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Key West & the Florida Coast

Escape the ice and snow this winter on a tropical trip south. This coastal vacation is an excellent opportunity to tour fabulous Florida from top to bottom, with plenty of activities and leisure time built in.

January 28 – February 8

12 Days	Tour #2025201
Double: \$4,042	Triple: \$3,554
Single: \$5,669	Deposit: \$400
Included Meals: 11B, 1D	

Day 1 - Columbia, SC

Today, we enjoy a scenic drive south through Tennessee to South Carolina, where we overnight in Columbia.

Day 2 - Riverboat Harbor Cruise – Savannah, GA

After an included breakfast, we head to Savannah, one of the south's most romantic cities, with buildings dating back before the Civil War. This afternoon, we take a riverboat sightseeing cruise of Savannah's historic riverfront and skyline and learn about the city's port and the ships that visit from all over the world. The rest of the evening and dinner will be at your leisure to dine and stroll along the beautifully restored waterfront just a short distance from our hotel. We overnight in Savannah.

Day 3 - St. Augustine, FL – Old Town – Fountain of Youth – Columbia Restaurant

After an included breakfast, we travel to St. Augustine, the first and oldest European settlement in the U.S. This afternoon, we visit historic Old Town St. George Street for lunch on our own and shopping. Explore the 11-block stretch of Spanish Colonial architecture, shops, restaurants, and historic sites as you get acquainted with our nation's oldest city. Next, we visit the Fountain of

Youth Archaeological Park, commemorating the landing of the Spanish explorer. Take a sip and see if this water's mythical powers are fact or fiction. Dinner is included at the exquisite Columbia Restaurant in the historic area.

Day 4 - Castillo San Marcos – Daytona Speedway – Daytona Beach

After an included breakfast, we visit Castillo San Marcos National Monument, the oldest masonry fort in the U.S. Later, we head to Daytona Beach to tour the Daytona International Speedway, home of the Daytona 500 NASCAR race. We'll visit the famous start/finish line and ride down the pit road to get a close-up view of the pit stalls. The rest of the afternoon is at your leisure to stroll on the beach, swim in the pool, and grab dinner on your own. We overnight in Daytona Beach.

Day 5 - Kennedy Space Center – West Palm Beach, FL

After an included breakfast, we visit the Kennedy Space Center, the departure site for the first human journey to the moon and the base for hundreds of space shuttle launches and landings. Experience the history of space exploration firsthand as you walk through a full-scale replica of a shuttle orbiter and see real moon rocks and the rockets used to

launch man into space. We continue to West Palm Beach, where we overnight.

Day 6 - Flamingo Gardens - Overseas Highway - Key West

After an included breakfast, we begin our day with a visit to Flamingo Gardens, a tropical paradise filled with plants and animals. Then it's on to southern-most city in the U.S., Key West. We pass through the breathtaking beauty of the Keys as we drive down Route 1, the Overseas Highway, crossing over 42 bridges, coral limestones and inlets. We overnight three nights in Key West.

Day 7 - Key West Trolley Tour – Ernest Hemingway Home and Museum – Sunset Cruise

After an included breakfast, we'll discover the history and see the sights of Key West on a narrated trolley tour. Next, we visit the Ernest Hemingway Home and Museum, where the Nobel Prize winning author lived and wrote for more than 10 years. The afternoon is free for lunch on your own and additional exploration. An included trolley pass with hop on/hop off privileges makes it easy to get around. We'll reconvene in the evening to experience a famous Key West sunset on a picturesque Sunset Cruise. Overnight same hotel.

Day 8 - Free Day in Key West

After an included breakfast, the entire day is free to explore.



Day 9 - Everglades Airboat Ride – Fort Myers, FL

After an included breakfast, we make our way back to the mainland via Route 1. This afternoon, we take a thrilling airboat ride through the Everglades, keeping our eyes peeled for alligators, spoonbills, turtles and other wildlife in this one-of-a-kind ecosystem. Afterwards, we continue to our overnight accommodations in Fort Myers.

Day 10 - Edison & Ford Winter Estates

After an included breakfast, we tour the winter-time vacation homes of investors Thomas Edison and Henry Ford. Edison's spacious Victorian residence remains much the same as the genius inventor left it, complete with laboratories, botanical gardens, and personal effects. We continue to the Sarasota area to overnight.

Day 11 - Forsyth, GA

After an included breakfast, we board our motorcoach to start our journey home. We overnight in Forsyth.

Day 12 - Home

After an included breakfast, we make our way home with memories of our leisurely days in the Florida sun that will last throughout the winter.





New Orleans

Head south to the beautiful “Crescent City” for a fun-filled time, including a city tour, a visit to the National World II Museum, a jazz cruise on the Mississippi River, and plenty of delicious food. *Laissez les bons temps rouler!*

February 16–20

5 Days	Tour #2025202
Double: \$1,296	Triple: \$1,204
Single: \$1,658	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 4B, 1L, 1D	

Day 1 - Birmingham, AL

Our journey begins as we head south through Tennessee and Alabama to our overnight accommodations in Birmingham.

Day 2 - Guided Tours of New Orleans

After an included breakfast, we drive directly to the “The Big Easy” and meet our local guide for a city tour that will feature modern New Orleans and old sights around the French Quarter. We’ll see lovely antebellum homes along St. Charles Avenue, drive past parks, universities, and see other famous areas in this beautiful city. This evening will be at your leisure for dinner and exploring on your own. Hotel accommodations for two nights will be in New Orleans.

Day 3 - National World War II Museum – French Quarter – Jazz Dinner Cruise

After an included breakfast, we visit the National World War II Museum. This museum tells the story of soldiers through a vast collection of artifacts, film footage, photographs, diaries, personal effects, and first-person histories. This afternoon is at your leisure for lunch and exploring on your own. Stroll through the French Quarter and walk down Bourbon Street, stop for café au lait and beignets at Café du Monde or enjoy the music and entertainers at Jackson Square. Tonight, enjoy an included jazz

dinner cruise on the Mississippi River. Enjoy a lavish Creole buffet while listening to the lively sounds of traditional New Orleans music. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - Blaine Kern’s Mardi Gras World – The Court of Two Sisters

This morning, we head to Blaine Kern’s Mardi Gras World where we’ll see many of the props and giant sculptures artists create here for the famous Mardi Gras parade floats. Lunch is included at The Court of Two Sisters, one of New Orleans’ most famous culinary stops. Afterwards, we depart New Orleans for our overnight accommodations in Birmingham.

Day 5 - Home

This morning, we make our way home remembering what fun and excitement we have had on our New Orleans getaway.



San Antonio & Texas in the Spring

Call up the spirits of the Old West in the great state of Texas. Stand where history was made at the Alamo, discover the “Queen of the Missions” at Mission San Jose, and enjoy shopping, dining, and a scenic cruise.

March 25 – April 1

8 Days	Tour #2025302
Double: \$2,148	Triple: \$1,949
Single: \$2,901	Deposit: \$400
Included Meals: 7B	

Day 1 - Little Rock, AR

Anticipating the exciting “Lone Star State,” we drive to our first overnight in Little Rock.

Day 2 - Dallas – Sixth Floor Museum – Waco

After an included breakfast, we arrive in Dallas. After lunch on our own, we visit the Sixth Floor Museum at Dealey Plaza to view the former School Book Depository from which Oswald shot President Kennedy. This museum offers a compelling and dramatic look into the events of the JFK assassination and its aftermath. We overnight in Waco.

Day 3 - Texas State History Museum – LBJ Presidential Library – San Antonio

After an included breakfast, we visit the Bob Bullock Texas State History Museum. Its interactive exhibits and artifacts bring the myth, legend, and fact of Texas together under one roof. After lunch on our own, we visit the Presidential Library and Museum, where we will learn about the early years, political life, and family years of the 36th President. Next, we depart for San Antonio, the home of the Alamo. Here, time-worn adobe and stone buildings stand in the shadows of towering modern structures, while a feeling of intimacy prevails along the Paseo del Rio that leisurely meanders through the heart of the city. Everywhere you look, there are signs of the “old” and the “new” – all

which mold, shape, and create this exciting city. We check into our hotel for three nights, situated along the famous Riverwalk. The remainder of the evening is at your leisure.

Day 4 - San Jose Mission – El Mercado – The Alamo – Boat Ride

After an included breakfast, we see the history of San Antonio unfold during our visit to Mission San Jose, one of the many Spanish Colonial missions preserved throughout the city. This afternoon, we visit Historic Market Square, known as El Mercado. Shop for the perfect souvenir then grab a bite to eat at one of the many food vendors or authentic Tex-Mex restaurants lining the square. After lunch on our own, we visit the Alamo, the “Cradle of Texas Liberty.” This evening is free to enjoy at your leisure with dinner on your own, perhaps in one of the quaint restaurants along the Riverwalk. We’ll reconvene for an included boat ride on the San Antonio River, a special way to end to your day. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Leisure Day in San Antonio

After an included breakfast, today will be at leisure to explore the Riverwalk and the city on your own, using the included shuttle pass. Overnight same hotel.

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Day 6 - Fort Worth Stockyards – Greenville
 After an included breakfast, we depart San Antonio and visit Fort Worth’s historic Stockyards District for lunch on our own and shopping. This 125-acre complex was once the largest livestock marketing center in the Southwest and now includes galleries, restaurants, and shops in many of the original structures. We overnight in Greenville.

Day 7 - Beale Street – Memphis, TN
 After an included breakfast, we head north to our next destination, Memphis.

Tonight, we visit the famous Beale Street for shopping, exploring, dining on your own and enjoying some famous Blues music.

Day 8 - Graceland – Home
 After an included breakfast, we visit Elvis Presley’s Graceland mansion. Here, we will see his home, memorabilia spanning his entire career, his airplanes and the auto museum featuring his legendary pink Cadillac. We arrive home this evening with many fond memories of our Texas adventure.



Patti’s 1880s Settlement

March 27

1 Day

Tour #2025301

Cost: \$197

Included Meals: 1L

Our destination for today is Grand Rivers, KY, home of Patti’s 1880’s Settlement. This beloved restaurant was voted Southern Living’s Best Small-Town Restaurant in the Southeast. Try the legendary two-inch thick pork chop, a juicy steak, famous flowerpot bread and more then sink your teeth into the most delectable piece of pie you’ll ever taste! After lunch, spend the afternoon exploring the recreated log cabin settlement with its beautifully-landscaped gardens and picturesque waterwheel. The boutiques and specialty shops within Patti’s Settlement offer something for everyone, from clothing and home décor to gifts and food items.



Beef & Boards Dinner Theatre

April 19

1 Day

Tour #2025401

Cost: \$199

Included Meals: 1L

An afternoon of food, fun, and entertainment awaits us as we travel to the Beef & Boards Dinner Theatre in Indianapolis. Beef & Boards is one of Indiana’s most acclaimed theaters producing high-quality Broadway-style musicals and comedies for 50 years. We’ll enjoy a delicious, hot buffet lunch before the curtain goes up on a fabulous musical comedy show, *Church Basement Ladies*. In this show, a group of devout women run the kitchen - the heart and soul of the church - serving food and solving problems. We’ll watch while they organize events, share and debate recipes, and have fun as they contend with the changing times of 1965. Our heads and hearts are full of memorable melodies, we board our motorcoach for our return to Kentucky.



Lighthouse Restaurant and Historic Railpark & Train Museum

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

Join us as we head south to historic Sulphur Well, KY. A delicious home-cooked lunch is included at the Lighthouse Restaurant. This popular restaurant was voted #1 Best Down Home Restaurant by Kentucky Living Magazine for several years in a row. Next, we visit the Historic Railpark & Train Museum in Bowling Green. Relive the golden era of railroading as you visit the landmark 1925 train depot, which has been restored into an interactive museum filled with vintage equipment and artifacts. Discover five restored train cars dating back to 1911 including the oldest surviving passenger car from the L&N Railroad.



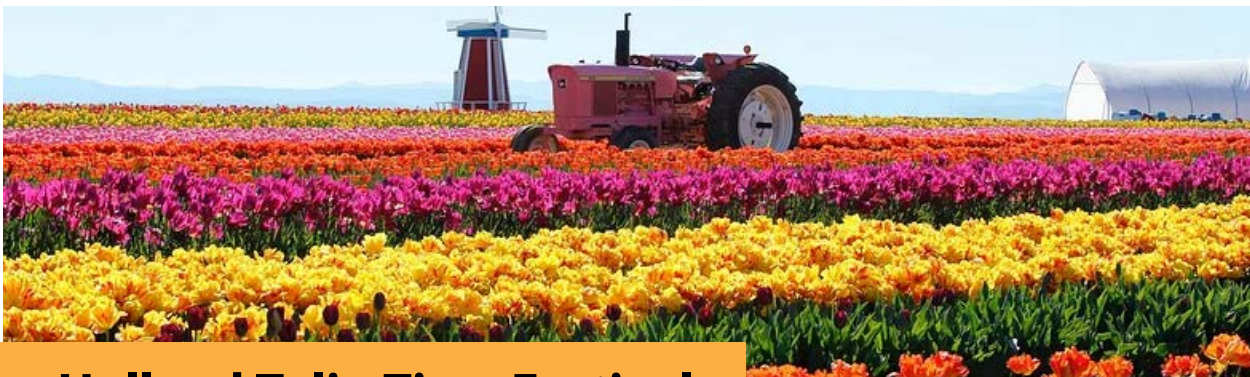
Indiana Amish

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

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 home-cooked lunch. We 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.

April 19

1 Day **Tour #2025403**
Cost: \$179 **Included Meals: 1L**



Holland Tulip Time Festival

Experience Europe in America at the beloved Tulip Time Festival celebrating Holland, Michigan's Dutch heritage. With millions of tulips in bloom, residents dressed in traditional Dutch costume take to the streets to perform the native dances of the Netherlands.

Day 1 - Holland, MI

Our first day's journey takes us through Indiana and into Michigan to our hotel for three nights in Holland. Founded by Dutch immigrants in the 19th century, this charming town on the eastern shores of Lake Michigan draws thousands of visitors every year with its natural beauty and vibrant cultural heritage. Tonight, we enjoy an included dinner and the first of our three shows.

Day 2 - Windmill Island - Veldheer Tulip Gardens - Wooden Shoe & Delftware Pottery Factory

After an included breakfast, we drive to the famous Windmill Island, where we see a 1761 operating windmill "De Zwaan," America's only authentic Dutch windmill, along with a miniature Dutch Village, a drawbridge, and thousands of beautiful tulips. This afternoon, we visit the De Klomp Wooden Shoe & Delftware Pottery Factory where craftsmen decorate their wares and craft wooden shoes out of one solid piece of wood. Next, we visit Veldheer Tulip Gardens to see more than five million tulips in bloom. Dinner is included tonight along with another entertaining show.

Day 3 - Tulip Time Parade

After an included breakfast, we drive down Tulip Lanes, streets of beautifully manicured

May 6-9

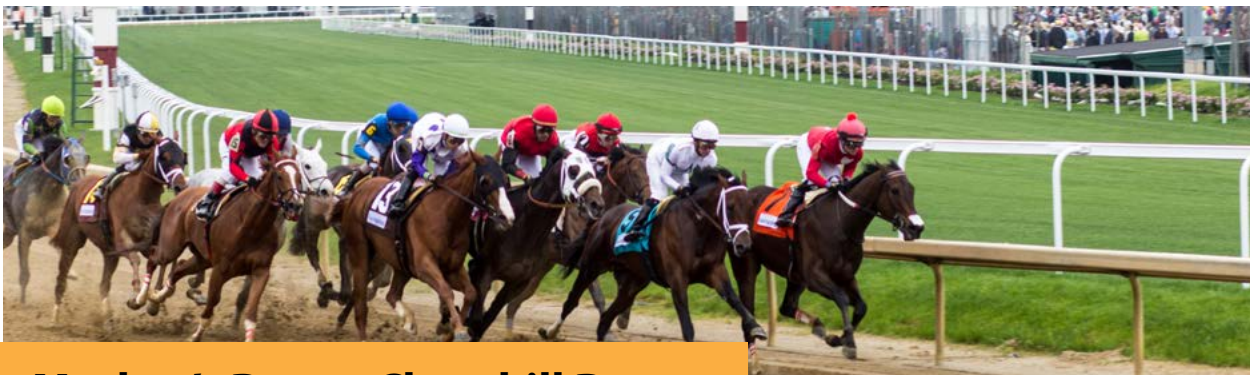
4 Days **Tour #2025501**
Double: \$1,148 **Triple: \$1,061**
Single: \$1,475 **Deposit: \$300**
Included Meals: 3B, 3D
Shows: 3

lawns with neat houses and rows of tulips in a variety of colors. After lunch on our own in this quaint town, we take our seats for the highlight of the week – the famous Tulip Time Parade. After the community Street Scrubbing, the parade kicks off as residents in full Dutch costume march through downtown Holland. Dozens of bands showcase their talents amid the community floats and entertaining special entries. Tonight, we enjoy an included dinner and an amazing show.

Day 4 - Home

We begin our journey homeward today, with warm memories of parades, flowers, and fun!





Mother's Day at Churchill Downs

May 11

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

1 Day	Tour #2025503
Cost: \$212	Included Meals: 1L

Treat the special mom in your life to a Mother's Day celebration at the iconic Churchill Downs. We'll chauffeur your group on one of our top-of-the-line motorcoaches to the world's most legendary racetrack. You'll spend a thrilling day of live thoroughbred racing during the track's Spring Meet and enjoy a delicious lunch at the Chef's Table Buffet. This popular event is the perfect way to celebrate in true Kentucky-style, giving mom a day she won't forget.

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Mackinac Island & The Henry Ford Museum

May 13-18

Visit Michigan's Mackinac Island, the "Bermuda of the North," where no motorized vehicles are allowed - only bicycles and horse-drawn carriages. We'll also experience the marvel of American ingenuity during a visit to The Henry Ford Museum.

6 Days	Tour #2025504
Double: \$1,839	Triple: \$1,639
Single: \$2,550	Deposit: \$350
Included Meals: 3B, 1L, 1D	

Day 1 - Dearborn, MI

Our coach heads north into the "Great Lakes State" for our first overnight in Dearborn.

Day 2 - Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village - Frankenmuth, MI

After an included breakfast, we visit the Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation. Here, we discover the history of America through its appliances, furniture, transportation, agriculture, and more. In the living history museum of Greenfield Village, we will see a collection of buildings spanning more than 300 years of American history from Thomas Edison's laboratory to the courthouse where Abraham Lincoln practiced law. We overnight in Frankenmuth. Dinner is included.

Day 3 - Mackinac Island - Grand Hotel

After an included breakfast, we drive to St. Ignace where we board the ferry that takes us to Mackinac Island. This afternoon, we stop at the revered Grand Hotel where we'll enjoy its famous lunch buffet, with mouth-watering delights spread across 10 tables. Next, we will transfer to our hotel accommodations for the next two nights. The remainder of the day is at leisure.

Day 4 - Carriage Tour of the Island

We begin our day with a horse-drawn carriage tour of Mackinac Island, then

give you the rest of the day free to roam through the downtown shops, or maybe rent a bicycle for a ride around the island. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Bronner's Christmas Wonderland

Enjoy some leisure time this morning in Mackinac before boarding the ferry that takes us back to the mainland. Back on the bus, we'll drive across the Mighty Mac Bridge that connects Michigan's Upper and Lower Peninsula. Back in Frankenmuth, we'll visit Bronner's Christmas Wonderland before checking into our hotel.

Day 6 - Home

After an included breakfast, we begin our journey home with many memories of the natural beauty of Mackinac Island.





Biltmore Estate in the Spring

Spring is more than just a season at the opulent, castle-like Biltmore Estate in Asheville – it’s a celebration of flowers! From the gardens to the house and winery, spectacular floral displays light up the rooms and grounds with springtime.

May 16–18

3 Days	Tour #2025502
Double: \$889	Triple: \$843
Single: \$1,073	Deposit: \$250
Included Meals: 2B, 1L, 2D	

Day 1 - Asheville, NC

Today we travel to Asheville where we overnight two nights. Nestled in the picturesque Blue Ridge Mountains, Asheville is a vibrant city known for its thriving arts scene, historic architecture, and stunning natural beauty. We have included dinner at a popular local restaurant in town.

Day 2 - Stable Café – Biltmore House & Gardens – Antler Hill Village & Winery

After an included breakfast, we drive directly to the Biltmore Estate. We’ll tour the formal gardens, blooming with fragrant roses, tulips, daffodils, and azaleas, then enjoy an included at the Stable Café, a historic setting

that was once the estate’s horse stable. This afternoon, we tour the 250-room Biltmore House, a European chateau built in French Renaissance style in 1895 by tycoon George Washington Vanderbilt. Next, we visit Antler Hill Village and the Biltmore shops. You may choose to visit the Biltmore Estate Winery while we are here. After this enjoyable day, we have included dinner at a popular restaurant in Asheville.

Day 3 - Home

After an included breakfast, we return home from a wonderful spring experience at the Biltmore Estate.



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 waters of this natural wonder, as well as many other area attractions.

June 2–6

5 Days	Tour #2025601
Double: \$1,639	Triple: \$1,515
Single: \$2,101	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 4B, 2D	

Passport
Required

Day 1 - Niagara Falls, Ontario

We take a picturesque drive north to cross the Canadian border. We overnight at Niagara Falls, Ontario, for the next four nights.

Day 2 - Table Rock – Niagara Adventure Theater – Sky Wheel – Hornblower Boat Ride – Queen Victoria Restaurant

After an included breakfast, a local guide will join our coach for a tour of the Table Rock area, the heart of Niagara Parks where every year, over eight million visit the thundering Horseshoe Falls. Next, we will view a breathtaking film at the Niagara Adventure Theater on the history and feats performed at the falls, then head over to the Niagara Sky Wheel. Climate controlled gondolas soar 175 feet above Niagara for memorable views of the Horseshoe and American Falls, the Niagara River, and other landmarks. After lunch on our own, we get a close-up view of the falls on the Hornblower boat tour. Tonight, we have included dinner at Queen Victoria Place Restaurant. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - American Falls – Power Vista Museum – Butterfly Conservatory

After an included breakfast, we depart with a local guide on a day excursion that takes us back to 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 also visit the Power Vista Museum featuring the history of electrical power generation at Niagara Falls. After lunch on our own, we travel back to Canada to visit the Butterfly Conservatory, a magical attraction with over 2,000 colorful tropical butterflies. Tonight, we have included dinner at the Skylon Tower. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - Welland Canal Museum – Chocolate FX – Niagara on the Lake – Winery Tour

After an included breakfast, we stop at the engineering marvel of Welland Canal, a man-made waterway system with a series of locks that compensate for the 326 ft. drop between Lake Erie and Lake Ontario. Next, we visit Chocolate FX, Niagara’s largest chocolate factory to learn about the candy making process. Later, we stop for lunch on our own and shopping at Niagara-on-the-Lake, a charming historic town that was once a military post of the British. Afterwards, we have scheduled a winery tour. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Home

Breakfast is included before departing Canada and crossing the border back into our own great country, making our way back home.



Lighthouses of Michigan

Michigan is home to more lighthouses than any state in the nation, and we're heading north to explore them. More than 250 lighthouses used to dot the Michigan coastline, and those that remain cast a nostalgic light on days gone by.

June 9–14

6 Days	Tour #2025602
Double: \$1,681	Triple: \$1,497
Single: \$2,341	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 5B, 1D	

Day 1 - Holland, MI

Our coach heads north into the "Great Lakes State" of Michigan to overnight in Holland.

Day 2 - Frederik Meijer Gardens – Windmill Island

After an included breakfast, we visit Frederik Meijer Gardens & Sculpture Park, one of the most visited art museums in the US. Here, we'll visit a five-story tropical conservatory housing exotic plants from around the world and see impressive sculptures, including a 24-foot bronze horse designed by Leonardo da Vinci. This afternoon, we visit Windmill Island, which features canals, a miniature Dutch village, and the park's main feature, De Zwaan, a 1780's operating windmill from the Netherlands. Overnight in Mackinaw City. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - White River Light Station – Silver Lake Dune Buggy – Traverse City

After an included breakfast, we travel the shores of Lake Michigan to the historic White River Light Station. Built in 1875, the lighthouse has been converted into a museum containing artifacts of Great Lakes nautical history. We continue to Silver Lake, for a thrilling dune buggy ride across the Sahara Desert-like sand dunes here. Overnight in Traverse City.

Day 4 - Charlevoix Mushroom Houses – Michigan Lighthouse Cruise

After an included breakfast, we depart for a scenic drive to Charlevoix in Northern Michigan. We meet our local step on guide for a tour that takes us through the city and past the famous Mushroom Houses built by architect Earl Young. These fairy-tale like "Hobbit houses" are known world-wide and can only be seen in Charlevoix. After lunch on our own, we take a captivating Lighthouse Cruise on Lake Michigan with awe-inspiring views of the stunning coastline and five Lake Michigan lighthouses. Our expert guide will share the lore of shipwrecks, navigation methods, and fascinating historical accounts of these guardians of the Great Lakes.

Day 5 - Presque Isle Light Station

After an included breakfast, we drive along Michigan's eastern border to view Presque Isle Light Station from 1840, one of the oldest on the Great Lakes. We continue to Frankenmuth to overnight. Dinner is included this evening.

Day 6 - Home

After an included breakfast, we journey back home with memories of Northern Michigan's natural beauty and historic lighthouses.



Beautiful Maine: Portland & Bar Harbor

June 16–25

Experience Maine's beautiful coastal region as we travel to the state's largest city-by-the-sea, Portland picturesque Bar Harbor, Acadia National Park and more.

10 Days	Tour #2025603
Double: \$2,627	Triple: \$2,325
Single: \$3,731	Deposit: \$400
Included Meals: 9B	

Day 1 - Hagerstown, MD

A day of travel takes us through the beautiful mountains of West Virginia into the "Old Line State" of Maryland, where we overnight in Hagerstown.

Day 2 - Hershey's Chocolate World – West Haven, CT

After an included breakfast, we drive through the mountains of eastern Pennsylvania, making a stop at Hershey's Chocolate World. We take a ride through a simulated chocolate factory to learn how a cocoa bean becomes a chocolate bar. Afterwards, we can purchase delicious chocolates to take home. We continue through New York, continuing to our overnight accommodations in West Haven.

Day 3 - Mark Twain Home & Museum – Portland, ME

After an included breakfast, we travel to Hartford, CT. Here, the history of another era awaits us at the Mark Twain Home & Museum. We will tour the famed author's meticulously restored Victorian home and learn about his legacy. Next, we continue to the city-by-the-sea, Portland, where we overnight three nights.

Day 4 - Portland Head Lighthouse – City Tour – Narrated Harbor Cruise

After an included breakfast, we tour the

city of Portland with a local step on guide. You will see views of poet Henry Wadsworth Longfellow's boyhood home and sea captains' homes as we drive through historic neighborhoods overlooking the islands of Casco Bay. We stop at Portland Head Lighthouse then spend the afternoon enjoying lunch on your own and free time to explore downtown Portland. Next, we take a narrated cruise of Portland Harbor, Casco Bay, and picturesque Diamond Pass waterway. We sail past historic lighthouses, lobster boats, quaint villages, and islands dotted with Victorian cottages. Overnight same hotel.



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Day 5 - Pineland Farms – Boothbay Railway Village Museum

After an included breakfast, we take a tour of Pineland Farms, a beautiful rural landscape showcasing a working farm. Visit the Holstein Dairy Barn to see the award-winning dairy cows, watch cheese being made at the creamery, and admire the nationally ranked horses at the equestrian center. We'll stop at the Pineland Farms' Market before we leave to peruse their Maine-made gifts and gourmet foods. Our next stop is Boothbay Railway Village Museum, a recreated village of Maine from years gone by. Ride the rails behind a vintage steam locomotive and marvel at the antique automotive exhibit in this unique destination. Overnight same hotel.

Day 6 - Victoria Mansion – Bar Harbor, ME

After an included breakfast, we tour Victoria Mansion, an elegant home on the National Historical Register. With its spectacular architecture and exquisite original furnishings, it is known as the finest example of residential design from America's pre-Civil War era. We continue to the lovely seaside village of Bar Harbor. The combined beauty of the sea, mountains, lakes, and forests has made this area world-famous as a summer resort. While here, we will visit Acadia National Park, which has an unusual combination of ocean and mountain



scenery. Nowhere along the Atlantic is the coastline more picturesque than here. We overnight two nights in Bar Harbor.

Day 7 - Leisure Day in Bar Harbor

After an included breakfast, today will be at leisure to do whatever most appeals to you in Bar Harbor. Stroll along the historic Shore Path to admire the picturesque harbor filled with lobster boats and sailing vessels, indulge in fresh seafood at local restaurants, browse the unique boutiques and art galleries, or just immerse yourself in the laid-back coastal atmosphere of this popular northeastern town. Overnight same hotel.

Day 8 - L.L. Bean – Freeport Outlets, New Haven, CT

After an included breakfast, we stop in Freeport for lunch on our own and shopping. The charming town of Freeport is home to the L.L. Bean flagship store and 170 outlets and boutiques. We continue to our overnight accommodations in New Haven.

Day 9 - Hagerstown, MD

After an included breakfast, we retrace our steps through New York State, and New Jersey, back to Hagerstown to overnight.

Day 10 - Home

After an included breakfast, we travel back through Pennsylvania and West Virginia into our own beautiful "Bluegrass State."



Mississippi River Cruise

Return to the era of romantic riverboats on a grand adventure filled with entertainment, history, and the beauty of the Mississippi River.

July 9–12

4 Days	Tour #2025701
Double: \$1,264	Triple: \$1,194
Single: \$1,528	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 3B, 2L, 3D	

Day 1 - LeClaire, IA – Machine Shed Restaurant

Our motorcoach heads west through the fertile farmlands of Indiana and Illinois into Iowa. Tonight, we enjoy a delicious, included dinner at the fascinating Machine Shed Restaurant. We overnight in LeClaire.

Day 2 - Cruising the Mississippi River – LeClaire to Dubuque, IA

This morning, we take a step back in time we board the Riverboat Twilight, a stunningly recreated Victorian riverboat. Breakfast, lunch, and dinner are included on board, as well as a mid-morning and mid-afternoon snack. Our full-day boat cruise aboard the Twilight takes us through a variety of picturesque scenery. There are three decks with comfortable dining salons and sundecks with lounge chairs for those who wish to sightsee or snooze in the sun. You can browse the gift shop, play bingo, relax on the promenade deck, and enjoy the delightful folk entertainers on board. Our riverboat docks in Dubuque where we are transported to our hotel for our overnight accommodations.

Day 3 - Dubuque – Twilight Cruise

After an included breakfast, the morning will be free to enjoy optional activities in the Dubuque area. You can check out

the National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium, grab a coffee and shop in historic downtown or stroll the well-known riverwalk. Continuous shuttle transportation to many of the activities will depart from the main lobby of the hotel. At noon, we reboard the Twilight to retrace our route on the mighty Mississippi to LeClaire. Lunch, mid-afternoon snack, and dinner are served on the return trip. We overnight in LeClaire.

Day 4 - Home

After an included breakfast, we leave behind the river and board our motorcoach to head home, reveling in the history we have "relived."





California & the Great Southwest: Featuring Yosemite National Park

A land of movie stars, gold rushes, redwood forests, and astonishing beauty, California has captured the imagination of the world ever since Americans first trekked westward to this golden state. Come along as we tour this amazing state with stops at the Grand Canyon, Las Vegas and so much more along the way!

July 14–31

18 Days	Tour #2025702
Double: \$5,086	Triple: \$4,515
Single: \$7,172	Deposit: \$500
Included Meals: 13B	

Day 1 - Bryant, AR

We travel through Kentucky and Tennessee to Arkansas, with a stop at the Casey Jones Village. Overnight in Bryant.

Day 2 - Fort Worth Stockyards – Abilene, TX

After an included breakfast, we continue our way west into Texas, stopping at the historic Fort Worth Stockyards for shopping and sightseeing. Experience a taste of the Old West, including a live cattle drive, in this historic stockyard. We overnight in Abilene.

Day 3 - Alamogordo, NM

After an included breakfast, we make our way through New Mexico. We'll see why this state is called The Land of Enchantment, marveling at the vast landscapes and the beauty of the Sacramento Mountains. Overnight in Alamogordo.

Day 4 - White Sands National Park – Saguaro National Park – Tucson, AZ

After an included breakfast, we will visit a great natural wonder, the great wave-like dunes of gypsum sand found at White Sands National Park. After lunch on our own, we visit Saguaro National Park, a forest of stately saguaro cactus standing like sentinels guarding the desert floor. These majestic plants can live more than 200 years and grow

as tall as 30 to 40 feet. We have a chance to see these enormous cacti, silhouetted by the beauty of the magnificent surrounding desert. We overnight in Tucson.

Day 5 - Heritage Square – Palm Springs – Walk of the Stars – Los Angeles, CA

After an included breakfast, we will make a photo stop at Heritage Square in Phoenix to see some of the well-preserved Victorian homes once inhabited by the early settlers. Then it's on to Palm Springs, CA, where we'll see the Walk of Stars honoring the various celebrities, like Frank Sinatra, who lived and visited here. We continue to Los Angeles for the next two nights.



Day 6 - Warner Bros. Studio – Hollywood & Stars' Homes Tour

After an included breakfast, two very special things are on our agenda for today. Much of our morning will be spent at the fabled Warner Bros. Studio. In small groups, riding on special golf carts, we will tour this amazing complex of production facilities and costume shops, back lots, and much more. There is also time for lunch, shopping and browsing. This afternoon we take a narrated tour of Hollywood, where we will see many stars' homes, the Hollywood Walk of Fame, Sunset Strip, Grauman's Chinese Theater, the famous Hollywood sign, and equally famous Rodeo Drive. Overnight same hotel.

Day 7 - Solvang – Hearst Castle – Can Simeon, CA

Breakfast is included this morning. We leave L.A. this morning and spend some time in beautiful Solvang, an authentic Danish village. Solvang's windmills, thatched roofs and cobblestone streets make lunch and shopping here a very pleasant experience. This afternoon, newspaper magnate William Randolph Hearst's Castle overlooking the Pacific Ocean will garner our attention as we enjoy a guided tour of his estate. We overnight in nearby San Simeon.

Day 8 - Big Sur State Park – San Jose, CA

After an included breakfast, we head to Big Sur. Called "The Greatest Meeting of Land



& Sea," is a 90 mile stretch of rugged and awesomely beautiful coastline between Carmel to the north and San Simeon to the south. This morning will include a stop at Big Sur State Park, home of the magnificent redwood trees. After lunch on our own, we continue to our overnight accommodations in San Jose.

Day 9 - Old Sacramento – Railroad Museum – Merced, CA

After an included breakfast, we travel to California's capital city of Sacramento, where we will visit Old Town Sacramento. Go back in time as you walk along the boardwalk sidewalks for some lunch and shopping. This afternoon, we visit the California State Railroad Museum. We'll see restored locomotives and cars, some dating back to 1862, as we learn how the railroads shaped the culture and economy of the West. We continue to Merced, where we overnight two nights.

Day 10 - Yosemite National Park

We'll fuel up on an included breakfast for a big day at the incomparable Yosemite National Park. We'll take a guided tour through the park to see the wonders of the park including Yosemite Valley, Yosemite Falls, Half Dome and El Capitan, Bridalveil Fall, Tunnel View, the famous giant sequoias, wildlife, and more. Overnight same hotel.



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Day 11 - Treasure Island – Las Vegas, NV
After an included breakfast, we head to the shimmering, dazzling lights of Las Vegas, where we spend two nights at Treasure Island, located on the strip. Created on the desert floor, this amazing city that never sleeps is packed full of glamorous hotels and resorts. A ride after dark will allow us to see the famous strip in all its glittering glory.

Day 12 - Las Vegas Leisure Day
This morning, we visit the magnificent Hoover Dam, hailed as one of the greatest engineering feats of all time. Then it’s back to Las Vegas for a day on your own. Sleep late, then lounge by the pool, explore some of the magnificent, themed hotels along the Strip, go shopping, or schedule an optional show. Overnight same hotel.

Day 13 - Grand Canyon, AZ
This morning, we depart Vegas and we continue east to Grand Canyon National Park, riding along the rim of the canyon to take in the grandeur of this natural wonder. We overnight two nights in Grand Canyon.

Day 14 - Grand Canyon Leisure Day
Today, the powerful and inspiring landscape of the Grand Canyon will overwhelm our senses with its immense size and incredible beauty. We will spend the day at leisure taking park shuttles to see the things that most interest us. Overnight same hotel.



Day 15 - Painted Desert – Petrified Forest National Park – Albuquerque, NM
A great day of touring lies ahead as we travel through the Painted Desert to visit the unusual Petrified Forest National Park in northwestern Arizona. We overnight in Albuquerque.

Day 16 - Old Town Plaza – Amarillo, TX
After an included breakfast, we stop at Albuquerque’s historic Old Town Plaza for sightseeing, shopping, and lunch on our own. This area is about as close as you can get to Mexico, with adobe buildings full of authentic food and merchandise from south of the border. We travel to Amarillo where we overnight.

Day 17 - Oklahoma City Bombing National Memorial – Springfield, MO
After an included breakfast, we continue east through Oklahoma. We stop at the Oklahoma City Bombing National Memorial, created to honor those who were killed by the 1995 bombing of the Alfred P. Murrah Federal Building. We overnight in Springfield.

Day 18 - Home
After an included breakfast, we arrive home with many great memories and bucket list destinations checked off our list.



Mackinac Island & The Henry Ford Museum

Visit Michigan’s Mackinac Island, the “Bermuda of the North,” where no motorized vehicles are allowed - only bicycles and horse-drawn carriages. We’ll also experience the marvel of American ingenuity during a visit to The Henry Ford Museum.

August 4–9	
6 Days	Tour #2025801
Double: \$1,962	Triple: \$1,727
Single: \$2,779	Deposit: \$350
Included Meals: 3B, 1L, 1D	

Day 1 - Dearborn, MI
Our coach heads north into the “Great Lakes State” for our first overnight in Dearborn.

Day 2 - Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village – Frankenmuth, MI
After an included breakfast, we visit the Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation. Here, we discover the history of America through its appliances, furniture, transportation, agriculture, and more. In the living history museum of Greenfield Village, we will see a collection of buildings spanning more than 300 years of American history from Thomas Edison’s laboratory to the courthouse where Abraham Lincoln practiced law. We overnight in Frankenmuth. Dinner is included.

Day 3 - Mackinac Island – Grand Hotel
After an included breakfast, we drive to St. Ignace where we board the ferry that takes us to Mackinac Island. This afternoon, we stop at the revered Grand Hotel where we’ll enjoy its famous lunch buffet, with mouth-watering delights spread across 10 tables. Next, we will transfer to our hotel accommodations for the next two nights. The remainder of the day is at leisure.

Day 4 - Carriage Tour of the Island
We begin our day with a horse-drawn carriage tour of Mackinac Island, then

give you the rest of the day free to roam through the downtown shops, or maybe rent a bicycle for a ride around the island. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Bronner’s Christmas Wonderland
Enjoy some leisure time this morning in Mackinac before boarding the ferry that takes us back to the mainland. Back on the bus, we’ll drive across the Mighty Mac Bridge that connects Michigan’s Upper and Lower Peninsula. Back in Frankenmuth, we’ll visit Bronner’s Christmas Wonderland before checking into our hotel.

Day 6 - Home
After an included breakfast, we begin our journey home with many memories of the natural beauty of Mackinac Island.





Summer in the Adirondacks

Visit New York’s Central Adirondacks, the largest wilderness area east of the Mississippi, and learn rich history of these mountains with their countless stories about the rich and famous people who lived, worked, and played here.

August 11–16

6 Days	Tour #2025803
Double: \$1,795	Triple: \$1,653
Single: \$2,333	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 5B, 1L, 3D	

Day 1 - Hagerstown, MD

A day of travel takes us through the beautiful mountains of West Virginia into the “Old Line State” of Maryland, where we overnight in Hagerstown.

Day 2 - Historic Queensbury Hotel – Glen Falls, NY

After an included breakfast, we continue our journey north to New York’s Central Adirondacks. We check into the historic Victorian-style Queensbury Hotel, the centerpiece in downtown Glens Falls, for a three-night stay. Dinner is included at the hotel this evening.

Day 3 - Prospect Mountain – Barton Garnet Mine – Fort William Henry – Lake George Dinner Cruise

After an included breakfast, we traverse the five-mile memorial highway to the top of Prospect Mountain. At the summit, we’ll enjoy a boxed lunch and spectacular views of the Adirondacks and Lake George. Next, we’re off for a treasure hunt at Barton Garnet Mine, the oldest family-owned and operated mine in the United States with one of the world’s largest garnet deposits. A guide will take us into the garnet mine to learn more about geology, mining history, and present-day operations, then take some time collect

garnet rocks for rock gardens, or garnet gems that can be faceted for fine jewelry. Later this afternoon, we will tour Fort William Henry, the 1755 British fort featured in “The Last of the Mohicans.” This evening, we will enjoy an included dinner cruise on Lake George, offering scenic views of mountain wilderness and crystal-clear waters. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - Gilded Age Tour – Adirondack Experience Museum – Great Camp Sagamore – W.W. Durant Dinner Cruise

After an included breakfast, prepare yourself for the Gilded Age Tour! During the late 19th century before income tax, wealthy entrepreneurs such as Vanderbilt, Carnegie, J.P. Morgan, and Collis P. Huntington built



fabulous wilderness estates in the heart of the Adirondacks to rival the beach resorts of Newport. We’ll learn more about these homes and characters at the Adirondack Experience Museum then travel by motorcoach to the Vanderbilt’s Great Camp Sagamore in Raquette Lake. Built in 1897, this “camp” was far from rugged with 27 buildings that included a formal dining hall, bowling alley, and extensive workers’ complex occupied even through the harsh Adirondack winters. Tonight, we will enjoy



an exciting dinner cruise aboard the W.W. Durant, sailing by more Great Camps than anywhere else in the Adirondacks. Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Hagerstown, MD

After an included breakfast, we travel to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown.

Day 6 - Home

Our exciting tour comes to an end today as we arrive back in Kentucky.



It’s a Mystery to Me

Meet your tour director who is ready to answer any questions you may have about your tour, except one – your destination! There is no prying this surprise out of anyone, not even your driver! While we head west (or is it east, north, or south?) be prepared for five days of foot-stomping fun. So, pack a feeling of surprise and anticipation along with your luggage as we get ready to embark on a great adventure.

August 13–17

5 Days	Tour #2025802
Double: \$1,438	Triple: \$1,331
Single: \$1,843	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 4B, 1L, 4D	



Georgia on My Mind: Savannah, Jekyll Island & St Simons Island

Immerse yourself in the rich history, breathtaking landscapes, and vibrant culture of Georgia's iconic coastal cities. From pristine beaches to historic architecture, culinary delights, and vibrant arts scene, this tour promises an unforgettable experience.

September 8–14

7 Days	Tour #2025901
Double: \$1,812	Triple: \$1,622
Single: \$2,514	Deposit: \$350
Included Meals: 6B, 1L	

Day 1 - Forsyth, GA

We drive south through Tennessee to Forsyth where we overnight.

Day 2 - Jekyll Island

After an included breakfast, we continue to Jekyll Island, a barrier island of Georgia's Atlantic Coast. The island became the winter retreat for the rich and famous during the Gilded Age when the Jekyll Island Club bought the entire island for a playground. Our accommodations for the next two nights will be on the island.

Day 3 - Millionaire's Village Trolley Tour

This morning, we take a guided trolley tour through the historic area often referred to as Millionaire's Village to see how the Rockefellers, Pulitzers, Goulds, and Cranes lived and entertained during the Gilded Age. Our tour takes us through one of the cottages, the Mosaic Museum and to Faith Chapel, where we'll see an original Tiffany window. This afternoon is free to rent a bike, browse in the specialty shops, sit by the pool, lounge on the veranda, or return to Millionaire's Village for a stroll through this historic area. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - St. Simons Island – Savannah

An early departure from Jekyll Island takes us to St. Simons Island for a guided tour. We'll

learn about 400 years of history as we drive by points of interest including one of only three working lighthouses in Georgia; the site of the famous 1742 battle, Bloody Marsh, where the fate of the Southern Colonies was decided; Fort Frederica, the colonial town and fort settled by General James Edward Oglethorpe, and more. We 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 stroll through small village streets with time to shop in quaint stores filled with Southern handicrafts. We'll have time for lunch and shopping at St. Simons Village before departing for historic Savannah where we spend the next two nights.

Day 5 - Old Savannah Trolley Tour

After an included breakfast, we take a trolley tour of historic old Savannah. We'll learn about this charming southern city and its legends, see the bustling, cobblestone River Street in the city's historic Waterfront District and the old cotton warehouses converted into quaint shops. Lunch is included at a popular culinary stop in Savannah. This afternoon is free to browse the Waterfront and its many antique and specialty shops. Overnight same hotel.

Day 6 - Georgia Aquarium – World of Coca-Cola – Marietta, GA

After an included breakfast, we depart lovely Savannah for Atlanta. After lunch on our own, we visit the Georgia Aquarium, the nation's largest aquarium with over 100,000 animals including sharks, penguins, sea lions, beluga whales, and manta rays. Next, we visit the World of Coca-Cola learning about the story of the iconic brand through fascinating

exhibits and an eye-popping collection of memorabilia. Get a behind the scenes look at the bottling process and try Coca-Cola soft drinks from around the world in the tasting room. We overnight in Marietta.

Day 7 - Home

After an included breakfast, we reluctantly make our way home with memories of Georgia's charming cities and islands.





“Noah” the Musical and Pennsylvania Amish

Witness the story of Noah and his ark as the beloved production of “Noah” returns to Lancaster’s Sight & Sound Theatre. You’ll sit inside the Ark as the story unfolds and animals troupe past. Don’t miss this spectacle!

September 22–25

4 Days Tour #2025902
Double: \$1,032 Triple: \$949
Single: \$1,346 Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 3B, 1L, 1D
Shows: 1

Day 1 - Hagerstown, MD

Today, we leave Kentucky behind and travel through West Virginia and into the “Old Line State” of Maryland to overnight in Hagerstown.

Day 2 - Biblical Tabernacle – Kitchen Kettle Village – “Noah” the Musical – Amish Dinner

After an included breakfast, we depart for Lancaster and the heart of the Amish country. First, we visit the Biblical Tabernacle Experience, a full-sized reproduction of Moses’ Tabernacle in the Wilderness. Next, we stop at Kitchen Kettle Village for lunch on our own and shopping. You can watch the Amish ladies make jams and jellies on site, purchase delicious baked goods, and shop for locally made crafts and souvenir items to take home. Next, we’re off to the Sight & Sound Millennium Theatre to witness the classic story of “Noah.” The magnitude of this production is unbelievable. The 40-foot-tall Ark is constructed on the stage and the animals walk down the aisles of the theater to take their place on board. This drama is done as professionally as any Broadway show! This evening, we have included a delicious Amish dinner. We overnight in Lancaster.

Day 3 - Amish Farm & Home Museum – Countryside Tour – Hagerstown

After an included breakfast, we visit the Amish Farm & Home Museum. This museum tour will explore all the rooms of this 1805 farmhouse, once lived in by an Amish family. After an included lunch, we meet our local step on guide for a guided tour of the Amish countryside. Our expert guide will share with us the Amish history, culture, and traditions, as we pass by farms, schools, and historic buildings. Afterwards, we travel to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown.

Day 4 - Home

After an included breakfast, we return home with many inspiring memories from our trip to Pennsylvania.



Autumn in the Catskills and Hudson River Valley

Natural beauty, history and culture collide on this quintessential fall excursion to the Catskills and Hudson River Valley. Get a little taste of everything, from sports to architecture to foliage as we explore this beautiful region.

September 26 – October 2

7 Days Tour #2025903
Double: \$1,925 Triple: \$1,746
Single: \$2,594 Deposit: \$350
Included Meals: 6B, 2L, 1D

Day 1 - Hagerstown, MD

Our fall foliage adventure begins today as we travel through West Virginia and Maryland to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown.

Day 2 - Hershey’s Chocolate World – Albany, NY

After an included breakfast, we drive through the mountains of Eastern Pennsylvania, making a stop at Hershey’s Chocolate World. We take a ride through a simulated chocolate factory to learn how a cocoa bean becomes a chocolate bar. Afterwards, we can purchase delicious chocolates to take home. We continue to New York’s capital city of Albany, where we spend the next two nights.

Day 3 - National Baseball Hall of Fame – Cooperstown and Charlotte Valley Railroad – Fall Foliage Train Excursion

After an included breakfast, we visit the National Baseball Hall of Fame where we learn the history of baseball through photographs, artifacts, memorabilia, and interactive exhibits. After lunch on our own, we step aboard the vintage railcars of the Cooperstown and Charlotte Valley Railroad for a scenic ride through the Susquehanna River Valley’s farms, fields and forests bursting with colorful fall foliage. Overnight same hotel.

Day 4 - FDR Presidential Library & Museum – Rip Van Winkle Riverboat – Cruising the Hudson River

After an included breakfast, we step back in time as we tour the Franklin D. Roosevelt Presidential Library and Museum. The exhibits cover his childhood to his presidency, including the Depression and war years. This afternoon, we continue to Kingston, NY, for a narrated cruise of the scenic Hudson River. We’ll learn the fascinating history of the river as our guide points out sprawling mansions, lighthouses, wildlife, and quaint villages surrounded by vineyards and orchards. We overnight two nights in Poughkeepsie.



Day 5 - Vanderbilt Mansion – Walkway Over the Hudson

After an included breakfast, we start our morning with a tour of the Vanderbilt Mansion, the estate of Frederick and Louise Vanderbilt. This opulent 54-room mansion offers an authentic view of the wealth found in this area during the Gilded Age. Manicured gardens and breathtaking views of the Hudson River make this mansion tour an unforgettable experience. After an included lunch, we ride the glass elevator to the top of the Walkway Over the Hudson. The elevator will whisk us up 21 stories above the Hudson to be treated to panoramic views of the Catskills to the north and the Hudson Highlands to the south. Dinner is included this evening. Overnight same hotel.



Day 6 - Westpoint Military Academy – Hagerstown

After an included breakfast, we take a guided tour of the United States Military Academy. West Point’s role in our nation’s history dates to the Revolutionary War, when both sides realized the strategic importance of the commanding plateau on the west bank of the Hudson River. We will make stops at the Main Cadet Chapel, Trophy Point, and the Plain. Lunch is included at Thayer Hotel on the grounds. We continue to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown.

Day 7 - Home

After an included breakfast, we make our way homeward, remembering the beauty and historic sites of New York’s Hudson River Valley.



Branson and The Great Passion Play

An inspiring trip awaits you in the Ozarks, as the rugged mountains provide a beautiful backdrop for the story of Jesus in The Great Passion Play and many other entertaining musicals and shows.

October 6–10

5 Days	Tour #20251002
Double: \$1,275	Triple: \$1,194
Single: \$1,509	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 4B, 4D	
Shows: 6	

Day 1 - Lambert’s Cafe – Branson, MO

Today, we head west through Indiana and Illinois into the “Show Me State” of Missouri. This evening, we have included a delicious dinner at Lambert’s Café, famous for their “thrown rolls.” We continue to Branson, where we overnight.

Day 2 - Eureka Springs Historic Tour & Tram – Holy Land Tour – Christ of the Ozarks Statue – The Great Passion Play

After an included breakfast, we make our way through the Ozarks to charming Eureka Springs, AR. We’ll tour this historic downtown via tram, visiting Thorncrown Chapel, Christ of the Ozarks Statue, the Crescent Hotel, and the famous healing spring. Next, we visit an accurately reconstructed replica of the Holy Land featuring the Tabernacle in the Wilderness, Bethlehem Inn, the Nativity, and many other exhibits. Dinner is included before this evening’s awe-inspiring performance of The Great Passion Play, depicting the life, death, resurrection, and ascension of Jesus Christ. Overnight in Eureka Springs.

Day 3 - Old Downtown Branson – The Dutton Family – Pierce Arrow “Decades” Show

After an included breakfast, we depart our hotel and make our way back to Historic Downtown Branson for lunch on our own

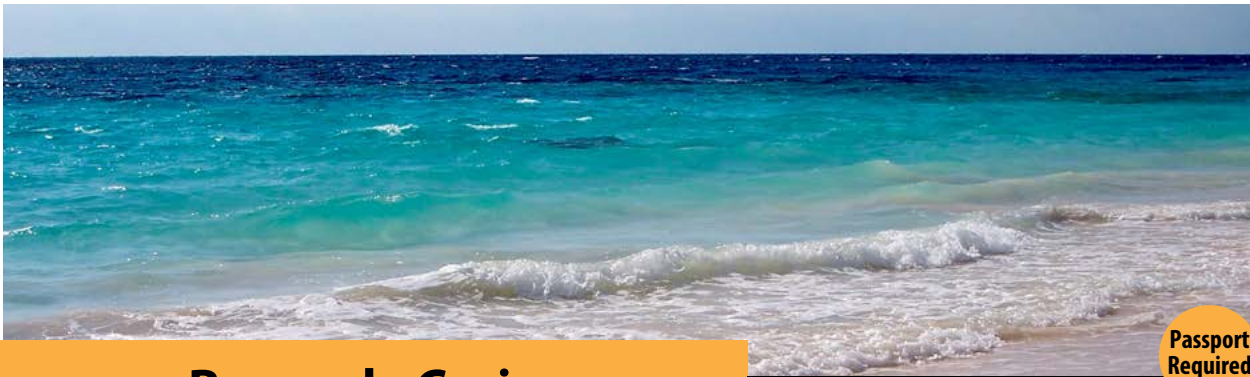
and pursuing the many shops, including Dick’s Old Time Five and Dime Store. Next, we will be entertained by The Dutton Family, a multi-talented family of entertainers who sing, dance, and play a huge collection of instruments. After an included dinner, it’s time for another show: The Pierce Arrow “Decades” Show, a musical journey through the 50’s, 60’s, 70’s, and 80’s with comedic appearances by “Elvis” and “James Brown.” We overnight two nights in Branson.

Day 4 - Clay Cooper – Showboat Branson Belle – The Haygoods

After an included breakfast, we will be entertained by Branson’s King of Country, Clay Cooper. His Country Express features 27 entertainers, spectacular visual effects, and a variety of music and comedy. Next, we set sail aboard the Showboat Branson Belle for dinner, followed by an exciting variety show. Afterwards, we head over to see The Haygoods who will entertain us with innovative choreography, incredible special effects and amazing performances on over 20 different instruments! Overnight same hotel.

Day 5 - Home

After an included breakfast, we depart this lovely Ozark Mountain area and begin our journey back to the Bluegrass State.



Bermuda Cruise

October 11-18

Passport
Required

Cruise to Bermuda and see sparkling blue waters, pink-sand beaches, and hibiscus blooms in front of pastel cottages. The self-governing British territory of Bermuda is a unique vacation destination that melds island living with proper English tradition.

8 Days	Tour #20251001
Double: \$2,068	Triple: \$2,010
Single: \$3,480	Deposit: \$500
Included Meals: 1B, all on-ship meals	

Early Booking Reminder: The Bermuda Cruise requires a very early reservation with payment due by April 11, 2025. Reservations after April 11, 2025, will be made on a space available basis at the rate available at the time of booking. Late bookings may have an increase in cruise costs, which Jefferson Tours and Charters cannot control.

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.

Day 1 - Charlottesville, VA

Feel the anticipation build as we board our motorcoach and travel to Charlottesville for our first overnight.

Day 2 - Norfolk, VA - Board Cruise Ship

After an included breakfast, we continue to Norfolk where we will transfer to our Carnival Sunshine cruise ship. We'll have the entire evening to get acquainted with our new home away from home.

Days 3 & 4 - Fun Leisure Days at Sea

Enjoy relaxing days dedicated to exploring

this majestic vessel. You can rise early to witness the sunrise across the beautiful Atlantic waters or perhaps sleep late before spending the day in your favorite way. The Promenade decks are a playground of theaters, lounges, boutiques, and restaurants. Lounge by the pool, visit the spa, soak in a first-class jacuzzi or try out one of the many active pursuits onboard. The ship is outfitted with a fully equipped gym, aerobics classes, personal trainers, court sports, and jogging tracks circling the ship.



When the sun sets, the action begins with shows, nightclubs and lounges providing entertainment throughout the ship.

Days 5 & 6 - Port of Call - King's Wharf, Bermuda

We'll dock at King's Wharf at Ireland Island, which has developed into a center of tourism with museums, shopping, and entertainment. Located at the tip of Bermuda's glittering archipelago of over 100 islets and cays, King's Wharf was made for lounging in the Gulf Stream's balmy subtropical climate. Sunbathing at pink-sand beaches, watersport activities in the crystal-

clear sea, the capital Hamilton and the UNESCO world heritage site St. George are among the main attractions.

Day 7 - Leisure 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 winds down.

Day 8 - Disembark Cruise - Home

Our journey ends as we cruise into Norfolk and disembark. We reboard our motorcoach and travel back home, reminiscing about the fantastic times we've enjoyed together on our marvelous cruise.





Chattanooga and the Tennessee Valley Railroad

Autumn transforms the Tennessee landscape into a brilliant tapestry of reds, oranges, and golds, and there's no better way to see it than by rail. Join us for a breathtaking journey through the Volunteer State complete with visits to iconic sites.

October 16–18

3 Days **Tour #20251003**
Double: \$865 **Triple:** \$804
Single: \$1,088 **Deposit:** \$250
Included Meals: 2B, 2D

Day 1 - Tennessee Aquarium – Chattanooga

“All aboard” our deluxe motorcoach as we head to picturesque Chattanooga, TN. Upon arrival, we'll visit the impressive Tennessee Aquarium, the world's largest freshwater life center with more than 10,000 marine animals. Tonight, we check into our hotel accommodations in Chattanooga. Dinner is included this evening.

Day 2 - Incline Railway – Lookout Mountain – Battles for Chattanooga – Mayor's Mansion Inn – Southern Belle Riverboat

After an included breakfast, we ride up “America's Most Amazing Mile” -- the Incline Railway up Lookout Mountain! As we ride up the mountain, we marvel at the sweeping panoramic view from the world's steepest passenger incline. Next, we visit Battles for Chattanooga, where we see an entertaining presentation on Chattanooga's role in the Civil War. This historical display uses the latest technology to bring to life the Battle of Chattanooga that sealed the fate of the Confederacy. This evening, we enjoy an included dinner at Mayor's Mansion Inn, an 1889 Victorian home. After dinner, we board the Southern Belle Riverboat for a sunset cruise on the Tennessee River. The

surrounding mountains and valleys paint the perfect backdrop for a sunset of vivid colors. Overnight same hotel.

Day 3 - Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum – Missionary Ridge Train Ride – Home

After an included breakfast, we visit the Tennessee Valley Railroad Museum, the largest operating historic railroad in the southeast. Founded in 1957, the TVRM has collected and restored many vintage railroad cars including a dining car, a pullman, and a mail car. We'll walk through these remarkable pieces of history then take a captivating journey aboard the Missionary Ridge Train. This 65-minute adventure offers a rich historical experience, traveling through the historic pre-Civil War Missionary Ridge Tunnel, a marvel of 19th century engineering. Afterwards, we depart Chattanooga and journey back to the Bluegrass State.



Indiana Amish

November 1

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

1 Day **Tour #20251104**
Cost: \$145 **Included Meals:** 1L

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 home-cooked lunch. We 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.



Ferdinand Christkindlmarkt

November 15

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

1 Day **Tour #20251102**
Cost: \$169 **Included Meals:** 1D

The beauty of an old-fashioned Christmas celebration awaits in the charming town of Ferdinand, IN. During the Christmas season in Germany, artisans would set up booths in front of the local church in a festival-style setting for shoppers to make their selections. Celebrating its German roots, Ferdinand carries on this 14th-century custom ever year. Enjoy a live Glockenspiel, Christmas caroling, samples of delectable foods, plus over 200 booths selling everything from arts and antiques to handmade treasures including woodcarvings, clothing, quilts, candles, jewelry, jams, baked goods, schnitzel, chocolates, and more. Dinner is included at the Schnitzelbank Restaurant, an Old-World German landmark in Jasper, IN.



Biltmore Candlelight Christmas

A candlelight Christmas celebrated in the palatial mansion of George Vanderbilt is an occasion to be treasured. This picturesque getaway to the Biltmore Estate is the perfect way to kick off the holiday season.

November 20–22	
3 Days	Tour #20251101
Double: \$828	Triple: \$793
Single: \$979	Deposit: \$250
Included Meals: 2B, 2D	

Day 1 - Biltmore House Candlelight Tour – Victorian Holiday Dinner

Today we travel to Asheville, NC, where we check into our hotel and head directly to the palatial Biltmore Estate. We start with a Victorian holiday dinner at the Stable Café then head to the Biltmore House for a candlelit tour. A short drive takes us to the home’s main entrance 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 - Asheville – Trolley Tour – Antler Hill Village & Winery

After an included breakfast, we take a narrated trolley tour of Asheville, the history and must-see points of interest in this city of surprises. Next, we return to Biltmore Estate to explore the gardens and Antler Hill Village. We’ll have time for shopping, exploring, and viewing the historical exhibits here, or choose an optional visit to the Biltmore Winery. Dinner is included this evening.

Day 3 - Home

After an included breakfast, we return home from our experience into an era of opulence and grandeur.



Clifton Mill Christmas Lights & La Comedia Dinner Theatre

Experience an old-fashioned Christmas as we discover the charming small towns, quaint villages and rural suburbs of Greene County, Ohio. We’ll see the twinkling lights at Clifton Mill, one of the most impressive light displays in the nation, and enjoy great food, theater and fellowship to get us in the holiday spirit.

December 3–4	
2 Days	Tour #20251201
Double: \$477	Triple: \$458
Single: \$557	Deposit: \$200
Included Meals: 1B, 2L	
Shows: 1	

Day 1 - Golden Lamb Restaurant – Lebanon, OH – Clifton Mill Christmas Lights – Santa Museum

We start our journey with included lunch at the historic Golden Lamb Restaurant, a tavern built in 1803 that has hosted over a dozen U.S. presidents, from John Quincy Adams to George W. Bush. After lunch, we will have time for shopping in Lebanon’s antique and specialty stores before heading to our hotel in Dayton, OH. This evening, we’ll drive to Clifton Mill to take in one of the nation’s finest Christmas lights display. Millions of lights illuminate the mill, the riverbanks, trees, and bridges, transforming the night into a winter wonderland. Enjoy free time to visit the Santa Museum with over 3,000 Santa Claus figures on display ranging

from the new to the very old and odd.

Day 2 - Esther Price Candy Shop – La Comedia Dinner Theatre – Home

After an included breakfast, we visit the beloved Esther Price Candies, where we can buy loved ones (or ourselves!) some sweet Christmas gifts. Next, we head to the La Comedia Dinner Theatre for an included lunch and a lively and engaging show, “Scrooge: The Musical.” This timeless adaptation of “A Christmas Carol” provides a heartwarming journey through time as Scrooge is visited by the ghosts of Christmas Past, Present and Future. After the show, we make our way back home, with warm thoughts of Christmases past and the hopes of Christmases yet to come.





Christmas Musical Experience: Lancaster, PA

Experience a magical, musical Christmas celebration in the heart of Pennsylvania’s Amish Country. Take in delightful, festive musicals, get a taste of old-time Christmas and the origin of the holiday itself, and enjoy plenty of holiday cheer to kick off the season.

December 9–12	
4 Days	Tour #20251203
Double: \$1,019	Triple: \$941
Single: \$1,320	Deposit: \$300
Included Meals: 3B, 1L, 1D	
Shows: 2	

Day 1 - Hagerstown, MD

Today, we leave Kentucky behind and travel through West Virginia and into the “Old Line State” of Maryland to overnight in Hagerstown.

Day 2 - National Christmas Center – Kitchen Kettle Village – Dutch Apple Dinner Theater

After an included breakfast, we travel to the heart of the Amish country in Lancaster, PA. Our first stop is the National Christmas Center, where we view a wide array of treasures from Christmases past including replicated buildings that depict the streets of Columbia, PA, as they were in the 1950’s. See vintage Christmas decorations and toys, towns and over 1,000 nativities and Santa figures from around the world. Next, we stop at Kitchen Kettle Village where you can enjoy lunch on your own, watch Amish ladies make jams and jellies on site, purchase delicious baked goods, and shop for local crafts and souvenir items to take home. This evening, we attend a delightful show, “Irvin Berlin’s Holiday Inn,” at Dutch Apple Dinner Theater. We overnight in Lancaster.

Day 3 - American Music Theater – Biblical Tabernacle –Hagerstown

After an included breakfast, we head to Lancaster’s famous American Music Theater

for a fabulous Christmas show, “Deck the Halls.” Singers, dancers, and an orchestra perform favorite Christmas songs in a feel-good holiday spectacular that celebrates the magic and meaning of this special time of the year. After an included lunch, we next visit the Biblical Tabernacle Experience, a full-sized reproduction of Moses’ Tabernacle in the Wilderness. Afterwards, we travel to our overnight accommodations in Hagerstown.

Day 4 - Home

After an included breakfast, we return home full of Christmas spirit.



Christmas Travel Show & Luncheon: Huber’s Orchard & Winery

Note: Full payment must be received within 10 days of making your reservation. You will receive an itinerary reconfirming your departure and return times approx. two weeks prior to departure.

December 13	
1 Day	Tour #20251202
Cost: \$84	Included Meals: 1L

Gather your friends and family to celebrate with Jefferson Tours and Charters at this special year-end event that marks the end of the 2025 travel year and reveals the exciting things in store for 2026. We will enjoy a delicious buffet luncheon and live entertainment at Huber’s Orchard and Winery. There will be door prizes and free tours raffled, plus special discounts for tour reservations made at the luncheon. Free transportation provided from Louisville, Frankfort, Lexington, and Clarksville, IN areas.



GENERAL INFORMATION & TOUR CONDITIONS

Please read carefully before reserving a tour.
Your reservation constitutes acceptance of our policies.

TOUR COST INCLUDES: A trip with Jefferson Tours and Charters includes transportation (one seat per person), lodging, local guides, entry and admission fees for all sightseeing, dining room tips for meals included in the itinerary, and the services of a professional Motorcoach Driver and Tour Director. **Prices are per person, based on double occupancy.** All tour prices are based on rates known at the time our catalog is printed and are expected to be in effect at the time of departure. They are subject to increase if such rates change prior to departure.

NOT INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR COST: Meals and tips other than those specified in the itinerary, valet and laundry service, phone calls, room service, alcoholic beverages, and items of a personal nature are not included. Gratuities for local step on guides and the Tour Director and Driver are not included. A recommended gratuity is \$6 per day, per passenger for the Tour Director and \$6 per day, per passenger for the Driver. Gratuities should be extended on an individual basis, not as a group.

Gratuities for international tour and cruises are **not** included. You will be given guidelines for recommended tipping in your final documents for all international tours and cruises.

RESERVATIONS: We encourage you to make reservations as early as possible. A limited number of people can be accommodated on our motorcoaches. In addition, hotel reservations and ticketing are finalized 90, 60, or 30 days prior to the dates of service.

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: Tour bookings are normally finalized 45 days prior to departure, with a few exceptions. There are some tours that can accommodate additional passengers after they have been finalized, and we will do our best to add you. 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 that Jefferson Tours and Charters cannot control, including flights, hotels, cruises, and event ticketing. Should these prices increase, all information will be made available to the client and Jefferson Tours and Charters will receive client approval prior to payment.

ROOMMATES: Each person making a reservation is responsible for finding their own roommate. Please inform us if you have a roommate when making your reservation. Travelers without a designated roommate will be billed at the single rate. If either you or Jefferson Tours and Charters 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 charge you the additional cost since the hotels make no allowances. If you prefer to have the privacy of your own room, you may reserve a room at the single rate. **NOTE: The single rate does not include two seats on the motorcoach. When the motorcoach is at full capacity, a single traveler will be seated with another passenger.**

PICK UP LOCATIONS: For your convenience, we pick up for our tours at the Jefferson Tours and Charters office in Louisville; Radisson Hotel in Clarksville, IN; Walmart in Frankfort; and Marriott Griffin Gate Resort in Lexington. 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.

LUGGAGE: 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 before arriving at your pick-up location. Please note that due to limited storage space, we are unable to accept luggage that exceeds that specified size or weight limitation. 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 bag must remain in your possession while traveling.

Please note: Although every precaution will be taken to protect your belongings, Jefferson Tours and Charters cannot accept responsibility for loss or damage to baggage or belongings. We strongly recommend that you ensure your baggage before leaving home. Also, please note that concealed weapons, or weapons of any kind are not allowed on the motorcoach or in the luggage compartments.

SAFETY MEASURES: The health and safety of our passengers and staff members is priority number one. We use the strictest measures possible to create a hygienic, safe, and comfortable environment for our passengers, include disinfecting and sanitizing areas of frequent contact such as handholds, restroom areas, armrests, entry areas, and surfaces in all vehicles during and after trips.

PHYSICAL DISABILITIES: Any disability requiring special attention or treatment, or hotel accommodations, should be reported to Jefferson Tours and Charters 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 Jefferson Tours and Charters. Passengers intending to bring a foldable wheelchair or walker should notify Jefferson Tours and Charters at least 24 hours prior to departure. Unfortunately, the driver and tour guide are 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. **Note: Some of our tours include attractions at high elevations; please consult your physician about possible health effects.**

SEAT ASSIGNMENT POLICY: All motorcoach tours have assigned seating to guarantee you have the same seat throughout the duration of your trip. The tour director will hand out a seating chart on the first day of the tour with a specific seat number, which will be yours for the entire tour. Your personal belongings can remain overhead or underneath the seat. We will fill the motorcoach from the front to the back, in the order in which the reservations were received. If sitting near other members of your group is important, please mention it when you make your reservation. We will make every attempt to seat your group together. **Please note: The single rate does not include two seats on the motorcoach. When the motorcoach is at full capacity, a single traveler will be seated with another passenger. We are unable to reserve sections of the motorcoach for special needs such as motion sickness. We recommend that you make your reservation early to secure a seat which might alleviate this issue.**

ITINERARY CHANGES: Jefferson Tours and Charters reserves the right to change or modify any itinerary to provide a smooth operation and ensure a successful tour. Should an attraction become unavailable at any time, we will substitute one of equal or better value. Occasionally, an attraction will be changed for the sole purpose of improving the tour.

PROOF OF U.S. CITIZENSHIP:

Photo I.D., such as a driver's license, is required on every tour.

For international tours, including Canada, a valid passport is required. A driver's license is no longer acceptable to enter Canada. Grandparents traveling into Canada with children must bring notarized written documentation of permission from custodial parent.

Real I.D. – Beginning May 7, 2025, every air traveler 18 years of age and older will need a REAL I.D. compliant driver's license or identification card, state-issued enhanced driver's license, or another TSA-acceptable form of identification at airport security checkpoints for domestic air travel. A REAL I.D. can be obtained at your local DMV.

WAITING LISTS: We take waiting lists on all tours, since we do have frequent cancellations. All vacancies will be filled, as soon as possible, from the waiting list in the 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 used in selecting accommodations. We maintain tight quality control on all our lodging accommodations so that your overnight stays will be an enjoyable part of your tour. Please note that most hotels have implemented a 100% non-smoking environment and charge a cleaning fee for smoking in a nonsmoking room. We will submit special requests to the hotel but we cannot guarantee the hotel will honor these requests.



CANCELLATION POLICY & TRAVEL INSURANCE

CANCELLATION POLICY: We understand that uncontrollable circumstances require passengers to cancel tours. If cancellation does become necessary, the following policies apply to those circumstances:

- 1) Jefferson Tours and Charters will charge any non-recoverable expenditures made on behalf of the participant at the time of cancellation. Non-recoverable expenditures include: pre-purchased tickets, meals, hotels, and any other expenses that are non-refundable to Jefferson Tours and Charters.
- 2) If a passenger cancels less than ten (10) business days prior to departure, or does not show up for the tour, no refund will be made to the passenger.
- 3) Airline, cruise, or train tour refunds are subject to the policies of the conveyance.
- 4) In addition to any non-recoverable expenditure, a \$10 per-person handling fee will be charged to cover processing fees. Reimbursements to credit cards are subject to card fees and deducted from amounts due to a passenger.
- 5) Travelers who miss any pre-paid meals or attractions while on tour, for any reason, are not eligible for a refund.
- 6) If a refund is issued, a refund will be made via company check or credit card within 30 days. This will allow time to audit all prepaid costs of the tour. (See policy four (4) for fees charged.) If you have not received your refund 30 days from the return date of the tour, please call our office.
- 7) When Jefferson Tours and Charters cancels a tour for capacity issues, our travelers may choose to transfer their deposit to another tour or receive a full credit or refund. (See policy six (6) for refund policies).
- 8) Neither party shall be liable for any failure or delay in performance under this Agreement to the extent said failure or delay is caused by conditions beyond its control, including but not limited to: Acts of God; governmental restrictions and/or regulations; war or apparent act of war; terrorism or apparent act of terrorism; disaster; civil disorder, disturbance, and/or riots; curtailment, suspension, and/or restriction on transportation facilities/means of transportation; performance failures of parties outside the control of the contracting parties; pandemics; strikes; or any other emergency making it inadvisable, illegal, impracticable or impossible, to perform any specific tour under this Agreement.

Jefferson Tours and Charters reserves the right to replace a tour under the above stipulations with a tour equal to or greater than the original if such an event occurs.

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

TRAVEL INSURANCE: Jefferson Tours and Charters is committed to protecting your health, property, and trip investment. While it doesn't happen frequently, sometimes passengers need to return home before a tour is complete. In these cases, travel insurance protects you from the experience of paying for return home transportation, hotel accommodations, food and medical costs, should you need it, out of your own pocket. We partner with Arch RoamRight to offer travel protection that can provide peace of mind during your time away.

Many of Arch RoamRight's travel protection plans offer benefits such as:

- Trip cancellation and interruption benefits
- Lost and delayed baggage benefits
- Possible waiver of the pre-existing conditions exclusion when conditions are met
- Emergency accident and sickness medical coverage
- Medical evacuation coverage

If you choose to forgo travel insurance, please understand that Jefferson Tours and Charters will not be held liable for your expenses and will not compensate you if you are detained from traveling at any point of your trip, including at the start or any point in between. Also be aware that your personal insurance may not be accepted in some parts of the country, or in foreign countries like Canada, where we occasionally travel. If you choose not to purchase travel insurance, please note that you will be required to sign our Travel Insurance Waiver Form. This waiver must be signed and returned to our office representatives before your tour commences.

Scan to learn more



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HELPFUL TRAVEL TIPS

WHEN TO BOOK To help us avoid canceling tours prematurely, please book as soon as possible. We make 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 book as soon as possible. Waiting too late increases the chance of cancellation due to lack of passengers.

WHAT TO PACK We suggest that you travel as light as possible. Casual attire in wash-and-wear fabrics travel best. Dress-up clothes are necessary only for specific occasions listed in the itinerary. Don't forget your umbrella and/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.

MEDICATIONS If you are taking prescription medicines, be sure to bring enough to last the duration of the tour as often it is difficult to fill a prescription on the road. We highly recommend that you carry all medications in your purse, pocket, or in your carry-on, not in your large suitcase. We suggest keeping a list of all medications you are currently taking in your possession in case of an emergency. Please note, our motorcoaches are not equipped to store medications that require refrigeration.

GROUP COURTESIES Please be mindful of your fellow passengers and our staff. Group travel is a wonderful alternative to individual travel, and 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.*



“ We made lots of new friends and everyone got along. We became family. This was my husband’s first trip and, based on this one, we will be back!
– Karen

“ Had a great tour guide and bus driver! They kept our trip on schedule, informative, fun, and entertaining. They were both professional, friendly, and helpful. I highly recommend!!!
– Jama

“ We always enjoy trips with Jefferson Tours & Charters!
– Diana

“ Best trip I’ve ever taken. Was so scared to take a bus, now I only want to take a bus!
– Mary

“ This was my first experience riding a coach bus. The driver was absolutely amazing - very professional and engaging with all the passengers. Most importantly, transporting passengers safely was the number one priority along with ensuring each passenger had the best experience.
– Freddie

“ Amazing 16-day trip out west. This was our first bus trip, certainly will not be our last. We made so many new friends who became family on day one. Look forward to traveling with our friends & Jefferson Tours again.
– Julie

“ The overall experience was amazing. Thanks for everything!
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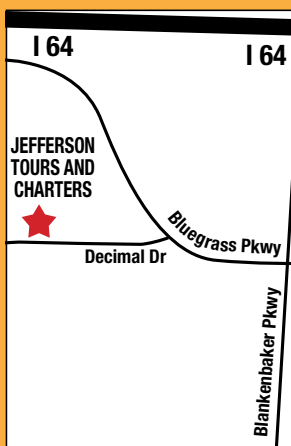
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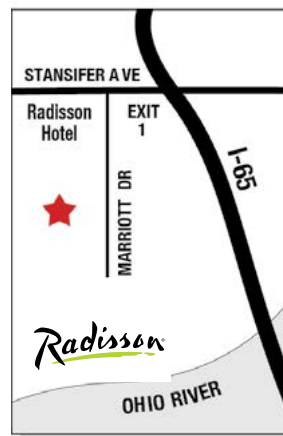


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