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Hello Travelers!

We enjoyed traveling the World with you in 2023! Enclosed you will find the new 2024 tour catalog. We have added lots of great tours for you to try! If you have any questions, please call our office. We are happy to speak with you.

Here are some frequently asked questions: How do I need to sign up for a tour?

We recommend that you call to sign up for a tour as soon as you see it listed! Some tours sell out quickly! It is easy to sign up for a tour by calling our office at the number listed above or mailing in the registration form in the back of this catalog. First come, first served on tour sign ups. Please note that most shows, hotels and restaurants require 30 -45 days-notice regarding group DAY tours. OVERNIGHT tours require a minimum of 65 days-notice to the attractions and/ or rooming lists reported. We *may* be able to add you to a tour inside of that time frame IF the tour is not sold out.

Who travels with us? - We do our best to arrange great affordable tours for anyone who desires to travel. People of all ages travel with us.

Will I get a tour confirmation letter? - Once you have signed up for a tour your confirmation packet will arrive approximately 2 weeks prior to the tour departure date. This package will have the time of departure, directions to the pickup point, receipt, names of hotels and specific tour information such as what to wear or special things you may want to bring with you on that tour.

Do you offer travel protection? - We offer travel protection for overnight tours for an additional rate. Please call the office for details.

Please take a moment to read the **Terms and Conditions** in the back of this catalog. If you have questions please give us a call and we will be happy to speak with you.

Our catalog is available online at www.LTbus.com

Please call our office to sign up for our email blast for special tours and information. This family-owned business began in 1991 and continues to grow because of travelers like you! Thank you for traveling with us!

Happy Travels!

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THE HIGH MUSEUM OF ART January 25, 2024 (Thursday)

A day of Art. We travel to downtown Atlanta for a relaxing day of museum exploration. Take your time and explore the High Museum of Art at your own pace with self-guided admission. Lunch is included in the area. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: The High Museum of Art Selfguided Tour
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$119.50 (Pay in full.)

WORLD OF COCA-COLA February 1, 2024 (Thursday)

Coca-Cola was born at a soda fountain in Atlanta way back in 1886. Come along with us to the World Of Coca-Cola to explore the history of this International Cola. Taste soda samples from around the world and enjoy the exhibits on your self-guided tour. Of course, we will have lunch in the area. Come along and leave the city driving to us. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: World Of Coca-Cola
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$109.50 (Pay in full.)



VALENTINE'S DINNER TRAIN

February 10, 2024 (Saturday)

Join us for a relaxing train ride through Chattanooga with a fabulous supper on a vintage dining car of the Tennessee Valley Railroad. The 4-course dining experience and the lovely atmosphere are great! Everyone says the food is delicious. This tour sells out early! You will select your entrée of (sample):*Carved English Roast of Beef topped with a Madeira Sauce, *Herb Roasted Stuffed Breast of Chicken with a Cumberland Sauce, or *Crusted Filet of Salmon with a Roasted Sweet Red Bell Pepper Sauce. Other savory items include tomato bisque with creme fraiche and chives, homemade mashed potatoes, seasoned green beans, and assorted bread and butter. Menu subject to change. Call by JANUARY 19TH, 2024 to be sure that you get a seat on the bus and the train. All aboard for fun!

INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: Train Ride
- MEALS: 1D (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$199.50 (Pay in full.)

FERNBANK MUSEUM OF NATURAL HISTORY

February 20, 2024 (Tuesday)

Today we tour a beautiful museum to discover dinosaurs, live animals, amazing places, ancient fossils, prehistoric cultures and new science discoveries. While there, we will see the Giant Screen Theater and then go to lunch at a local restaurant. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: Fernbank Museum (Self-guided Tour), large format Film
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$129.50 (Pay in full.)

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A DAY IN ANOTHER CITY

February 22, 2024 (Thursday)

Join us for a day in downtown Chattanooga, TN. There will be time for lunch, or shopping, or the IMAX or Aquarium, or Ruby Falls on your own. We provide the transportation and you do the rest. We recommend making advance reservations. We depart at 8AM from Emerson and return at 6PM. The day is up to you or just come along for the ride. **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- PER PERSON: \$79.50 (Pay in full.)

MYSTERY TOUR

February 24, 2024 (Saturday)

It's a perfect time of year to go somewhere... Where are we going? We know but we won't tell! There will be lunch! That's all we will say. **INCLUDES:**



- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- **MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)**
- **ADMISSION: Something Somewhere**
- PER PERSON: \$119.50 (Pay in full.)

GIBBS GARDENS DAY TOUR

March 9, 2024 (Saturday)

Join us for a day at the beautiful Gibbs Gardens. Lunch will be a boxed lunch. There should be hundreds of daffodils at this time of year. The garden is beautiful at any time of the year. NO TRAM AVAILABLE AT THE GARDEN AT THIS TIME. **This tour has a lot of walking on an incline. ** INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- **ADMISSION: Gibbs Gardens**
- MEALS: 1 BXD L (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$112.50 (Pay in full.)

CULINARY DELIGHTS MYSTERY *OVERNIGHT* TOUR

March 15-16, 2024 (Friday-Saturday)

It's a mystery! We will not tell you where we are going but we can say there will be food! Join us for an adventure! Elizabethe says this is a great tour! This tour will sell out quickly and the signup deadline is Feb. 5, 2024. INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- **LODGING: (1) NIGHT LODGING**
- **ADMISSIONS: TO BE DISCOVERED**
- MEALS: 1B, 2L (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150) \$479.50 DOUBLE \$589.50 SINGLE

ZOO ATLANTA

March 23, 2024 (Saturday)

Elephants, Zebras, and Tigers, Oh my! There are so many animals to see at Zoo Atlanta. Put on those walking shoes and let's go see some animals. **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: ZOO ATLANTA SELF-**GUIDED TOUR**
- **MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)**
- PER PERSON: \$119.50 (Pay in full.)

STATE BOTANICAL GARDEN OF GEORGIA AT THE UNIVERSITY OF GEORGIA March 28, 2024 (Thursday)

Join us for a guided garden tour of the UGA Botanical Gardens. There will be lunch in the area. This tour has some walking and is rain or shine! Come along, you might learn new things! **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- **ATTRACTION: Guided Garden Tour**
- **MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)**
- PER PERSON: \$99.50 (Pay in full.)

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COASTAL GEORGIA

April 3-5, 2024 (Wednesday-Friday) Sign up deadline Feb. 12TH, 2024

We will stop in Savannah on River St. for some "on our own" time for watching the boats, shopping and supper. Then it is on to our hotel in Brunswick, GA to overnight. Day two finds us on Jekyll Island during the day. Walk the beach, explore the shops or take a self-guided tour of the turtle rehabilitation center (on your own). The motorcoach will do shuttles around the Island. Is that an alligator? Friday finds us in the Okefenokee Swamp on the Waycross, GA side! Yes, we explore the swamp in the morning before departing for home. There is so much to see and learn on this tour. Come along and enjoy the view!

INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: (2) NIGHTS LODGING
- ADMISSIONS: Okefenokee Swamp Waycross, GA, Free time on River St. in Savannah, Free time in Jekyll Island
- MEALS: 1B, 1D (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150)\$549.50 DOUBLE \$719.50 SINGLE

Happy Birthday?

If you are considering a gift for a friend why not a gift certificate for an adventure with Leisure Time!

It makes for a great gift!

GRAND OLE OPRY AND PAULA DEAN'S RESTAURANT

April 13-14, 2024 (Saturday-Sunday)

Join us for a Grand Ole Opry Saturday night. We will stay at the wonderful Gaylord Opryland Resort Hotel. Be sure to take a stroll in the beautiful indoor garden. There will be supper at the famous Paula Dean's Restaurant before we head to our reserved seats at The Grand Ole Opry.

Breakfast is on your own before we head back to the Opry House for a backstage tour. We will have lunch on our own and shopping time at the



mall before we return back to GA. Please note that all the Nashville tours sell out fast so call to sign up today. *Final registration deadline is February 9, 2024*. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: ONE (1) NIGHT
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS: The Grand Ole Opry; Opry House backstage tour.
- MEALS: 1D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150) \$439.50 DOUBLE \$519.50 SINGLE

WILD ANIMAL SAFARI April 20, 2024 (Saturday)

Calling all adventure travelers! Let's go check out the Wild Animals at Wild Animal Safari! We will get off of our bus and get onto a "Zebra" bus. We will be able to feed a variety of animals including bison! There will also be time to walk through the "walk about Zoo" as well. Lunch will be included in the tour. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: Ride through Wild Animal Safari with 1 cup of animal food.
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$129.50 (Pay in full.)

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A BILTMORE EXPERIENCE April 25-26, 2024 (Thursday-Friday)

Enjoy the view as we travel to Asheville for the night. Once we check into the hotel there will be supper in the area. There is no luggage handling for this tour. Day two finds us on the grounds of The Biltmore Estate. There will be an audio tour of the house and a delicious lunch at the Stable Café included. After lunch there will be a short time to explore the grounds before we depart for GA. Come along and enjoy a beautiful tour.

<u>Final registration deadline is March 12, 2024</u>. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: ONE (1) NIGHT
- ADMISSIONS: The Biltmore Estate Audio tour.
- MEALS: 1L & 1D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150)
 \$435.50 DOUBLE
 \$525.50 SINGLE

HILLS AND DALES May 23, 2024 (Thursday)

Today we visit a beautiful estate in LaGrange, GA. The centerpiece of the estate is a beautiful Italian Villa, designed by the noted architects Hentz and Reid. The gardens have been preserved by two generations of the Callaway Family. We will have lunch before our visit and guided tours of the house and garden. This is a lovely tour and includes some walking of uneven ground and stairs.

INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ADMISSION: Hills and Dales Guided Tour
- MEALS: 1Boxed Lunch (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$129.50 (Pay in full.)

MYSTERY TOUR May 25, 2024 (Saturday)

Join us for a Mystery Saturday! You never know where we might go on a Mystery Tour. Come along and see where the day takes you. You *might* see a good view. One thing is for sure, there will be food. Hop on the bus and enjoy the mystery adventure. **INCLUDES**:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- MEAL: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$119.50 (Pay in full.)

BILOXI, NEW ORLEANS, & PLANTATION TOUR WITH CAJUN SWAMP BOAT RIDE

MAY 27-30, 2024

(Monday-Thursday)

Join us as we travel to Biloxi for some fun and gaming time at Beau Rivage Casino. On Day two we travel into Louisiana for some Cajun fun! We will overnight in New Orleans for the next two nights! There will be Plantation mansion tours and lunch at a beautiful Plantation. We will learn about life in the swamp from the boat with a knowledgeable guide. The boat tour is always interesting and we are sure to see many animals along the way. Enjoy plenty of free time in New Orleans to explore, on your own. Brunch is included at the famous Court of Two Sisters The last morning, we return to GA Restaurant. after breakfast. This tour sells out fast so sign up right away if you wish to visit Cajun Country! INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: THREE (3) NIGHT'S LODGING
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- MEALS: 3B, 2L (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- ADMISSIONS: Oak Alley Plantation Tour, & Cajun Swamp Tour
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150) \$919.50 DOUBLE \$1,199.50 SINGLE

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NIAGARA FALLS, CANADA June 3-8, 2024

(Monday-Saturday)

Niagara Falls * Niagara City Cruises* Journey Behind the Falls * Butterfly House * Horseshoe Falls * Skylon Tower *Henry Ford Museum OR Greenfield Village * <u>Please register early</u>.



Join us for some breath-taking views on this tour to the Canadian side of Niagara Falls. Once there, we will be drive to see *The Floral Clock*, and the beautiful gardens in and around *The Butterfly Conservatory*! Enjoy the view from lunch at the Skylon Tower in the rotating restaurant. There will be time to explore the Niagara Falls area on your own. Feel how strong the water is when we take a ride to the base of the *Horseshoe Falls* on the famous *Niagara City Cruises*. Take a trip inside of the Falls with a walk into *Journey Behind The Falls*. There are several areas where you can reach out and almost touch the water.

NIAGARA FALLS, CANADA CONTINUED...

One of the stops on the tour is the *Kentucky's Artisan Center at Berea* (if available) with its myriad offerings of artisans' works. The Henry Ford Museum OR Greenfield Village are not to be missed! You have to see this Museum to believe it. There is everything from cars to housewares. **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- FIVE (5) NIGHTS LODGING (2 Nights in Ohio and 3 nights in Canada)
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- MEALS: 5CB; 2L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- ADMISSIONS: Boat ride to the bottom of the Falls (Niagara City Cruises); Journey Behind the Falls; Butterfly Conservatory at Niagara Falls; Henry Ford Museum OR Greenfield Village
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$500) \$1,239.50 DOUBLE \$1,629.50 SINGLE

A PASSPORT IS REQUIRED FOR THE NIAGARA FALLS TOUR!

LANE PACKING June 13, 2024 (Thursday)

This tour takes us to Lane Packing for some fruit shopping. Lane is famous for their Strawberries and Peaches. There is plenty of room in the bus to bring home all your purchases. Lunch will be "on your own" but ice cream is included. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION: Shopping at Lane Packing
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$79.50 (Pay in full.)

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UNCLAIMED BAGGAGEJune 15, 2024 (Saturday)

The Lost Luggage Store is a one-of-a-kind store snuggled in the foothills of the Appalachian Mountains and bordered by the 70,000 acre Lake Guntersville. Over one million items pass through the store annually.

pass through the store annually. Maybe you can find a treasure for a bargain price. We will have lunch at a local restaurant today. **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- VISIT TO LOST LUGGAGE STORE
- MEALS: 1L at a local restaurant
- PER PERSON: \$124.50 (Pay in full)

ATLANTA HISTORY MUSEUM June 18, 2024 (Tuesday)

This Museum is full of fun, educational artifacts about Atlanta and is home to the Cyclorama now as well. We will spend a couple hours here for your self-guided tour. Lunch will be in the area. **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION: The Atlanta History Museum (self-guided tour)
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$126.50 (Pay in full.)

BUS FACTS:

We have 28, 55, & 56 passenger Prevost and MCI and other motorcoaches.

All coaches have a restroom, DVD players, and some are handicap (ADA) accessible.

Please be sure to mention if you require an ADA coach at the time of tour sign up.

HARRAH'S CHEROKEE CASINO

June 20-21, 2024 (Thursday-Friday)

Join us for an overnight of gaming at Harrah's Cherokee Casino. Relax and enjoy the ride to the casino. Game at your own pace with no rush to be anywhere! You must agree to release some personal information to the casino (name, address, birth date). You will need to provide your Ceasar's Reward Card number upon tour sign-up. We will be staying at the casino hotel. All meals are on your own at the Casino. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- \$20 FREE PLAY VOUCHER (APPLIES TO PRE-EXISTING CAESAR REWARDS MEMBERS ONLY. This is subject to change by the casino.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$75.00) \$239.50 DOUBLE \$299.50 SINGLE

GA AQUARIUM July 9, 2024 (Tuesday)

The GA Aquarium is home to many species of animals. We spend several hours at the Aquarium with an added "Behind The Scenes" tour. Lunch will be a chicken tender lunch voucher in the Aquarium Café. INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION: GA Aquarium self-guided
- MEALS: 1L voucher at the Aquarium
- PER PERSON: \$134.50 (Pay in full.)



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We partner with Collette to offer these International Tours to our clients.

CANADIAN ROCKIES AND GLACIER NATIONAL PARK JULY 21-27, 2024 7 DAYS* 10 MEALS



Rates change after Jan. 24, 2024
Please call the office for a detailed brochure on this tour.

CULINARY DELIGHTS MYSTERY OVERNIGHT TOUR August 1-2, 2024

(Thursday-Friday)

It's a mystery! We will not tell you where we are going but we can say there will be food! This is a wonderful mystery overnight! Join us for an adventure! Come along and see where it leads you...INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: (1) NIGHT LODGING
- ADMISSIONS: TO BE DISCOVERED
- MEALS: 1B, 2L (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$150) \$479.50 DOUBLE \$589.50 SINGLE

MYSTERY DAY TOUR August 10, 2024 (Saturday)

Where are we going? We will never tell. Hop on the bus for this unique Day Tour. Lunch is included. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION:
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$129.50 (Pay in full.)

THE ARK EXPERIENCE August 13-15, 2024 (Tuesday-Thursday)



The Ark Encounter offers an experience like no other. Put on your walking shoes, we will spend a full day at The Ark for you to explore the 510 ft. long, 85 ft. wide and 51 ft. high massive structure, the petting zoo and Visitors Center. Take in the buffet lunch with a voucher from the Ark. Supper is included at Hofbrauhaus German Restaurant with the Bavarian King group menu. INCLUDES:

ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH

- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: TWO (2) NIGHTS
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS: The Ark
- MEALS: 2CB, 1L, 1D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$200) \$ 524.50 DOUBLE \$ 699.50 SINGLE

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CRYSTAL RIVER/ MANATEE TOUR August 27-29, 2024

(Tuesday-Thursday)

Anytime is a great time to head to Florida and see the amazing Manatees. You don't have to get wet to have fun and enjoy the view. In Crystal River,

FL we can watch the animals in their natural habitat. We will stay at the Plantation on Crystal River and take their boat out for a scenic river cruise to see the manatees up



close. Once you cruise the river if you wish to snorkel with these incredible animals, then you can come back to the dock, grab a wetsuit and set off for another amazing experience. Please see below as there is an additional cost to snorkel after the scenic boat. There will also be wonderful food, small town shopping and time to relax by the water. Breakfast and one supper will be at the hotel and another supper will be at a great local restaurant.

INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: TWO (2) NIGHTS
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS: Scenic boat cruise
- MEALS: 3B, 2D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$250) \$619.50 DOUBLE \$784.50 SINGLE

Please Note: Snorkeling is NOT included in the tour.



However, you MAY be able to add it on directly to the boat company during your tour for an additional fee.

MACKINAC ISLAND, FRANKENMUTH, SOO LOCKS

September 9-14, 2024 (Monday-Saturday)

This six-day tour is full of beautiful scenery. We will spend our first night in Ohio before heading on to Mackinac City where we will board the ferry for a short but interesting cruise across the Straits of Mackinac to the wonderfully fascinating Discover the beauty of Mackinac Island. Michigan with its beautiful Mackinac Island horse drawn wagons. We will have lunch at the Grand Hotel and sit in the rocking chairs on the The Grand Hotel's Front Porch is the world's largest at 660 feet. The Grand Hotel is where the movie Somewhere in Time was filmed. We journey to the quaint village of Frankenmuth with its Bavarian charm. Shop at Bronner's, the world's largest Christmas store. Cruise the famous Soo Locks for a unique experience.

INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- FIVE (5) NIGHTS LODGING (We will not be staying on Mackinac Island, but we will be staying 2 nights at the same motel in Mackinac City.)
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- MEALS: 3CB, 1L (1 at the Grand Hotel), 2D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- ADMISSIONS: Mackinac Island Carriage Tour; Round Trip Ferry to Mackinac Island; Mackinac including the carriage taxi to Grand Hotel; Carriage Taxi to downtown Mackinac; Soo Locks Excursion Tour
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$250) \$1,324.54 DOUBLE \$1,793.33 SINGLE

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CIRCLE KENTUCKY

FROM BASEBALL BATS TO BOURBON WITH CASTLES AND HORSES, & MORE... September, 2024

There is a lot to see in beautiful Kentucky. Castles, Baseball Bats, Horses, History, Bourbon... and so much more. This tour has something for everyone to enjoy. Come along and enjoy the mountain view!



INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: LODGING
- ADMISSIONS: TO BE ANNOUNCED
- MEALS: B, 1L, 2D (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$250)
- PRICE ANNOUNCED IN NEXT CATALOG!
- CALL TO BE ON THE TOUR INFORMATION LIST.



GRAND OLE OPRY BIRTHDAY

October 4-6, 2024 (Friday-Sunday)



Happy Birthday to the Grand Ole Opry! Hop on the bus for a party y'all! We start off with the Goo Goo Cluster store and the Johnny Cash Museum before we check into Gaylord Opryland Resort. Dinner is on your own tonight at the hotel. Day two begins with a backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry House. There will be lunch and shopping time "on your own" at Opry Mills Mall. Tonight we dine in the Rainforest at the Rainforest Café before our reserved seats at the World Famous Grand Ole Opry Birthday Celebration. Different artists show up for the Birthday show so you never know who might appear on stage that night. Day 3 finds us at the Ryman Auditorium (original home of the Opry) for a backstage tour of the historic building. Free time for lunch on your own before we tour the Parthenon. This beautiful replica 9is something to see. The statue of Athena will amaze you! Then we head home with great memories of our fantastic time in Nashville. Come along and join the fun! This tour sells out fast. INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: (2) NIGHT'S LODGING
- ADMISSIONS: Johnny Cash Museum, Backstage tour of Opry House and Ryman Auditorium, & The Parthenon
- MEALS: 1D (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$250) \$ 897.50 DOUBLE \$1,069.50 SINGLE

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COLORADO

October 13-23, 2024 (Sunday-Wednesday)

Let's go to Colorado! Day one and two are travel days with stops along the way. Day 3 we arrive in Colorado Springs for a four-night stay. Dinner tonight is at the Edelweiss. For 30 years, this family spot has offered authentic German cuisine in a cozy Bavarian setting. There are also some American and continental selections on the menu. Day 4 - Pikes Peak Cog Railway - Garden of the Gods - Chuckwagon Dinner & Western Show The morning features a round trip ride on the Pikes Peak Cog Railway. This 8.9 miles long ride begins along Ruxton Creek in Englemann Canyon. Then you pass Minnehaha Falls and through a natural gateway known as Hells Gate, past Lake Moraine and Mount Almagre before climbing above the timberline. You will spend 20-30 minutes at the 14,110 foot summit. From here, on a clear day, you can see the skyscrapers of downtown Denver and the Great Plains to the east. This afternoon you will visit the famous Garden of the Gods. Filled with dramatic view of 300' towering rock formations against a backdrop of snow-capped peaks and blue skies. The visitor's center is the most visited attraction in the region featuring a great movie titled, "How Did Those Red Rocks Get There?" Tonight you visit a real working cattle ranch that also entertains tourists. You'll enjoy the picturesque setting, authentic Western Town and a tasty Chuckwagon Supper. Following dinner, top off the evening with an outstanding Western Stage Show underneath a star filled Colorado Sky. Day 5 - USAF Academy (as available) - Denver Tour - Morning sightseeing features the USAF Academy (as available). At the Visitors Center you'll see displays about the Academy and a movie on Cadet life. There will also be time to walk to the Cadet Chapel. Next you motor into Denver for an afternoon of sightseeing. This City is almost like two different towns. While she is very much a thriving metropolis she still

sports a lot of old west character. You'll drive past the the elegant Victorian homes on Larimer Square including the mansion of "Unsinkable Molly Brown." . You'll see the Gold Domed State Capitol and drive amongst the towering skyscrapers set against the backdrop of the Rocky Mountains. Returning to Colorado Springs you enjoy dinner this evening at a local restaurant. Day 6 - Royal Gorge - Today we enjoy a visit to the Royal Gorge often called the Grand Canyon of the Arkansas River. The Royal Gorge Bridge is one of the worlds tallest suspension bridges, a sight so incredible that a park for tourists has grown around it. Your admission ticket will allow you to ride the aerial tram and the Carousel and Silver Rock Railway. You'll also have a chance to walk across the Bridge, do the Cliff Walk, see live music shows, shop for souvenirs and more. Dinner tonight is at the Stagecoach Inn. Here you'll have a choice of entrees that includes Buffalo. Day 7 -Olympic Training Center - Departure Before departing Colorado Springs today we visit the U.S, Olympic Training Center. Here you will see a narrative film, then tour the training facilities, visit the Olympic Hall of Fame and finally the Olympic Spirit Store. Day 9- Cripple Creek, CO, Day 10-Oklahoma City area, Day 11 -Fort Smith, AR -Day 12 -Big Horn, MS area - Day 13 - Travel Home This is a fantastic tour with lots of added things that are not listed in the write up. Come along for the adventure! **Please note that due to the higher altitudes of this tour it may cause altitude sickness and / or breathing issues. **

INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: TEN (10) NIGHT'S LODGING
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS: Listed Above.
- MEALS: 9 CB, 1L, 4D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$850)
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TN AMISH & HISTORIC FRANKLIN, TN

October 26-27, 2024 (Saturday-Sunday)

Let's travel to Etheridge, TN to visit an Amish

community. There will be a local lunch before we board the wagons that take us to the Amish farms. Candies, soaps, cutting boards, porch swings, vegetables, bird houses and more *might* be available for purchase *on your own* from the farms. After our Amish adventure



we will overnight in Franklin, TN. On day 2 we



travel into downtown historic Franklin to discover the rich history of the area with a guided tour. You will hear stories of the characters of the area from famous Artists to the Civil War. We have shopping time and lunch in the area before returning to GA.

Elizabethe says that this is a great tour! **INCLUDES:**

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: ONE (1) NIGHT
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS; Wagon Ride to Amish homes, Step-on Guided Tour in Franklin, TN
- MEALS: 1CB, 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$250)
 \$339.50 DOUBLE \$455.00 SINGLE

DAHLONEGA, GA October 29, 2024 (Tuesday)

The leaves should be beautiful in Dahlonega! This is a day of great food and shopping in the square. Come along and enjoy your time in this unique town. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION: Shopping on your own.
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: \$124.50 (Pay in full.)

COLUMBUS, GA November 5, 2024 (Tuesday)

The Coca-Cola Space and Science Center is a great museum Join us for a day of space exploration. Take a ride in a simulator. Maybe try some Astronaut Ice Cream (on your own). Lunch will be at a local restaurant in the area. INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- ATTRACTION: Shopping on your own.
- MEALS: 1L (Including taxes and gratuities.)
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Treasures of Europe London to Rome November 7-20, 2024 INTERNATIONAL TOURS

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Your tour opens in London, England's sophisticated capital. Join your fellow travelers during a welcome dinner at a popular local restaurant. <u>Day 2</u>: Start your morning on a tour of the quintessential sights of London. Alongside a local guide, see the Tower of London, Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace, Big Ben and the Houses of Parliament. The remainder of the day is yours. Take advantage of free time to explore this iconic city on your own. <u>Day 3</u>: Venture inside St. Pancras' railway station – a masterpiece of Victorian engineering – and board the high-speed Eurostar train. Relax in style as you're whisked away to Paris, the "City of Light." *This evening,*

enjoy views of the Eiffel Tower as you gently float down the Seine River, tasting savory French cuisine on a dinner cruise. Day 4: This morning, it's your choice! See Paris at its best during a panoramic city tour featuring views of the endangered Notre Dame Cathedral, Arc de Triomphe, Champs-Élysées and more -OR- step



into the shoes of a local and navigate Le Métro on your way to the hilltop neighborhood of Montmartre and its iconic Sacré-Cœur basilica. Enjoy an afternoon on your own to explore Paris independently. Then, experience Paris' nightlife during an optional dinner at the dynamic Paradis Latin for a champagne-flowing, can-can kicking, music-driven night at the cabaret. Day 5: Board the TGV* - France's high-speed train - depart Paris and make your way to Basel. Take in the scenery on your iourney into Switzerland, passing gentle hills and verdant fields. Then, enjoy views of Alpine lakes and snowcapped mountains as you transfer to the quaint village of Andermatt, nestled in the Ursern Valley. **Day 6**: Explore Lucerne, the "Swiss Paradise on the Lake". Upon arrival, set out on a walk through its romantic Altstadt (Old Town), passing through Lucerne's iconic covered Chapel Bridge. During free time, seek out the renowned Lion Monument commemorating the heroic Swiss Guard or visit the Alpineum museum dedicated to alpine landscape painting. Perhaps, you'll embark on an optional excursion to Mount Pilatus, ascending the world's steepest railway on a

panoramic gondola to the summit. Return to Andermatt in the late afternoon for an evening at leisure. Day 7: Travel south through the pastoral landscapes of Switzerland. Crossing into Italy, traverse through the heart of the **Alps**, taking in vistas of rugged mountains as far as the eye can see. In the early evening, settle in for a 2-night stay in Mestre, situated on the Venetian mainland. Day 8: Cruise to the island of Murano, renowned for its age-old glassblowing tradition. After leaving Murano, embark on a walking tour of Venice, a collection of 117 tiny islands surrounded by a latticework of 150 canals and 400 bridges. In this floating city, see the Clock Tower, St. Mark's Basilica, and marble palaces along boat-filled canals. The afternoon is yours to explore the hidden secrets of this charming city. Perhaps you will take an optional gondola ride through the narrow waterways (on your own). Day 9: Traverse the Po River Valley en route to **Tuscany**. Stop at a vineyard in the heart of the Chianti region and enjoy a tour, tasting, and traditional bites. Continue to Florence, where you'll spend 2 nights in the "Cradle of the Renaissance," home to masterpieces of art and iconic symbols of centuries-old history. Day 10: On a full day walking tour, explore Florence, the legendary city of the Medici and the iconic Duomo. You'll also visit the Galleria dell'Accademia, home to Michelangelo's David. Day 11: Say arriverderci to Florence and journey to Rome, Italy's capital city. Upon arrival, a panoramic tour allows you to discover famous sights such as the Baths of Caracalla, the legendary Aventine and Palatine hills, the ancient Circus Maximus, and views of the majestic Colosseum. The evening is yours. Perhaps you will join an optional food tour and taste your way around Rome's bohemian Trastevere district. Day 12: Start your morning with a tour of the Vatican Museums and St. Peter's Basilica. Explore Papal palaces, halls and galleries housing priceless statuary from classical Greece and Rome. Admire the Gallery of Maps and works by great Renaissance masters such as Perugino, Botticelli, Ghirlandaio. In the Sistine Chapel, marvel at Michelangelo's frescoed ceiling and brilliant Last Judgement. Enjoy an afternoon at leisure in the Eternal City. Tonight, toast the end of an epic journey through Europe at a farewell dinner paired with local musical entertainment. Day 13: Depart for home. Post and pretrip stays are available for an additional cost. Sign up early for discounts! Leisure Time transports the group to and from the airport.

COST PER PERSON: \$6,248.00 DOUBLE \$7,548.00 SINGLE

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SAN ANTONIO CHRISTMAS December 16-21, 2024

(Monday-Saturday)

We are traveling to Texas to see the Christmas lights and enjoy some Texas fun. We depart here on Monday and overnight in Biloxi, MS. This area

is beautifully decorated for Christmas.

On Tuesday, we continue our travels into San Antonio, where we will spend the



next three nights at a hotel on the river walk. While in San Antonio, we will visit the river walk, see



The Alamo, have and some free time for exploring. You will the enjoy history and beauty of this lovely Texas Visit town.

the chain of missions that were built in the 18th Century, along the San Antonio River. This was the greatest concentration of Catholic missions in North

America. Of course, there will be lights, lights and more lights. Once we leave San Antonio, we will overnight in



Louisiana on the way home.

SAN ANTONIO CHRISTMAS CONT.. INCLUDES:

- ROUND TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- LODGING: FIVE (5) NIGHT'S LODGING
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- ADMISSIONS: Step on Guide to the San Antonio, Donation to The Alamo and Missions
- MEALS: 3B, 1L, 1D (Including all taxes and gratuities.)
- PER PERSON: (Deposit \$500)
- CALL THE OFFICE TO ADD YOUR NAME TO THE INFORMATION LIST. THE COST OF THIS TOUR AFTER MARCH 1, 2024.





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COSTA RICA DECEMBER 9-17, 2024 (Monday-Tuesday)

<u>Tour Highlights</u>: San Jose, Coffee Plantation, Arenal Volcano, Cano Negro Refuge, Lake



Arenal Cruise, Farm Tour and Lunch, & Monteverde Cloud Fore

Day 1: - San Jose, Costa Rica - Your trip to Costa Rica opens in the colorful capital city of San Jose, the perfect place to relax and soak up the sights as your adventure begins. <u>Day 2</u>: San Jose - Coffee Plantation - Arenal Springs Resort & Spa Welcome to the Central Valley. Begin with a tour of a local coffee plantation highlighting the history and cultivation of this driver of the Costa Rican economy. This afternoon, check in for a leisurely 3-night stay at a lodge overlooking the majestic Arenal Volcano. Get to know the Costa Rican culture this evening. Day 3: Arenal - Cano Negro -Arenal- Embark on a Cano Negro guided riverboat trip in a covered canoe known as a panga. These 20,000 acres are home to the largest viewable collection of indigenous wildlife in all of Costa Rica. Go in search of caimans, river otters, sloths, monkeys, river turtles, exotic birds and rare butterflies. Later, return to Arenal for the chance to relax during an optional spa visit. Day 4: Arenal - Breakfast & Lunch Arenal Springs Resort & SpaToday, explore a family-

owned farm, getting a peek into the daily lives of the locals. During a tour of the gardens, learn how the plants are organically grown through the concept of sustainability. The farm considers itself a "classroom without borders." Taste the exotic fruit harvest and experience the traditional way to process sugar cane. Enjoy a sip of cane liquor before engaging in a culinary demonstration and a farm-to-table lunch. Day 5: Arenal - Lake Arenal Cruise - Monteverde -Breakfast & Dinner El Establo. Enjoy a delightful cruise on Lake Arenal, Costa Rica's largest and most important lake. Then, it's off to the secluded Monteverde Cloud Forest, a place you have to see to believe, where trees grow to heights of 100 feet! Set off on a nature walk through this spectacular ecosystem, where you're sure to encounter many incredible species of flora and fauna. Day 6: Monteverde - Breakfast & Dinner El Establo It's your choice! Explore one of the world's largest butterfly gardens. Then, join an expert for a leisurely paced "Hanging Bridges" walking tour to gain a different perspective of the cloud forest's lush ecosystem -OR- take an exhilarating ride on one of the longest canopy zip line tours in Costa Rica. If you would like to do both the hanging bridges and the zip line tour, you may purchase the second as an option on tour. **Day 7**: **Monteverde** – Guanacaste Breakfast & Dinner Nammbu Beachfront Bungalows. Today we make our way to breathtaking Guanacaste, known for its fine sandy beaches. Settle in for a relaxing 2-night stay at your resort and take in the mesmerizing ocean views. Day 8: Guanacaste Breakfast & Dinner Nammbu Beachfront Bungalows. Fun in the sun is in store today as you explore the nearby beaches, or simply relax by the pool and take advantage of your resort's lovely amenities. This afternoon, visit the delightful beach town of Samara. Day 9: Guanacaste - Tour Ends after Breakfast.

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ICELAND'S MAGICAL NORTHERN LIGHTS January 11-17, 2025



You're on your way to Iceland, a land and culture forged by fire and ice. Where steaming lava fields and massive glaciers sculpt mountains and valleys, leaving thundering waterfalls and plunging fjords. In this land of many natural wonders, enjoy the rare opportunity to search for the aurora borealis — one of nature's most dazzling light displays, also known as the northern lights. Day 2: Your tour opens in Reykjavík, Iceland's capital city. This afternoon, get acquainted with old town Reykjavík with a local guide on a walking tour featuring the harbor, city hall, the Parliament building. and the nearby cathedral, dating back to 1796. Gather with your fellow travelers at a popular restaurant for dinner featuring Icelandic cuisine. This evening, take an exhilarating northern lights cruise and sail into the darkness of Faxaflói Bay in search of the aurora borealis. Day 3: Travel the Golden Circle to experience natural wonders, including the explosive Geysir thermal area and the double-cascade Gullfoss waterfall. You'll also experience the famous Thingvellir National Park, where you'll stand upon the crest of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge. In the afternoon, stop at the Lava Exhibition Center and delve into Iceland's past and present volcanic eruptions. Afterward, witness Seljalandsfoss, a rushing waterfall where you may walk behind the water for unique views from the inside out. Next, continue onto Vík. Drive or venture on foot into the stillness of rural Iceland in search of the northern lights. You'll enjoy three nights of searching to increase your likelihood of catching a glimpse of these elusive lights. Day 4: Begin your day with journey to Reynisfjara, a volcanic sandy beach surrounded by basalt formations and home to thousands of nesting sea birds. Look out over the natural rock formations at Dyrhólaey, a small peninsula of volcanic origin towering over the ocean. Next, visit the Skógar Museum and discover its turf-built homes and artifacts. Afterward, stand in awe before the impressive Skógafoss waterfall, one of Iceland's biggest and most beautiful waterfalls. Cap off your day with a visit to Sólheimajökull Glacier, Iceland's fourth largest glacier. After dinner, gaze at the sky in search of the northern lights. Day 5: Travel through Skaftefell National Park, gateway to Vatnajökull Glacier known for having Iceland's highest mountains and Europe's largest ice cap. Travel to Jökulsárlón glacial lagoon, filled with floating icebergs. Explore this extraordinary landscape and search for seals swimming in cold waters. After dinner, continue searching for the northern lights dancing across the night sky. Day 6: Drive along the south shore towards the Reykjanes Peninsula. Known for its rugged landscape, lava fields, and numerous hot springs, the peninsula is home to the Blue Lagoon. Take a dip in the warm, mineral-rich waters of the geothermal pool, located in the heart of a dramatic lava field. Return to Reykjavík for your farewell dinner and overnight stay. Day 7: Depart for home with wonderful memories of incredible views.

COST PER PERSON:

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Netherlands, Belgium & France featuring the Keukenhof Tulip Gardens **April 5-16, 2025**

Tour Itinerary: From iconic Dutch windmills and cozy Belgian streets to the world-renowned Champagne region and the "City of Light," experience the essence of three European countries. Connect with deeply rooted cultures as you make your way through the Netherlands, Belgium, and France. Day 2: Narrow canals, stone bridges, and bike-brimmed lanes - this is Amsterdam, the lively starting point of your journey. Check into your hotel, located in the heart of the city center and your home for the next three nights. Day 3: Get a taste of the local flavors and meet your fellow travelers at a welcome dinner. See the city the way it's meant to be seen - by canal on a private boat. Cruise under sloping bridges and pass by classic Dutch houses. Continue discovering Amsterdam on a walking tour with a local guide. Complete your day with an Impact Moment at "A Beautiful Mess" - a restaurant that helps refugees find independence in the Dutch community. Be united by food and enjoy locally sourced, environmentally conscious ingredients over dinner with your inspiring hosts. Day 4: This morning, explore the world-famous Keukenhof Gardens, featuring acres of tranquil ponds, shaded paths, and more than 7 million tulips and other flowers on exhibit. Return to Amsterdam in the mid-afternoon for an evening at leisure. Day 5: Today, it's your choice as you visit Holland's storied windmills. Perhaps you'll stroll along the winding paths and venture inside of a working windmill -OR- bike alongside a local guide through Dutch landscapes. No matter what you choose, take in the wind, water, and open spaces that make Dutch history come to life in Kinderdijk (UNESCO). End your day in storybook Bruges, your home for the next two nights. Day 6: Wander the cobblestone streets of Bruges and get familiar with this cozy Belgian town on a walking tour with a local guide this morning. Taste Belgian chocolate and learn about the intricate craft of lace making. After an afternoon at leisure, cheers to the day with a visit to a local brewery where you'll taste Belgium's most classic beverage. Continue tasting your way across local cuisines and enjoy dinner on your own. Day 7: Traverse the Flanders with a local expert. Witness the stars and stripes raised over the graves of the valiant soldiers who gave their lives on the Western Front during the First World War inspiring John McCrae's poem, "In Flanders Fields." Settle into your city-centric boutique hotel before tasting your way through French cuisines during a five-course tasting paired with a glass of champagne. Day 8: Uncover

the city's Celtic roots and Gothic architecture during a guided walking tour in Reims. Step into the cathedral of Notre-Dame de Reims and gaze up at a sea of colorful stained glass. Cityscapes give way to vineyard rows as you make your way along the Route du Champagne. Learn all about this world-famous artisan production during a tour and tasting at a nearby maison du champagne. Enjoy your afternoon and evening at leisure. Day 9: Make your way to the French capital this morning. Pause in Meaux – the capital of the famous brie cheese. Learn about the artisanal production methods and aging process from a local cheese enthusiast before sampling some for yourself. Say bonjour to Paris this afternoon and learn the secrets of perfume making during a hands-on workshop led by an expert perfumer, affectionately referred to as "Nez" (Nose). Explore your new neighborhood – your new home for the next three nights - until the sun fades and the "City of Light" debuts its sparkling grandeur. Enjoy your evening at leisure. Day Start your day alongside your Tour Manager wandering through one of the most popular quarters of Paris – Le Marais. This neighborhood is famous for oldworld charm, narrow cobblestone streets, hidden courtyards, and tranquil gardens among a vibrant Jewish community. Enter the kitchen of an authentic Parisian bakery to see the workspace and learn the history behind how these bakers make their delicious bread. Explore Paris as you please this afternoon. Perhaps you'll take a stroll through the Tuileries Garden or elegant Place Vendôme displaying jewelry and high fashion. Experience Paris' nightlife during an optional dinner at the dynamic Paradis Latin cabaret show, featuring champagne, can-can dancers, and endless excitement. Day 11: Be romanced by Paris – today is yours for the taking. Perhaps you'd rather witness authentic royalty on an optional excursion to the Royal Palace of Versailles. From the prominent Hall of Mirrors to the opulent bedchamber of the queen, take in the palace's most famous sights with your local guide before returning to Paris. End the day with an exclusive dinner at the Eiffel Tower, featuring French cuisine and breathtaking views. Day 12: Depart for home. Tour includes: * Round-trip Airfare * Cancellation Waiver and Insurance * Transportation to/from the Atlanta Airport.

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Shades of Ireland May 22-31, 2025 (Tuesday-Saturday)

From history-filled Dublin to the rolling green hills and dramatic coast, experience Ireland's charms on a journey through the Emerald Isle. Choose how you explore the city of Dublin. Kiss the Blarney Stone at historic Blarney Castle. See Killarney from an Irish jaunting car and pick from a selection of the best restaurants in town with our Diner's Choice program. Experience the worldfamous beauty of the Ring of Kerry. See border collies in action during a traditional sheepdog demonstration. Stand in awe at the top of the stunning 700-foot Cliffs of Moher. Feel like royalty during an overnight stay on the grounds of a castle. A vibrant blend of captivating culture and stunning scenery, these are the shades of Ireland you've always imagined.

Your Tour Includes:

- 5 Handpicked Accommodations
- 13 Meals
- 4 Choice on Tour Options

Must-See Inclusions:

- Jump into Ireland's vibrant capital city Dublin.
- Stand in awe of the stunning 700-foothigh Cliffs of Moher.
- Kiss the famed Blarney Stone at Blarney Castle.

Cultural Experiences:

- Overnight on the grounds of a stately castle.
- Experience the Ring of Kerry, one of the world's great coastal roads.
- See Irish sheepdogs in action during a traditional demonstration.

Culinary Inclusions:

- Enjoy a hearty dinner and night of traditional Irish entertainment.
- Taste the "water of life" during an Irish whiskey tasting.
- Settle in for an elegant dinner at a castle.

Tour Highlights: Dublin* Irish Evening * Choice on Tour: Dublin City Bus or Walking Tour * Kilkenny * Waterford * Choice on Tour: Waterford Crystal Factory or Waterford Medieval Museum and Wine Vault* Blarney Castle * Killarney * Jaunting Car Ride * Ring of Kerry * Limerick * Cliffs of Moher * Sheepdog Demonstration * Galway * Castle Stay

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THE MAGNIFICENT MID-WEST TOUR August 12-28, 2025 (Tuesday-Thursday)

We are off to visit the "Old West" and our beautiful National Parks. This trip is what bucket lists are made of. It all starts when we travel to St. Louis for the night. We will be so close to the St. Louis Arch, that we will take a stroll through the museum before we go into those interesting elevators for our view from the top of the Arch.

After we check out the Arch view we will travel back down and watch a great movie about how this amazing structure was formed and placed where it stands today. After all this, we rest as we travel toward our next destination. Each days finds us somewhere new, experiencing such unique places along the way, such as the Pony Express Museum in St. Joe, MO. Here we learn the



story of the first mail system on horseback. While in town we visit the Pattee Museum. This is an incredible Museum! There is everything from a light bulb and camera exhibit to old cars and there are way too many unique exhibits to mention here.

Jesse James' house is connected to the Pattee Museum, hear the story of this outlaw and see some of the famous artifacts. He was shot by his friend as he adjusted a picture on the wall in this little house. Next it is on to the Corn Palace! For more than 100 years



this building has been full of corn art. redesigned each year. We take a tour and check out the many designs of years before. This is one big bird feeder! (We overnight in Mitchell, SD.) Traveling on, we come across The Dignity Statue. She is 50 ft. tall and makes for a nice place for a picnic lunch on our way to the Badlands National Park. Keep your eyes open for mountain goats, prairie dogs, and maybe even a bison or two as we cruise through the Badlands on our way to Wall Drug for supper (on your own). We will overnight in Rapid City, SD for the next two nights. Rapid City will find us climbing a mountain by bus to see Mount Rushmore and take an optional walk / hike around the Presidential trail for a more up-close view of the faces. You can see right up George Washington's nose from within the inside of a rock. While in the area, we will explore the towns of Keystone; and Custer. There will be time to check out the story of the Crazy Horse Memorial and stop by the Dancing With Wolves movie set for a self-guided tour of the set and a chuckwagon style meal. Since we travel by Devils Tower we make a quick stop to get a better look. There are so many legends about how this interesting spot on this Earth came to be. After supper in the area we overnight in Gillette, WY. The next morning we will continue changing landscapes to Cody, WY. We call Cody, WY home for the next three nights. We will spend a few days exploring the area near and in Yellowstone National Park. One day will

be exploring by bus and then another day we will be changing to vans for a private wildlife tour of part of the North loop. Be sure to look out for bear, bison, elk, coyote, big horn rams and eagles.



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THE MAGNIFICENT MID-WEST TOUR CONT.... August 12-28, 2025

If we are lucky, we will get stuck in a bison traffic jam on our way to visit views like Artist Point, Old Faithful and Grand Prismatic. A couple of years ago two bison gave us a big show when they got into an argument over a female bison who walked by the front of our bus. The one bison knocked the other one about 3 feet back! (Due to Park animals and weather, sites are subject to change...)

We stay in Cody, Wy each night so if you choose to take in the Rodeo on your own then that is an option. We leave Yellowstone out the South Exit by Yellowstone Lake through the Grand Tetons on our way to Jackson Hole, WY. Next up is Chevenne, WY for a stop at the Terry Bison Ranch for a ride on the homemade train (waiver required) to feed the herd of bison. Have you ever seen a bison tongue? They are long and kind of purple! After our Bison adventure we will have supper and overnight in Cheyenne. As we head for home we have a few more adventures along the way. Traveling from the mountains through a desert to Salina, KS. There is a stop at the Great Platte River Archway Museum for a self-guided tour and supper. This unique Museum spans above and across the highway as you learn about the land lottery and how the wagon trains settled the land. Have you ever heard of Pawhuska? You might have, if you watch The Pioneer Woman on TV. This is where the Ree Drummond stores are. We will have lunch in the area and then shop a while at the Mercantile and Bakery. This meal is wonderful and served in a private building just for us. There will be time to visit the Ben Johnson Cowboy Museum and shop. We will overnight in Oklahoma. We will visit The National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum for a self-guided tour. Lunch is on your own at the Museum Café. Then we make a stop by the Oklahoma City National Memorial. Then it is on to Fort Smith, AR, for dinner and a play with Ms. Laura and her friends. We will have a guided tour of town before we

continue on toward home. This is the last time the

tour will be in the catalog for a while. Sign up today!

Here is a list of the attractions that we will visit.

- St. Louis Arch
- The Dignity Statue
- The Pony Express Museum
- The Patee Museum
- Jesse James Home
- Wall Drug
- Crazy Horse Monument
- Mount Rushmore National Park
- Grand Teton Park Visitors Center
- The National Cowboy Heritage Museum
- The Corn Palace
- Bad Lands National Park
- Great Platte River Road Archway Monument & Museum
- Fort Smith, AR
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- Terry Bison Ranch in Cheyenne, WY
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- Yellowstone National Park 2 days by bus
- Yellowstone Private Van Wildlife Tour
- Jackson Hole, WY
- Custer Town
- Keystone Town
- Kearny Museum
- Pawhuska, OK

TOUR INCLUDES:

- ROUND-TRIP MOTORCOACH
- LEISURE TIME TOUR MANAGER
- SIXTEEN (16) NIGHTS LODGING
- LUGGAGE HANDLING
- MEALS: 15CB, 2L, 6D (Including taxes and gratuities.)
- ADMISSIONS: LISTED ABOVE

PRICE TO BE ANNOUNCED
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TERMS AND CONDITIONS:

RESERVATIONS: Make your reservations early.

TO MAKE RESERVATIONS: Please call the office and/or complete the registration form in the catalog. Reservations are not confirmed until the deposit has been received. We accept personal checks, money orders, and credit cards: VISA, MasterCard, Discover and American Express. For your security, if you charge more than \$500 on any particular tour, you must submit a registration form with your signature.

RESERVATION DEPOSITS: Day trips require payment in full. **Overnight Tours:** See your selected tour for deposit. **Please note:** The **balance** is due 65 days prior to departure. *When sending a check for a deposit or final payment, please indicate the tour name and date to insure proper credit.* If you are interested in a trip and the final payment date has passed, please call us for availability.

CANCELLATION AND REFUND POLICY: Leisure Time understands there may be unforeseen conditions which arise that make it necessary to cancel your reservation. However, this cancellation policy will be strictly enforced unless otherwise indicated. (1) There will be a \$10 cancellation fee withheld on all cancellations (covers postage, processing and telephone expenses). (2) On day tours, if you cancel $\frac{0}{2}$ days before departure, no refund will be given unless you can provide a replacement. On overnight tours, if you cancel $0 \frac{0}{0} - 65$ days before departure, no refund will be given unless you can provide a replacement. (3) No refunds will be made for no shows. (4) No refunds are given for meals, shows, etc. for which individuals do not participate. (5) Cancellation Travel Protection is available and can be purchased through the Leisure Time office. Trip Protection must be paid when you pay your trip deposit. Call for details. DISCLAIMER: DUE TO COVID-19, MASKS AND/OR FACE SHIELDS ARE NOT REQUIRED AT THIS TIME HOWEVER, THEY WILL BE REQUIRED ON THE BUS AT ANY TIME A FEDERAL MANDATE IS ACTIVATED. Due to COVID-19, tour attractions, times and tour write ups are subject to change as needed during this time. INCLUSIONS: Our prices include motorcoach transportation, hotel accommodations, specified meals including taxes and gratuity, attractions/admission fees, baggage handling (as noted). Please refer to the individual tour summary with each tour description. Wines, liquors, meals not specified and other items of a personal nature that are not included in the itinerary, are not included in the price of the trip. ITINERARY VARIATIONS: Should improvements be made and/or unforeseen conditions beyond our control deem change necessary, we reserve the right to change the itinerary at any time for the benefit of the entire group.

ROOMMATES: As a courtesy, if you wish to have a travel companion, Leisure Time will make every effort to provide you names of other travelers desiring a roommate for you to contact. (Single rooms are available in most cases at an additional cost.) **ACCOMMODATIONS:** A "single" reservation means **single accommodations at the hotels** and **does not imply a double seat on the coach.** Triple accommodations at the hotel will be two beds only and does not cover the cost of a roll-away bed. Special requests, king beds, adjoining or connecting rooms, are forwarded to the hotel, however they **cannot be guaranteed.**

RESPONSIBILITY: We act solely as your agent in arranging transportation / accommodations for your trip. We assume no liability in connection with any transportation services, restaurants, attraction or accommodations for your trip. We cannot be responsible for any extra costs or losses resulting from any damage, expense or inconvenience caused by delayed or canceled transportation services, changes of schedule, strikes, weather or other conditions beyond Leisure Time's control. All passengers are insured only while on the motorcoach. Leisure Time is not responsible for lost, stolen or damaged items. Lost and found items are donated to charity after two weeks. TOUR MANAGERS / DRIVERS: We select only courteous drivers with excellent safety records. Our professional, courteous tour managers' primary goal is to provide the ultimate traveling experiences for all guests. **TRANSPORTATION:** We use air-conditioned, deluxe motorcoaches with restroom; comfortable adjustable seats; panoramic view, tinted windows; commercial DVD players; and public address systems. All passengers are insured while traveling aboard Leisure Time's motorcoaches. LUGGAGE: We must limit luggage to one large bag per person, maximum weight-50 lbs for any time during the tour. If your luggage is overweight, you will be charged additional handling fees AND/ OR YOU WILL be responsible for your own baggage transport. You may also take one piece of carry-on luggage i.e. small overnight bag to fit in overhead rack. You may also bring a CPAP machine if needed. CPAP must be properly labeled with your information and stored in the bay of the bus. You will be responsible for transporting your carry-on bag and your CPAP machine/if applicable. CPAP machines MUST be stored under the bus. No hanging bag luggage is allowed at any time. Leisure Time extends every effort to make sure luggage is handled as carefully as possible, however, we cannot assume responsibility, liability or accept claims for loss, theft or damage to luggage or personal belongings. Baggage Protection may be purchased at Leisure Time's office.

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OBJECTIONABLE PERSON/BEHAVIOR: Leisure Time reserves the right to refuse transportation and/or services to persons who demonstrate objectionable behavior i.e. under the influence of alcohol on the motorcoach; smoking or vaping on the motorcoach; refusal to rotate seats; refusal to wear a protective mask or face shield on the motorcoach when required or mandated, delaying group and/or not complying with regulations. At the tour manager's discretion, a member may be asked to leave the trip if the leader feels the person's further participation may be detrimental to the trip or to the individual. Arrangements will be made for transportation home by and at the violator's expense and no refund will be given for the unused portion of the tour. HEALTH, MEDICATION AND PHYSICAL CONDITIONS: In compliance with the Americans With Disabilities Act, Leisure Time will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. Any physical and/or mental disability requiring special attention or treatment must be reported when reservations are made on any tour. A traveling companion who will assist this person must accompany any person who cannot travel independently or would need special assistance. Neither Leisure Time personnel nor its suppliers may physically lift or assist clients, onto transportation vehicles. (Only exception: on our wheelchair-equipped motorcoach, the driver will load and unload wheelchair bound passengers.) Leisure Time reserves the right to revoke acceptance of any passenger whose mental or physical deficiencies or disabilities or dietary requirements add to the tour operator or tour manager's responsibilities. Remember to bring an adequate supply of any medications to last the duration of the tour. Carry your medications in your purse, pocket or carry-on - NOT in your luggage. In case of an emergency, it is suggested you carry a list of all medications. There is no refrigeration on motorcoaches, however, you are welcome to carry a small-insulated bag/ cooler for your refrigerated medication. Please note that spare eyeglasses should be carried in your carry-on bag. If you suffer from motion sickness, you must have a physician's note turned into our office prior to the tour departure in order to be seated in the first six rows of the motorcoach for seating. If you suffer from any other medical condition that requires specific seating, you must present a letter from the physician, and we will try to accommodate you. We cannot guarantee you a front row seat on the bus at any time.

SMOKING/LIQUOR: No smoking, chewing tobacco or E-Cigs or Vaping or open liquor is allowed on the motorcoach. Frequent (approximately every 2 ½- 3 hours) rest or meal stops afford the opportunities to smoke outside and away from the coach. **CLOTHING:** We recommend traveling light --lightweight, casual, wash and wear clothing, comfortable walking shoes (not new ones and no opened toed shoes), a sweater or jacket to use on the coach, alarm clock, umbrella or raincoat and perhaps a swimming suit. Dressy clothes are necessary for special shows, events or special occasions only when noted in the itinerary or confirmation letter.

PICK-UP LOCATIONS: We have pick-up locations in Rome and Emerson and Marietta for day tours. WE ONLY DEPART FROM EMERSON ON PUBLIC OVERNIGHT TOURS. There may be a charge for parking and parking fees are subject to change. We will pick up at other locations if we have twenty-five (25) or more departing from that area and we are notified sixty (60) days before final pickup times are set. Please indicate the correct pick-up location for you when you register. Please be at your departure location 30 minutes prior to departure time. Breakfast stops are NOT made on the day of departure unless otherwise noted in the confirmation letter or catalog. PARKING: Leisure Time is not responsible for damage or loss of or to your property.

SEAT ROTATION: Seat rotations are done on multi-day tours. This allows for everyone to have an opportunity to get to know your fellow passengers. Seat rotation times vary from once a day to four times a depending on the type and length of tour. Passengers will be asked to leave the trip if they refuse to rotate seats.

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP: We suggest that you carry some proof of citizenship identification anytime you travel. A passport is required when traveling into Canada or Mexico.

VACCINATION CARD: We suggest that you carry your vaccination cards with you on tours just in case they are needed. On some tours, proof of Vaccination may be mandatory.

TIPPING: How much you tip is a personal matter and completely up to you. We suggest \$3-\$5 per day for the tour manager and \$3-\$5 per day for the driver.

CHARTER SERVICE IS AVAILABLE:

Leisure Time Charters and Tours has the pleasure of providing charter services as well as tours. We enjoy working with schools, churches, civic organizations, private companies, banks and numerous other organizations in providing charter service and planned tours. We own our own fleet of deluxe motorcoaches, including 28; 52; 55 and 56 passenger coaches. Safety is of utmost importance both in vehicle maintenance and staff training. If we can be of assistance, please call us for a proposal or bid at 770.382.7726. E-mail: leisuretimebus@bellsouth.net Our office hours are: Monday – Friday from 8:30 AM to 5 PM.

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This is the tour that you have been waiting for. We are visiting the "Old West" of the United States of America.

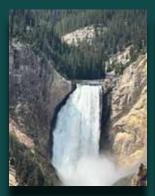
Here is a list of the attractions that we will visit.

- St. Louis Arch
- Dignity of Earth and Sky
- The Pony Express Museum
- The Patee House Museum
- Jesse James Home
- Wall Drug
- Crazy Horse Monument
- Mount Rushmore National Park
- The Grand Teton Park Visitors Center
- The Nation Cowboy Heritage Museum
- The Corn Palace
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