primo" Italian pastries of Little Italy, it is on to visually exotic Chinatown, a real and vital community of 150,000 ethnic Chinese. Livelier than ever, it is crammed with all manner of shops and restaurants in pagoda-style buildings. Tonight, we absorb the culture of New York as we attend a Broadway Show.

Day 4 - CITY TOUR - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - After an included breakfast, we will learn all about "Big Apple," as take a city tour with a local step on guide. After time for lunch on our own and shopping, we depart the city and travel to Hagerstown, Maryland to overnight.

Day 5 - HOMEWARD BOUND - Did we do it all? Are you kidding? But, we're pretty sure that we did all that we could. As we have learned, New York always demands a next time. Meals: 4B, Show: 1

# QUICK HIT DAY TRIP

### CAVE CITY FAMILY ADVENTURE Cost: \$182

### June 23 Tour #2019608

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### Let our family carry your fai

# Washington, DC School Break



5 Days	Single	\$1029
April 1-5	Double	<b>\$709</b>
2019	Triple	\$639
#2019404	Deposit	\$200

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit for this tour no later than January 24, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

This is the perfect family getaway. Parents and grandparents - take your children to our nation's capital and let them "experience" history. This tour will include the same attractions as the March 25 Washington Cherry Blossom tour.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - We travel today through West Virginia into the "Old Line State" of Maryland, where we overnight in Hagerstown, Maryland. Day 2 - WWII MEMORIAL - SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTE -This morning, we drive into Washington, D.C. to take in all the city has to offer. We begin by stopping at the WWII Memorial honoring the 16 million who served in the armed forces of the U.S., the more than 400,000 who died, and all who supported the war effort from home. Next we visit the Smithsonian Institution, affectionately called "America's attic," for a look at the history of this nation. We will visit the Museum of Natural History, the National Museum of American History and the National Air and Space Museum. After exploring these exhibits we will visit the Thomas Jefferson Memorial before stopping for dinner on our own. Our hotel accommodations for the next two nights will be in the D.C. area.

Day 3 - WASHINGTON, D.C. SIGHTSEEING - Today we will make every effort to get tickets for the U.S. Capitol (if open and available). In the meantime, we'll visit the Lincoln, Roosevelt, Vietnam War and Korean War Memorials. As we drive through the city, we pass by the Tidal Basin, lined with the famous Yoshino Cherry Trees. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY - We begin our day with a visit to Arlington National Cemetery to see the Kennedy Gravesites and the Changing of the Guard Ceremonies at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. As we depart the cemetery, we stop at the Marine Corps War Memorial, which portrays the raising of the flag on Iwo Jima. Back across the Potomac, we have a guided tour of the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Overnight in Hagerstown, Maryland

Day 5 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we leave Maryland this morning and make our way home, remembering the things we have seen on our trip that truly make our country great. Meals: 4B

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# family fun

# White Water Rafting West Virginia



Are you looking for a way to reward and thrill your children or grandchildren? Then bring them along on this outstanding family tour that provides all kinds of fun and thrills in West Virginia's incredibly scenic New River Gorge, commonly known as the "Grand Canyon of the East." The nearby rivers offer attractions providing year-round fun for the whole family.

Day 1 - WONDERLAND WATER PARK - BECKLEY, WEST VIRGINIA - We board our motor coach and drive to Beckley, West Virginia. After lunch on our own, we let loose at ACE's Wonderland Water Park. There is something for everyone at this five-acre waterpark and white sandy beach. Here, you can splash down from the tower on the zip lines, climb giant inflatable toys, race down the giant twin water slides, or try out the crowd favorite, "The Blob," with a friend. We have included dinner as part of our day of adventure. We overnight in Beckley, West Virginia. Day 2 - WHITEWATER RAFTING - HOME - This morning, we embark on a Whitewater Rafting day excursion through the Upper New River. This trip is perfect for beginners and adventurous children and is something the whole family will enjoy. The tranquil waters of the Upper New River have a few easy rapids with just the right amount of splash for the little rafters. Our trip takes us through the scenic areas of the Upper New River with plenty of places for playing and hanging out in the sun along the way. We have included breakfast, lunch and dinner as part of this adventurous day. Meals: 1B, 1L, 2D

# Indianapolis Family Tour Summer Blast Off!



Day 1 - INDIANAPOLIS CHILDREN'S MUSEUM - INDIA-NAPOLIS MUSEUM OF ART - We head north into the Hoosier State of Indiana, through the fertile farmlands to Indianapolis. Indianapolis is a "City on the Move" as well as the state capitol. Upon arrival, we spend the morning at the Children's Museum.

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Imagine five floors of the biggest, coolest, most interactive place on the planet, uncover hidden treasures, experience a magical moment of discovery and investigate spaces never seen before. Lunch will be on our own at the museum cafeteria. Next, we visit the Indianapolis Museum of Art, one of the nation's largest art museums with a permanent collection of over 50,000 works. After our museum visit, we check into our hotel in the Indianapolis area to rest and freshen up. Tonight, we will visit a local mall for shopping and dinner on our own.

Day 2 - INDIANAPOLIS ZOO - HOME - After an included breakfast, we will visit the Indianapolis Zoo, the only attraction accredited by the American Zoo and Aquarium Association and the American Association of Museums as a zoo, an aquarium and a botanic garden. We will visit White River State Park, where we have included a boxed lunch. After lunch, we turn our coach south and return to Kentucky. Meals: 1B, 1L

# St. Louis Family Tour St. Louis, MO



2019 Double #2019705 Deposit Let's head west to St. Louis, Missouri for a delightful family fun weekend! The "Gateway City" is known around the world for its history, fascinating attractions and famous Arch. We will visit the best spots for family fun on this weekend getaway.

Day 1 - CITY MUSEUM - GATEWAY ARCH - We head across the fertile farmlands of Indiana and Indiana, continuing into the "Show Me State" of Missouri at St. Louis. Upon arrival, we tour the City Museum, an unbelievable architectural marvel filled with all sorts of weird and wonderful objects donated by the people of St. Louis. This one of a kind funhouse has thousands of square feet to explore with secret passageways to crawl through, a sculpted cave system, a human sized hamster wheel to run in, inflatable ball pits to play in and a circus ring with daily performances. Next, we visit our nation's tallest monument, the Gateway Arch. This inverted curve of gleaming steel soars 630 feet above the ground and commemorates Thomas Jefferson's Louisiana Purchase and the subsequent westward expansion of the nation. Designed by Eero Saarinen, the memorial is 75 feet higher than the Washington Monument and required 886 tons of stainless steel. We will take a thrilling ride on the Tramway that will soar you to the top of the Gateway Arch in four minutes for a spectacular view of the city and the mighty Mississippi River. We overnight in the St. Louis area.

Day 2 - ST. LOUIS ZOO - HOME - After an included breakfast at the hotel, we head to the St. Louis Zoo, one of the finest zoos in the country. Here we will see a naturalistic setting of bluffs, woods, waterfalls and moats, and more than 2,500 animals. We will have lunch on our own while at the zoo. Next, we journey back home with memories of our delightful vacation fresh in our minds. Meal: 1B

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## Powder Power Pack Paoli Peaks, IN

1 Day - Join Shockey for a fun filled day on the slopes. Paoli Peaks is located in the heart of Southern Indiana. It's the perfect place for family and friends to experience the thrills and chills of skiing, snowboarding, and snow tubing! Your ticket will include all you need for the slopes (skis or snowboard, poles, boots, lesson, and lift ticket)

DATE	TOUR	PRICE
January 26	#2019101	\$121
February 9	#2019201	\$121



1 Day - If this isn't at the top of your bucket list, it should be! This tour will start with a heart pumping Tandem Skydive over the beautiful land of Kentucky. This outfitter is equipped with go cameras to capture your jump. You will leave this adventure marking off your bucket list and a forever to keep video. This adventure will also include a boxed lunch. Then we will attend a bourbon tour at one of the finest distilleries in the region. Meal: Lunch

DATE	TOUR	PRICE
Sept 15	#2019902	\$428



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### CAVE CITY ADVENTURE Cost: \$187

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Our adventure tour begins as we travel south to Cave City, Kentucky. Our first stop for the day will be at the Kentucky Action Park, where we will have a thrilling ride on the Twin Zipline. Ride the scenic chairlift up the mountain and then zip across the first two lines and swinging bridge, then hit the last zipline, for the thrill of a lifetime, zipping over one half mile and over 300 feet high through the woods and beautiful open landscape. Next, we ride the only Alpine Slide in Kentucky. After taking a chairlift up the mountain, you'll grab a sled and start down the ¼ mile slide, controlling your own speed on the way down. Next, experience Kentucky's only cave rappel! Lower yourself by slow descent as you rappel down the limestone face of Hidden River Cave. Next, we take a guided tour of Hidden River Cave. We will learn how Hidden River Cave ties into the story of Horse Cave and see wildlife, historic equipment and natural features that you won't see in any other cave. Meals: 1 Lunch and 1 Power Snack

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### WEST VIRGINIA ADVENTURE TOUR WHITEWATER RAFTING, ZIP LINING AND WATER PARK

June 24-25 Tour # 2019611 2 Days Single: \$549 Double: \$469 Triple: \$449 Deposit: \$150

Join us as we travel to West Virginia, which has become the "zip line capital of America." This adventure getaway provides all kinds of fun and thrills in West Virginia's incredibly scenic New River Gorge, commonly known as the "Grand Canyon of the East." The nearby rivers offer attractions providing year-round fun for the whole family.

Day 1 - ZIP LINE CANOPY TOUR - ACE WONDERLAND WATER PARK - BECKLEY, WEST VIRGINIA - We board our motorcoach and drive to Beckley, West Virginia. After lunch on our own, we embark on a Zip Line Canopy Tour. This tour will provide us with bird's eye views of the tree canopy and New River Gorge. Next, we let loose at ACE's Wonderland Water Park. There is something for everyone at this five-acre water park and white sandy beach. Here, you can splash down from the tower on the zip lines, climb giant inflatable toys, race down the giant twin water slides, or try out the crowd favorite, "The Blob," with a friend. We have included dinner as part of our day of adventure. We overnight in Beckley, West Virginia.

Day 2 - WHITEWATER RAFTING - HOME - This morning, we embark on a Whitewater Rafting day excursion through the Lower New River. This trip delivers the largest and most fun rapids that a beginner would want to tackle while entertaining even the seasoned rafter. We have included breakfast, lunch and dinner as part of this adventurous day. Meals: 1B, 1L, 2D

# festivals

### Get your arts on!

# Bunburry Music Festival Cincinnati, OH



2 Days	Single	\$499
June 1-2	Double	\$439
2019	Triple	\$419
#2019606	Deposit	\$200

The Bunbury Music Festival, held each June on the banks of the Ohio River, is one of the most eagerly awaited entertainment events in Cincinnati. This is one of the top ten summer music festivals in the nation as rated by USA Today and Forbes. Since its inaugural event in 2012, this event has grown every year and features performances by some of the biggest bands and musicians in the nation. Past performers at this event have included such artists as Jack White, Third Eye Blind, Blink 182, Foster the People, Young the Giant, Dropkick Murphys, Royal Blood, Peter Bjorn and John and many others. Day 1 - BUNBURRY MUSIC FESTIVAL -Today, we make our way to beautiful "Queen City," Cincinnati, Ohio. We will have lunch on our own before we make our way to Sawyer Park for some great music performances in a friendly atmosphere. There will be several groups performing today for our listening pleasure. We overnight in the Cincinnati area.

Day 2 - CONTEMPORARY ARTS CENTER - BUNBURRY MUSIC FESTIVAL - HOME - After an included breakfast, we visit the Contemporary Arts Center. Here, we can explore three floors of world class art exhibits. This afternoon, we return to the Bunbury Music Festival for another great afternoon of music. There will be different groups than those who sang yesterday performing. As the day winds down we reboard our motorcoach and head back towards home. Meal: 1B



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# festivals

# Chicago Blues Festival & The Old Town Art Fair



2019	Double Triple	\$329 \$379 \$339
#2019609	Deposit	\$150

Chicago honors its history as a destination for musicians by hosting the largest free blues festival in the world, bringing living legends and local 12-bar players to Millennium Park. This year, Pritzker Pavilion hosts headlining sets from Mavis Staples and Fantastic Negrito, as well as a tribute to blues harpist Little Walter and Chicago label Delmark Records. During the day, local acts perform on side stages, giving you plenty of time to snag a spot on the lawn.

Day 1 - OAK BROOK, ILLINOIS - Today, we journey to the "Windy City" of Chicago - known for its fabulous lakefront, stunning architecture, famous museums, endless restaurants, and warm, friendly people. We will stop for lunch on our own en route. Our hotel accommodations for the next two nights will be in Oak Brook, Illinois.

Day 2 - OLD TOWN ART FAIR - CHICAGO BLUES FES-TIVAL - After an included breakfast, we visit the Old Town Art Fair. This event has been voted America's #1 Art Fair three years in a row and named as one of Chicago's favorite festivals. Stroll the charming, tree lined streets of Chicago's historic Old Town Triangle District. There are over 250 nationally acclaimed artists to discover, a garden walk, live music, food court, children's activities and more. Lunch will be on our own at the festival. Next, we will head out to Millennium Park, where we will attend the Chicago Blues Festival, the largest of Chicago's music festivals. Past performers at the event have included Bonnie Raitt, the late Ray Charles, the late B.B. King, the late Bo Diddley, Buddy Guy, the late Koko Taylor, Shemekia Copeland, Gary Clark Jr, Rhiannon Giddens, Lil Ed and the Imperials and Bobby Rush. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we depart for home with memories of great blues music and wonderful sightseeing in the "Windy City." Meals: 2B



### Get your arts on!

# Craft Fair of the Southern Highland - Asheville, NC



2 Days	Single	\$819
Oct 19-20	Double	<b>\$559</b>
2019	Triple	\$479
#20191007	Deposit	\$200

You won't want to miss one of the best craft shows in the South, celebrating 72 years in 2019. For three days each October, Asheville, North Carolina comes alive as over 200 craftspeople come together in downtown Asheville and fill two levels of the Civic Center with their fine traditional and contemporary crafts. All wares will be sold by the artists and these artists are the finest in the South! Local musicians play live while craft educators give demonstrations.

Day 1 - CRAFT FAIR OF THE SOUTHERN HIGHLANDS - ASHEVILLE, NORTH CAROLINA - Our coach travels south to Knoxville, Tennessee, where we will have lunch (on own) before driving to Asheville, North Carolina.

Upon arrival, we drive directly to the Civic Center, where we will attend the Craft Fair of the Southern Highlands. You will be able to shop from more than 170 booths with crafts of all kind - clay, wood, metal, paper, leather, jewelry and much more. We overnight in Asheville, North Carolina.

Day 2 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we take our treasures with us and head back towards home. Meal: 1B



# overnight excursions

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### Relax and leave the details to us.

# Washington, DC Cherry Blossom Time



5 Days	Single	\$1029
March 25-29	Double	<b>\$709</b>
2019	Triple	\$639
#2019320	Deposit	\$200

Early spring is the most beautiful time to see Washington, D.C., especially during Cherry Blossom Time! From the beauty of the Tidal Basin, where we see the white and pink blossoms of the Yoshino cherry trees, to the power and authority of Capitol Hill, we'll explore our nation's capital on one of the most comprehensive tours to Washington, D.C. you can take.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - We travel today through West Virginia into the "Old Line State" of Maryland, where we overnight in Hagerstown, Maryland.

Day 2 - WWII MEMORIAL - SMITHSONIAN INSTITUTE -This morning, we drive into Washington, D.C. to take in all the city has to offer. We begin by stopping at the WWII Memorial honoring the 16 million who served in the armed forces of the U.S., the more than 400,000 who died, and all who supported the war effort from home. Next we visit the Smithsonian Institution, affectionately called "America's attic," for a look at the history of this nation. We will visit the Museum of Natural History, the National Museum of American History and the National Air and Space Museum. After exploring these exhibits we will visit the Thomas Jefferson Memorial before stopping for dinner on our own. Our hotel accommodations for the next two nights will be in the D.C. area.

Day 3 - WASHINGTON, D.C. SIGHTSEEING - Today we will make every effort to get tickets for the U.S. Capitol (if open and available). In the meantime, we'll visit the Lincoln, Roosevelt, Vietnam War and Korean War Memorials. As we drive through the city, we pass by the Tidal Basin, lined with the famous Yoshino Cherry Trees. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - ARLINGTON NATIONAL CEMETERY - We begin our day with a visit to Arlington National Cemetery to see the Kennedy Gravesites and the Changing of the Guard Ceremonies at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. As we depart the cemetery, we stop at the Marine Corps War Memorial, which portrays the raising of the flag on Iwo Jima. Back across the Potomac, we have a guided tour of the Kennedy Center for the Performing Arts. Overnight in Hagerstown, Maryland

Day 5 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we leave Maryland this morning and make our way home, remembering the things we have seen on our trip that truly make our country great. Meals: 4B

### Take photos!

Chances are, you'll pass by some great views as you head towards your destination. Why not use the time to take some awesome photos of the places you drive past?! Not only will you keep occupied but you'll have some great images of your trip to boot. Pick the window seat and get snap happy.

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# overnight excursions

# Spring in the Smokies Pigeon Forge, TN



Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit for this tour no later than February 9, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

This fantastic package includes two nights at the Dollywood DreamMore Resort & Spa plus two of Dolly's spectacular dinner shows: Dixie Stampede and the all new Celebration! Dinner Show.

Day 1 - DREAMMORE RESORT - CELEBRATION! DINNER SHOW - Our drive today takes us through the lush, rolling hills of Tennessee and into the Great Smoky Mountains. We will check into the impressive Dream-More Resort & Spa, where we spend the first of two nights. Tonight, we head out to the Celebration! Dinner Show, one of the newest and best shows in Pigeon Forge. You'll enjoy a delicious four-course dinner and be entertained with rousing musical numbers and jawdropping talent and showmanship. There is comedy and fun throughout the show that builds to a high energy, over-the-top finale that will leave you celebrating all the way home.

Day 2 - GATLINBURG - DIXIE STAMPEDE DINNER SHOW - This morning, we visit Gatlinburg for a unique shopping excursion you won't find anywhere else. You'll find everything from Smoky Mountain arts and crafts to souvenirs and collectibles in the many old-world style shops, galleries and boutiques. Tonight, we will attend the famous Dixie Stampede Dinner Show. We enjoy a delicious four-course Southern feast and then we will be entertained as thirty-two magnificent horses and talented riders perform daring feats of trick riding. Along the way enjoy music, dancing, special effects and family friendly comedy. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - HOME - Today we head for home. We will have time to shop for some last minute souvenirs to remind us of the fun we've had in the Smokies. Meals: 2 Dinner Shows





# overnight excursions

# Sedona and the Great Southwest



 May 13-23
 Single
 \$3039

 2019
 Double
 \$1989

 #2019515
 Deposit
 \$350

When USA Today compiled a list of the Most Beautiful Places in America, Sedona, Arizona claimed the top spot. And no wonder! Nestled among a geological wonderland with multi-hued stone formations jutting upwards from the high desert floor, the Sedona area is truly breathtaking. This Shockey tour to America's great Southwest features a four-night stay in Sedona; allowing plenty of time for us to enjoy its many recreational activities - art galleries, great dining, spa facilities and world-class shopping. We have also planned many other activities and attractions for this exciting tour that are sure to delight one and all.

DAY 1 - INDEPENDENCE, MISSOURI - On our journey to Sedona and the Great Southwest, we will take different routes as we travel west and then back east; so that we may enjoy different attractions and experiences along the way. Our first overnight stay will be in Independence, Missouri. DAY 2 - DODGE CITY, KANSAS - Our destination for today is famous Dodge City, Kansas. Here we will visit the reconstructed 1875 era downtown, the Gunsmoke Wall of Fame (that honors many of the characters of the famous TV show), an old Santa Fe railroad depot and the Boot Hill Museum. Nearby are an eight-foot tall bronze statue of famed lawman Wyatt Earp and a view of the 150-year old Santa Fe Trail Wagon. We overnight in Dodge City, Kansas.

DAY 3 - CAPULIN VOLCANO - LAS VEGAS, NEW MEX-ICO - Today will be spent traveling the back roads of Kansas, the Oklahoma panhandle and New Mexico. We will get a sense of what the pioneers experienced when the crossed the prairie, when we travel through the Cimarron National Grasslands this morning. A unique experience this afternoon will be our tour of the Capulin Volcano National Monument in northeastern New Mexico. This well-preserved, symmetrical volcanic cinder cone rises steeply from the surrounding plains to an elevation of 8,182 feet above sea level. After time at the Visitor's Center, we will drive to the top of the rim of the 400 foot deep crater to enjoy spectacular 260 degree views. We overnight in Las Vegas, New Mexico.



DAY 4 - SEDONA, ARIZONA - Arriving in Sedona, Arizona about mid-afternoon, we check into our accommodations, for the next four nights. We have the rest of the day and evening to explore, shop, dine and sight-see.



DAY 5 - SEDONA SIGHTSEEING - This morning, those who wish, may join us for a scenic outing to some of the Sedona area's beautiful natural and man-made attractions; including the Amitabha Stupa & Peace Park, Red Rock State Park and the Montezuma Castle National Monument. Overnight same hotel.

DAY 6 - LEISURE DAY - Today is all yours; to enjoy the hotel's amenities or use local transportation to go shopping and exploring. Overnight same hotel.

DAY 7 - GRAND CANYON - The South Rim of the Grand Canyon attracts over five million visitors each year and for good reason - it features astounding views of this great wonder of nature. Our day trip, to what has been called one of the Seven Wonders of the world, will certainly be a memorable one. Overnight Sedona.

DAY 8 - PETRIFIED FOREST AND PAINTED DESERT -ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO - This morning we are heading to northeast Arizona to visit the unusual Petrified Forest National Park and the adjoining beautiful Painted Desert. The many petrified logs we will see are extremely beautiful, having the most unexpectedly bright colors. We will also drive to many of the viewpoints of the rolling multicolored landscape of the Painted Desert and visit the park's museum too. We overnight in Albuquerque, New Mexico.

DAY 9 - CADILLAC RANCH - CLINTON, OKLAHOMA - This morning we depart our hotel and make a stop at the Cadillac Ranch, a most unusual art exhibit. The ten graffiti covered cars are half-buried, facing west "at the same angle as the Cheops Pyramid." Driving along part of the original Route 66 will bring us to Clinton, Oklahoma, where we will overnight. DAY 10 - ROLLA, MISSOURI - As we drive east today, through Oklahoma and Missouri, we will make stops at the Oklahoma City Memorial and the Oral Roberts University in Tulsa, Oklahoma. Our last overnight will be in Rolla, Missouri.

DAY 11 - HOME - We are homeward bound with memories of our time in beautiful Sedona, Arizona and America's Great Southwest. Meals: 9B



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# overnight excursions

# Niagara Falls U.S. and Canada



This comprehensive tour includes the natural beauty of Canada's Horseshoe Falls and the majestic power of our own American Falls. Come witness the thundering, churning waters of this natural wonder as well as many other area attractions.

Day 1 - NIAGARA FALLS, ONTARIO - Today we drive north across Ohio and Pennsylvania into New York State. We cross the Canadian Border and arrive at our hotel in Niagara Falls, Ontario for the next four nights.

Day 2 - CANADIAN FALLS - TABLE ROCK - AERO CAR -WELLAND CANAL - HORNBLOWER - SKYWHEEL - After an included breakfast, a local guide will step aboard our coach and provide an exciting tour of the Table Rock area. Table Rock Centre is the heart of Niagara Parks, where every year over eight million visitors stand close to the thundering water rushing over the brink of Horseshoe Falls! Next, we visit the Spanish Aerocar and the Floral Clock. Afterwards, we will enjoy the Welland Canal and Museum for a look at this great engineering feat. The locks can lift huge ships as if they were toys. After an included lunch, we get an exciting, up-close view of this great natural wonder of thundering, churning waters as we take a boat ride on the Hornblower. Next, we ride the Niagara SkyWheel. Climate controlled gondolas soar 175 feet above Niagara for memorable views of the Horseshoe and American Falls, the Niagara River and other landmarks. This evening, we have an included dinner. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - AMERICAN FALLS - BUTTERFLY CONSERVATORY - DINNER SHOW - After an included breakfast, we depart with a local guide on a day excursion that takes us back to Niagara Falls, New York for a visit to the American Falls. We will see Luna Island, Cave of the Winds and Goat Island, which offer spectacular views from the edges of the falls. We will also visit the Power Vista Museum. This is an interactive museum featuring the history of electrical power generation at Niagara Falls. We travel back to the Canadian side of the falls where we will be amazed at the Butterfly Conservatory. This magical attraction features over 2,000 colorful tropical butterflies floating freely among lush, exotic blooms and greenery. This evening, we enjoy a dinner show at the Oh Canada Dinner Theater. Overnight same hotel.

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Day 4 - SKYLON TOWER - IMAX - NIAGARA ON THE LAKE - After an included breakfast, we depart with our local guide for a visit the Skylon Tower, where we will ride to the top to the indoor/ outdoor observation decks. In just 52 seconds, you will enjoy spectacular views of the falls. Next, we head to the IMAX Theater located in the heart of the Niagara Falls tourist and entertainment district. The theater is home to the IMAX film "Niagara: Miracles, Myths & Magic," the amazing Niagara Falls Daredevil Exhibit and the best source of daredevil and Niagara Falls history. We, then head to Niagara on the Lake. This historic town captures attention with its Georgian and Victorian styled buildings. Here we will go to a winery for a tour and tasting. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - HOME - We include breakfast before departing the beauty of Canada with its vibrant, flowering gardens and famous waterfall and cross the border back into our own great country, making our way back to Kentucky. Meals: 4B, 1L, 2D, Show: 1





# overnight excursions

# New York Theater Special New York, NY



Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit for this tour no later than April 4, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

Deposit

\$350

This special tour to New York City will spend three nights in Midtown Manhattan and attend two Broadway shows. Come with us and see why 47 million people visit the "Big Apple" every year. It's not just the lights, the music, the shopping, the parks and the food. It's all of that and so much more! This trip offers the best of the "Big Apple" and is perfect for first-timers or those who want to return. Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Our adventure begins as we travel through West Virginia and Maryland to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown, Maryland. Along the way, we will cross the Eastern Continental Divide and also travel on the route of the 200 year old National Pike, the original interstate for settlers of the Midwest

Day 2 - RADIO CITY MUSIC HALL - TIMES SQUARE - EM-PIRE STATE BUILDING - This morning, after an included breakfast, we depart our hotel and travel through New Jersey to New York City. Upon arrival, we will take a guided tour of the beautiful Radio City Music Hall in Rockefeller Center. Our guide will share with us the history and secrets of past performances and celebrities on this behind-the-scenes look at one of the largest theaters in the world. Next, we check into our hotel accommodations for the next three nights. After our arrival at the hotel, we will enjoy dinner (on our own) and shopping in Times Square. Tonight, our Shockey Tour Director will conduct a night-time driving and walking tour of Midtown Manhattan. We will see points of interest such as St. Patrick's Cathedral, Madison Avenue, Lincoln Center and Rockefeller Center. Next, we take the traditional tour to the top of the Empire State Building, the "granddaddy of all skyscrapers." From the 86th floor of the Empire State Building, 1,050 feet above the city, you can enjoy a breathtaking view of the lights of New York City!

Day 3 - 9/11 MEMORIAL & MUSEUM - CHINATOWN -LITTLE ITALY - BROADWAY SHOW - After an included breakfast, we visit the National 9/11 Memorial and Museum. We will look at the permanent collection of artifacts, stories, photos, videos and other materials that shape our shared history and honor the memories of those killed on 9/11. Our afternoon agenda includes visits to exotic Chinatown and Little Italy. You can shop til you drop for purses, knock-off Tiffany jewelry and so much more. We return to the hotel to rest before our evening activities. This evening, we will take in one of the many plays Broadway has to offer. Overnight same hotel.

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Day 4 - MANHATTAN ISLAND CRUISE - MACY'S - BROAD-WAY SHOW - After an included breakfast, we are in for a wonderful treat as we cruise around Manhattan Island. Our guide will share with us some history and trivia as we sail around the island, following a route that takes us by the city's bridges, world-renowned landmarks and up-close views of the Statue of Liberty in the harbor. Next, we stop at Macy's flagship store on Broadway, the largest retail store in the world. We will have time for lunch on our own and shopping in or nearby Macy's, before returning to our hotel to rest and freshen up. This evening, we will enjoy another Broadway show. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - METROPOLITAN MUSEUM OF ART - HAGER-STOWN, MARYLAND - This morning, we will tour the Metropolitan Museum of Art, the finest art museum in the western hemisphere. Next, we leave this "world within a city" for Hagerstown, Maryland, where we overnight.

Day 6 - HOME - Heading for home and dealing with "sensory overload," we enjoy the scenery as we collect our thoughts, sort out a myriad of memories and think of all the stories we will tell of our visit to the "Big Apple." Meals: 5B, Shows: 2





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# overnight excursions

# New Orleans Louisiana



June 10-14 2019	Single Double Triple	\$949 <b>\$679</b> \$619
#2019627	Deposit	\$200

Join us as head south to the beautiful "Crescent City" of New Orleans, Louisiana, situated in a bend of the mighty Mississippi River. We have included a number of fun and entertaining experiences including a city tour and a visit to Blaine Kern's Mardi Gras World. Mystical, fascinating and romantic -- that's New Orleans! Day 1 - MERIDIAN, MISSISSIPPI - Our adventure begins as we head south through Tennessee and Alabama to our overnight accommodations in Meridian, Mississippi.

Day 2 - NEW ORLEANS CITY TOUR - This morning, we drive directly to the "Crescent City" and meet our local guide for a city tour that will feature modern New Orleans and old sights around the French Quarter. Our city tour will take us by lovely antebellum homes and along St. Charles Avenue past parks, universities, and other famous areas in this beautiful city. Next, we check into our hotel accommodations for the next two nights in New Orleans. This evening will be at your leisure to have dinner on your own and explore this fascinating city.

Day 3 - LEISURE DAY IN NEW ORLEANS - FRENCH QUAR-TER - This day will be at your leisure in New Orleans to do whatever most appeals to you. You may choose to wander through the French Quarter looking for that perfect bargain, walk down Bourbon Street, admire iron-lace balconies, stop for café au lait and beignets at the Café du Monde or enjoy the music and entertainers at Jackson Square. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - BLAINE KERN'S MARDI GRAS WORLD - MERID-IAN, MISSISSIPPI - This morning, we head to Blaine Kern's Mardi Gras World. The artists here create the magical images and figures used on the Mardi Gras parade floats and we'll see many of the props and giant sculptures on display here. Next, we continue to Meridian, Mississippi, where we overnight.

Day 5 - HOME - This morning we make our way home remembering what fun and excitement we have had on our New Orleans getaway. Meals: 4B



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# Mississippi<br/>Biver CruiseImage: Strategy of the strategy

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit for this tour no later than May 11, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

Return to an era when the romantic riverboats plied the Mississippi River. Come join us as we drive to LeClaire, Iowa and board the Twilight Riverboat, for a "grand adventure" on the mighty Mississippi River.

Day 1 - LE CLAIRE, IOWA - MACHINE SHED RESTAURANT - Our coach heads west through the fertile farmlands of Indiana and Illinois into Iowa. Tonight, expect an exciting evening as we enjoy a delicious included dinner at the fascinating Machine Shed Restaurant. We overnight in Le Claire, Iowa. Day 2 - CRUISING THE MISSISSIPPI RIVER - After an included breakfast, we take a step back in time to the 1800's as we board the Twilight Riverboat, a stunningly recreated diesel-powered riverboat of a century ago. In Mark Twain's era, the elegant riverboats Twain called "floating palaces," were the most luxurious way of transportation in the country. Our full-day boat cruise aboard the Twilight takes us through a variety of picturesque scenery pointed out by the Captain. You can browse the gift shop, play bingo, relax on the promenade deck and enjoy the delightful folk entertainers on board. We enjoy an included lunch and dinner on board the boat today. Our riverboat docks in Dubuque, Iowa and we are transported to our hotel for our overnight accommodations.

Day 3 - DUBUQUE, IOWA - TWILIGHT RIVERBOAT - After a delicious included breakfast, the morning will be free to enjoy optional activities in the Dubuque area. Continuous shuttle transportation to many of the activities will depart from the main lobby of the hotel. Noontime finds us boarding the Twilight to enjoy a wonderful lunch as we retrace our ride on the mighty Mississippi to Le Claire, Iowa. Dinner is included before we dock. We overnight in Le Claire, Iowa.

Day 4 - HOME - This morning we leave behind the river with its diesel-powered riverboat and re-board our motorcoach to travel through modern towns with our current life-style in the 21st century. However, it will be fun to reminisce our travel experiences and revel in the history we have "re-lived", contemplating the advantages and disadvantages of the 19th and 21st centuries. Meals: 3B, 2L, 3D

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# Mackinac Island Michigan



2019	Double Triple	\$1059 \$899
#2019704	Deposit	\$250

Come to beautiful Mackinac Island, the "Bermuda of the North." Take a step back to "somewhere in time," to an island where no motorized vehicles are allowed, only horse drawn carriages and bicycles. Savor the aroma of world famous Mackinac Island fudge, enjoy a carriage tour of the island and view this intriguing place steeped in history and memories. Day 1 - FRANKENMUTH, MICHIGAN - Today, we travel to the quaint community of Frankenmuth, where we overnight.

Day 2 - MACKINAC ISLAND, MICHIGAN - After an included breakfast, we drive to Mackinaw City, Michigan and board the ferry that takes us to Mackinac Island. The island is rich in history and full of natural beauty and we will spend the next two nights in this charming place. The clip-clop of the horses' hooves is a pleasant sound in this quiet relaxing place that has no motorized vehicles.

Day 3 - CARRIAGE RIDE - GRAND HOTEL -After an included breakfast, we begin our day with a horsedrawn carriage tour of Mackinac Island. We stop at the Grand Hotel, where the hotel's 700-foot veranda leads us into an enormous lobby decorated with priceless works of art. We have included their delicious luncheon buffet spread over ten tables of mouth-watering delights. After lunch, the rest of the day will be free to roam through the downtown shops or maybe rent a bicycle for a ride around the island.

Day 4 - BRONNER'S CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND - After an included breakfast, we have some leisure time to browse for that last souvenir before heading to the ferry, where we cross back to the mainland. Our ferry takes us to St. Ignace in Michigan's Upper Peninsula, where we will have the pleasure of driving back across the famous Mighty Mac Bridge that connects Michigan's Upper and Lower Peninsula. In Frankenmuth, Michigan, we'll visit Bronner's Christmas Wonderland, before checking into our hotel.

Day 5 - HOMEWARD BOUND - After an included breakfast, we begin our journey home with many memories of the natural beauty of Mackinac Island. Meals: 4B, 1L

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# West Virginia Music, Mountains and Railsroads



4 Days	Single	\$1039
Aug 14-17	Double	<b>\$709</b>
2019	Triple	\$649
#2019802	Deposit	\$200

"Almost Heaven, West Virginia," that is how John Denver described this beautiful mountainous state in his top hit song, "Country Roads." We are sure you will agree as we visit the area known as the "Heart of West Virginia." This area is famous for its mountain scenery, outdoor recreation, rich culture and heritage. Come away to the lush green mountains of West Virginia, where interstates meet country roads and take the traveler on a delightful journey to some of the most beautiful scenery you have ever seen.

Day 1 - ELKINS, WEST VIRGINIA - GANDY DANCER THE-ATER - Today we step aboard a deluxe motorcoach and travel to Elkins, West Virginia, where we check into our hotel for the next two nights. After check-in, we're off for an unforgettable evening at the Gandy Dancer Theater. After a wonderful included dinner, the fabulous Mountain Memories Show Band will entertain us with music from the 50's to today, country, pop, gospel and patriotic tunes and high energy, family friendly comedy.

Day 2 - CHEAT MOUNTAIN SALAMANDER - DURBIN ROCKET - After an included breakfast, we embark on one of the most unique rail excursions in the nation - the Cheat Mountain Salamander. Our train takes us for a 21-mile ride deep into the untamed mountain wilderness to the High Falls of the Cheat River. Lunch is included on the train. It travels mountain crests and valleys two hours before arriving at the outpost of the Cheat Bridge. In historic Durbin, we board the Durbin Rocket, one of the rarest steam locomotives in existence, for a scenic ten-mile journey along the Greenbrier River. We have included dinner this evening. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - BECKLEY EXHIBITION COAL MINE - TAMARACK - We travel to beautiful Beckley, West Virginia today. At the Beckley Exhibition Coal Mine, we take a ride in remodeled coal mining cars in this once-working coal mine. Our guide, a veteran miner, will share with us the stories and first-hand accounts of past and present day miners. After our great adventure in the mine, we travel to Tamarack for shopping. This unique retailer with artisan products and extraordinary food started out as a simple vision to promote the Mountain State's wonderful image. You will find crafts and foods from all over the Mountain State, including those from the famous five-star Greenbrier Resort. We overnight in Beckley, West Virginia.

Day 4 - HOME - We travel home today with memories and stories to tell our loved ones about our great adventure to beautiful West Virginia. Meals: 3B, 1L, 2D, Show: 1

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# Black Hills & Grand Tetons Canadian Rockies



14 Days	Single	\$4059
June 9-22	Double	<b>\$2759</b>
2019	Triple	\$2419
#2019602	Deposit	\$350

Spectacular sights await you on this incredible trip to the Northwest. Multi-colored wastelands, uniquely formed gullies, eroded pinnacles of sandstone, towering waterfalls and majestic snow-capped mountains will astound you with their unbelievable beauty. Marvel at the resort towns, cowboy legends, rodeos and buffalo burgers. The customs and history of this beautiful area will intrigue you as you see, feel, hear and taste it on this fantastic tour.



Day 1 - CORALVILLE, IOWA - We board our deluxe coach and travel through Indiana, Illinois and on to Coralville, Iowa for our first night.

Day 2 - JOHN WAYNE'S BIRTHPLACE - This morning, we will tour John Wayne's birthplace, located in the small central Iowa town of Winterset. The actor was born Marion Robert Morrison on May 26, 1907 in this modest four-room home and the museum houses the world's largest collection of John Wayne memorabilia. We overnight in Mitchell, South Dakota.

Day 3 - WALL DRUG STORE - BADLANDS - MT. RUSH-MORE NATIONAL MEMORIAL - This morning, we tour the Badlands National Park. Desolate, arid and eerie, the Badlands are rich in fossil deposits, fantastic landforms and Indian folklore. Our drive brings us into Wall, South Dakota for lunch at the Wall Drug Store, famous for their free ice water.

> live your life by a compass not a clock. stephen covey

This afternoon, we visit Mt. Rushmore National Memorial, where the faces of four great presidents stand out on a 6,000-foot mountain. Overnight in Spearfish, South Dakota.

Day 4 - BLACK HILLS - SHELL CANYON - Today, we continue our travels through the Black Hills and the Big Horn Mountains. We cross the high elevations of the Big Horn Mountains and pass through Shell Canyon, a scenic gorge, on our way to Cody, Wyoming. Day 5 - YELLOWSTONE - JACKSON HOLE - Spectacular Yellowstone National Park awaits us today! We will want to take pictures as we walk the paths to thundering waterfalls, thermal steam vents, bubbling mud pots and steaming pools. We see "Old Faithful Geyser" flinging its steamy plume against the blue sky on a consistent schedule. Next, we travel to Jackson Hole, a resort town surrounded by the snow-capped Grand Teton Mountains and the Snake River. We overnight two nights in Jackson, Wyoming.

Day 6 - GRAND TETON MOUNTAINS - This morning, we don our life jackets and climb aboard our rubber float for a relaxing yet exhilarating ride on picturesque Snake River. Our float ride will take us into a quiet, natural world of wildlife, wildflowers and spectacular panoramic views of the Grand Teton Mountains. The afternoon is free and your hotel is in the middle of downtown Jackson, just steps away from the shops!

Day 7 - IDAHO - MISSOULA, MONTANA - Today, we travel through Idaho. As we drive through the state, we see huge fields of potatoes growing in the rich volcanic soil. Overnight in Missoula, Montana.

Day 8 - GOING-TO-THE-SUN-HIGHWAY - We visit one of the most beautiful spots in the world today, Glacier National Park! We enter a land of awesome peaks and thundering waterfalls, emerald glacier lakes and majestic alpine scenery. We enjoy a ride over Glacier's spectacular Going-To-The-Sun-Road, one of the most outstanding scenic roadways in the world. It takes us through the heart of the park and across the Continental Divide. We cross the border into Canada to overnight in Lethbridge, Alberta.

Day 9 - BANFF NATIONAL PARK - LAKE LOUISE - Today we head to the beauty of the Canadian Rockies, traveling through Calgary and on to Banff National Park. There will be time for lunch and shopping in the quaint town of Banff. This afternoon, we stop at beautiful Lake Louise. With its emerald green waters and castle-like Chateau Lake Louise Hotel, it is one of the most photographed points in Canada. We will drive a portion of the Icefields Parkway, a scenic highway amidst the fantastic beauty of soaring mountains and icy glacial formations. Overnight Lake Louise, Alberta.

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Day 10 - COLUMBIA ICEFIELDS & SNOWCOACH - This morning we continue to the heart of the Canadian Rockies, a glorious panorama of endless mountain peaks; creeping, crawling glaciers; shimmering lakes; tumbling rivers and plunging waterfalls. We'll climb aboard a snowcoach for a ride across the surface of the 1,000-foot Athabasca Glacier, part of the Columbia Icefield, the largest accumulation of ice in the Rockies. Our walk on the glacier is another thrilling, unbelievable experience. After lunch, we retrace our journey on the Icefield Parkway, again seeing the awesome beauty of the Canadian Rockies. Overnight Medicine Hat, Alberta.

Day 11 - SASKATCHEWAN - Today, the landscape reveals level fields and plains as we make our way to the pastoral beauty of Saskatchewan, Canada's prairie province. Our driver and tour director will give a driving tour of Regina, the capital city of the province. Overnight in Regina, Saskatchewan.

Day 12 - FARGO, NORTH DAKOTA - We depart Canada and cross the border, glad to be back in the USA. We make our way through the rugged state of North Dakota, passing through Rugby, the geographic center of North America, on our way to Fargo, where we overnight.

Day 13 - THUNDER VALLEY - This morning we journey to Minneapolis, where we stop for lunch. We continue to Wisconsin Dells, where we enjoy a hearty included dinner at the fabulous Thunder Valley Inn. Overnight Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin.

Day 14 - HOME - Our trip comes to an end today as we make our way back into Kentucky with plans to share our wonderful trip of the Black Hills, Grand Tetons and Canadian Rockies with family and friends. Meals: 3B, 1D



# **Kick Off Fall Canadian Style**



Day 1 - NIAGARA FALLS, ONTARIO - In anticipation of our fall getaway, including one of the most scenic natural wonders in North America, we board our deluxe motorcoach and drive north across Ohio, Pennsylvania and New York on our way to our hotel in Niagara Falls, Ontario for the next three nights.

Day 2 - CANADIAN FALLS - IMAX - HORNBLOWER BOAT RIDE - ELEMENTS RESTAURANT - This morning we enjoy an included breakfast at the hotel before boarding our motorcoach, where a local guide will provide an exciting tour of the Canadian falls area. We hear the roar of the falls and see the mist rising from the river as we drive around Niagara.

Next, we will view a breathtaking film at the IMAX Theater on the history and "feats" performed at the falls. This afternoon, we have included a ride on the Hornblower for a thrilling, up-close view of this great wonder of nature! After lunch on our own, we return to our hotel for some rest and relaxation before our included dinner at Elements Restaurant, overlooking the roaring Niagara. What a view! What memories! Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - WELLAND CANAL - NIAGARA-ON-THE-LAKE -WINERY TOUR - FLORAL CLOCK - OH CANADA, EH DIN-NER SHOW - After an included breakfast, we stop at the Welland Canal for a look at this great engineering feat. The canal is a series of 7 lift locks and one regulating lock, and is a man-made waterway system to compensate for the 326.5 ft drop between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. The locks can lift huge ships as if they were toys. Next, we enjoy a tour and tasting at a chocolate factory and we have lunch (on our own) and shopping in Niagara-on-the-Lake. This historic town captures attention with its Georgian and Victorian styled building, Waterfront Park and the surrounding fields of grapevines. The town was once the capitol of Ontario and a military stand post of the British. Afterwards, we enjoy a winery tour for a great introduction to winemaking excellence. We will view the Floral Clock before returning to our hotel for rest and relaxation. This evening, we head to Oh Canada Eh Dinner Theater. We will enjoy a delicious included dinner and an entertaining musical celebration of Canada's heritage. Encounter singing Mounties, lumberjacks, Anne of Green Gables and other characters as you experience the sights and sounds of Canada

Day 4 - HOME - After an included breakfast at the hotel, we cross the border back into our own great country. As we make our way across New York, Pennsylvania and Ohio, you will treasure forever the beauty of Canada with its vibrant, flowering gardens and famous waterfall. Meals: 3B, 2D Show: 1

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# Georgia On My Mind Coastal Trip



Sept 9-15 2019	Single Double Triple	\$1899 <b>\$1319</b> \$1179
#2019919	Deposit	<b>\$250</b>

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit for this tour no later than July 4, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

Day 1 - FORSYTH, GEORGIA- We drive south through Tennessee to Forsyth, Georgia where we overnight.

Day 2 - JEKYLL ISLAND, GEORGIA - This morning we depart Forsyth and continue to Jekyll Island, a barrier island off Georgia's Atlantic Coast.

Day 3 - MILLIONAIRES VILLAGE - This morning we meet our local guide who will provide an informative tour of Millionaires Village. On our guided tour, we will see how the Rockefellers, Pulitzers, Goulds and Cranes lived and entertained during the Golden Era. Our tour includes three of the "Cottages" as well as Faith Chapel, where there is an original Tiffany window. This afternoon is free to enjoy the many amenities of the hotel or return to Millionaires Village for a stroll through this historic area. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - ST. SIMONS ISLAND - SAVANNAH, GEORGIA -An early departure from Jekyll Island takes us to St. Simons Island for a guided trolley tour. Our guide will share with us 400 years of history as we drive by points of interest including the lighthouse, the site of the famous 1742 Battle of Bloody Marsh, Fort Frederica National Monument and take a walking tour of the churchyard at historic Christ Church. Moss-covered oaks and ocean breezes weave the past into the present as we see the ruins of once gracious plantations, and stroll through small village streets with time to shop in quaint stores filled with Southern handicrafts. We'll take time for lunch and shopping at St. Simon's Village before departing for historic Savannah, Georgia, where we spend the next two nights.

Day 5 - OLD SAVANNAH TROLLEY TOUR - This morning, we will take a trolley tour of historic old Savannah. Among the many things we'll learn about this charming old southern city will be the legend behind the Waving Girl Statue. We'll see the bustling, cobblestone River Street in the city's historic Waterfront District and the converted old cotton warehouses, now made into quaint shops. We have included lunch in one of the popular culinary stops in Savannah. This afternoon you are free to browse along the Waterfront through the many antique and specialty shops. Overnight same hotel.

Day 6 - STONE MOUNTAIN - MARIETTA, GEORGIA - This morning, we depart lovely old Savannah and drive to Atlanta, Georgia. After lunch, we will visit Stone Mountain for a look at this massive dome of granite and the colossal equestrian figures sculpted on the mountain's sheer northern face. There will be time to ride the sky-lift to the top of the mountain or take the train around the base of the mountain. Next, we depart for Marietta, Georgia, where we overnight.

Day 7 - HOME - This morning we board our motorcoach and reluctantly make our way homeward, we will remember the beauty we have seen in Georgia's charming cities and islands. Meals: 6B, 1L

# Big Apple New York City



Sept 17-21 2019	Single Double Triple	\$1769 <b>\$1209</b> \$1059
#2019905	Deposit	\$300
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The most beguiling city in the world, New York City is an adrenaline-charged, history-laden place that holds immense romantic appeal for visitors. Wandering the streets here, you'll cut between buildings that are icons of the modern age - and where gazing at the flickering lights of the midtown skyscrapers, experiencing downtown or riding the Staten Island ferry, you really would have to be made of stone not to be moved by it all.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Our fun-filled adventure begins today as we travel through West Virginia and Maryland to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown. Along the way, we will cross the Eastern Continental Divide and also travel on the route of the 200 year old National Pike, the original interstate for settlers of the Midwest.

Day 2 - STATUE OF LIBERTY - ELLIS ISLAND - EMPIRE STATE BUILDING - After an included breakfast, we depart and drive directly to Liberty Park in New Jersey, where we board the ferry to Ellis Island, the nation's main point of entry for millions of immigrants from 1892-1924. Next, we ferry to Liberty Island to view the Statue of Liberty. Few sights are as emotional and exhilarating as the first time you see the Statue of Liberty in New York Harbor. Next, the song "East Side - West Side - All around the Town" will begin to take on new meaning following our arrival at our hotel for the next two nights in Midtown Manhattan. Upon arrival, we will enjoy dinner (on our own) and shopping in Times Square, the "Crossroads of the World." Tonight, our Shockey Tour Director will conduct a nighttime driving and walking tour of Midtown Manhattan. Breathtaking sights await us, especially from the 86th floor observatory of the one and only Empire State Building; the granddaddy of all skyscrapers.

Day 3 - 9/11 MEMORIAL AND MUSEUM - BROADWAY SHOW - After an included breakfast, we visit the National 9/11 Memorial and Museum. We will look at the permanent collection of artifacts, stories, photos, videos and other materials that shape our shared history and honor the memories of those killed on 9/11. Tonight, we absorb the culture of New York as we attend a Broadway Show.

Day 4 - CITY TOUR - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - After an included breakfast, we have an opportunity to see what the "Big Apple" is all about as we enjoy a City Tour with a local step on guide. After our city tour, we will have the opportunity for some shopping before we head back to Hagerstown, Maryland for the evening

Day 5 - HOMEWARD BOUND - Did we do it all? Are you kidding? But, we're pretty sure that we did all that we could. As we have learned, New York always demands a next time. Meals: 4B, Show: 1

Early Booking Reminder: Our hotel is located in Midtown Manhattan, within walking distance of Times Square and the theaters. This tour requires a very early reservation, due to a limited number of rooms at the hotel. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than July 11, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.



# Amtrak New River Train Excursion



3 Days	Single	\$689
Oct 18-20	Double	<b>\$549</b>
2019	Triple	\$509
#20191009	Deposit	\$200

For only two weeks each October, when the leaves are turning color in West Virginia's New River Gorge can we offer this great little tour. Join us as we ride the rails and enjoy a breathtaking journey through this incredibly scenic area.

Day 1 - BLENKO GLASS - CHARLESTON, WEST VIRGINIA - We head up through Eastern Kentucky, where the mountains meet the sun, and cross into West Virginia. On our way to Charleston, we visit Blenko Glass Company in Milton, West Virginia. Here, we can shop for unique handmade glassware, contemporary tableware and stained glass. Next, we arrive in Charleston, West Virginia, where we enjoy a guided tour of this mountain town, located in the Kanawha River Valley. Our hotel accommodations for the next two nights will be in Charleston, West Virginia. Day 2 - NEW RIVER TRAIN EXCURSION - After an included breakfast, we depart for St. Albans, where we board the New River Train and travel through the "Grand Canyon of the East" - West Virginia's New River Gorge. From the train, you will enjoy a spectacular view of nature at her best, displaying her brightest fall foliage. We continue on our trip to Hinton, where there will be a street fair with local food stands, arts and crafts, entertainment, a railroad museum and other attractions. Then we re-board the train, enjoying an included boxed "dinner" as we travel to St. Albans. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - NEW RIVER GORGE BRIDGE - HOME - After an included breakfast, we board our coach for an exciting visit to New River Gorge Bridge, the second tallest vehicular bridge in the world. After our visit, we make our way home with fond memories of our exciting fall getaway ready to be shared with family and friends. Meals: 2B, 1D



# New England Fall Foliage 11-day Spectacular



Sept 26 - Oct 6 2019	Single Double Triple	\$3059 <b>\$2039</b> \$1779
#2019918	Deposit	\$350

Why not make this the year, and this fall the time, to come with Shockey Tours to New England, where quaint villages, picturesque mountain towns, historic cities and a dazzling array of autumn colors await.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Our first overnight will be in Hagerstown, Maryland.

Day 2 - WEST HAVEN, CONNECTICUT - An included breakfast this morning, we continue through the "Empire State" of New York, continuing to our hotel in West Haven, Connecticut to overnight. Day 3 - MYSTIC SEAPORT MUSEUM - NEWPORT, RHODE ISLAND - Mystic Seaport Museum, the nation's largest maritime museum, accurately portrays life as it was on the New England coast 200 years ago. This recreated seaport village allows you to actually walk through the actual homes in which seafaring New Englanders once lived. Be sure to visit the Charles W. Morgan, the only surviving wooden whaling ship in the world. Later on today we visit legendary Newport, Rhode Island, "the city by the sea," whose mansions best illustrate the "gilded age." We overnight in Hyannis, Massachusetts.

Day 4 - HYANNIS - PLYMOUTH ROCK - BOSTON - This morning, we visit the John F. Kennedy Memorial that overlooks the beautiful harbor of Hyannis. We continue through Massachusetts via historic Sandwich, the oldest town in Cape Cod, where we will stop for some photo opportunities. Next, a short drive will bring us to the town of Plymouth to view Plymouth Rock. In the afternoon, we travel to Boston to visit, among other places, the Old North Church, which has the actual window from where Paul Revere's signal lanterns flashed. We will spend the next two nights in the Boston area.

Day 5 - BOSTON SIGHTS - QUINCY MARKET - Our professionally guided tour of Boston begins at Boston Common, the oldest public park in the country. Historical sights abound in this great city. On our way to visit the site of the first conflict of the Revolutionary War, in Lexington, Massachusetts, we will pass Harvard University in Cambridge. Continuing on to Concord, we will see the homes of literary greats Henry David Thoreau, Ralph Waldo Emerson and Louisa Mae Alcott. In Concord, at the Old North Bridge, the Minuteman Statue stands on the site where the "shot heard around the world" was fired. Our tour concludes back in Boston at famous Fanueil Hall Marketplace, opened in 1742, and Quincy Market, its neighbor since 1825. This place was the scene of many stirring gatherings during the Revolutionary movement. Here visitors and locals alike shop, mingle and enjoy a tremendous variety of food. Overnight same hotel.



Day 6 - ACADIA NATIONAL PARK - BAR HARBOR, MAINE - This morning, we travel to the lovely seaside village of Bar Harbor, Maine. The beauty of the sea, mountains, lake and forest has made this area worldfamous as a summer resort. Here we visit Acadia National Park, which has the most breathtaking combination of ocean and mountain scenery north of Rio de Janeiro. Hotel accommodations for the next two nights will be in Bar Harbor, Maine.

Day 7 - LEISURE DAY IN BAR HARBOR - Today will be at your leisure to do whatever most appeals to you in Bar Harbor. Overnight same hotel.

Day 8 - NEW HAMPSHIRE'S WHITE MOUNTAINS - Today we continue into New Hampshire, through White Mountain National Forest, known for its spectacular fall foliage. Experience a visual masterpiece as you witness the white birch trees putting on a display of dazzling golden hues intermingled with the green New England spruce. Dinner is included this evening. We overnight in Lincoln, New Hampshire.

Day 9 - HILDENE MANSION -This morning, we depart our hotel and cross into Vermont. In Manchester, Vermont, we take a tour of Hildene Mansion, the beautiful home of Robert Todd Lincoln. Our overnight accommodations will be in Albany, New York.

Day 10 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - This morning we drive through Pennsylvania, skirting along the edges of the Pocono Mountains on our way to Hagerstown, Maryland, to overnight.

Day 11 - HOME - We share an included breakfast, and then board our coach for home. While our time in New England has come to an end, we have many fall foliage memories to share with family and friends. Meals: 8B, 1D

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation, due to a limited number of rooms at the hotels. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than July 21, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.



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In observance of our military veterans, Shockey Tours is offering a 10% discount towards any tour in our catalog. We would like to extend a 5% discount towards any tour in our catalog to military spouses. Our veterans' service to our country and patriotism mean so much to us and it is important to us that they know this. For verification purposes, when making your reservation, please forward a copy of your DD-214 form for this discount.

NOTE: This discount cannot be combined with other promotions or discounts.

# Chicago Theater & Christmas Shopping



2 Days	Single	\$649
Nov 20-22	Double	<b>\$509</b>
2019	Triple	\$469
#20191102	Deposit	\$200

There is no other city that decorates for the holidays quite like Chicago! With Christmas bargains waiting in every store you will be sure finish your shopping list on this great tour.

Day 1 - MAGNIFICENT MILE - CONNIE'S PIZZA - Upon arrival, we drive to the Magnificent Mile, one of Chicago's most impressive shopping complexes. Here you will have an opportunity to do your Christmas shopping in some outstanding department stores: Nordstrom's, Marshall Fields, Saks Fifth Avenue, Bloomingdale's or any of the 150 fabulous stores which offer an unlimited selection. The holiday atmosphere, beautiful music and lovely store decorations will give you the true Christmas spirit as you shop for that special someone on your Christmas list and find unique treasures at these fabulous stores. This evening, we have included a delicious Chicago-style pizza dinner at Connie's Pizza.

Day 2 - CITY TOUR - STATE STREET - WILLIS TOWER - DINNER THEATER - After an included breakfast, a step-on guide will board our coach and provide an informative city tour of the Chicago area. This afternoon, we complete our shopping list in downtown Chicago on State Street, where we visit Macy's for some unique and special purchases. Next, we visit Skydeck Chicago at Willis Tower, the tallest private office building in the world. We will enjoy viewing the night-lights of this fantastic and diverse metropolis of Chicago. Next, we will have an opportunity to drive through the city enjoying the many Christmas lights. Tonight, we will step back into the 1920's as we enjoy an included dinner and a delightful and funny show at "Tommy Gunn's Garage." Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we leave the "Windy City" behind, bringing all of our gifts and packages from our great Chicago Christmas shopping experience. Meals: 2B, 2D, Show: 1

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than September 12, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

# Thanksgiving Day Parade Radio City Rockettes



5 Days	Single	\$1599
Nov 26-30	Double	<b>\$1139</b>
2019	Triple	\$1019
#20191106	Deposit	\$300

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Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - A day of travel takes us through the beautiful mountains of West Virginia and brings us into the "Old Line" State of Maryland, where we overnight in Hagerstown, western Maryland's largest community.

Day 2 - MACY'S - EMPIRE STATE BUILDING - After an included breakfast, we board our coach and continue our journey to New York City. Our first stop in "The City" will be at Macy's flagship store on Broadway, the largest retail store in the world, covering an entire city block. Here you can enjoy the lovely Christmas decorations throughout the store as well as hunt for gifts for that special someone. Tonight, after dinner on our own, we will take a nighttime driving and walking tour that will feature St. Patrick's Cathedral, Madison Avenue, Lincoln Center, Rockefeller Center and many famous stores to view their incredible Christmas display windows. Next, we take the traditional tour to the top of the Empire State Building for a holiday look at this dazzling city.

Day 3 - MACY'S THANKSGIVING DAY PARADE - RADIO CITY ROCKETTES - Happy Thanksgiving Day! For years, the great Macy's Thanksgiving Day Parade has marked the beginning of the holiday season, and this morning we will become a part of this festive event as we join the thousands who come out to watch this grand parade. There will be marching bands, floats and, of course, those fabulous balloons, hovering and floating over the crowds and down between the skyscrapers. Next, we will enjoy a traditional Thanksgiving "Dinner" (included). Tonight, we see New York at its best as we attend the great "Radio City Christmas Spectacular" with the Rockettes at Radio City Music Hall. A New York City tradition since 1933, this fabulous show includes Santa's magical "Sleigh Ride," "The Parade of Wooden Soldiers," and the awe-inspiring "Living Nativity."

because in the end, you won't remember the time you spent working in the office or mowing your lawn. climb that damn mountain. jack kerouac

Day 4 - 9/11 MEMORIAL & MUSEUM - GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - This morning, we visit the National 9/11 Memorial and Museum. We will look at the permanent collection of artifacts, stories, photos, videos and other materials that shape our shared history and honor the memories of those killed on 9/11. Next, we visit Grand Central Terminal to enjoy their arts & crafts show before saying goodbye to beautiful New York City and heading back to Hagerstown, Maryland for the evening.

Day 5 - HOME - After an included breakfast at the hotel, we board our motorcoach and make our way home with memories of all the holiday festivities fresh in our minds and the warm glow of the Christmas season in our hearts. Meals: 2B and Thanksgiving "Dinner" Show: 1

Early Booking Reminder: This tour has a limited departure and requires a very early reservation. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than August 20, 2019. Final payment due 90 days prior to departure.

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# Biltmore Candlelight Christmas - Asheville, NC



2 Days	Single	\$479
Nov 30 - Dec 1	Double	<b>\$379</b>
2019	Triple	\$349
#20191106	Deposit	<b>\$150</b>

A candlelight Christmas celebrated in the palatial mansion of George Vanderbilt is an occasion to be treasured. Over 100 years ago, the first guests were welcomed into the Biltmore House, and we receive the same warm feeling of welcome today. This is a perfect little getaway, so come along with us as we journey to the magnificent Biltmore House.

Day 1 - BILTMORE HOUSE CANDLELIGHT TOUR- VIC-TORIAN HOLIDAY DINNER - Today, we travel to Asheville, North Carolina and check directly into our hotel for some rest before we board our coach and make our way to the grounds of the Biltmore House. This lovely mansion was formally opened on Christmas Eve 1895. We will be able to see the Biltmore House on this tour just as the Vanderbilts knew it. Before our candlelight tour of the house, we've included a fabulous Victorian Holiday Feast at the Deerpark Restaurant, located on the Biltmore estate. We dine in true Victorian fashion on an extensive choice of entrees, vegetables, salads and desserts. As day turns to night, a short drive takes us to the main entrance of Biltmore House, where dozens of flickering luminaries light the main roadway. Inside, crackling fireplaces and hundreds of candles cast a warm glow as we catch the smell of pine and potpourri drifting throughout the house.

Day 2 - HOME - Today, we return home from our experience into an era of opulence and grandeur. Memories of our Victorian feast and the candlelight tour of this most impressive mansion will last forever. Meals: 1B, 1D

# Opryland Country Christmas - Nashville, TN



This three-day package includes two nights at the dazzling Opryland Hotel, which is magnificently decorated for the holidays. Our garden view rooms overlook the fabulous conservatory area. We will have time to browse through the many specialty shops and experience all the breathtaking beauty of this unique hotel all dressed up for the holidays. As part of our tour we will see the great ice sculpture exhibit, "Ice" and attend two fabulous Christmas shows.



Day 1- OPRY MILLS - DELTA FLATBOAT - CHRISTMAS MUSICAL AT GRAND OLE OPRY HOUSE - We make our way south through Kentucky and Tennessee into "Music City, USA" - Nashville, Tennessee. Upon arrival, we stop at Opry Mills for lunch and shopping. Here you will have an opportunity to do your Christmas shopping in some outstanding factory outlets and specialty stores. While at Opry Mills, you may choose an optional visit to the Grand Ole Opry Museum. Next, we check into our fabulous Garden View rooms at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel for the next two nights. There will be free time to explore the hotel before our evening show. We have included a ride on the Delta Flatboat at your leisure. Tonight, we visit the Grand Ole Opry House for a live musical production filled with favorite Christmas songs.

Day 2 - "ICE" - TRACE ADKINS CHRISTMAS DINNER SHOW - This morning, we will be awed by the popular "Ice" sculpture display. It features an interactive exhibit of life-size carvings, sculptures and threedimensional holiday-themed displays inspired by the spectacular ice palaces of Harbin, China. Tonight we enjoy the Trace Adkins Christmas Dinner Show. We will enjoy a delicious included dinner with all the trimmings while we are entertained by Grammy Award-winning country superstar Trace Adkins. Get ready for an enchanted journey filled with the magical sounds of this special time of the year. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - HOME -We return to the Bluegrass State, taking with us memories of a heartwarming "Country Christmas." Meal: 1D, Shows: 2

Early Booking Reminder: This tour requires a very early reservation, due to a limited number of rooms at the hotel. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than September 23, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.

# Real New York Christmas New York, NY



Let's face it: New York City knows how to do the holidays like no other city in the world! Even before the first snowflakes fall, the city transforms itself into a magical winter wonderland. From figure skaters in Central Park, the magical light show in Grand Central Terminal to the many shows on Broadway, come and join us for a New York Christmas experience.

Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Today we travel northeast out of Kentucky and through West Virginia and into the "Old Line State" of Maryland. Tonight we will spend our first night in Hagerstown, Maryland.

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Day 2 - NEW YORK CITY - GRAND CENTRAL TERMINAL - BRYANT PARK - TIMES SQUARE - After an included breakfast, we travel through Pennsylvania and New Jersey, arriving in "The City" in time for lunch on our own and shopping at the Grand Central Terminal's Christmas Market. Over 40 vendors offer a wonderful array of handmade gifts in historic Vanderbilt Hall. Next, we visit Bryant Park's Winter Village, the city's only European-styled Christmas Market, with over 100 boutiques featuring artisans from all around the world. Upon arrival at our hotel, we will enjoy dinner (on our own) and shopping in Times Square, the "Crossroads of the World." This evening, we take a nighttime driving tour to take in the lights and sights of New York. Our tour will feature the Christmas trees in Lincoln Center and Rockefeller Center. We will also see the extravagant windows in such famous stores as Saks, Barney's, Lord & Taylor, Bloomingdale's, and Tiffany's - all known for their incredible Christmas displays.

# Day 3 - LOWER MANHATTAN - MACY'S - CHINATOWN - RADIO CITY ROCKETTES -

After an included breakfast, we drive into Lower Manhattan, the financial district of the city, where we will have time for shopping or visiting some of the historic sites in the area. This afternoon, we visit Macy's flagship store on Broadway. The largest retail store in the world, covering an entire city block, Macy's is a shopper's paradise with thousands of affordable gifts. Here, you will have time to eat lunch (meal on own) and see "Santaland," a wonderful world of elves, reindeer, and of course, Santa. Next, we are off to visually exotic Chinatown, a real and vital community of 150,000 ethnic Chinese. Livelier than ever, it is crammed with all manners of shops and restaurants in pagoda style buildings. Afterwards, we return to our hotel to rest and relax before our evening show. Tonight, we see New York at its best as we attend the great "Radio City Christmas Spectacular" with the Rockettes. This fabulous show includes Santa's magical "Sleigh Ride," "The Parade of Wooden Soldiers," and the awe-inspiring "Living Nativity." Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - CITY TOUR - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - After an included breakfast, we have an opportunity to see what the "Big Apple" is all about as we enjoy a City Tour with a local step on guide. After our city tour, we will have the opportunity to shop some more before we head back to Hagerstown, Maryland for the evening.

Day 5 - HOMEWARD BOUND - This morning we retrace our route back to the beautiful Bluegrass State with pleasant memories of a New York Christmas. Meals: 4B, Show: 1

Early Booking Reminder: Our hotel is located in Midtown Manhattan, within walking distance of Times Square and the theaters. This tour requires a very early reservation, due to a limited number of rooms at the hotel. Please make your reservation and pay your deposit by no later than September 26, 2019. Final balance due 60 days prior to departure.



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# French Riviera Explorer

Monte Carlo, Cannes & 7 Nights in Nice



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#### Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE

Day 2 - NICE, FRANCE - Arrive in Nice, France and meet your Tour Director before transferring to your hotel to begin a 7-night stay at one hotel in Nice, the famous city in the French Riviera. Nice is the fourth largest city in France and a popular destination for vacationers both young and old with something to offer everyone. It is well known for the beautiful views on the Promenade des Anglais, its famous waterfront. This evening enjoy an included Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers.

Day 3 - NICE CITY TOUR - CHAGALL MUSEUM - NOTRE DAME CHURCH - FRAGONARD PERFUME FACTORY - After an included breakfast, we enjoy a Nice City Tour featuring the Chagall Museum. Located in the heart of a Mediterranean garden, the museum boasts a permanent exhibition of Chagall's outstanding paintings, his stained-glass windows which decorate the concert hall and a mosaic that Chagall created especially for the building. Continue and visit the beautiful Notre Dame Church, built between 1864-1868, and the largest church in Nice. Also visit the Nice Flower Market, where for at least a century the open square has been a flower market, but the area has served as a marketplace since the time of the Romans. After time for lunch, depart for Grasse, the perfume capital of the world and enjoy a bit of time to explore this quaint town on your own. Later visit the Fragonard Perfume Factory to discover the secrets of the trade and observe the fascinating art of perfume-making. Return to Nice and enjoy the evening on your own. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - VENTIMIGLIA - SAN REMO, ITALY - After an included breakfast, we travel to Ventimiglia, Italy to explore this quaint seaside town. Enjoy time on your own to explore the massive street market or wander the cobbled streets. Continue to San Remo, the capital town of the Italian Riviera. Enjoy some time to explore the old town called La Pigna which is characterized by perched houses, steep streets, covered alleys, and little squares--a glimpse of medieval times. Later return to Nice and enjoy an evening at leisure. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - NICE AT LEISURE- After an included breakfast, the day is at leisure in Nice to relax by the sea or visit a museum. Maybe join the optional excursion to Aix-en-Provence, the city of art and light. Aix is also ancient; the area was a Celtic-Ligurian capital dating to the 3rd century BC. Visit artist Paul Cezanne's Studio which has been preserved as it was when he died in 1906. Just east of Aix, take a picture of Montagne Ste-Victoire which inspired many of Cezanne's paintings, 87 in all. During your visit to Aix, enjoy a Wine Tasting from a local vineyard of the region before returning to Nice. Overnight same hotel.







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Day 6 - MONTE CARLO, MONACO - After an included breakfast, travel to the principality of Monaco, a tiny city-state on the Mediterranean Sea and surrounded by France. The most famous district of Monaco is Monte Carlo, the site of the well-known casino and a glittering center of international social life. Upon arrival enjoy a Monte Carlo Area Tour including the 19th-century Romanesque Cathedral, the site of Princess Grace's Tomb. Complete your tour with a visit to the famous Casino Monte Carlo. Tonight enjoy an included dinner at a local restaurant in the Nice area with your fellow travelers. Overnight same hotel.

Day 7 - NICE AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, enjoy full day to explore Nice on your own. Nice itself is an attraction with its rich blue-green sea, diverse shopping, splendid dining and lovely art-deco façades. Maybe join an optional tour and visit Eze, a medieval French village with craft shops and excellent views of the Mediterranean coast. The excursion also features St. Jean-Cap Ferrat, one of the three major capes of the French Riviera and probably the most beautiful. Visit the Villa Ephrussi de Rothschild, built by Beatrice Ephrussi de Rothschild, a wealthy French socialite in the early 1900's. Overnight same hotel.

Day 8 - CANNES & ST. TROPEZ - After an included breakfast, travel to the famous towns of Cannes and St. Tropez. Travel to Cannes, a glamorous and expensive seaside town considered to be one of the social hubs of Europe. Its moment to shine arrives in May each year as the venue for the Cannes Film Festival, entertaining the rich and famous. Enjoy some time to sit at street side tables and enjoy the favored hobby of people watching up and down the lovely marina. Later travel to St. Tropez, an internationally known seaside resort, renowned principally because of the influx of artists of the French New Wave and later as a resort for the jet set. St. Tropez is a goal for tourists in search of a little Provençal authenticity, and the occasional celebrity sighting. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Farewell Dinner. Overnight same hotel.

Day 9 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight home, filled with wonderful memories of the French Riviera. Meals: 7B, 3D

# Holland Windmills Waterways & Tulips Cruise



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#### Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE

Day 2 - VALKENBURG, NETHERLANDS - We arrive in Amsterdam and transfer to Valkenburg, Netherlands, a traditional Dutch village along the banks of the Geul River, just 8 miles east of Maastricht. The village was so famous for its beauty and wealth that it had been fought over for hundreds of years. We enjoy an included Welcome Dinner at the hotel this evening. Overnight in Valkenburg, Netherlands.

Day 3 - THREE COUNTRY TOUR - GERMANY, BELGIUM AND THE NETHERLANDS - After an included breakfast, we enjoy a Three Country Tour featuring Monschau, Germany, the Henri Chapelle Cemetery in Belgium The rest of the evening is at your leisure. Overnight in Valkenburg, Netherlands and the oldest town in the Netherlands, Maastricht.

Day 4 - AMSTERDAM TOURING - BOARD MS AMADEUS STAR - After an included breakfast, we visit the famous Dutch village of Zaanse Schans featuring windmills, wooden shoes and historical buildings. Next, enjoy an Amsterdam City Tour and Canal Cruise, featuring visits to the iconic Dam Square, the Flower Market and a cruise by beautiful homes through the intricate canal system. We board our cruise ship MS Amadeus Star in Amsterdam, the "Venice of the North" The Amadeus Star offers all the amenities of a floating 5-star hotel. This Premium cruise ship features the most modern furnishings that blend masterfully with the architecture of the ship and luxurious design that is the hallmark of the Amadeus fleet. The extensive Restaurant and Panorama Bar offer divine views of the passing riverscapes and the outdoor, glass shielded River Terrace allows you to relax in the open air regardless of the weather. The attentive English speaking onboard service staff will see to your comfort with typical European hospitality. After an included Welcome Dinner, we will have the evening free to get acquainted with our new home away from home. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 5 - LEISURE DAY IN AMSTERDAM, NETHERLANDS -Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Today will be at leisure in Amsterdam. Founded as a small fishing village in the late 12th century, Amsterdam became one of the most important ports in the world during the Dutch Golden Age. Today the city has one of the historic center in Europe with about 7,500 registered historic buildings & 90 islands, linked by 400 bridges. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 6 - ARNHEM CITY TOUR - OPEN AIR MUSEUM -Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Arrive in Arnhem, known for the World War II battle operation "Market Garden." Enjoy an Arnhem City Tour & the Open Air Museum. Drive through Arnhem and past many spots associated with the World War II battle. Later visit the Open Air Museum, located in a wooded setting featuring 80 historic houses, farmhouses and mills portraying how the Dutch people lived from 1700-1970. Maybe join an afternoon optional visit to the "Bridge of Arnhem" and Airborne Museum where over 4,000 British, German and Polish soldiers, as well as Dutch civilians lost their lives during the WWII battle. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.









Day 7 - MIDDELBURG, NETHERLANDS - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. After a morning spent cruising the waterways, arrive in Middelburg, the capital of the province of Zeeland. Enjoy a Middelburg Walking Tour to see the abbey, the town hall, splendid old warehouses. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 8 - GHENT - BRUGES, BELGIUM - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Cross the border into Belgium to arrive in Ghent, home to the beautiful St. Bavo Cathedral and the famous Ghent Altarpiece. During your Ghent City Tour, walk through the beautiful city center and see the belfry, a medieval bell tower with 54 bells. Bruges could have sprung from the pages of a Gothic fairy-tale with cobbled streets, spidery canals and medieval churches, remarkably well-preserved, having been spared the devastation that saw much of Belgium leveled during both World Wars. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 9 - ANTWERP CITY TOUR - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Awake and discover the beautiful port city of Antwerp. Enjoy an Antwerp City tour featuring a walk through the attractive old city center and visit to the Onze-Lieve-Vrouwe Cathedral, the largest Gothic church in Belgium. The church contains valuable treasures such as works by the famous Baroque artist Rubens and wall paintings dating to the 15th century. The city is also well known for its diamond trade and lively shopping scene. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 10 - ROTTERDAM - KEUKENHOF GARDENS - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Arrive in Rotterdam, the second-largest city in the Netherlands and one of the largest ports in the world, often called the "Gateway to Europe." This afternoon, we visit the Keukenhof Gardens, known as the Garden of Europe and the world's 2nd largest flower gardens with 7 million bulbs planted annually. This is the showplace for the tulip growers of the Netherlands, where numerous sculptures also lurk between the flower beds to create harmony between art and nature. Overnight MS Amadeus Star.

Day 11 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - This morning after our included breakfast, we disembark the ship and transfer to the Amsterdam Airport for our return flight home. Meals: 9B, 6L, 8D

# Great Trains & Grand Canyons

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Day 1 - FLIGHT TO PHOENIX, ARIZONA - Arrive at the Phoenix Airport and meet your Tour Director. Board a deluxe motorcoach and travel north to beautiful Sedona. This upscale resort, retirement and artist community is set amongst the red-hued rocks of Oak Creek Canyon. Your home for the next five nights is a picturesque resort style property in the Sedona area. Tonight enjoy a Welcome Dinner with fellow travelers. Day 2 - SEDONA TROLLEY TOUR - After an included breakfast, start a great day with a Sedona Trolley Tour featuring the Chapel of the Holy Cross and Airport Mesa for spectacular views of the Sedona area. The trolley guide will give you insight into the various rock formations, indigenous vegetation and history of this remarkable area. Later visit Uptown Sedona and the Spanish-Mexican Village of Tlaquepaque to explore these wonderful areas full of art galleries shopping opportunities and restaurants. Maybe take an optional Guided Jeep Tour into the Sedona backcountry. This evening enjoy Sedona at your own pace. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - GRAND CANYON - After an included breakfast, begin an unforgettable day with a drive through amazing Oak Creek Canyon, a sixteen mile long canyon known for its spectacularly colored white, yellow and red cliffs dotted with pine, cypress and juniper. Then arrive in Williams to board the Grand Canyon Railway for a nostalgic two-hour train journey that delivers you to the awe-inspiring South Rim of Grand Canyon National Park for free time and lunch on your own. Arrive in Flagstaff for an included dinner at the lively Black Bart's Steakhouse & Saloon. After dinner return to Sedona.

Day 4 - MONTEZUMA CASTLE - JEROME - VERDE CAN-YON RAILROAD - After an included breakfast, visit the Montezuma Castle National Monument which contains ruins of a cliff dwelling built in the 12th and 13th centuries by the Sinagua Indians. Later visit the old mining town of Jerome, once a virtual ghost town, now restored with shops, museums and art galleries. Next travel to Clarkdale to board the Verde Canyon Railroad also known as the Wilderness Train. The spectacular four-hour ride in a First Class Railcar takes you between two national forests, past crimson cliffs, over old-fashioned trestles and through a 680foot tunnel. Early evening return to Sedona. Overnight same hotel.

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Day 5 - DAY AT LEISURE - BLAZIN' M RANCH - After an included breakfast, today is at leisure in Sedona. Enjoy the wonderful amenities of your resort. Maybe spend the day shopping, sightseeing on your own or on a local golf course. An optional tour will be available. This evening experience a Farewell Dinner at the Blazin' M Ranch where you will enjoy a hearty Chuckwagon Supper and Western Stage Show.

Day 6 - OLD TOWN SCOTTSDALE - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast travel to Old Town Scottsdale, where Western storefronts recreate an aura of the past. Later arrive at the Phoenix Airport for your flight home filled with unforgettable memories of your Great Trains & Grand Canyons Tour. Meals: 5B, 3D





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# California Rail Discovery

San Francisco, Tahoe & Napa Valley Wine Train



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Day 1 - ARIVE SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA - Today, board your flight bound for the Bay Area to begin your California Rail Discovery. Upon arrival, meet your Tour Director and transfer to your hotel to begin a twonight stay in one of the world's most beautiful cities, San Francisco. The "City by the Bay" highlights fascinating museums, world class cuisine and amazing shopping. Tonight, enjoy an included Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in San Francisco. Day 2 - SAN FRANCISCO CITY TOUR - SAN FRANCISCO BAY CRUISE - After an included breakfast, enjoy a San Francisco City Tour to see the Civic Center area, Chinatown, Golden Gate Park, Union Square, Seal Rocks, Pacific Heights and Pier 39. Experience a San Francisco Bay Cruise featuring views of the Golden Gate Bridge, Alcatraz and the city's skyline. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure to browse the storefronts along Fisherman's Wharf, sample a chowder filled sourdough bread bowl or take a cable car ride. Maybe join an optional excursion to Muir Woods to see some of the oldest and tallest Redwood trees in the world. Overnight in San Francisco.

Day 3 - SAN FRANCISCO - SAUSALITO - WINERY - SAC-RAMENTO - After an included breakfast, cross the Golden Gate Bridge to visit the picturesque city of Sausalito, where you can browse the numerous art galleries and shops. From Sausalito, the views looking back at the San Francisco Bay Area are spectacular. This afternoon, enter California's most popular wine region for a Winery Tour and Tasting to sample the famous local product and learn about wine making. Later, travel to Sacramento, California's capital and River City to check into your hotel for a two-night stay.

Day 4 - NAPA VALLEY WINE TRAIN - OLD TOWN SAC-RAMENTO - After an included breakfast, travel to California's famous Napa Valley, where hundreds of wineries prosper. Board the Napa Valley Wine Train to enjoy a Wine Tasting and Lunch as you roll along the tracks through the incredibly scenic wine country. This memorable dining experience in faithfully restored Pullman rail cars evokes the spirit of the early 1900's luxury rail travel. Later travel back and visit Old Town Sacramento. The commercial hub of the Gold Rush era is filled with shops, restaurants and entertainment venues yet retains 1800's charm with original storefronts and wooden sidewalks. Overnight in Sacramento.

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Day 5 - SIERRA NEVADA RAIL JOURNEY - LAKE TAHOE - After an included breakfast, board an Amtrak Train for a Sierra Nevada Rail Journey through the beautiful snow-capped Sierra Nevada Rail Journey through the beautiful snow-capped Sierra Nevada Mountains to the Lake Tahoe area. Disembark your train in Truckee and board your motorcoach to drive to the spectacular year round resort area of Lake Tahoe to spend the next two evenings in the popular and revitalized South Lake Tahoe/ Stateline area.

Day 6 - VIRGINIA CITY - LAKE TAHOE CRUISE - After an included breakfast, we travel through historic Carson City, the capital of the "Silver State" of Nevada en route to visit Virginia City, site of the Comstock Lode and once the richest place in the world. The famous Old West town was once the west's mining metropolis and featured notable residents Mark Twain and Bret Harte. Later enjoy a Lake Tahoe Paddlewheeler Cruise for spectacular views of picturesque Emerald Bay and the surrounding Sierra Nevada Mountains. Tonight's included Farewell Dinner will be at a popular local restaurant.

Day 7 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, transfer to the Sacramento airport and return home with wonderful memories of your California Rail Discovery. Meals: 6B, 1L, 2D

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## Canada & New England Cruise



Our cruises are a wonderful time to explore the ship and ports on your own. This is a vacation opportunity that allows you to enjoy your time at sea without a set schedule or guides. Your time is your own. Please also note that cruise booking will not include your onboard tips and shore excursions.

While Canada and New England may not spring to mind when you think of cruise destinations, they should – because the perfect way to experience this naturally gorgeous, history-packed region is to arrive by sea. Back when ships were how people traveled – but weren't as much fun as today – ports like Halifax, Boston and Saint John were some of the most important, and they are yours to explore on this cruise to Canada and New England. Dating back to the 17th century, they today continue to retain much of their old charm... and have developed a few new tricks in the centuries since. Find out what makes this part of the world so special on a Carnival Cruise to Canada and New England. Day 1 - HAGERSTOWN, MARYLAND - Feel the anticipation build as we board our deluxe Shockey Tours motorcoach and travel to Hagerstown, Maryland to overnight.

Day 2 - NEW YORK CITY TOUR - SEACAUCUS, NEW JER-SEY - After an included breakfast, we travel to New York City. We will have an opportunity to see what the "Big Apple" is all about as we enjoy a City Tour with a local step on guide. Our hotel accommodations for this evening will be in Secaucus, New Jersey. Day 3 - BOARD CRUISE SHIP - After an included breakfast, we will drive to the dock and transfer to our Carnival Sunrise Cruise Ship. We'll have the entire evening to get acquainted with our new home away from home.

Day 4 - BOSTON - Explore the "Athens of America," Boston. See world-class art museums, blooming public parks, ivy-adorned universities, and historic neighborhoods fill the eminently walkable, dynamic city that sparked the American Revolutionary War. Pass through a thicket of skyscrapers downtown towards quiet neighborhoods of cobblestone lanes on your Boston port of call.

Day 5 - PORTLAND, MAINE - Walk Maine's largest city and follow in the footsteps of your fellow seafarers, past and present in Portland. Perched on green bluffs overlooking Casco Bay, Portland is a place where lobstermen still ply the briny Maine seas and wooden fishing boats chug through the harbor. Portland cruises pull into a modern-day seaport of sleek high-rises towering over a revitalized Old Port area, alive with brewpubs, restaurants, and shops.

Day 6 - FUN DAY AT SEA - This is a relaxing day at sea, where you can enjoy a day dedicated to exploring this majestic vessel. Savor the excitement of the Promenade decks - a playground of theaters, lounges, boutiques, and restaurants. How do you define relaxation? Begin by lounging by the pool, then take an opportunity to soak in a first class Jacuzzi. If you prefer more activity, you won't be disappointed.

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The ship is outfitted with a fully-equipped gym, aerobics classes, personal trainers, court sports and jogging tracks circling the ship. After you've spent all of your energy, you can pamper yourself in the full-service salon. Each evening is filled with the excitement of entertaining shows, Las Vegas-style revues, a lively casino and dancing to music playing in the nightclubs and lounges throughout the ship.

Day 7 - ST. JOHN, NEW BRUNSWICK -. Nestled between nature parks and the powerful currents of the Bay of Fundy, Saint John is the province of New Brunswick's largest city and its most important port. Set out from your Carnival cruise into Downtown, with its Victorian-era architecture and bustling central market. Your ship anchors in the Bay of Fundy, where you'll spot seals and shorebirds from the trail, your kayak, or from an observation tower. Whether you take to the trails for a hike or just take some time off in town, your cruise to Saint John is bound to be one you won't soon forget.

Day 8 - HALIFAX, NOVA SCOTIA - Your first look at Halifax, Nova Scotia is from across the enormous natural harbor that also hosts the verdant George's Island. Ships have arrived at this key Atlantic seaport just like this for centuries, including both the million immigrants who passed through in the 1900s, as well as the Halifax salvage boats recovering wreckage from the Titanic. Besides a modern city abuzz with museums and shops, you'll find a massive fort overlooking the waterfront and idyllic villages for postcard-perfect nature walks.

Day 9 - FUN DAY AT SEA - This will be our last day at sea before saying goodbye to this magnificent ship. Take time to enjoy the serenity, as our cruise is winding down and all too soon we'll have to return to our busy daily lives.

Day 10 - DISEMBARK SHIP - Our journey comes to a close as we cruise into the New York Harbor and disembark the ship. We travel to Hagerstown, Maryland, where we overnight.

Day 11 - HOME - After an included breakfast, we drive home, reminiscing about the fantastic times we've enjoyed together on our marvelous cruise. Meals: 3B and All Meals on Board Cruise Ship.

# Treasures of Ireland

Dublin, Belfast, Limerick & Killarney



Early Booking Reminder: This tour has a limited departure and requires a very early reservation. Final payment for this tour is due by June 26, 2019. Bookings after June 26, 2019 will be made on a space available basis at the rate available at the time of booking and surcharges may apply.

Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO IRELAND -Today you board your overnight flight to experience the Treasures of Ireland.

Day 2 - ARRIVE DUBLIN - BELFAST SIGHTSEEING - Arrive in Dublin and meet your Tour Director. Board your motorcoach and travel to Belfast, the capital of and the largest city in Northern Ireland. Enjoy a Belfast City Tour to learn about the history and struggles of the city as you drive through its districts and neighborhoods. Later, check into your hotel in Belfast for a two night stay. Tonight, enjoy an included Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers.

Day 3 - GIANTS CAUSEWAY - TITANIC BELFAST - After an included breakfast, we travel to the Giants Causeway, often described as the Eighth Wonder of the World and declared Ireland's first World Heritage site by UNESCO in 1986.

Shortly after arrival, you will see why it has become one of Ireland's top tourist attractions. Later, visit Titanic Belfast, a museum on the site of the former Harland & Wolfe Shipyard where the Titanic was built and launched in 1912. Enjoy an evening at leisure in Belfast.

Day 4 - BELFAST - GLENDALOUGH - LIMERICK - After an included breakfast, depart Belfast and travel to Glendalough to see the ruins of St. Kevin's monastic site, a center of Irish Celtic Christianity. The area is also famous for its scenic vistas of the Wicklow Mountains. Continue onto Limerick for a two-night stay. Enjoy a Limerick City Tour to see the attractive St. Mary's Cathedral, King John's Castle and the Treaty Stone. Tonight is at leisure to enjoy dinner on your own.

Day 5 - LIMERICK - CLIFFS OF MOHER - GALWAY - After an included breakfast, travel to the spectacular Cliffs of Moher. View the mighty Atlantic and the beautiful Aran Islands from atop cliffs that reach nearly 700 feet into the air. Travel through Burren, an area known for limestone natural beauty. Later, enjoy a Galway City Tour, featuring St. Nicholas Cathedral and Eyre Square. Galway, "The City of Tribes" is a vibrant city with a great seafaring tradition. Tonight, experience a Medieval Banquet featuring delicious food and traditional entertainment. Overnight same hotel.

Day 6 - LIMERICK - ADARE - KILLARNEY - After an included breakfast, stop in Adare, renowned as Ireland's prettiest village. Next, visit the Foynes Flying Boat Museum, housed in the original terminal building in Foynes and said to be the birthplace of "Irish" coffee. The port of Foynes was the fulcrum point for air traffic between the U.S. and Europe in the early 1940's. Later arrive in the charming and picturesque town of Killarney for a two night stay. Upon arrival, embark on a Jaunting Car Ride into the Killarney National Park. The horse-drawn Jaunting Car experience ends at the Muckross House and Garden, a 19th century Victorian mansion on the shores of Muckross Lake. Take some pictures of the house and grounds before the short motorcoach ride back to your hotel. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for an included dinner.







Day 7 - RING OF KERRY - KILLARNEY - After an included breakfast, travel along one of the most gorgeous coastal routes in the world - the Ring of Kerry. Focus your cameras on the majestic seascapes, mountains speckled with brightly colored farm houses and winding lanes bordered with luscious vegetation. Pass through the rugged mountains and stop at Ladies View for wonderful vistas of the Lakes of Killarney. Overnight same hotel.

Day 8 - KILLARNEY - BLARNEY - DUBLIN - After an included breakfast, travel through the mountains of West Cork and arrive at the historic Blarney Castle. Will you are to kiss the famous Blarney Stone, rumored to bestow eloquence upon those who kiss its surface? Visit the Blarney Woolen Mills to wander the enticing displays of Irish crafts. Later, stop to see the Rock of Cashel, a group of medieval buildings set on an outcrop of limestone. Later, arrive in Dublin for a two-night stay.

Day 9 - DUBLIN CITY TOUR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Dublin City Tour to see Grafton Street, statue lined O'Connell Street, the General Post Office & Phoenix Park. Visit the famous Christchurch Cathedral & stop at Trinity College to see the 1,200 year old Book of Kells. Later, tour the Old Jameson Whiskey Distillery featuring a recreated distillery scene and a generous sample of the famous Irish whiskey. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a fun-filled Farewell Dinner. Overnight same hotel.



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# Israel & Jordan Highlights



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#### Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO ISRAEL

Day 2 - ARRIVE TEL AVIV, ISRAEL - Arrive in Tel Aviv, Israel, meet your Local Trip Expert/ Guide and transfer to your hotel. This evening, enjoy an included Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Tel Aviv.

Day 3 - TEL AVIV CITY TOUR - YAFFA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Today, enjoy a Tel Aviv City Tour, including a visit to Independence Hall, site of the speech by David Ben-Gurion declaring Israel its own state. See Rabin Square and visit Carmel Market "Shuk" for a falafel and some shopping. Visit neighboring Yaffa, the oldest port city on the Mediterranean and learn of its 5,000 year old history. Overnight in Tel Aviv. Day 4 - ROMAN CAESAREA - NAZARETH - SEA OF GALI-LEE - CAPERNAUM - HAIFA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. We leave Tel Aviv and drive along the Mediterranean Coast and visit the ruins of Roman Caesarea, once the Capitol of the Roman regime. Over a period of just 12 years, Herod transformed Caesarea into a grand city and major seaport. See the theater, the aqueduct, the Hippodrome and more. Then we will visit Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood town and the site of the Annunciation to Mary. We will visit the Basilica. Depart from Nazareth and drive to Tiberius and the Sea of Galilee. Board a Wooden River Boat and sail the Sea of Galilee to the ancient town of Capernaum. Visit the house of St. Peter and walk around the ruins of the ancient Synagogue found here in archaeological excavations. From Capernaum we drive uphill to the Mount of Beatitude, where Jesus made the Sermon on the Mount. Drive to Haifa, the beautiful city located on top of Mount Carmel for a two night stay and an included dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Haifa.

Day 5 - HAIFA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. This morning we tour Haifa and stop at the view point overlooking the bay and hanging Baha'i Gardens. From here, we continue to Safed, the Holy City on the Galilee Mountains to visit the old city. Continue to Akko to tour the ancient city and see the underground crusaders city. We will walk through the escape tunnel to the old port and see the traditional Turkish Bath now used as a local museum telling the story of Akko. Tonight, enjoy dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Haifa.

Day 6 - HAIFA - JORDAN - DEAD SEA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. After breakfast, we will cross over to Jordan and continue to the Jordan River. In Jordan, we will meet our local driver and guide and drive to Jerash, the "Pompeii of the East," which is perhaps the best preserved of the provincial Roman towns. Around its colonnaded main street, see the Cardo, Temple of Zeus, Hadrian's Arch, the Artemis Temple and the Nymphaeum. Then onward to our Dead Sea hotel for three nights and dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Dead Sea.

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We continue to Mount Zion to see the tomb of King David and the nearby Room of the Last Supper. Enter the Old City walls, visit the Jewish quarter, the Cardo, the Broad Wall and continue to the Western Wall, the most sacred site to Jews from all over the world. From here, cross over to the Christian Quarter and walk along the Via Dolorosa and see the Church of the Holy Sepulcher, the site of the burial of Jesus. End the day with a lovely walk through the colorful Bazaars. Tonight, enjoy an included dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 11 - JERUSALEM - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Today, we visit the new city of Jerusalem. First, we enter into the Knesset and learn about Israeli democracy through a special guided tour. Continue the tour for a special visit to Ammunition Hill, where we will learn about the 1967 battle for the unification of Jerusalem. Then a visit to the Israel Museum to see the Dead Sea Scrolls, the Biblical Archaeology Museum and a special visit to the "Judaica" pavilion of the museum. Later, take a short drive to the small town of Bethlehem, where we will visit the nativity site of Jesus and the Shepherds Field. Return to Jerusalem. The remainder of the day will be free for last minute shopping and preparing for your journey home. Tonight, enjoy a Farewell Dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Tel Aviv.

Day 12 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight home filled with memories of your Israel & Jordan Highlights tour. Meals: 10B, 9L, 10D Day 7 - DEAD SEA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. After breakfast, drive along the King's Highway, one of the oldest trade routes in the world to Madaba, home to some of the finest Byzantine mosaics in the world. View the 6th century mosaic Map of Jerusalem, possibly the oldest map of the Holy City in existence. Continue to Mount Nebo, highest point in the Moabite mountain range, offering a remarkable view of the Jordan Valley, the Dead Sea and the spires of Jerusalem. Tradition holds that Moses viewed the Promised Land from this peak. The rest of the day is at leisure to enjoy the Dead Sea and your resort. Overnight in Dead Sea.

Day 8 - PETRA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. After breakfast, we will drive for an extraordinary day! This morning, experience a tour into the breathtaking "rose red" city of Petra, which begins at the "Siq," a winding canyon road. At the end of the passage, you'll see Petra's most beautiful monument - the Treasury - carved out of the solid rock from the side of the mountain. Beyond the Treasury, you'll discover soaring temples, elaborate royal tombs, a theater, burial chambers and water channels. Return to our hotel in Dead Sea. Tonight, enjoy dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Dead Sea.

Day 9 - DEAD SEA - JERUSALEM - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. After breakfast, drive to Allenby Bridge and back to Israel. After arrival in Israel, we will drive southward along the shores of the Dead Sea to Masada. This UNESCO World Heritage Site is famous for the palaces built by King Herod and for the heroic struggle of the Jewish Zealots against the Romans. We will take a cable car and visit this amazing site. Next, we will drive to visit Jericho, one of the oldest cities in the world to see the excavations of the ancient walls, view the Mount of Temptation and see Elijah's Spring. Continue to Jerusalem for 2 nights and dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Jerusalem.

Day 10 - JERUSALEM - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Today's tour will take us to the Old City and we will begin by visiting the Western Wall Tunnels. Continue by going up to the Mount of Olives for the breathtaking view of the entire city. Continue to the Garden of Gethsemane the site of the arrest of Jesus.

## Four Country Danube & Black Sea River Cruise



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#### Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE

Day 2 - ARRIVE BUCHAREST, ROMANIA - We arrive in Bucharest, Romania's largest city and meet our Tour/ Cruise director and transfer to our hotel for two nights in Bucharest.

Day 3 - BRASOV & BRAN CASTLE - TRANSYLVANIA - After an included breakfast, we take a full day tour via motorcoach to visit Brasov & Bran Castle (lunch included). Brasov is located in the central part of Romania. It is surrounded by the Southern Campaniles and is part of the Transylvania region. Visit the Black Church of Brasov before continuing to Bran Castle, commonly known as Dracula's Castle. Built in the 14th century, Bran Castle was initially a border fortress on the Transylvanian and Wallachian border. It became a castle only in 1920, when Transylvania was united to the rest of Romania at the end of the First World War. We return to Bucharest for an evening at leisure. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - BUCHAREST CITY TOUR - BOARD MS AMADE-US QUEEN - After an included breakfast, we enjoy a Bucharest City Tour to learn about Romania's largest city and the country's capital and see the giant neoclassical Palace of Parliament. Next, we transfer to Fetesti, Romania and board the MS Amadeus Queen for the next 7 nights. The Amadeus Queen offers all the amenities of a floating 5-star hotel. This Premium cruise ship features the most modern furnishings that blend masterfully with the architecture of the ship and luxurious design that is the hallmark of the Amadeus fleet. The extensive Restaurant and Panorama Bar offer divine views of the passing riverscapes and the outdoor, glass shielded River Terrace allows you to relax in the open air regardless of the weather. The attentive English speaking onboard service staff will see to your comfort with typical European hospitality. After an included Welcome Dinner, we will have the evening free to get acquainted with our new home away from home. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 5 - SAINT GEORGE, ROMANIA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included on the cruise ship. We cruise to St. George Romania. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 6 - HIRSOVA - CONSTANTA & BLACK SEA COAST, ROMANIA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. See the golden sand beaches of the Black Sea during a visit to Constanta, the oldest inhabited city in Romania and an important cultural and economic center. The ancient metropolis was founded by Greek colonists in the 6th century and features a charming historic center and the famous Genovese Lighthouse. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

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Day 7 - SVISHTOV, BULGARIA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. We spend the morning cruising the Bulgarian countryside. We board a motorcoach for an excursion to Veliko Tarnova, a medieval Bulgarian town picturesquely located on the steep banks of the Yantra River at the foot of the Balkan Mountains featuring houses built on narrow terraces along the rocky slopes. Make a photo stop at the Zarewaz Fortress (Tsarevets) and visit the 13th century medieval St. Peter & Paul Church. Enjoy time to see the local arts and crafts on the main shopping street. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 8 - FULL DAY DANUBE CRUISING - IRON GATES -Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. The natural beauty of the Danube River is on full display as you make your way around bends and through the picturesque "Iron Gates." This beautiful passage of the lower Danube between two mountain ranges is one of the world's most scenic river gorges forming a natural border between Serbia and Romania. Two hydroelectric dams control the water flow allowing travelers to cruise peacefully and admire enormous white chalk cliffs, caves and rock sculptures. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 9 - BELGRADE, SERBIA - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. This morning, we arrive in Belgrade, Serbia's beautiful capital, whose history dates back some 7,000 years. Enjoy a Belgrade City Tour to see the Orthodox cathedral and walk through the city's most famous landmark, the Belgrade Fortress, an imposing structure at the confluence of the Danube and the Sava Rivers. Belgrade features gracious architecture and is now a modern European city, known as "the city that never sleeps." Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 10 - MOHACS, HUNGARY - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. This morning, visit the tiny harbor town of Mohacs, a melting pot of nations near the Croatian Border. Learn about two historic battles centered here, explore the waterfront and the famous Chapel of St. Rochus during your Mohacs walking tour. Overnight MS Amadeus Queen.

Day 11 - DISEMBARK MS AMADEUS QUEEN - BUDAPEST, HUNGARY - After an included breakfast, we disembark the MS Amadeus Queen. This morning, we enjoy a City Tour of Budapest, Hungary's capital city, often described as the "Pearl of the Danube." The capital has two sides Buda and Pest, divided by the Danube River. Suburban Buda and its historic castle district offer medieval streets, museums and Roman ruins. The dynamic Pest side boasts the largest parliament building in Europe, riverside promenades, flea markets, antique stores and cafes. Late afternoon, we check into our hotel in Budapest, Hungary. Dinner is included this evening.

Day 12 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, we transfer to the Budapest airport for our return flight home, with memories of our once in a lifetime Danube River Cruise fresh in our minds. Meals: 10B, 8L, 8D

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Australian Travel Visa Required - An Australian Travel Visa is required and included. A copy of the photo page of your passport will need to be sent into our office prior to final payment for processing. Grandparents traveling with children must bring a notarized letter of permission from custodial parent or legal guardian.

Day 1 - DEPART UNITED STATES - Depart from home to begin an adventure of a lifetime.

Days 2&3 - CAIRNS, AUSTRALIA - Crossing the International Dateline, you lose a full day. Upon arrival in Cairns, meet your Tour Director and transfer to your hotel for a three night stay. This evening, enjoy a special included Welcome Dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Cairns. Day 5 - CAIRNS AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, today is at leisure to enjoy Cairns at your own pace. Maybe take an optional excursion featuring Kuranda Scenic Rail & Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park. On the optional transfer to Freshwater Station to board the Kuranda Scenic Rail. Next, visit the Tjapukai Aboriginal Cultural Park to experience and interact with Australia's 40,000 year old aboriginal cultural. Dinner is included at a local restaurant. Overnight in Cairns.

Day 6 - SYDNEY - After an included continental breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to Sydney. Enjoy an Opal Presentation to learn how these raw gemstones are processed. Later, check into your Sydney hotel to begin a three-night stay.

Day 7 - SYDNEY CITY TOUR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Sydney City Tour, including the Botanical Gardens, the Music Conservatory, Kings Cross, Chinatown, Paddington, the Rocks and stop for spectacular views of the Sydney Opera House and Harbor. Then visit and tour the Sydney Opera House, Australia's most iconic structure. Later, explore Sydney Wildlife World featuring a koala sanctuary and an interactive walk-through of wallabies & birdlife along with other fascinating exhibits. Overnight in Sydney.

Day 8 - SYDNEY AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, the day is at leisure to relax or explore this exciting city on your own. Tonight, enjoy a special Sydney Harbor Dinner Cruise for spectacular views of this beautiful city. Overnight in Sydney.

Day 9 - CANBERRA - MELBOURNE - After an included dinner, enjoy the countryside via motorcoach to Canberra. En route visit an Aussie Sheep Station to learn about this unique way of life and enjoy an included Aussie BBQ lunch. Upon arrival, embark on a Canberra City Tour to see the billion dollar New Parliament House, the High Court of Australia, the National Library, Lake Burley Griffin & Queen's Terrace for sweeping city views. Next, board a short flight to Melbourne for a two night stay. Overnight in Melbourne.




Day 10 - MELBOURNE CITY TOUR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Melbourne City Tour featuring Fitzroy Gardens, the Shrine of Remembrance & the Parliament House. This afternoon, enjoy Australia's cultural capital, Melbourne at leisure or enjoy an optional excursion to Phillip Island, a renowned nature reserve and home to the world famous Little Penguin Parade. At sunset, the world's smallest penguins emerge from the sea and waddle ashore to their sand dune burrows. Also, enjoy dinner on Phillip Island before returning to Melbourne. Overnight in Melbourne.

Day 11 - CHRISTCHURCH, NEW ZEALAND - After an included breakfast, transfer to the airport for your flight to charming Christchurch, New Zealand, often referred to as the world's most English city outside of England. Tonight, enjoy an included dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Christchurch.

Day 12 - CHRISTCHURCH CITY TOUR - QUEENSTOWN - After an included breakfast, enjoy a brief Christchurch City Tour highlighting the wonderful gardens & unique architecture. Then travel to adventurous Queenstown for a two night stay. Overnight in Queenstown. Day 13 - QUEENSTOWN - After an included breakfast, today is at leisure to enjoy Queenstown and its beautiful Alpine scenery. An optional experience is available to Milford Sound. Remote, mysterious and uniquely New Zealand, Milford Sound is a spectacular reminder of the forces of nature. Enjoy a Milford Sound Luncheon Cruise for breathtaking scenery and commentary on the natural history of the Sound. Later, return to Queenstown for the evening. Overnight in Queenstown.

Day 14 - ROTORUA - After an included breakfast, transfer to the airport today for your flight to Rotorua, situated on New Zealand's North Island. Upon arrival, travel to Whakarewarewa Thermal Reserve and Maori Village set amidst a landscape of erupting geothermal activity, hot themal springs and bubbling mud pools. Overnight in Rotorua.

Day 15 - RAINBOW SPRINGS NATURE PARK - MAORI HANGI FEAST - After an included breakfast, visit Rainbow Springs Nature Park to see live kiwi foraging, feed large Rainbow trout and walk through the native New Zealand bush. Tonight, experience some New Zealand culture during your Maori Hangi Feast Dinner featuring a traditional meal and entertainment. Overnight in Rotorua.

Day 16 - ROTORUA - GLOW WORM CAVES - AUCKLAND - After an included breakfast, enjoy the beautiful scenery as you travel to Auckland. En route visit the Waitomo Glow Worm Caves, one of New Zealand's most celebrated attractions. Arrive in Auckland for a brief panoramic city tour to see the scenic waterfront area and the Auckland Tower. Tonight, enjoy an included Farewell Dinner. We overnight in the Auckland Airport area.

Day 17 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - Today, transfer to the Auckland Airport for your flight home. Meals: 13B, 1CB, 2L, 7D

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### Hawaii 3-Island Adventure

Honolulu, Oahu, Maui & The Big Island



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Day 1 - ARRIVE IN HONOLULU - Arrive in Honolulu and meet your Tour Director in the baggage claim area for a warm Aloha Welcome. Transfer to your hotel and check in for your three night stay on Oahu, the most populated of Hawaii's Islands. At first glance Honolulu, the state's capital, appears to be like any other large American city, but the palm-trees, scarlet hibiscus and the variegated colors of the citizenry's clothing make it clear that you are not anywhere but Hawaii. This evening join your fellow travelers for an included Welcome Dinner. Day 2 - HONOLULU CITY TOUR - PEARL HARBOR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Pearl Harbor & Honolulu City Tour. Head first to Pearl Harbor to take a Navy launch out to the USS Arizona Memorial to pay tribute to the fallen heroes who lost their lives on December 7, 1941. You'll have time to explore the visitor center, view a film and the exhibits before we head off to see the sights of Honolulu. Set in a real dormant volcano, you visit Punchbowl Crater to take a drive through the National Cemetery of the Pacific. Later see the State Capitol, the Governor's Mansion, Chinatown and view King Kamehameha's statue before returning to your hotel. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - HONOLULU AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, enjoy a day at your leisure in paradise to soak up some sun on the beach or at the pool, do some shopping, play a round of golf or join an Optional Oahu Circle Island Tour.

Day 4 - FLY TO HILO (BIG ISLAND) BIG ISLAND TOURING - After an included breakfast, fly to Hilo on the Island of Hawaii (the Big Island). Ascend the rugged countryside to Volcanoes National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage site where you'll see a real, smoking and steaming volcano as you look out across the Kilauea Caldera within which lies the Halemaumau Crater. Also visit the Jaggar Museum & Visitor Center to learn all about the geology and history of the volcano. Next make a short stop to take a walk through Thurston's Lava Tube. Then depart to see the unique Punaluu Black Sand Volcanic Beach. Later journey to the Kona Coast area and check into your resort for a 3-night stay. After settling in, travel to the nearby historic fishing village of Kailua Kona, referred to by the locals as Kona or Kona town. Enjoy an included dinner in Kona at a popular restaurant including a couple of special local brews---a draft from the Kona Brewing Company and an authentic cup of Kona Coffee. Overnight Kona area.

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Day 5 - BIG ISLAND AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast you may relax today in the sun of the Big Island pool side, maybe return to Kona for some shopping and lunch or play a round of golf. Overnight Kona area.

Day 6 - BIG ISLAND AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, enjoy a full day at leisure in Kona to relax, get more sun, another round of golf, explore on your own, do some shopping or perhaps join an Optional Whale Watch Cruise. Overnight Kona area.

Day 7 - FLY TO MAUI - MAUI TOURING - After an included breakfast, fly to Maui, known as the "Valley Isle." Upon arrival, travel to visit the majestic Mount Haleakala National Park or "House of the Sun." Travel to the top of Haleakala, Maui's massive dormant volcano on this scenic journey from sea level to 10,000 feet. At the summit is a vast crater seven and a half miles long by two and a half miles wide, and 3,000 feet deep. Marvel at the crater's eerie landscape of cinder cones and ancient lava formations. Later visit the stunning Iao Valley where spectacular waterfalls and lush tropical foliage surround the Iao Needle, a rock formation rising over 2,000 feet from the valley floor. Then stop to explore the small town of Lahaina, the picturesque old whaling capital of the Pacific, which looks much today as it did at the turn of the century. Then check into your Maui resort for a two-night stay. Overnight in Maui.

Day 8 - MAUI AT LEISURE - Breakfast is included. Maui is another island paradise for leisure time. Golf, relax at the pool, visit the beach, shop or join an Optional Tour. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Farewell Dinner and say Aloha to the Islands as you enjoy a Hawaiian Luau, a fun filled cultural event featuring traditional food, dancing and music. Overnight in Maui.

Day 9 - MAUI - FLY HOME - After an included breakfast, fly home filled with wonderful memories of your Hawaii 3 Island Adventure. Note: Flights home might arrive Day 10 due to overnight flights out of Hawaii. Meals: 8B, 3D

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### Rome & The Country Roads of Tuscany



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Day 1 - OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE

Day 2 - ARRIVE ITALY - Arrive in Florence, Italy, meet your Tour Director and transfer to your hotel in the Tuscan resort and spa town of Montecatini Terme for a 5-night stay. This evening enjoy a Welcome Dinner of Tuscan favorites and locally produced wine with your fellow travelers. Overnight in Montecatini Terme

Day 3 - LUCCA, PISA & TUSCANE WINERY - After an included breakfast, travel to Lucca to explore the Old Town filled with quaint shops and Gothic palaces. Lucca's great era was in the Gothic time, just before the Renaissance, and the city contains stunning architecture from that period.

Later visit one of the most famous cities in Italy, Pisa. Here you will stroll into the Piazza Dei Miracoli to see the Duomo, the historic Baptistry and the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa. The tower is 180 feet high and no less than 13 feet off of the perpendicular; an amazing sight to see. Later, stop for a Tuscan Wine Visit and Tasting experience, where you will learn about and sample a selection of local wines, while enjoying stunning views of the vineyards. Continue through the lush countryside back to your Montecatini Terme hotel. Tonight is at leisure.

Day 4 - FLORENCE CITY TOUR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Florence City Tour featuring a visit to the Academy Gallery to see Michelangelo's original Statue of David, a truly awesome sight. Then view the Cathedral to see Giotto's Belltower and Baptistry with its impressive 'Gates of Paradise'. These buildings demonstrate the traditions of Florentine art and architecture from the Middle Ages to the Renaissance. Also see the open air museum of Piazza Della Signoria & Santa Croce, which houses the tombs of Michelangelo and Galileo. The insightful walking tour also features a stroll across the famous Ponte Vecchio Bridge lined with shops. Later explore this beautiful city on your own---shop for gold jewelry & leather items and enjoy an outdoor cafe. Return to Montecatini Terme and enjoy an included dinner with your fellow travelers. Overnight same hotel.

life is either a daring adventure or nothing at all. – helen keller

Day 5 - MONTECATINI TERME AT LEISURE - After an included breakfast, enjoy an entire day at leisure. Maybe stroll along quaint pedestrian streets and cafes located in the Montecatini Terme town center. Perhaps shop at some of the specialty boutiques or have lunch at one of the many restaurants. An optional tour will be available to picturesque Portofino on the Italian Riviera. Overnight same hotel.

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Day 6 - SIENA - SAN GIMIGNANO - After an included breakfast, travel to Siena, the heart of Tuscany. Enjoy a Siena Walking Tour as you stroll the medieval streets to the dramatic Campo, scene of the annual Palio horse race. Also see the town's famous black and white striped cathedral and enjoy some time at leisure. Later travel to the famous hilltop town of San Gimignano. The town is one of the most picturesque of Italy's perfectly preserved medieval towns with medieval towers, built in the 12th century. Join your Tour Director and fellow passengers on stroll through the quaint streets and visit Piazza della Cisterna, one of Italy's most beautiful town squares. Enjoy the scenic return to Montecatini Terme for an evening at leisure. Relax at your hotel or step out to a local restaurant and enjoy the wonderful tastes of Tuscany. Overnight same hotel.

Day 7 - ASSISI - ROME - After an included breakfast, travel south into the Umbrian countryside to the beautiful hilltop town of Assisi. During your Assisi Walking Tour visit both the upper and lower parts of the great Basilica of St. Francis. Everything is in some way associated with St. Francis, who was born here in 1182. Later travel to Rome & check in for a twonight stay. The 'Eternal City' is the capital and largest city in Italy. Rome, as a center of power, culture and religion, has exerted a huge influence over the world in its roughly 2800 years of existence. Overnight in Rome, Italy.

Day 8 - ROME CITY TOUR - After an included breakfast, enjoy a Rome City Tour and enjoy some of the highlights of Ancient Rome. See the Colosseum, The Arch of Constantine, Circus Maximus, Piazza Venezia, and the Pantheon. Later visit St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City, the papal enclave within the city of Rome. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure to explore the 'Eternal City' on your own. Enjoy a cappuccino or perhaps visit the Treasures of the Vatican Museum, home to Michelangelo's impressive Sistine Chapel. This evening enjoy a Roman Farewell Dinner featuring great wine and entertainment. Overnight same hotel.

Day 9 - RETURN FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, we fly home with wonderful memories of Rome & Tuscany. Meals: 7B, 3D

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#### Switzerland, France & Christmas Markets on the Rhine Lucerne, Strasbourg & 6 Nights Aboard Amadeus Silver II

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Enjoy this magical time of the year as Europe's countries hold steadfastly onto Old World holiday tradition and transform into fairy-tale Christmas settings. The sights and sensations of the holiday season are everywhere: locals and guests savor the tastes of chocolate-covered Lebkuchen (gingerbread) sizzling grilled sausages and spiced hot "Gluehwein" (mulled wine). People also delight in the festively decorated markets and shopping for ornaments, crafts, candles, nutcrackers, winter hats, roasted nuts and other traditional items.

#### Day 1- OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE

Day 2 - ARRIVE ZURICH - TRANSFER TO LUCERNE -LUCERNE CHRISTMAS MARKET - Arrive Zurich and transfer to Lucerne. Meet your Tour/ Cruise Director. Enjoy Lucerne's wonderful Christmas Market, the Franzkanerplatz, located in the heart of the Old Town. Overnight in Lucerne.

Day 3 - LUCERNE WALKING TOUR - BASEL CHRISTMAS MARKET - BOARD CRUISE SHIP - After an included breakfast, take a walking tour of Lucerne, a traditional Swiss town along the banks of Lake Lucerne with an Alpine backdrop. On our walking tour of this medieval gem, we see some of the city's lovely cobblestone streets, monuments, fountains, public squares, covered bridges, colorful frescoed buildings and the iconic 14th century Chapel Bridge. We transfer to Basel via motorcoach. Basel is Switzerland's most populated city and is located where the Swiss, French and German borders meet. The city has a glorious past still evident in its medieval Town Hall and exquisite 18th century homes. Visit Basel's colorful city center Christmas Market before boarding your ship in this historic city.

Day 4 - STRASBOURG, FRANCE - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Arrive Kehl/ Strasbourg. The capital city of the Alsace region in northeastern France, Strasbourg is situated on the Rhine at the German border. Enjoy a Strasbourg City Tour to see the Orangerie, the town's oldest park, the European Parliament and the Place de Republique. Take a walking tour of the lovely "La Petite France" neighborhood and see the Gothic cathedral with its famous astronomical clock. Then stroll Strasboug's Christmas Market, one of Europe's oldest. Overnight Amadeus Silver II.

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#### Up, up and away we go!

Day 5 - SPEYER - MANNHEIM - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Arrive in Speyer, one of Germany's oldest cities, known for its cathedral, numerous churches and 13th century Altportel (Old Gate). Explore the city during your Speyer Walking Tour. Later, cruise to Mannheim and maybe take an optional excursion to historic Heidelberg to visit the red-walled castle and get beautiful views of the Neckar Valley.

Day 6 - RUDESHEIM - RHINE RIVER GORGE - KOBLENZ - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Enjoy a Rudesheim Walking Tour including a visit to Siegfried's Mechanical Musical Instrument Museum and explore the Drosselgasse, a narrow alley lined with wine taverns and restaurants. Later, the ship departs to cruise through the Rhine River Gorge, a UNESCO Heritage site and the most stunningly beautiful stretch of the river with hillsides dotted with fairy-tale castles, historic towns and vineyards. Later arrive in Germany's oldest city, Koblenz, a charming Rhineland town situated at the confluence of the Rhine & Moselle Rivers. Enjoy a walk to the popular Koblenz Christmas Market and see the famous Advent Calendar at the baroque town hall.

Day 7 - COCHEM, GERMANY - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. The ship makes a detour along the Mosel River to the little town of Cochem. The magnificent Reichsburg castle is situated high above the town, dominating the landscape. Down below, the village with its narrow streets, half-timbered houses and numerous restaurants is an ideal setting to taste the wines of the region. Enjoy a Cochem Walking Tour & the quaint Christmas Market. Overnight Amadeus Silver II.

Day 8 - COLOGNE, GERMANY - Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included. Cologne is Germany's 4th largest city and located on both sides of the Rhine. Enjoy a Cologne walking tour featuring the old part of the city and a visit to the 13th century Gothic cathedral. Explore dockside taverns, cafes, shops and the famous Christmas Market in front of the cathedral. Overnight Amadeus Silver II.

Day 9 - FRANKFURT AIRPORT - FLIGHT HOME - After an included breakfast, transfer to the Frankfurt Airport for your return flight home. Meals: 7B, 5L, 6D

#### AIRLINE AND CRUISE TOURS

As another year dawns, we here at Shockey Tours have done our best to bring you a great new variety of international destinations, as well as several new cruise tours. These are all so great it may be hard to pick just one. Browse through our exciting array of air tour programs and pick the ones you fancy, call our office and make your reservation! Our office staff can answer just about any question you may have. Plan ahead and reserve your space for an enjoyable year of touring in 2019! Remember, airline and cruise tours must be booked early!

When making a decision on one of our airline or cruise tours, please bear in mind the following important points: 1) Early reservations are a must, since the airlines require names and ticket lists 90 days prior to departure. Overseas hotels and tour operators insist on finalized arrangements between 90 to 75 days prior to departure.

2) Passport Requirements: A valid passport book is required for all airline tours that go outside of the United States. The passport card cannot be used for international air travel. Passports must be valid for six (6) months beyond the travel dates. Some overseas countries require a visa. When you make your reservation, our staff will let you know what is required. Because passport applications can take six to eight weeks to process, we recommend applying for a passport as soon as you make your tour reservation.

3) Be sure to make your reservation using your legal name exactly how it appears on your passport. This information is used when purchasing airline and cruise tickets. Some airlines and cruise lines may not permit passengers to board if their ticket does not match their passport exactly.

4) Cancellation penalties and payments for airline and cruise tours are earlier and very strict. Many times airline tickets and cruise tickets are entirely non-refundable. Travel insurance is very highly recommended when you select an airline or cruise tour. It's a wise move to protect your trip investment and to ensure peace of mind while away from home so that you can really relax and enjoy yourself. Refunds of monies paid on airline and cruise tours will be made in accordance with the policy of the specific conveyance. No exceptions will be made regarding our refund policy. For this reason, we recommend purchasing travel insurance to protect your investment.

5) Physical Disabilities: Please note that the Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is not applicable outside of the United States. Each country sets its own laws requiring accommodations for persons with disabilities. Handicapped rooms are limited in many foreign countries. Many destinations in Europe require frequent walking on cobblestone streets.

#### GENERAL INFORMATION AND TOUR CONDITIONS

Please read carefully before signing up for a tour, your reservation constitutes acceptance of our policies.

TOUR COST INCLUDES: A trip with Shockey Tours includes transportation, lodging, tours, local guides, entry and admission fees, tour director, all sightseeing, dining rooms tips for meals included in the itinerary and luggage handling for one large suitcase per person. Prices are per person, based on double occupancy. All tour prices are based on rates known at the time our catalog is printed and expected to be in effect at the time of departure. They are subject to increase without notice, if such rates change prior to departure.

NOT INCLUDED IN TOUR COST: Meals and tips other than those specified in the itinerary, maids, waitresses, valet and laundry service, phone calls, room service, alcoholic beverages and items of a personal nature. Gratuities for cruises, local guides, and Tour Director and Driver are not included. A recommended gratuity is \$4.00 per day, per passenger for the Tour Director and \$4.00 per day, per passenger for the Driver. Gratuities should be extended on an individual basis, not by passing a bag around as a group.

RESERVATIONS: How far in advance do I need to make a reservation? We suggest that reservations be made as soon as your vacation schedule is known. Many people wait too long and are disappointed that the date they want has been sold out. Most festival tours have only limited departures and are sold out long in advance. We feel that you do yourself and Shockey Tours an immense favor by making your reservations as soon as possible. How do I make a reservation? 1) Select the Shockey Tour of your choice and the date that is most convenient for you. 2) Call our local number 267-4007 or our Toll Free 1-800-633-4147 and confirm your reservation. 3) Mail your deposit check, made payable to Shockey Tours, within 10 days of making your reservation. Your seat will be guaranteed.

DEPOSITS: Deposits are due within 10 days after making your reservation. Separate checks should be sent for each tour booked. Please DO NOT send cash in the mail. Balance is due within five (5) days of receipt of balance statement and itinerary.

LATE BOOKINGS: Our tour bookings are normally finalized 45 days prior to departure (with a few exceptions). However, there are some tours that we can still add to after it has been finalized, and we are happy to include you with the tour, if there is availability. In these situations, we must receive full payment with your reservation, plus a late booking fee of \$25 per person. Unfortunately, late bookings can also bring about tour increases, which Shockey Tours cannot control. Increases can occur in any tour component that is booked late, such as flights, hotels, cruises and event ticketing. Should these prices increase, all information will be made available to the client and Shockey will receive client approval prior to payment.

CANCELLATION OF OUR TOURS: Please help us avoid canceling our tours prematurely. We have made reservations for hotels, attractions and other suppliers that require contracts and deadlines for deposits and cancellation. Some of these are 90, 60 or 30 days prior to the date of service. If you are interested in a tour, please do not wait until the last minute to call us to see if it is going. If too many wait, obviously we run the risk of having to cancel due to lack of interest to honor our contracts.

ROOMMATES: Each person making a reservation is responsible for finding their own roommate. When confirming your reservation for a tour, you should inform us if you have a roommate. Persons making a reservation without a designated roommate will be billed for the single rate. If either you or Shockey Tours finds an acceptable person to share room costs, the cost of the tour will be reduced to the double rate and monies, if due, will be refunded to you. If a single room must be assigned because your roommate cancels (even at the last minute or while on tour), we must, out of necessity, charge you the additional cost since the hotels make no allowances. If you prefer to have the privacy of your own room, you may do so for an additional charge as noted in our single price. The single rate applies to rooms only and does not include two seats on the motorcoach.

PICK UP LOCATIONS: In order to make your tour departure as convenient as possible, we pick-up for our tours at the Yoki Buffet in Louisville, the Radisson Hotel in Clarksville, Indiana, the Wal-Mart in Frankfort and the Marriott Griffin Gate Resort in Lexington. Please arrive at the pick-up location at least 15 minutes prior to departure time. For groups of 20 or more, we will pick up at the location of your choice in any of our departure cities. For group pickups in locations other than our regular cities, there will be an additional cost per person. When making your reservation, it is important to give the correct departure location. No changes in pick-up locations will be accepted after the itineraries are mailed 30 days prior to tour departure as timetables are established at that time.

LUGGAGE: How much luggage may I bring? For your convenience and to expedite movement, each tour participant is allowed one (1) large suitcase, not to exceed 22 x 10 x 30 inches in size and not to exceed 45 lbs. in weight. You must weigh and measure your bag after finishing your packing.

Your large piece of luggage will be taken to your hotel room each evening and picked up each morning. In addition, each tour participant is allowed one (1) carry-on piece of luggage (such as an overnight case or similar small bag) that you handle or carry-on yourself. This carry-on piece of luggage must not exceed 18 x 12 x 8 inches and must be able to be stored under your seat or in the overhead compartment. Your carry-on bag must remain in your possession while traveling. Please note that due to limited storage space, we are unable to accept luggage that exceeds that specified size or weight limitation. Due to limited space, absolutely no hanging bags will be allowed. Although every precaution will be taken to protect your belongings, Shockey Tours cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to baggage or belongings. We strongly recommend that you insure your baggage before leaving home. Due to the fact that state licenses to carry concealed weapons are not recognized in all states, concealed weapons or weapons of any kind are not allowed on the motorcoach or in the luggage compartments. IMPOR-TANT: Fly/ Cruise luggage policies section - Please take time to understand the TSA regulations, found at https:// www.tsa.gov/travel/security-screening/whatcanibring for carry-on and checked luggage. This will determine what you are allowed to pack and what you are allowed to bring back home with you when traveling.

CLOTHING: How should I dress? We suggest that you travel as light as possible. Casual attire in wash and wear fabrics travel best. Slacks are very acceptable for ladies and sports shirts for gentlemen. Dress-up clothes are necessary only for specific occasions listed in the itinerary. Easy walking shoes are a must and don't forget your umbrella or raincoat in case of showers. You should always take a sweater or jacket to use on the coach and comfortable walking shoes are a must for any tour.

GROUP COURTESIES: Please be mindful of your fellow passengers and Shockey staff. Group travel is a wonderful alternative to individual travel. Shockey seeks to provide a safe, clean environment for all of our travelers. It takes everyone in the group to make for a good tour. We ask that everyone be kind and courteous and keep on schedule. Please listen carefully to the Tour Director and/ or Local Guide for instructions. We ask that everyone be able to keep up with the group. We reserve the right to refuse or discharge anyone we feel would be disruptive to the trip or harmful to themselves or others.

MEDICINES: If you are taking prescriptions medicines, be sure to take enough to last the duration of the tour. Sometimes it is very difficult to get a prescription refilled while en route. We highly recommend that you carry all medications in your purse, pocket or in your carry-on, not in your suitcase. It would be wise to have in your possession a list of all medications you are currently taking in case of an emergency. The coaches are not equipped to store medications that need refrigeration.

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PHYSICAL DISABILITIES: Any disability requiring special attention or treatment or hotel accommodations should be reported to Shockey Tours when the reservation is made. We will request but cannot guarantee a handicapped room. Foldable wheelchairs and walkers are allowed on the tour, but must be stored in the luggage bays underneath the motorcoach. Wheelchairs and walkers are not provided by Shockey Tours. Passengers intending to bring a foldable wheelchair or walker should notify Shockey Tours at least 24 hours prior to departure. Unfortunately, the driver is unable to provide individual assistance to guests for walking, wheelchairs or other personal needs. Travelers needing assistance must be accompanied by an able companion who can assist them. Some of our tours include attractions at high elevations; please consult your physician about possible health effects. International Travel: The Americans with Disabilities Act (ADA) is not applicable outside of the United States. Facilities outside the United States are limited. In many parts of Europe, walking is frequently the mode of transportation.

DELUXE MOTORCOACHES: Shockey Tours uses only the most modern deluxe motorcoaches available. They are climatecontrolled, have comfortable reclining seats, foot rests, overhead storage racks, restrooms, public address systems and large viewing windows. All of our motorcoaches have video systems for your added touring pleasure. We try at all times to take the most popular and scenic routes so that travel itself becomes an enjoyable part of your vacation. There is never any straight through or overnight traveling. All passengers are insured while traveling aboard Shockey Tours' motorcoaches.

SEAT ROTATION: In order that everyone can enjoy a variety of views and have exposure to meeting other people on the tours, we rotate seats daily in a clockwise direction on all multiple day trips. One of the front seats is reserved for the Tour Director and will not rotate. In order not to show partiality among passengers, there can be no exceptions to our seating plan.

COMPREHENSIVE ITINERARIES: Shockey Tours researches and plans each itinerary to include the "must see" sights of a given area as well as the little known, off the beaten path places that become the most memorable part of your experience. We try to insure that you have an exciting, fun, educational, and the most comprehensive and enjoyable travel experience you've ever had! Shockey Tours reserves the right to change or modify the itinerary in order to provide a smooth operation and insure a successful tour. Should an attraction become unavailable during the year, we will substitute one of equal or better value. Occasionally an attraction will be changed for the sole purpose of improving the tour.

DEVOTIONS: We begin each morning of our tour with a prayer. Whenever we are unable to attend church on a Sunday, the Tour Director will conduct a short, non-denominational devotion on board the coach while in transit.

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP: It is now necessary for all motorcoach passengers to have a valid passport to enter Canada. A driver's license is no longer acceptable. Grandparents traveling into Canada with children must bring notarized written documentation of permission from custodial parent.

WAITING LISTS: We take waiting lists on all tours, since we do have frequent cancellations. If the tour you request is filled, then we recommend that you sign up as a stand-by. You will then be placed on our waiting list and as soon as a vacancy occurs, you will be automatically placed and notified that you are confirmed on the tour. All vacancies will be filled from the waiting list in the date order in which they were received.

QUALITY ACCOMMODATIONS: Hotels are selected and continually monitored for their location, comfort, hospitality and style. Careful planning, research and experience are woven into the choice of each hotel. We maintain tight quality control on all our lodging accommodations so that your overnight stays will be an enjoyable part of your tour. As a rule, we request non-smoking rooms. Many hotels have gone to an entirely smoke-free environment. We will send in your special requests on our rooming list to the hotel, for example adjacent rooms, low floors, etc. However, due to hotel availability, we cannot guarantee the hotel will honor these requests.

RESPONSIBILITIES: All tours are arranged and operated by Shockey Tours, Inc., by authority granted them by the Interstate Commerce Commission License Number 178716. Shockey Tours, Inc. acts only as your agent in arranging and sponsoring the various accommodations that are made available, and assumes no responsibility nor liability in connection with the services rendered by any vessel, carriage or other conveyance, excursions, sightseeing events, restaurants, hotels or motels or any other accommodation, event or equipment used in the performance of the tour. Shockey Tours, Inc. assumes no responsibility for any delay, accident, failure or sickness incurred while using any leased services.

Shockey Tours, Inc. reserves the right to make changes in the itinerary or tour arrangements at any time, due to emergency or otherwise unknown situations. If Shockey Tours, Inc. cancels a tour, it shall have no responsibility to participants beyond the refund of the monies paid to Shockey Tours, Inc. by the participants. In case of events beyond our control, including but not limited to strikes, lockouts, revolts, wars, natural disasters, fires, closures of airports or hotels, or technical problems of transport, which force us to cancel the tour you have booked, you will be entitled to a full refund minus reasonable expenses for services performed. In any of the above cases, Shockey Tours shall not be under any other obligation of liability to participants. We reserve the right to accept or decline any person as a member of any tour at any time. No exceptions will be made regarding our refund policy. For this reason, we recommend travel protection.

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#### CANCELLATION POLICY:

We at Shockey Tours understand that at times, due to uncontrollable circumstances, it may become necessary for you to cancel a tour. In the event that cancellation does become necessary, the following policy will apply:

1) Shockey Tours will have to charge any non-recoverable expenditures made on behalf of the participant at the time of cancellation. These costs would be for tickets, meals, hotels, etc. Hotels require a rooming list and full payment 60 to 45 days prior to arrival and show tickets are often purchased 60 days in advance. Many times, these monies are entirely non-refundable. In addition to any non-recoverable expenditure, there will be a \$10 per person handling fee to cover the cost of postage, processing fees, faxes and long-distance telephone expenses. Cancellations made less than ten (10) business days prior to departure will be subject to the entire cost of the tour, if a replacement cannot be found. Once the tour departs, no refunds will be made. Refunds are not given for any meals or attractions, etc, in which the travelers does not participate while on tour.

2) Please note that we are unable to transfer funds to another tour if non-recoverable expenses have been made on your behalf on the tour you originally reserved.

3) Refund checks will be processed at the end of each month. Please allow sufficient time after the tour returns to audit all hotel and attraction charges. At that time, we will make every effort to return any monies possible. If you have not received your refund 30 days from the return date of the tour, please call our office.

4) Refund of monies paid on airline, cruise or train tours will be made in accordance with the policy of the specific conveyance.

5) No refunds will be made for cancellations or other service interruptions due to the weather or other factors beyond Shockey Tours' control.

6) In certain instances, Shockey may cancel a tour. When this occurs our travelers have the choice to either transfer their deposit to another tour or receive a full refund. Please note that tour deposits are paid directly to hotels. Shockey's process for these refunds is 30 days.

No exceptions will be made regarding our refund policy. For this reason, we recommend travel protection.

Trip Cancellation Insurance: We at Shockey Tours recognize the need to protect your health, property and trip investment. Therefore, we have partnered with Trip Assure, which offers a Protection Plan specifically designed for our tours. We strongly encourage you to purchase this cancellation and trip interruption insurance, which will protect you, should it become necessary to cancel or leave your scheduled tour. If you are interested in purchasing the insurance or have any questions relating to the insurance, please call our office at (800) 633-4147.

Please note that all travel insurance companies will ask you if you have a "pre-existing condition." This is an illness that may flare up and cause you to cancel or interrupt your trip. If you have a pre-existing condition and purchase the insurance within 10 days of making your trip reservation, these pre-existing conditions are covered in your insurance plan. If you have no pre-existing conditions, you may purchase the insurance at any time.

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# Christmas Party

SHOCKEY TOURS CHRISTMAS PARTY AT CLAUDIA SANDERS DINNER HOUSE December 8 Tour #20191211 1 Day Cost \$59

Get your friends and family together and come celebrate with Shockey Tours at this special year-end celebration, which marks end of the 2019 touring year and reveals exciting things for 2020. We will enjoy a delicious buffet luncheon at Claudia Sanders Dinner House in Shelbyville, Kentucky. There will be special discounts, giveaways, door prizes and free tours given on this one day only. Special discounts will be given for tour reservations made at the luncheon. Entertainment will be provided.

Free Transportation provided from the Louisville, Clarksville and Frankfort areas. Please make your reservations for the luncheon at least 45 days in advance. You may reserve online or simply call the office to order your ticket.

Tickets will be mailed approximately two weeks prior to the luncheon. Come and bring a friend with you – you may win the trip of your dreams. Meal: Lunch



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