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We take care of everything

Enjoy a seamless holiday

Guests like you tell us time and time again that it's our Travel Directors and Drivers that make our tours simply the best. With you from the start, and until it's time to go, they'll take care of every little detail. Not having to worry about your day-to-day logistics means you get the most out of each day – tickets, driving and parking, restaurant bookings, additional Optional Experiences, the list goes on. Most importantly, they love what they do, and their storytelling and knowledge about every destination will bring each place to life for you.

What's included

Your travel essentials

- Travel Director and Driver team
- Nightly accommodations and Stays with Stories experiences*
- Daily breakfast
- Many lunches and dinners
- Coach transportation with on-board Wi-Fi, charging stations and bathrooms and other fun ways to travel like boats, 4x4s and more**

Your experiences

- Entry to many must-see sights
- Be My Guest experiences
- MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experiences
- Locally guided tours in many destinations
- Optional Experiences (additional cost) planned and booked for you

*Stays with Stories are available on selected tours.

**On some tours in smaller destinations, on-board bathrooms and WiFi are not available on our coaches or mini coach fleets.

Your Travel Director

Your Travel Director goes the extra mile to ensure you and your fellow travelling companions are happy and taken care of.



Meet Todd

One of our many exceptional Travel Directors across the USA and Canada.

“I do everything I can to make sure my guests enjoy a hassle-free holiday. Daily schedules are planned to get the most out of each destination, and I’m quick with a suggestion of regional food and drinks that our guests might not know about. That way, when it’s time for your travels, everything is smooth and easy.

I’ve even been honoured to help with a Grand Canyon marriage proposal and several Las Vegas weddings! I’ve helped coordinate a reunion with a local family, locate a specific shopping request or surprise a partner on a birthday to bring some extra fun to the journey.

It’s an honour to not only create but to personalise each of our guest’s experiences and then hear how much they’ve loved their tour.

We also deliver many deep, local experiences you just won’t get with other companies. Learning the history and stories of the people we visit gives us a better understanding of who they are. It’s our Be My Guest, **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™** Experiences and expert knowledge from our Local Specialists that really give us a richer appreciation of the people and places we visit – it’s a real joy to share this with you.”

Your Local Specialists

With a deep love for their hometowns, our Local Specialists will show you what the guidebooks can’t, a true insider’s perspective of the must-sees and local secrets across North, Central and South America. Here are a few you might meet on our tours.

Meet Evan
your AG Ventures
Agriculture Guide



“Teaching you about the different crops we harvest and our advanced farming techniques is a passion of mine. We’ll also visit an artichoke farm, and taste a local delicacy – deep-fried artichoke hearts.”
Experience on *Northern California with Yosemite National Park* (p.36).

Meet Brenda
your Mahikan Trails
Indigenous Guide



“I love teaching others about the importance of buffalo to the First Nations people. I’ll share stories about the interconnected relationship we have and the sacred contract we hold with them.”
Experience on *Canada’s Rockies* (p.58).

Meet Cecil
your BackBeat Tours
Music Guide



“Home of blues, soul and rock’n’roll, Memphis is a place unlike any other. I love sharing the secrets of the city on a musical tour that takes you through Beale Street in the heart of downtown.”
Experience on *Tastes and Sounds of the South* (p.46).

Meet Luis
your Machu
Picchu Guide



“I love sharing this deeply sacred place, UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. On our hike of this once-great civilisation, we’ll get up close to 15th-century stone ruins.”
Experience on *Highlights of Peru* (p.80).

Be My Guest

*The original local travel experience,
exclusive to Trafalgar*

Step into the lives of your hosts who open their homes, wineries, farms and more to share stories about their families' history and their communities, over good food and great hospitality. With one on every itinerary, Be My Guest ensures your journey is truly one-of-a-kind, wherever it takes you. Here are just a few of our hosts you might meet.

Meet Jesse Blanco *Savannah, Georgia, USA*

Meet Emmy-nominated food show host Jesse Blanco at Vic's on the River, a former cotton warehouse overlooking Savannah's historic waterfront. Over lunch featuring contemporary Southern cuisine, Jesse shares his passion for the region's culinary heritage and stories from *Eat It and Like It*, his celebrated tribute to the South's vibrant food scene. Experience on *Charms of the Southeast USA* (p.44).

Meet the Quintana Family *from Hacienda Pozo Azul, Costa Rica*



"We love sharing stories of life here on our organic farm."

You'll join the Quintana family for a lunch of traditional dishes made from the exotic crops they grow. You'll learn about life on the farm, how they reduce their carbon footprint and support their local community. You'll also see spectacular views of the Sarapiquí River from the terrace of their hacienda (home). Experience on *Costa Rica Nature Adventure* (p.74).

See the trip pages, and visit [trafalgar.com](https://www.trafalgar.com) for your Be My Guest experiences.

Small Group Tours

A smaller way to see more of the world



What are Trafalgar Small Groups?

Small Group Tours with Trafalgar are designed to bring you closer to the heart of every destination.

With an average group size of 16 guests, you'll enjoy a more personal style of travel, with easier access to your Travel Director and more room to take in each experience.

Smaller group sizes open the door to places larger groups often miss, from tucked-away neighbourhoods and stylish local restaurants to family run stays and one-of-a-kind cultural experiences. From Borneo to Bilbao and Kenya to Costa Rica, our Small Group itineraries unlock incredible experiences all over the world.

This is still Trafalgar from start to finish. Your Travel Director, Driver and Local Specialists handle the logistics, routes, timings and local know-how behind the scenes, so you can stay present, travel effortlessly and experience each destination more deeply.



Wonders of Patagonia

Gain access to experiences that are only possible with a smaller group, inviting you into the true rhythm of life at the edge of the world. In Ushuaia, that means stepping beyond the expected and into the home of Claudia, where every antique tells a story and every detail reflects generations of local heritage. Over dinner, Franco offers a perspective only a lifelong Fuegian can share, revealing the soul of this remote region through personal stories and deep-rooted connection. It's an experience defined not by sightseeing, but by genuine access, meaningful conversation and the rare feeling of being welcomed as part of the community. Experience on *Wonders of Patagonia* (p.86).



Costa Rica Nature Adventure

Take a small group journey through Costa Rica that feels more fluid, flexible and connected to the places you'll explore. Smaller vehicles navigate winding roads with ease, opening up access to communities and spontaneous stops that are a challenge for larger groups. Experiences become more immersive too, from cruising Tortuguero's canals together in a single boat to hands-on moments like crafting local coconut desserts. It's a more natural way to travel, where every detail feels closer, easier and genuinely shared. Experience on *Costa Rica Nature Adventure* (p.74).

WE MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™

Over a decade of positive impact

We know you have a lot of choices when it comes to your travels. When you choose Trafalgar, you're not only choosing a trusted travel provider that takes care of every detail, you're choosing a company that makes a tangible, positive and lasting impact.

Meet the Diné (Navajo) locals near Monument Valley on this MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience. Hear their stories and see their culture, knowing your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities. Experience on *Best of the Canyonlands* (p.20).

A blueprint to change

Alongside our sister brands at the Travel Corporation (TTC), we're proud of more than a decade of championing travel to make a positive difference on the destinations and people we visit, and the wildlife we encounter along the way.



Shannon removing invasive species

Meet Shannon Chief Sustainability Officer

Among many things that make up her day-to-day, Shannon spearheads our mission to MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ across The Travel Corporation. While our travellers are on the road creating memories and ticking off their bucket list, Shannon and her team are behind the scenes striving to ensure every tour has a positive impact and supports vibrant communities in the destinations we visit.

Tell us about Trafalgar's sustainability journey so far?

Vibrant communities aren't just a backdrop to our itineraries, they *are* the itinerary. And supporting them economically, culturally, and in the face of a changing climate is both our responsibility and our greatest opportunity.

In 2020, we launched our "How We Tread Right" programme with 11 ambitious goals tied to the United Nations Sustainable Goals. By 2025, Trafalgar has integrated a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience into nearly every journey in our portfolio, eliminated single-use plastics on our coaches, and ensured 100% of animal experiences meet our strict Animal Welfare Policy. We're now turning to the next chapter of Trafalgar's sustainability journey which will see us step up our level of commitment in 2026, alongside our TreadRight Foundation.

What is the role of the TreadRight Foundation, and what projects do they support?

TreadRight was founded in 2008 and has supported around 60+ sustainable tourism projects worldwide aligned to our three pillars of Planet, People and Wildlife.

What ways does Trafalgar demonstrate its commitment to sustainable travel to guests?

When you travel with us, know that our four-point Climate Action Plan is leading us towards net-zero emissions by 2050. As a travel company working towards low carbon goals, you'll be pleased to know that we're committed to shrinking our carbon footprint by using biofuels and helping nature fight the climate crisis. Additionally, every tour includes a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience where our guests directly support United Nations Sustainable Development Goals.

What's Trafalgar's approach to diversity, equity and inclusion (DEI)?

We don't travel to see the same old things — we explore to meet different people, hear fresh ideas and see new places. For us, DEI is more than sustainability; it's integral to our business operations. From championing diversity in our teams to partnering with underrepresented communities, DEI is woven into the fabric of everything we do.

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MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ *Experiences*

Travel as a force for good

Picture your dream holiday where you're not just a tourist, but part of something bigger. On every tour you'll experience at least one MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience, each exclusively created so you can give back to people, places or wildlife. These experiences directly support 11 of the 17 United Nations Global Sustainable Development Goals, ensuring your journey leaves a lasting, positive impact. Here are just a few you could experience.

Visit Mādahōkī Farm in Ontario, Canada



Your visit to Mādahōkī Farm in Nepean, Ontario, will launch you into the world of Indigenous culture. You'll hear a presentation on the Algonquin People and see traditional regalia, the Friendship Dance and traditional song, so you learn about their culture and heritage. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goals 10: Reduced Inequalities.

Experience on *East Coast USA and Canada* (p.52).

Explore Heart of Palm Plantation, in Costa Rica



Meet heart of palm farmers in Costa Rica on a local plantation in Sarapiquí. A Tico family will show you around their ranch, explaining how they extract the heart from the palm, and then you'll get to taste some delicious local dishes, including the heart of palm, of course. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

Experience on *Costa Rica Nature Adventure* (p.74).

Tour Allerton and McBryde Botanical Garden in Hawaii, USA



Explore natural beauty at one of the world's top botanical research organisations, Allerton and McBryde Gardens in Hawaii. See breathtaking cliff-top views of the bay and then venture into the secluded upper Lawai Valley. You'll even get a special behind-the-scenes viewing at the conservation nursery, home to rare Hawaiian ferns and over 6,000 endangered plant species. Conclude your journey at Allerton Garden, where outdoor rooms and sculptures await, and know that your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land. Experience on *Hawaiian Discovery* (p.14) and *Hawaii Four Island Adventure* (p.16)

Learn about the ancient Musk Ox of Alaska, USA



Get ready for an unforgettable guided tour of Musk Ox Farm. You'll be shown around the pastoral grounds to see the Arctic Musk Oxen, animals that once roamed the earth alongside saber-toothed tigers and woolly mammoths. You'll learn about the farm's efforts to promote and educate the public on sustainable agriculture, care for the musk oxen and produce qiviut (wool). Your visit also directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goals 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities. Experience on *Majestic Alaska* (p.56).

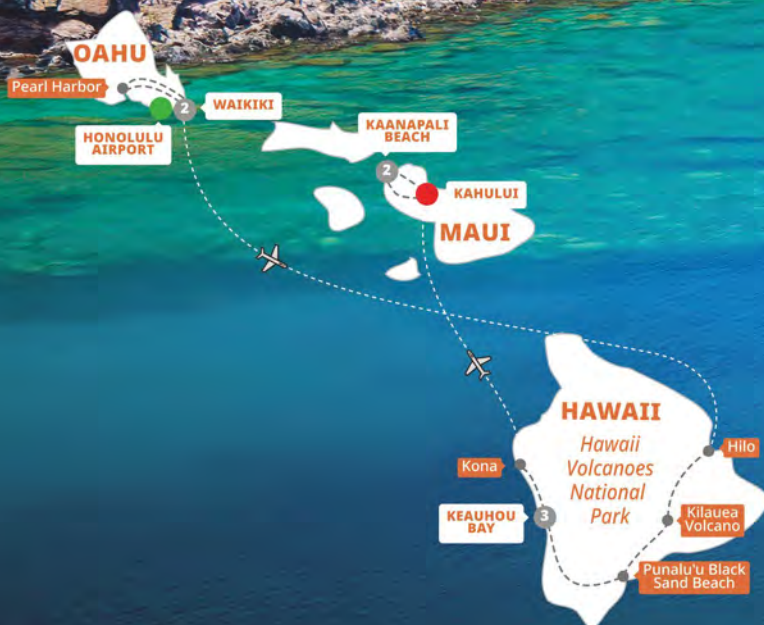
Hawaiian Explorer

4.5/5 **feefo** 
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8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Year-round

Waikiki and Maui, Pearl Harbour and the volcanic energy of Hawaii Volcanoes National Park are yours to discover. Sip a fragrant brew at a Kona coffee plantation and visit Punalu'u Beach Park - home to black sand and sea turtles basking in the sun - topped off with a classic Hawaiian luau.



DAY 1 Island Greetings In Honolulu, Oahu Ease into the warm embrace of Hawaii's Aloha Spirit and don a flower lei to kick-start your love affair with the Pacific islands. Explore the golden beaches of Waikiki before gathering for a Hawaiian-style dinner with your Travel Director and fellow travellers. **(D) Hotel: The Twin Fin Waikiki - Moderate (City View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Uncover Hawaii's History Visit Pearl Harbour National Memorial and the USS Arizona, before viewing the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. In downtown Honolulu, you'll explore Hawaii's spiritual heart on a walking tour. See Iolani Palace, the former home of Hawaii's last-reigning monarchs and the only royal palace in the United States, as well as the King Kamehameha I Statue and the State Capitol Building. **(B)**

DAY 3 See the Volcanic Beauty of Hawaii Volcanoes National Park The Big Island of Hawaii brings new sights, landscapes and wildlife. Arrive in Hilo and enjoy lunch on your own time, maybe sampling a classic loco moco. Visit Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, before heading to Punalu'u Beach Park, known for its black sand and Hawaiian green sea turtles. Your day ends with a **Stays with Stories** experience, where you can relax by the fantasy pool, take in ocean views or even spot manta rays. **(B) Hotel: Outrigger Kona Resort & Spa - Moderate (Mountain View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)**

Stays with Stories

Perched above the cliffs of Keauhou Bay, your Outrigger Kona Resort offers unforgettable views of giant manta rays feeding just offshore. Take it all in from Pa'akai Point, unwind poolside or connect with Hawaiian culture through on-site hula and ukulele lessons.

DAY 4 Experience the Sights, Flavours and Wildlife of Hawaii Unlock the secrets of marine life as you learn about the Mobula alfredi manta rays, the second largest in the world, that come to the Kona shores to feed each day. Next up, enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience at Kona Sea Salt to uncover the importance of salt in Hawaiian culture accompanied by a tasty lunch. You'll not only get to see the salt production but also taste different salts to explore the flavour profiles. Continue your discovery during a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at a coffee plantation, learning about how some of the world's best coffee is grown and roasted. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

On an immersive tour of Greenwell Farms, discover the journey from coffee plant

seed to cup, taste 100% Kona Coffee, and learn about eco-friendly practises like water reclamation, mulching and solar-powered operations. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

Be My Guest

Meet Ipo, the Tour Director and Ambassador of Aloha at Kona Salt Farm. Learn about the production and cultural importance of Hawaiian salt, then enjoy a food-truck lunch with options like Dim Sum Box or Katsu Chicken with Furikake Rice.



DAY 5 Unwind and Play in Kona Get ready for an invigorating day on the Big Island, exploring on your own or with an Optional Experience. Enjoy Kohala's beauty by joining an optional off-road adventure to a hidden waterfall and Pololu Valley overlook, or snorkel the pristine waters of Pu'uuhonua O Honaunau and Kealahou Bay with lava tubes and sea caves. This evening, embrace the tradition of a Hawaiian Luau with local flavours. **(B, D)**

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DAY 7 A Traditional Maui Day Unlock the natural beauty of paradise, charting your own course through Maui's landscapes. This evening, enjoy a dinner featuring local flavours. You'll love making the most of your stay at Hyatt Regency Maui Resort and Spa. Cool off in their half-acre pool, relax at Maui's only oceanfront full-service spa and salon, stragaze on the rooftop, or enjoy oceanfront golf. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Until We Meet Again Bid a fond hui hou (until we meet again) to Hawaii and make your way to Kahului Airport or extend your stay in Maui. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
the wonders of Manta Rays
in Keauhou Beach

Discover on City Orientations
Honolulu

Visit Must-see Landmarks
Pearl Harbour National Memorial, USS Arizona Memorial, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, Punalu'u Beach - Hawaii's most famous black sand beach frequented by sea turtles basking in the sun, Ioa Valley State Park

View Must-see Landmarks
Iolani Palace, King Kamehameha Statue and State Capitol Building in Honolulu

One-of-a-kind Experiences
See days 3 and 4 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly
See day 4 for how you'll make a positive impact

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We had the best time on Hawaiian Explorer with a wonderful Travel Director and all within our budget. I would love to do it all again!

David

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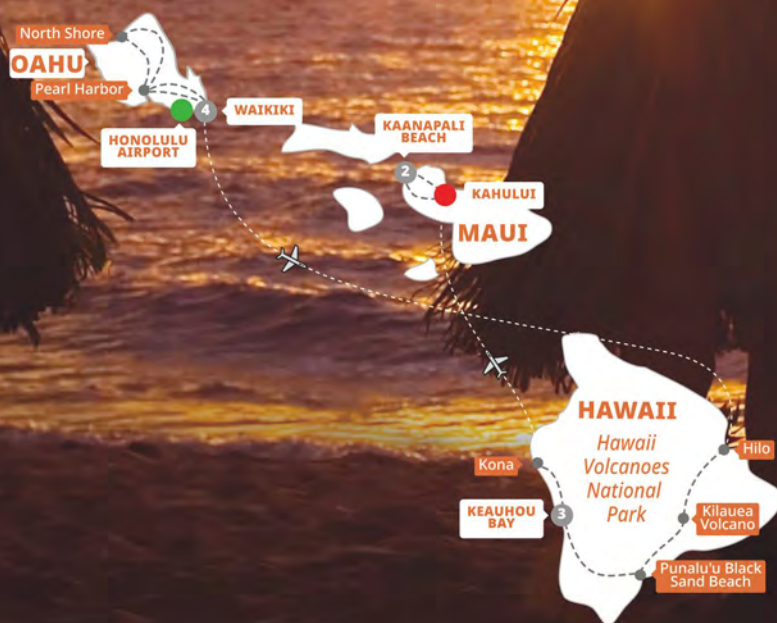
Best of Hawaii

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Experience Hawaii's highlights: see the waves of Oahu's North Shore then feel the quiet weight of Pearl Harbour. At Kona Salt Farm, learn why salt matters here during your Be My Guest experience. Then trade coastline for crater at Punalu'u's black sands and Volcanoes National Park.



DAY 1 Welcome to Waikiki Immerse yourself in the Aloha Spirit of Hawaii as you join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner in Waikiki Beach. **(D)**
Hotel: The Twin Fin Waikiki - Moderate (City View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)
Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Enjoy the Coastal Views of Oahu Admire the views of Diamond Head and follow the scenic coast of Oahu before heading to the North Shore, famous for its huge waves. Cross the island to return to Waikiki, where you can explore at your own pace and perhaps join an Optional Experience dinner featuring live music and dance. **(B)**

DAY 3 Explore Honolulu The day is yours to experience at your leisure. Tonight, enjoy ocean breezes and tropical drinks when you join your travel companions for a dinner featuring local dishes. **(B, D)**

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Michelle

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Hawaiian Discovery

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Departure months: Year-round

Slip into island time across four of Hawaii's finest. Wind through Kauai's Tunnel of Trees and stand humbled at Waimea Canyon. Pay your respects at Pearl Harbour then head to Kona, where you'll meet locals to learn about the art of coffee and even catch a glimpse of manta rays.



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DAY 6 Upcountry Maui Fly from Kona to Maui this morning, and visit Iao Valley State Park before settling into your hotel. **(B) Hotel: Hyatt Regency Maui Resort and Spa - Moderate (Resort View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)**

DAY 7 A Traditional Maui Day Unlock the natural beauty of paradise, charting your own course through Maui's landscapes. This evening, enjoy a dinner featuring local flavours. You'll love making the most of your stay at Hyatt Regency Maui Resort and Spa. Cool off in their half-acre pool, relax at Maui's only oceanfront full-service spa and salon, stragaze on the rooftop, or enjoy oceanfront golf. **(B, D)**

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DAY 10 Unwind and Explore Kauai Kauai's natural treasures are yours to explore as you enjoy a full day at your own pace. On your final night on Kauai, toast to the incredible sights of the islands with your fellow travellers over dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 11 Aloha Kauai Bid a fond hui hou (until we meet again) to Hawaii and make your way to Lihue Airport or extend your stay on Kauai. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists the wonders of Manta Rays in Keauhou Beach, Grove Farm Sugar Plantation in Lihue

Discover on City Orientations Honolulu

Visit Must-see Landmarks Honolulu, Pearl Harbour National Memorial, USS Arizona Memorial, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, Punalu'u Beach, Hawaii's most famous black sand beach frequented by sea turtles basking in the sun, Iao Valley State Park, Kailua-Kona, Iao Valley State Park, Waimea Canyon State Park

View Must-see Landmarks Iolani Palace, King Kamehameha Statue and State Capitol Building in Honolulu, Spouting Horn in Kauai

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

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Four islands, beautiful scenery, amazing experiences, wonderful travelling companions!

Mervin

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DHKM/F/P

Hawaii Four Island Adventure

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

13 Days | 1 Country | 18 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Year-round

From Oahu's shores to Punalu'u's striking black sands, this island-hopping adventure covers Hawaii at its most memorable. See the Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, then trade lava fields for ocean views and an evening watching the manta rays.



DAY 1 Welcome to Waikiki Immerse yourself in the Aloha Spirit of Hawaii as you join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner in Waikiki Beach. (D)
Hotel: The Twin Fin Waikiki - Moderate (City View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Enjoy the Coastal Views of Oahu

Admire the views of Diamond Head and follow the scenic coast of Oahu before heading to the North Shore, famous for its huge waves. Cross the island to return to Waikiki, where you can explore at your own pace and perhaps join an Optional Experience dinner featuring live music and dance. (B)

DAY 3 Explore Honolulu The day is yours to experience at your leisure. Tonight, enjoy ocean breezes and tropical drinks when you join your travel companions for a dinner featuring local dishes. (B, D)

DAY 4 Uncover Hawaii's History Visit Pearl Harbour National Memorial and the USS Arizona, before viewing the National Memorial Cemetery of the Pacific. In downtown Honolulu, you'll explore Hawaii's spiritual heart on a walking tour. See Iolani Palace, the former home of Hawaii's last-reigning monarchs and the only royal palace in the United States, as well as the King Kamehameha I Statue and the State Capitol Building. (B)

DAY 5 See the Volcanic Beauty of Hawaii Volcanoes National Park The Big Island of Hawaii brings new sights, landscapes and wildlife. Arrive in Hilo and enjoy lunch on your own time, maybe sampling a classic loco moco. Visit Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, before heading to Punalu'u Beach Park, known for its black sand and Hawaiian green sea turtles. Your day ends with a **Stays with Stories** experience, where you can relax by the fantasy pool, take in ocean views or even spot manta rays. (B) **Hotel: Outrigger Kona Resort & Spa - Moderate (Mountain View), First Class (Partial Ocean View), Premier (Ocean View)**

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Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

A local coffee plantation on Big Island of Hawaii, the wonders of Manta Rays in Keauhou Beach, Grove Farm Sugar Plantation

Discover on City Orientations

Honolulu

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Pearl Harbour National Memorial, USS Arizona Memorial, Hawaii Volcanoes National Park, Punalu'u Beach, Hawaii's most famous black sand beach frequented by sea turtles basking in the sun, Ioa Valley State Park, Kailua-Kona, Iao Valley State Park, Waimea Canyon State Park

View Must-see Landmarks

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Incredible to be standing on the edge of a volcanic crater and watch it steam!

Merry

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Included meals: Breakfast (B) Lunch (L) Dinner (D)

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DHL/M/F/P

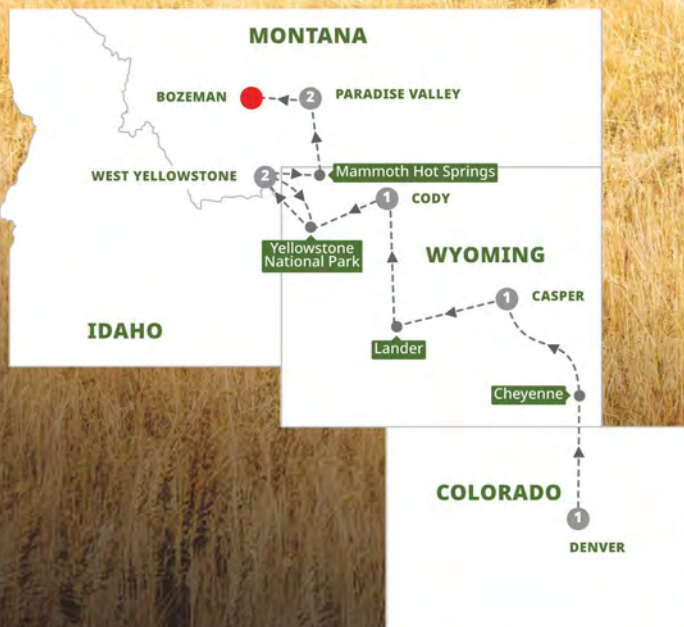
Yellowstone and Big Sky Country

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Tour rating coming soon

8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

From wild horses to wide-open skies, connect with the stories, landscapes and local ways of the American West. Ride through a working horse sanctuary, follow the paths of pioneers and explore Yellowstone's geysers, canyons and valleys.



DAY 1 Welcome to Denver Welcome to the Mile High City. Against the backdrop of the Rocky Mountains, this state capital blends Old West roots with modern energy. Meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers this evening for dinner and hear more about the journey ahead through Wyoming and Montana. **(D) Hotel: The Slate Hotel Denver Downtown, Tapestry by Hilton**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Pioneer to Cheyenne and Casper Head north to Cheyenne, Wyoming's capital and home to cowboy traditions. Visit the Cheyenne Frontier Days Old West Museum to explore rodeo history, restored wagons and Western art. After an orientation tour, enjoy a scattered lunch in the historic downtown. This afternoon, continue to Casper to visit the National Historic Trails Interpretive Centre and learn how pioneers crossed the plains in search of a new life out West. **(B)**

DAY 3 Horses, Dinosaurs and Cowboys Start the day with a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the Wind River Wild Horse Sanctuary. Continue to Riverton for a scattered lunch before visiting the Wyoming Dinosaur Centre where you'll see fossils and a working dig lab. Later, arrive in Cody for your **Be My Guest** experience as you sit down to dinner with a local Western artisan. Enjoy a private tour of the By Western Hands studio and hear how Western traditions are being kept alive through the preservation of functional art, before heading to the historic Irma Hotel for a truly Western style dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: Holiday Inn Cody - Convention Centre**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Drive into open pastures on a guided tour of this wild horse sanctuary on the Wind River Indian Reservation. Meet free-roaming mustangs and learn how the Oldham Family cares for over 250 unadoptable horses in partnership with the Bureau of Land Management. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

Be My Guest

Meet a local leatherwork artisan for a behind-the-scenes tour of the By Western Hands studio. Learn how master artisans keep Western design traditions alive before sharing dinner with your host at the historic Irma Hotel, a legendary saloon in the heart of Cody.



Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

DAY 4 Explore Yellowstone National Park Spend the morning in Cody. You may choose to join an Optional Experience to the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West or explore the town at your own pace. Later, travel into Yellowstone National Park. Visit Lake Yellowstone, stop at Artist Point and see the Upper Falls of the Yellowstone River. **(B) Hotel: Holiday Inn West Yellowstone**

DAY 5 Traverse Geysers and Canyons Explore Yellowstone National Park and some of its best-known sights as you visit West Thumb Geyser Basin on the edge of Yellowstone Lake and keep an eye out for wildlife in Hayden Valley. Take in views of the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone before arriving at Old Faithful. End the day in West Yellowstone and enjoy dinner with your fellow travellers. **(B, D)**

DAY 6 Yellowstone's Backcountry Adventures Travel the upper loop of Yellowstone National Park and take in more dramatic landscapes. In Lamar Valley, look out for bison, elk and pronghorn. At Mammoth Hot Springs, walk along boardwalks past steaming limestone terraces and thermal pools. Later, head into Montana's Paradise Valley and check in for your **Stays with Stories** experience at Chico Hot Springs. **(B) Hotel: Chico Hot Springs**

Stays with Stories

Stay at a historic family-run lodge in Montana's Paradise Valley. Established in 1900, Chico Hot Springs blends mountain charm with natural hot springs, drawing guests to its healing waters and frontier hospitality for over a century.

DAY 7 Paradise Valley Your Way Spend the day how you choose in Paradise Valley. You might soak in the natural hot springs, book a spa treatment or explore the trails on horseback (booked separately). Trout pond fishing, disc golf and garden tours are also available. In the afternoon, enjoy a conversation with a local equine specialist exploring mules, horses, and life in the Yellowstone backcountry. Learn how local horsemen have skillfully navigated and survived this wild terrain for generations. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Farewell Bozeman Say goodbye to your Travel Director and fellow travellers as your tour comes to an end. **(B)**

Transfer: Depart Paradise Valley and transfer to Bozeman airport, arriving at approximately 16:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
Horses, Mules and the Yellowstone Backcountry

Visit Must-see Landmarks
Cheyenne Frontier Days Old West Museum, National Historic Trails Interpretive Centre, Wyoming Dinosaur Centre, Yellowstone National Park, Chico Hot Springs

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Yellowstone's geysers, canyons and valleys

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Exploring Wyoming and Montana is like stepping into a movie, where you are the main character. You can be a cowboy on the open plains, a pioneer heading west along wagon trails, a paleontologist digging for fossils, or a naturalist examining natural geothermal features. This trip has it all!

Erica, Travel Experiences Team

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Trip code: DMON

Best of the Canyonlands

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

7 Days | 1 Country | 9 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Travel into the heart of canyon country, past the Rockies and wind-carved arches. You'll discover the surreal beauty of Arches and Canyonlands National Parks, and nothing beats the sights waiting for you at Monument Valley and the Grand Canyon.



DAY 1 Discover Denver Channel your inner pioneer as you embark on an epic encounter with the peaks, canyons and deserts of what was once the treacherous Wild West. You'll kick-start your expedition in Denver. Explore the Mile High City at your own pace before meeting your Travel Director and fellow expeditioners for dinner. **(D) Hotel: The Slate Hotel Denver Downtown, Tapestry by Hilton**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Roam the Rockies Unlock the secrets of Vail, an alpine village and one of Colorado's great playgrounds known for its epic powder-filled basins that have attracted skiers since the 1960s. In warmer weather, the European-style Vail Village invites you to discover its shops, restaurants, pubs and cafes. Get a taste for fresh local flavours in Palisade, known as the Peach and Wine Capital of Colorado. You'll meet local farmers over a **Be My Guest** experience at Field to Fork, a four-season organic farm and boutique fruit stand that grows and celebrates the flavours of every season. Enjoy a tour with the owners, who'll share local farming secrets, followed by a delicious meal made from the freshest ingredients. **(B, L) Hotel: Best Western Plus Canyonlands Inn**

Be My Guest

Meet Jessica and Scott for a meal at Field to Fork, an organic farm that cultivates 10 acres for vegetable and fruit production. Take a walking tour of the farm discovering how they grow organic produce. Cap off your experience with a meal utilising local and seasonal ingredients.



DAY 3 Explore Utah's Arches and Canyons Get ready to gasp. Arches National Park is packed with striking natural arches. On your jaw-dropping exploration, learn how these 2,000 natural sandstone arches were formed by rain and wind on a guided visit led by your Travel Director. From one stunning landscape to the next in Canyon Country, see how the Colorado River carves through rocky red landscape at Canyonlands National Park. Drive onto the Island in the Sky - at 305 m (1,000 ft) above the countryside, this mesa offers spectacular views over the sandstone formations. Take your travels to the next

level with an optional Canyonlands by Night light show, complete with a cowboy-style Dutch Oven Dinner and a cruise past the lit-up canyon walls on the Moab Queen II jet boat. **(B)**

DAY 4 Pioneer Through Monument Valley Within UNESCO-listed Mesa Verde National Park, admire some of the over 600 ancient cliff dwellings carved into the sandstone of the canyon walls. Established by Teddy Roosevelt in 1906, the Park protects some of the best-preserved Ancestral Puebloan archaeological sites in the United States. Deepen your connection with the First Nations people of this land as you travel toward Monument Valley, home to the Navajo Nation and the backdrop of many famous Hollywood Western movies. **(B) Hotel: Goulding's Lodge**

Stays with Stories

Watch the daybreak over Monument Valley at Goulding's Lodge, renowned for its support of the local Diné (Navajo) community and appearances in Hollywood films.

DAY 5 Tour The Remarkable Grand Canyon Your day of bucket list sites begins in Monument Valley as you explore with a Local Specialist. Ride in an open-air vehicle past towering sandstone buttes and mesas that rise from the barren landscape on a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. Continue through the ancestral home of the Diné (Navajo), winding along Desert View Drive and surrounded by multi-coloured canyons. Take in breathtaking panoramic views of the Grand Canyon from Desert Viewpoint, one of the park's most scenic and iconic lookouts. You'll gaze across the colourful canyon walls and winding Colorado River from this unforgettable vantage point. Join your fellow travellers for dinner toasting to your journey through America's national parks. **(B, D) Hotel: National Park Lodges Grand Canyon**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Board all-terrain vehicles to explore Monument Valley with a Diné (Navajo) guide. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 6 A Scenic Journey to Las Vegas Rise early to catch the first rays of light as they illuminate the Grand Canyon. Consider an optional helicopter or fixed-wing aircraft flightseeing tour to view this feat of nature from the sky, or enjoy a leisurely morning before journeying across a desert oasis to Las Vegas. **(B) Hotel: Horseshoe Las Vegas**

DAY 7 End Your Journey in Las Vegas Your exhilarating adventure through the canyonlands has come to an end. Grab some breakfast as you prepare to say farewell to your friends, or consider extending your stay. Depart at your leisure to Harry Reid International Airport. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
Monument Valley and
The Grand Canyon

Discover on City Orientations
Las Vegas

Visit Must-see Landmarks
Vail, Arches and Canyonlands
National Parks, Monument
Valley Navajo Tribal Park, Desert
Viewpoint, Cameron Trading Post,
Grand Canyon National Park

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The beautiful scenery in Arches National Park was incredibly memorable. The grandeur was incredible and brought forth gratefulness for the beauty we experienced!

Susan

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**
Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DBOC

Utah's Mighty Five National Parks

4.8/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

10 Days | 1 Country | 14 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Apr - Jun + Aug - Oct

This scenery-filled tour of Utah's national and state parks will have you discovering some of America's most epic trails and natural landscapes. See Zion's towering cliffs, Bryce Canyon's hoodoos, Capitol Reef's water-pocket canyons, Arches' rock formations and Canyonlands' desert vistas.



DAY 1 Greetings in Grand Junction The 'River City' extends a warm welcome as your launch pad to an in-depth encounter with the Mighty Five National Parks of Utah. Relax after your arrival or explore on your own before joining your Travel Director and fellow travellers this evening for dinner. **(D)**
Hotel: Wine Country Inn

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Uncover Canyon Country Head to Dead Horse Point State Park this morning to reach great heights with stellar views. Next up at Canyonlands National Park, see first-hand the power of the Colorado River carving its way through the rocky red landscape. Ascend to the top of the Island in the Sky Mesa and admire Canyonlands' spectacular landscape below. Choose to continue further on foot with a two-mile hike to Grandview Point Overlook. **(B, L)**
Hotel: Springhill Suites by Marriott Moab

DAY 3 Astonishing Views At Arches National Park Admire the unique natural sandstone shapes that dot the landscape of Arches National Park. Learn how Mother Nature has left her indelible mark when you view Delicate Arch. Continue your exploration at Devils Garden before departing for the spectacular Windows section. **(B)**

DAY 4 Unmask Capitol Reef National Park See and hike amongst the other-worldly hoodoos of Goblin Valley State Park this morning. These mushroom-shaped rock pinnacles make for a memorable hike and photo opportunity. In the evening, enjoy the rustic charm of the Capitol Reef Resort, located on the edge of the park, offering truly spectacular landscapes and breathtaking views. **(B)** **Hotel: Capitol Reef Resort**

Stays with Stories

Take in stunning views of the Red Rock Cliffs at the 58-acre Capitol Reef Resort, just one mile from the entrance of Capitol Reef National Park.

DAY 5 Explore Capitol Reef National Park Unlock the best of Capitol Reef National Park, where colourful canyons and capitol-shaped domes provide the perfect backdrop for an adventure, with the option to hike on your own. Continue your journey along an "All American Road," Scenic Byway 12, one of America's most scenic highways, before arriving in Kodachrome Basin State Park. Here, you'll have the opportunity to explore the Visitor Centre and marvel at the unique sandstone spires and columns known as "sand pipes," formations believed to exist nowhere else in the world. **(B)** **Hotel: Best Western Plus Ruby's Inn**

DAY 6 Stretch Your Legs In Bryce Canyon You'll have a full free day to relax or explore the eerie landscape of Bryce Canyon National Park today. You'll be able to self select hikes and walks that suit you best. Admire the rusty red limestone spires that

rise up surreally from the desert floor to meet Utah's skies from scenic viewpoints or follow one of the many trails into the hoodoos and beyond. **(B)**

DAY 7 Discover the Mysteries of the Navajo Nation A pink, red and orange canvas awaits you at Coral Pink Sand Dunes State Park. Embrace today's **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** as you explore Antelope Canyon in Lake Powell Navajo Tribal Park. Your local Diné (Navajo) guides will explain how slot canyons are formed as you take in the dramatic and beautiful landscape. Then take a short hike to see Horseshoe Bend and the flowing Colorado River which has carved its way through the red-coloured sandstone. Finish the day with a **Be My Guest** experience, connecting to the soul of the land on the Navajo Nation. **(B, D)** **Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott Page at Lake Powell**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Hike into Antelope Canyon in the awe-inspiring Lake Powell Navajo Tribal Park. Your local Diné (Navajo) guides explain how slot canyons are formed as you take in the dramatic surroundings. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

Be My Guest

Meet your hosts, Baya and Paul, for an under-the-stars dining experience at Shash Dine Eco Retreat, followed by Diné (Navajo) storytelling with award-winning recording artist and storyteller Eli Secody.

DAY 8 Unwind in Page and Lake Powell Enjoy a full free day to spend as you wish in the water wonderland that is Lake Powell. Relax and rejuvenate as you explore on your own or consider joining one of the organised optional activities, like the Colorado River float trip or a helicopter ride up to the top of Tower Butte for 360° views of the world below you. This evening, enjoy an unforgettable dinner at Sunset 89 with unbeatable views of Lake Powell and Glen Canyon. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 Hike Zion National Park Witness the striking colours of Vermillion Cliffs as you drive westward. In Zion National Park, enjoy lunch at Zion Lodge before selecting from many fantastic hikes including Watchman Trail, Kayenta Trail or Riverside Walk. Or, opt to take it easy and sightsee at your leisure using the complimentary Zion National Park shuttles. The rest of your evening is at leisure. **(B, L)** **Hotel: Springhill Suites by Marriott Springdale Zion National Park**

DAY 10 Watch the Sunrise in Springdale Wake up early to catch the sun rise, go for a leisurely stroll, or just relax enjoying a peaceful morning in Springdale. Bid farewell to your Travel Director and fellow travellers before you depart for Las Vegas around midday. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Utah's Mighty Five iconic national parks: Arches, Canyonlands, Capitol Reef, Bryce Canyon and Zion National Parks as well as four Utah State Parks; Dead Horse Point, Goblin Valley, Kodachrome Basin and Coral Pink Sands

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along an "All-American Road" on Utah's Scenic Byway 12

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Dead Horse Point State Park was one of many beautiful sites. You can see the valley below and it almost felt like I was flying.

Lauri

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DTMF

Colourful Trails of the Southwest

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

11 Days | 1 Country | 15 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - May + Sep - Oct

Journey past the Grand Canyon, ancient Puebloan cliff dwellings and natural arches near Moab. Explore the Old West as the sun sets against a sandstone backdrop and attend the largest hot air balloon festival in the U.S.



DAY 1 Welcome to Phoenix and Scottsdale Arrive in sun-kissed Phoenix and transfer to Scottsdale at your leisure. This evening, meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(D) Hotel: Sonesta Suites Scottsdale Gainey Ranch**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 See the Red Rocks of Sedona Your first stop today is in the artists' enclave of Sedona – surrounded by red-rock buttes, steep canyon walls and pine forests. You'll travel through Oak Creek Canyon next, with its rocky red cliffs, then venture to the UNESCO-listed Grand Canyon National Park where you'll meet Tim, a passionate geologist who'll share stories of the Canyon and its formation. Tonight, you'll overnight at one of the lodges inside the park. **(B) Hotel: National Park Lodges Grand Canyon**

DAY 3 Take in the Sights of the Grand Canyon Rise early for an optional flightseeing tour over the Grand Canyon and then trace the scenic South Rim of the Grand Canyon along Desert View Drive. Take in sweeping views of the Grand Canyon's eastern edge from Desert Viewpoint. Finally, admire one of Arizona's most iconic natural wonders, Horseshoe Bend. Take a walk to the canyon's rim for unforgettable views as the Colorado River winds its way through the dramatic cliffs below. Finish the day connecting to the soul of the land over a **Be My Guest** experience on the Navajo Nation. **(B, D) Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott Page at Lake Powell**

Be My Guest

Enjoy a meal under the stars at Shash Dine Eco Retreat with recording artist and storyteller Eli Secody.

DAY 4 Take a Scenic Drive to Moab Depart Page for a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** tour in Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park, then savour an outdoor barbeque set among the iconic buttes and mesas, prepared by Diné (Navajo) tribe members who share stories of their people and their deep connection to the land. Then, continue to Moab on a scenic drive where you can sit back and enjoy desert views of the Southwest. The evening is yours to explore Moab's Main Street. **(B, L) Hotel: Springhill Suites by Marriott Moab**

DAY 5 Admire the Landscape of Arches National Park This morning, discover how the forces of wind and rain have shaped the enchanting landscape of Arches National Park. Later, journey to Canyonlands National Park. **(B)**

DAY 6 Discover the History of Mesa Verde Arrive in the UNESCO-listed Mesa Verde National Park to delve into the history

and culture of the Ancestral Puebloan people. This evening in Durango, your **Stays with Stories** is the historic Strater Hotel. You'll have the evening at leisure to explore the historic town of Durango. **(B) Hotel: Historic Strater**

Stays with Stories

Built in 1887, this Historic Strater Hotel features original antiques and a saloon bar complete with staff in historic costume.

DAY 7 Dive into Durango Enjoy free time in Durango today. Perhaps, enjoy a half-day Optional Experience visiting the historic towns of Ouray and Silverton, Colorado. If you're lucky, ride back into town on the Silverton-Durango railway ride (booked independently). Or, explore downtown Durango before embarking on an exciting Colorado River rafting trip, or a Jeep Tour through La Plata Mountains. **(B)**

DAY 8 Unlock the Legacy of the Taos Pueblo The journey continues along the High Road – Santa Fe Scenic Byway, rich in history, art and culture. Enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** as you visit one of the greatest Ancestral Puebloan archaeological sites in the Southwest. **(B) Hotel: Piñon Court By La Fonda**

DAY 9 Explore the Unique Culture of Santa Fe Today, you'll have a full free day to explore Santa Fe at your leisure. Perhaps visit the iconic Georgia O'Keeffe Museum on your terms or explore one of the many chocolate shops and art galleries just steps away from your hotel. This evening, savour dinner in town. **(B, D)**

DAY 10 Revel at the Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta You're in for a wonderful time at Albuquerque's Balloon Fiesta. It is one of the largest and most renowned hot air balloon festivals in the world featuring mass ascensions, special shape balloons, balloon competitions and entertainment. You'll have access to the Chaser's Club, a private outdoor patio to witness the spectacular display of colour and creativity in the sky. **(B, D) Hotel: Crowne Plaza**

DAY 11 Depart Albuquerque Gaze upwards as hundreds of colourful balloons take to the sky. Then, transfer to Albuquerque International airport or consider extending your stay at the Sheraton Albuquerque Uptown. Airport arrival will be at 11:00, please be aware when booking your flights. **(B)**

Balloon Fiesta Option

On select departures in September and October, you'll have the chance to witness the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta with an extra night in Albuquerque.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

The Grand Canyon, Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park, and Taos Pueblo

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Scottsdale, Cameron Trading Post, Horseshoe Bend Lookout, Moab, Arches National Park, Canyonlands National Park, Mesa Verde National Park, Durango, Santa Fe

View Must-see Landmarks

Cliff Palace dwelling at Mesa Verde National Park, Desert Viewpoint

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive through Sedona's Red Rock Country, Oak Creek Canyon, Grand Canyon National Park's Desert View Drive, Trail of the Ancients National Scenic Byway, the High Road Scenic Byway from Taos to Santa Fe

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 3 and 6 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See days 4 and 8 for how you'll make a positive impact

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Arches National Park was like nothing I've ever seen before!

Sandra

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DCTS/DCTB

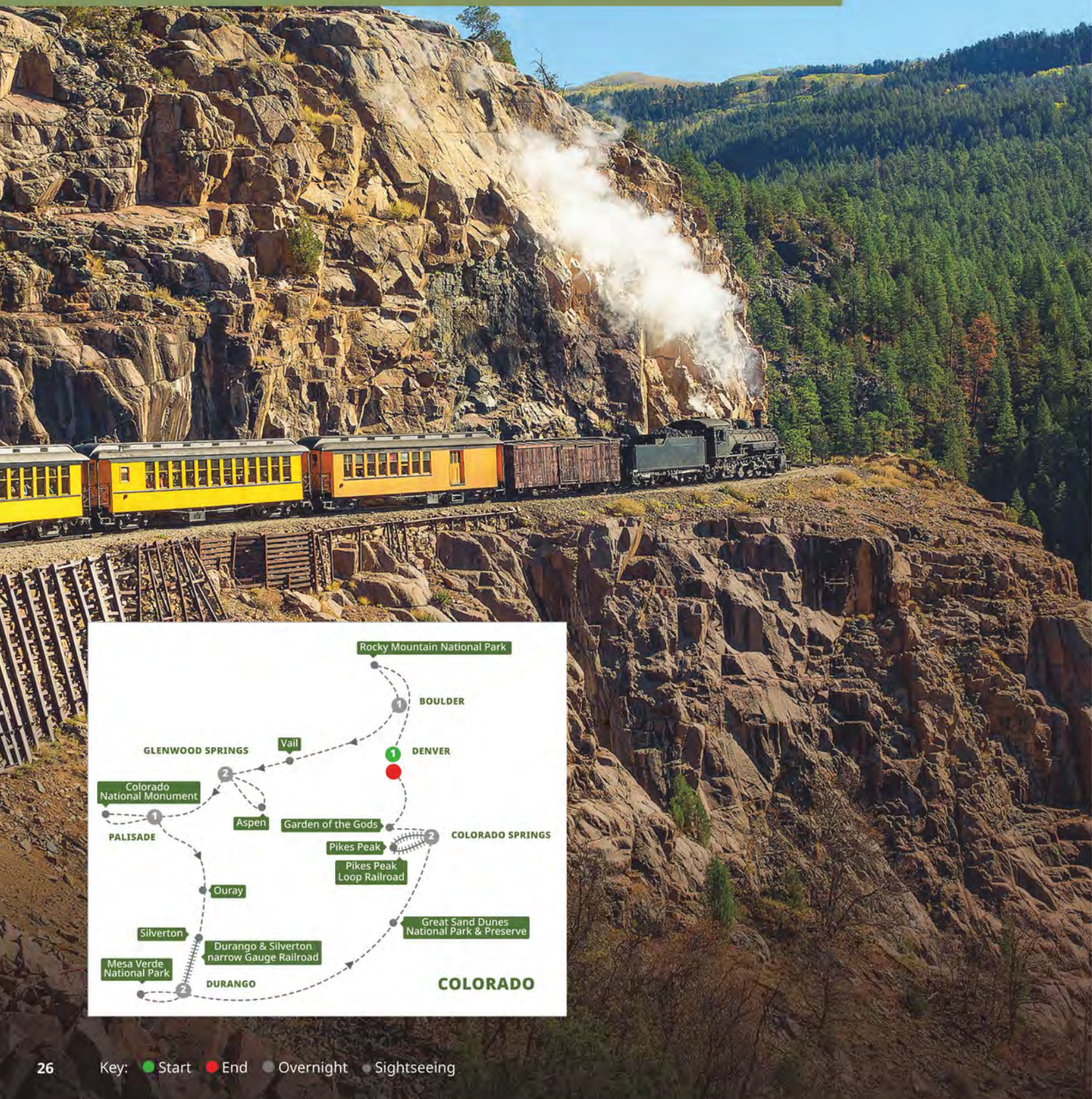
Welcome to Colorado

4.4/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

10 Days | 1 Country | 13 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

Enjoy Colorado sightseeing visiting Rocky Mountain, Mesa Verde, and Great Sand Dunes National Parks. Hear captivating tales of the Gold Rush, ride aboard historic trains and drive the scenic "Million Dollar" and Peak to Peak Highways against the unforgettable backdrop of red-rock country.



DAY 1 Good Day Denver Welcome to Denver, the Mile High City. Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers this evening for a dinner. **(D) Hotel: Magnolia Denver**
Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Traverse the Rocky Mountains The Rocky Mountains may seem larger than life, but your journey to Rocky Mountain National Park will see you come face to face with this extraordinary mountain landscape which snakes along western North America. Drive along the Trail Ridge Road (seasonal), a designated national scenic byway and the highest continuous paved highway in America. **(B) Hotel: Embassy Suites by Hilton Boulder**

DAY 3 Urban Farming and Picturesque Towns Start the day with a guided **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at a local urban community farm that embraces organic and sustainable farming practises. Before continuing to Glenwood Springs, spend some time exploring the cobbled streets of Vail. Tonight, enjoy your **Stays with Stories** hotel. **(B) Hotel: Colorado**

Stays with Stories

Hotel Colorado has been delighting guests with its legendary hospitality since 1893. This landmark hotel is located right in downtown Glenwood Springs, mere steps from Glenwood Hot Springs.

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience
 Tour Growing Gardens, an 11-acre urban farm. Learn about land conservation, water availability, regenerative agricultural practises, environmental education, and animal husbandry. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

DAY 4 Admire Aspen Head up Colorado's Rocky Mountains to Aspen. Join your Travel Director for a walk through town as an exciting experience awaits, as you're taken by jeep up to the historic Burlingame Cabin located on Snowmass Mountain. There you can take an extended jeep tour, or just sit back, relax and admire the breathtaking views of the mountain ranges. Enjoy a delicious lunch hot off the grill, a campfire, live music, and s'mores. **(B, L)**

DAY 5 Savour the Flavours of Colorado
 Head for Palisade today. Stop at a local peach farm (seasonal) to learn all about fruit farming in the Rockies. After, you'll head on to the Colorado National Monument which preserves one of the grandest landscapes of the American West. This evening, stay in the heart of wine country and enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience where you'll be hosted for dinner by the owner of a local winery. **(B, D) Hotel: Wine Country Inn**

Be My Guest

Meet Nicholas & Holly and enjoy a tour at the Maison La Belle Vie Winery before sitting down for a three-course dinner paired with wine.

DAY 6 Journey Through The Rustic Rockies Today you'll stop in the must-see town of Ouray. From Ouray, ride along the famous "Million Dollar Highway," a designated All-American Byway and one of the state's most scenic drives. Arrive in the mining town of Silverton to board the Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad to Durango. Take a trip back in time as you journey along rails that were originally laid at the end of the 19th century. Later, check into your **Stays with Stories** accommodation. **(B) Hotel: Historic Strater**

DAY 7 Unmask Mesa Verde National Park Admire the ancient cliff dwellings of the Ancestral Puebloan people, carved out of the sandstone of the canyon walls, at the UNESCO-listed Mesa Verde National Park. Several hundred of these dwellings, in addition to thousands of known archaeological sites, are preserved in this protected area. Later, indulge in free time in Durango with optional activities, including a fun rafting experience on the Animas River. This evening, explore Downtown Durango's bustling restaurant scene. **(B)**

DAY 8 Discover The Great Sand Dunes
 Today's highlight is the Great Sand Dunes National Park & Preserve, a sandbox of epic proportions - 39 square miles (101 square kilometres) and 229 m (725 ft), making it the largest sand dune in North America. Learn about this unique geographical phenomenon before heading for Colorado Springs. **(B) Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn Colorado Springs Downtown**

DAY 9 Traverse To Majestic Pikes Peak
 Start your day with a once-in-a-lifetime journey aboard the historic Pikes Peak Cog Railway, the world's highest cog railway. Wind your way through forests of aspen and pine, before reaching the 4,302 m (14,115 ft) summit for views that inspired the song "America the Beautiful". Later, discover Colorado's natural beauty at the Garden of the Gods. Join a Local Specialist for a guided walk among the red rock formations, learning how this registered National Natural Landmark was shaped by millions of years of geological activity. Then stroll through the town of Manitou Springs, known for its historic architecture, mineral springs and local artisan shops. This evening, raise a glass and enjoy a local dinner, sharing stories and celebrating your time in the Colorado Rockies. **(B, D)**

DAY 10 Goodbye, Colorado Enjoy a complimentary drop-off at Denver International Airport. Safe travels! **(B)**
Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 10:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Rocky Mountain, Mesa Verde, Great Sand Dunes National Parks, Colorado National Monument, Garden of the Gods

View Must-see Landmarks

Cliff Palace dwelling at Mesa Verde National Park

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along Million Dollar Highway, Rim Rock Drive, Peak to Peak Highway, Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad to Durango, Pikes Peak Cog Railway

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

See day 3 for how you'll make a positive impact

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The mountains, rivers, trees, train rides, the quaint little towns, the canyons. Everything is stunning in Colorado. We arrived in Colorado when the Aspen trees were changing.

Annette

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Five Epic National Parks

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Tick off five national parks in nine days, travelling from the peaks of Grand Teton and the geysers of Yellowstone to the hoodoos of Bryce Canyon. Along the way, journey through Zion National Park before standing at the edge of the Grand Canyon.



DAY 1 Howdy Jackson Your journey through the Old West and epic national parks begins in the intrepid adventurer's town of Jackson. Check in to your hotel and enjoy an afternoon strolling the art galleries in town before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner this evening. **(D) Hotel: 49'er Inn & Suites**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Go Wild In Grand Teton National Park See Grand Teton National Park, where the shimmering peaks of the Teton Range rise above alpine forests and lakes. The park is famed for its 45-mile Teton Mountain Range, with eight peaks over 3,658 m (12,001 ft). Glacier-carved lakes shape the landscape, with Jenny Lake the most popular. It's a prime destination for wildlife, including black bears, grey wolves, eagles and elk. This afternoon, opt for an aerial tram ride to the summit of Rendezvous Mountain for 360-degree views of the Tetons, Jackson Hole and the Snake River Valley. **(B)**

DAY 3 Delve Into The Wild Scenery Of The West If in season, rise early for an optional scenic float on the Snake River, learning its history, geology and wildlife from an expert guide. Then explore Grand Teton's alpine landscapes en route to West Yellowstone, gateway to the world's oldest national park. **(B) Hotel: Grey Wolf Inn & Suites**

DAY 4 Admire The Geysers Of Yellowstone See how Yellowstone, America's first national park, is in a league of its own. From over 500 spouting geysers and bubbling mud pots to turquoise hot springs, this geothermal wonderland is full of surprises. Visit Old Faithful and watch its iconic eruption, then stop at scenic highlights including Norris Geyser Basin and the Grand Canyon of Yellowstone. Keep your eyes peeled for roaming bison, elk and grizzlies along the way. Later, engage in a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** that brings you face-to-face with the living heritage of the Apsáalooke Nation. Through the words of Charles Yarlott, Jr., gain powerful insight into his people's ancestral connection to this land, passed down through oral history and lived tradition. Discover how the Crow people, known for their horsemanship and warrior traditions, preserved their culture and identity through centuries of upheaval. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Hear the living history of Yellowstone from Charles Yarlott, Jr., a storyteller raised in the Crow language. Discover how the Crow people, known for their horsemanship and warrior traditions, preserved their culture and identity through centuries of upheaval. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 5 Salt Lake City and Swore Farms As you depart West Yellowstone take a lunch break in Pocatello, Idaho for **Be My Guest** experience. At family owned and operated Swore Farms you'll take a ride through the farm and discover the family's passion for farming and living a rural lifestyle. Travel south to Utah's capital, the centre of the Mormon religion. Delve into history at the Salt Lake City Temple Square and take this time to explore at your leisure. This evening, join your fellow travellers for a dinner at your hotel. **(B, L, D) Hotel: The Little America**

Be My Guest

Meet Wendy, mother, farmer and award-winning author to get a glimpse of her life at Swore Farms before enjoying lunch in the greenhouse.

DAY 6 Unmask Bryce Canyon National Park The eerie hoodoo landscapes of Bryce Canyon National Park is your first stop today. Admire its fairytale castles, cathedrals and secret hideaways amidst an amphitheatre of rusty red limestone spires. **(B) Hotel: Hyatt Place Springdale/Zion National Park**

DAY 7 A Scenic Ride Through Zion Canyon Zion Canyon promised soaring canyon walls and the winding Virgin River, and your private tram ride along the valley floor will have you delving into some of the park's most treasured spots. Journey through the painted landscape of Northern Arizona on your way to Williams. Along the way, stop at historic Cameron Trading Post, a local landmark where you'll find Native American art, jewellery and Southwest specialties. Your day ends with a **Stays with Stories** experience at the Grand Canyon Railway Hotel. **(B) Hotel: Grand Canyon Railway**

Stays with Stories

Step into a bygone era at refurbished Grand Canyon Railway Hotel which was built to serve passengers on the Santa Fe Railroad in 1908.

DAY 8 Visit the Grand Canyon Visit one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World and a UNESCO World Heritage site, Grand Canyon National Park. Experience the park on an optional morning flightseeing ride. Then, take in views on the ground as you learn about this natural spectacle. Celebrate your journey with dinner at Fred Harvey restaurant. Enjoy the restaurant's railroad atmosphere complete with dishes inspired by recipes used on classic American railroads. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 One Last Scenic Desert Drive Slice through desert landscapes bound for the desert playground of Las Vegas where you will be transferred to Las Vegas Harry Reid International Airport or consider extending your stay. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 13:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Jackson, Grand Teton National Park, Yellowstone National Park, Bryce Canyon National Park, Zion National Park, Cameron Trading Post, Williams, Grand Canyon National Park

View Must-see Landmarks

Old Faithful and Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Private tram tour through Zion National Park

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

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One of the greatest trips we have done. We saw Old Faithful, rafted along Snake River and saw several bald eagles and herds of bison in Yellowstone.

Amelia

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DPRK

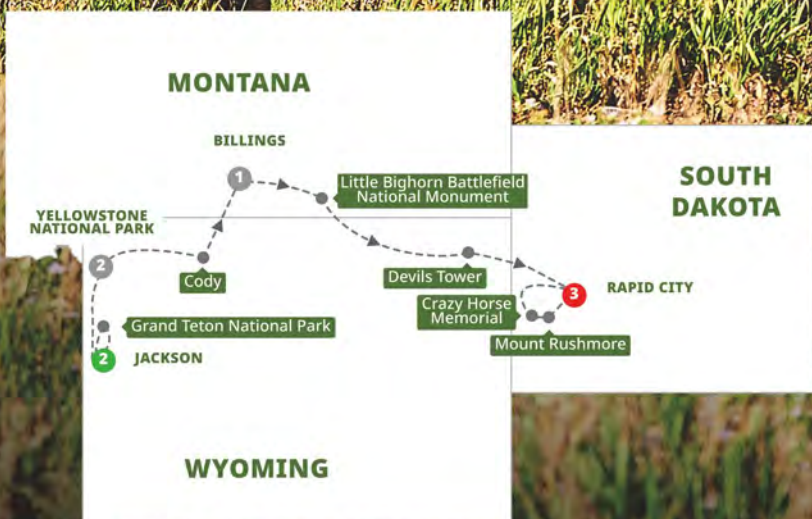
National Park Wonders

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

From Grand Teton and Yellowstone to the Black Hills, this special departure includes the Black Hills Powwow, honouring the spirit and beauty of Great Plains Indigenous culture alongside the landscapes of the American West.



DAY 1 Welcome To Jackson Home to an array of wildlife and the centre of outdoor adventures, explore Jackson on your own before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner. **(D) Hotel: The Lodge at Jackson Hole**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 An Adventure in Grand Teton National Park Spend the morning connecting with the dazzling natural scenery of Grand Teton National Park. Marvel at the summit peaks of the Teton mountain range and take in the awe-inspiring Jenny Lake. This afternoon, choose to sail into the sky on an aerial tram ride to the peak of Rendezvous Mountain offering 360-degree views of the Tetons, Jackson Hole, the Snake River Valley, and Grand Teton National Park. This evening, opt for a western hoedown featuring a Dutch-oven style dinner with Bar-T 5. **(B)**

DAY 3 Delve Into Yellowstone National Park This morning, you may take an optional float trip down Snake River. Sit back and relax as your expert guide points out the sites and wildlife which may include beaver, cutthroat trout, cliff swallows, pelicans, osprey, and bald eagles. We continue our exploration of the great American West as you head to the world's first National Park, Yellowstone. Your encounter with its geothermal wonders will leave you in awe. You'll stay amidst the colourful pools of hot springs, mud pots and geysers tonight at one of the park's signature lodges. **(B) Hotel: National Park Lodges Yellowstone**

DAY 4 Journey Through Yellowstone National Park Venture into the wild beauty of Yellowstone National Park and start your day with a visit to Norris Geyser Basin. Set on the rim of the Yellowstone volcano, this is the Park's hottest and most dynamic thermal area. Continue your journey through Hayden Valley, watching for bison, grizzlies and elk along the way. At Yellowstone's Grand Canyon, the rusting canyon walls frame the waterfall cascades below. End your day at the famed Old Faithful and witness its iconic eruption. **(B)**

DAY 5 Get A Taste Of The Wild West Experience the history of the American West at the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West in Cody. Enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience as you dine at the historic Billings Depot, featuring a hyper-local pairing of food and mixed cocktails. **(B, D) Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Billings**

Be My Guest

Join local owner and founder of Undammed Distilling Co., Allen Hodges, and Chef Stephen of Stacked, who will guide you through a truly local Montana food and beverage pairing experience.

DAY 6 Journey to Rapid City Head through the windswept prairies of the American frontier starting with a visit to Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument before continuing into the Black Hills of South Dakota. You'll admire the looming fortress of Devils Tower, a geological monolith that seems to rise upright out of the prairie and learn why it's considered sacred to local Native American tribes. Afterwards journey to Rapid City, where you'll have your overnight stay. **(B, D) Hotel: The Rushmore**

DAY 7 Explore the Black Hills Powwow

Today is your first full day in Rapid City to enjoy at leisure. Relax at your hotel or choose an Optional Experience such as visiting Badlands National Park with your Travel Director exploring 244,000 acres of sharply eroded buttes, pinnacles and spires within one of America's largest protected mixed grass prairies. You'll also stop at the famous Wall Drug Store, a top roadside attraction. In the evening, attend a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the Black Hills Powwow, also known as He Sapa Wacipi, with Stephen Yellowhawk of the Lakota tribe, a sacred gathering where Indigenous communities celebrate and honour their beautiful culture that you get to witness. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Enjoy an evening at the Black Hills Powwow, one of the premier American Indian cultural events in the United States. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 8 Hear the History of the Black Hills

Travel to South Dakota to pay tribute to Crazy Horse, the largest mountain carving in the world, peering at the immortalised face of the famed war chief of the Lakota people etched from the granite rock of the Black Hills. Continue to Mount Rushmore featuring the enormous carvings of George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln dramatically etched into the granite rock face. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 Farewell Rapid City After breakfast, bid farewell to your travelling companions and transfer to Rapid City Regional Airport at your leisure. Or, extend your stay in Rapid City. **(B)**

Black Hills Powwow Option

On select departures, experience the Black Hills Powwow, with entrance included on the evening of Day 7.

Included highlights and must-sees

Discover on City Orientations

Jackson, Rapid City

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Grand Teton National Park, the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West in Cody, Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, the Black Hills of South Dakota

View Must-see Landmarks

Crazy Horse Memorial and Mount Rushmore in the Black Hills of South Dakota and Devils Tower National Monument

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What a wonderful magical trip! Our wonderful guide Stephen was such a lovely human being and all the places visited were breathtaking.

Lorraine

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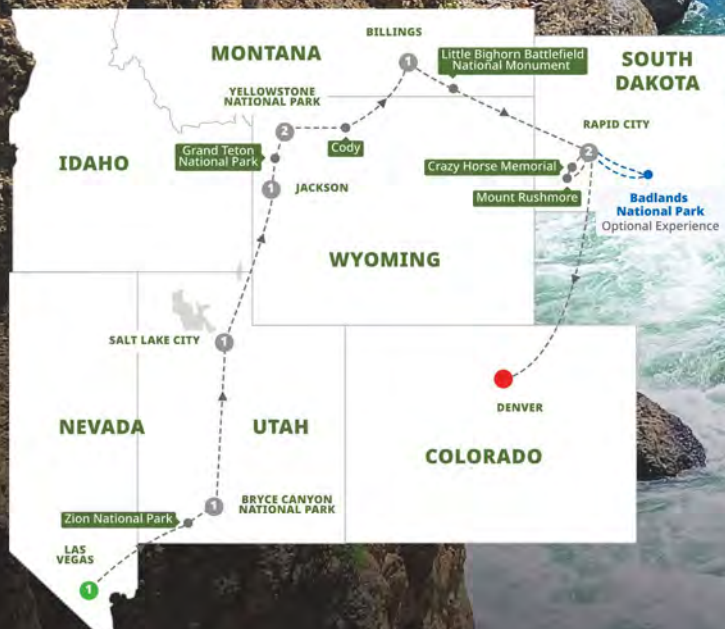
Western Frontiers

4.7/5 feefo 
As rated by past guests

10 Days | 1 Country | 14 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

The wild west at its best. This exploration of the American frontier is filled with local encounters and natural wonders—from the Black Hills to the spires of Bryce Canyon, and from Crazy Horse and Mount Rushmore to Cody's Buffalo Bill Centre. Two nights in Yellowstone ensure you don't miss a thing.



DAY 1 Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas
From glitz and glitter to lavish dining, the desert playground of Las Vegas extends a warm welcome. More than a high energy city of tempting nightlife, the soul-stirring surrounding landscapes make up America's most beloved national parks. Kick off your U.S. National Park tour meeting your Travel Director for dinner to toast to the start of your Western adventure. (D)
Hotel: Horseshoe Las Vegas

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Ride Through Colourful Zion National Park Leave the shimmering Sin City skyline behind as we journey to the canyons and towering cliffs of Zion National Park, following the footsteps of brave pioneers and first nation settlers. Then it's onward to the enchanting landscapes of Bryce Canyon. Admire its rusty red limestone spires that rise up surreally from the desert floor to meet Utah's skies. (B, L) **Hotel: Best Western Plus Bryce Canyon Grand**

DAY 3 Uncover Bryce Canyon and Salt Lake City Spend a leisurely morning inside Bryce Canyon before travelling north to Salt Lake City to discover the local history of its Mormon Centre at Temple Square. This evening, settle in for dinner with your fellow travellers. (B, D) **Hotel: The Little America**

DAY 4 North to Jackson Get ready for a change of scenery today, taking in views of Wasatch Range and southeast Idaho as you head north from Salt Lake City to Jackson. Standing in the shadows of the Teton Range's icy peaks, this mountain town has an Old West look with a modern twist. Get a feel for the outdoor vibe – home to three ski areas and many rugged trails – on your own. Grab dinner this evening in one of the old-timey saloons and steakhouses destined to fuel your adventures through western frontiers. (B) **Hotel: Modern Mountain Motel**

DAY 5 Travel Through Scenic Grand Teton National Park Perhaps float down Snake River on an optional scenic float trip through Grand Teton National Park. Journey through the alpine terrain of the Teton mountain range en route to the UNESCO-listed Yellowstone National Park, where you'll spend two nights inside the park at a lodge surrounded by nature. (B) **Hotel: National Park Lodges Yellowstone**

Stays with Stories

Your accommodation within Yellowstone National Park grants you access to the park even after the day-trippers have gone.

DAY 6 See the Grandeur of Yellowstone National Park Explore the rusting walls of the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone and join your Travel Director for an exploration of the park's bubbling hot springs, paint pots and Old Faithful. (B)

Included meals: Breakfast (B) Lunch (L) Dinner (D)

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

DAY 7 Experience Big Sky and the Wild West Visit the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West museum complex to gain a deeper understanding of the "Spirit of the American West". Then it's on to Big Sky Country where you'll enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience at the historic Billings Depot, an iconic local spot for more than 120 years. (B, D) **Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Billings**

Be My Guest

At the historic Billings Depot, meet Montana beef advocate Chaley Harney and Local Chef Stephen Hindman. Hear how the railroads shaped the state's ranching history, then enjoy a three-course beef menu paired with regional beer and wine – all while connecting with the people, places and stories that define Montana's cattle country.

DAY 8 Unlock The History of Little Big Horn Your day begins with a visit to Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument, the infamous battlefield of Custer's Last Stand. Then, through the Black Hills, as you visit the Crazy Horse Memorial before ending in Rapid City. (B) **Hotel: The Rushmore**

DAY 9 Delve Into the Black Hills of South Dakota Whether or not you caught the show last night, the must-see sight of Mount Rushmore National Memorial makes a dramatic start to your day with the opportunity to take the perfect picture. View the faces of former American presidents etched into the granite rock-face. Later, you could join an Optional Experience venturing into Badlands National Park to explore 244,000 acres of sharply eroded buttes, pinnacles and spires blended with the largest protected mixed grass prairie in America feeling like you've entered an ancient world. A **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** awaits this evening as you meet Lakota Tribe Member Stephen Yellowhawk who shares his passion for his culture over stories of his tribe's history during a festive evening of singing, dance and music. (B, D)

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Meet Stephen Yellowhawk, a performer for more than 20 years with a passion for dance and sheer determination to promote his Native American culture. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 10 Farewell Rapid City or Denver Depart from Rapid City at your leisure or continue to Denver International Airport or extend your stay in Denver with post-nights. (B)

Transfer: Depart Rapid City and transfer to Denver airport, arriving at approximately 16:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Discover on City Orientations
Jackson Hole and Salt Lake City

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Zion, Bryce Canyon, Jackson, Grand Teton National Park, Yellowstone National Park, the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West in Cody, Little Bighorn Battlefield, Crazy Horse Memorial with a Local Guide granting you access to the base of the memorial

View Must-see Landmarks

Iconic Mount Rushmore in South Dakota

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Travel Responsibly

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We were at Yellowstone for the first snowfall of the year and got to see the buffalo walk right by us. We met amazing like-minded people!

Galo

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Trip code: DWFT

Scenic Parks Explorer

4.8/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

15 Days | 1 Country | 22 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

Venture through the American West's most iconic landscapes, from soaring red rock arches to thundering geysers. Along the way, uncover ancient cliff dwellings, traditions and stories of the frontier as you travel from Zion and culminating in the Grand Canyon National Park



DAY 1 Welcome to Fabulous Las Vegas

Kick off your US National Park tour meeting your Travel Director for a Welcome Dinner at a local restaurant. **(D) Hotel: Horseshoe Las Vegas**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Ride Through Colourful Zion

National Park Your first stop today is Zion National Park for sightseeing and lunch. Then, it's off to enchanting landscapes of Bryce Canyon. **(B, L) Hotel: Best Western Plus Bryce Canyon Grand**

DAY 3 Uncover The History Of Salt Lake City

Unlock the iconic hoodoos on your second day in Bryce Canyon National Park. Travel north to Salt Lake City and learn about the Mormon pioneers who settled here. **(B, D) Hotel: The Little America**

DAY 4 North to Jackson Head north to Jackson, which stands in the shadows of the Teton Range. You'll have time this afternoon to settle in and explore this mountain town. **(B) Hotel: Modern Mountain Motel**

DAY 5 Travel Through Scenic Grand Teton National Park

Cross the alpine landscapes of Grand Teton National Park en route to Yellowstone's geothermal wonderland and your **Stay with Stories** experience. **(B) Hotel: National Park Lodges Yellowstone**

DAY 6 See the Grandeur of Yellowstone National Park

Exploring much of the park's geological wonders, you'll stop at the bubbling hot springs and Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone River. **(B)**

DAY 7 Experience Big Sky and the Wild West

Visit the Buffalo Bill Centre of the West to gain a deeper understanding of the "Spirit of the American West." Travel to Big Sky Country where you will enjoy an authentic Western **Be My Guest** experience at the historic Billings Depot built in 1903 as a hub for three major railroads. **(B, D) Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Billings**

Be My Guest

At the historic Billings Depot, meet Montana beef advocate Chaley Harney and Local Chef Stephen Hindman. Hear how the railroads shaped the state's ranching history, then enjoy a three-course beef menu paired with regional beer and wine.

DAY 8 Unlock The History of Little Bighorn

Travel to Little Bighorn, the historic site of Custer's Last Stand. Continue east through the iconic Black Hills, then visit Crazy Horse Memorial, the world's largest mountain carving. **(B) Hotel: The Rushmore**

DAY 9 Delve Into the Black Hills of South Dakota

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DAY 10 Journey Through The Prairies

To Denver Travel south through the expansive prairies of Wyoming to Denver, the Mile High City, where you'll enjoy dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: The Slate Hotel Denver Downtown, Tapestry by Hilton**

DAY 11 Roam The Rockies Ascend into the foothills of the Rockies and cross the Continental Divide en route to the alpine village of Vail. You'll then make your way to the town of Palisade for a **Be My Guest** experience at a local farm, then continue to Moab for an evening on your terms. **(B, L) Hotel: Best Western Plus Canyonlands Inn**

Be My Guest

Meet Jessica and Scott for a meal at Field to Fork. Take a walking tour of the farm discovering how they grow organic produce. Cap off your experience with a meal utilising local and seasonal ingredients.

DAY 12 Take In The Views of The Canyonlands

Your national park journey takes you to Canyon Country, where you'll visit Canyonlands National Park and Arches National Park. **(B)**

DAY 13 Mesa Verde National Park to Monument Valley

Admire the ancient cliff dwellings of the Ancestral Puebloan people at the UNESCO-listed Mesa Verde National Park before heading to your **Stay with Stories** experience. **(B) Hotel: Goulding's Lodge**

DAY 14 Tour the Remarkable Grand Canyon

Today you'll experience two **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experiences**. First, explore Monument Valley's buttes and mesas, then pay a visit to Desert View Cultural Heritage Site. End the day with a private nature walk on the South Rim with geologist, Canyon Tim. Join your fellow travellers for dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: National Park Lodges Grand Canyon**

DAY 15 End Your Journey In Las Vegas

End your journey with a provided transfer to Las Vegas International Airport. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 15:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Crazy Horse Memorial, Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park with a Navajo Guide and the Grand Canyon with a Local Geologist

Discover on City Orientations

Las Vegas, Salt Lake City, Jackson Hole, Rapid City

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Zion, Bryce Canyon, Grand Teton, Arches, Canyonlands, and Grand Canyon National Parks, Buffalo Bill Centre of the West, Little Bighorn Battlefield National Monument

View Must-see Landmarks

Iconic Mount Rushmore in South Dakota and Cliff dwellings of Mesa Verde National Park

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 5, 7, 11 and 13 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See days 9 and 14 for how you'll make a positive impact

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An incredibly thoughtful tour - all ladies received a beautiful red rose on Mother's Day. We enjoyed super views of the Teton Mountains, rafting down the Snake River.

Christine

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DSPA

Northern California with Yosemite National Park

4.5/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

See Northern California through its cities, coast and wild landscapes, travelling from San Francisco and Sonoma Valley to Lake Tahoe, Yosemite National Park and Monterey. Walk among giant redwoods, taste local wine, stay in Yosemite and share a farm-to-table Be My Guest experience on the Monterey coast.



DAY 1 Hello San Francisco From the iconic to the unexpected, the city of San Francisco never ceases to surprise. Kick-start your Northern California holiday in the cosmopolitan city by the Bay. Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner at your hotel. **(D)**
Hotel: Beacon Grand

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Dive Into Eclectic San Francisco Fuel up for a full day of indulging in San Francisco's many sites. Admire the eclectic mix of Victorian and modern architecture, vibrant culture and cuisines of one of the world's most liveable and iconic cities. Embark on a morning exploration tour that takes you from the lively hotspot of Fisherman's Wharf to Union Square. After lunch, enjoy a relaxing ferry cruise to the quaint seaside community of Sausalito with time for shopping. This evening is at your leisure. Perhaps choose to join an optional evening tour of the city, starting with a walking tour of Chinatown, followed by a dinner at Great Eastern and concluding with a city Illuminations tour. **(B)**

DAY 3 Journey To Wine Country Start off your day with a guided Golden Gate Bridge walk across the 1.7-mile span of the magnificent "bridge that couldn't be built." As you gaze across the water, learn how this iconic engineering marvel was constructed. Continue to Sonoma Valley. Today, you'll visit a local winery and enjoy a unique experience and exploration of wine with a tasting. Enjoy an included lunch this afternoon with your fellow travellers. **(B, L)**
Hotel: Flamingo Resort & Spa

DAY 4 Entice Your Senses At Lake Tahoe Enjoy a visit to California's State Capitol before travelling through the scenic, fertile Sacramento River Valley to find yourself in the alpine splendour of Lake Tahoe. Its clear blue waters surrounded by evergreen pines and rocky outcrops provides you with a picturesque scenery to behold. **(B)**
Hotel: Margaritaville Resort

DAY 5 Embrace The Wilderness Of Yosemite National Park Touch the sky and embark on a scenic road-trip into the Sierra Nevada mountain range, winding along the Tioga Pass (weather dependent) to California's UNESCO-listed Yosemite National Park. Marvel at the incredible natural beauty that inspired naturalist John Muir to dub Yosemite Valley the "Incomparable Valley", passing the colossal granite faces of El Capitan and the misty splendour of Bridalveil Fall. Tonight, your **Stays with Stories** brings you into the park at Yosemite Valley Lodge. **(B)**
Hotel: Yosemite Valley Lodge/Tenaya Lodge, Fish Camp

Stays with Stories

Stay at the Yosemite Valley Lodge located close to Yosemite Falls in the middle of the national park.

DAY 6 Taste The California Difference

After breakfast, head to the Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias (seasonal), home to over 500 mature trees and the largest sequoia grove in Yosemite National Park. Continue to Monterey where you will enjoy a farm-to-table **Be My Guest** experience at Happy Girl Kitchen. **(B, D)** **Hotel: Casa Munras Garden Hotel & Spa**

Be My Guest

Visit Happy Girl Kitchen in Monterey, where your hosts Todd and Jordan Champagne share their love of food during a farm-to-table dinner.



DAY 7 Witness The Incredible California Coast

The pinch-me moments continue as you follow the sun-kissed California coast, cruising scenic 17-Mile Drive. Visit the Salinas Valley where you'll love your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** with an agricultural education tour. You'll visit one of the oldest family farms in Monterey County and taste a local delicacy. Return to Monterey, home to Cannery Row, immortalised in the John Steinbeck novel. Tonight, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a festive dinner. **(B, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Learn about fruit and vegetable production and advanced farming techniques of the region that is known as the "Salad Bowl of the World". Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

DAY 8 Take A Walk Through The

Redwoods California's towering redwoods provide an imposing backdrop this morning as you continue to Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park where you'll have an opportunity to walk amongst these giants that have stood for over a thousand years. Return to the golden city of San Francisco where you might consider extending your stay. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 13:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Discover on City Orientations

San Francisco, Sausalito, Sacramento, and Monterey

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Local Sonoma Country Winery, Yosemite National Park, Mariposa Grove of Giant Sequoias (seasonal), quaint Carmel-by-the-Sea, Henry Cowell Redwoods State Park

View Must-see Landmarks

Palace of Fine Arts and Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco, California State Capitol in Sacramento, Tunnel View in Yosemite

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Across the San Francisco Bay, Drive through wine country, over Tioga Pass (seasonal), and along spectacular 17-Mile Drive in Carmel; Drive along spectacular 17-mile Drive, through Wine Country and Tioga Pass

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Yosemite Valley is one of the many stunning locations of this well-thought-out tour. We'll never forget our wonderful tour guide!

William

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California's Great National Parks

4.4/5 feefo 
As rated by past guests

8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Sequoias frame your path as you experience the wonders of California's National Parks. Enjoy a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience as you meet a climber in Yosemite National Park. Visit Sequoia National Park for a stargazing experience. Bask in the beauty of Mammoth Lakes and visit Death Valley National Park.



DAY 1 Soar Above the Neon Lights of Vegas

Begin your exploration in Las Vegas. This evening, meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner before you head out to the Las Vegas Strip. Find yourself soaring 168 m (550 ft) above the centre of the Las Vegas Strip on the High Roller, the world's tallest observation wheel. **(D)** **Hotel: Horseshoe Las Vegas**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Travel Through Death Valley National Park

Immerse yourself in Death Valley's stillness, where desolate landscapes surprise with signs of life and natural extremes. Admire scenic views of the undulating rocky landscape at Zabriskie Point and learn about the valley's unique geological features, history and intriguing weather patterns. Descend below sea level to the Badwater Basin. Continue through the desert landscape of Death Valley ascending to Mammoth Lakes, your home for the night. **(B)** **Hotel: Mammoth Mountain Inn**

DAY 3 Dine in the Clouds at Mammoth Mountain

Take a scenic gondola ride to the peak of Mammoth Mountain (seasonal) and enjoy the stunning views while you enjoy a tasty breakfast. Enjoy a scenic drive on the June Lake Loop for your first peek at the bright blue waters of June Lake. The alpine scenery of aspens and willows is a feast for the eyes along this winding road before lunch on your own at Lee Vining. Touch the clouds through the Tioga Pass (seasonal) and enter the UNESCO-listed Yosemite National Park. Driving past Tenaya Lake and Tuolumne Meadows, journey to Yosemite Valley. Your **Stays with Stories** accommodation tonight includes a cosy lodge atmosphere and is located just a stone's throw from Yosemite Falls. **(B)** **Hotel: Yosemite Valley Lodge**

DAY 4 Stroll or Hike in Yosemite Explore Yosemite National Park today, famed for its grand meadows, and iconic rock formations. Enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**

through the Yosemite Conservancy. Afterwards, you can explore Yosemite Valley's El Capitan, Cathedral Rocks or Bridalveil Falls at your leisure. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Meet a local climber and naturalist to hear first-hand stories of the history of climbing in Yosemite. Learn how the conservancy helps improve trails, restore habitat, protect wildlife, inspire the next generation of nature-lovers and more. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land.

DAY 5 Enjoy Kings Canyon National Park

After departing Yosemite, get ready for a **Be My Guest** experience with naturalist Dan Webster. Learn how fire shapes forest ecosystems during his engaging talk, then enjoy lunch with him and dive deeper into

the wonders of the Sierra Nevada. Stretch your legs in Kings Canyon National Park and gaze towards the sky as you greet the giant boughs of General Grant Tree. Enjoy a bird's-eye view of Kings Canyon before you continue along the Majestic Mountain Loop. Towering redwood trunks frame your journey to Sequoia National Park, where you'll spend the night in your **Stays with Stories** accommodation, surrounded by forest and soaring Sierra peaks. **(B, L)** **Hotel: Wuksachi Lodge**

Stays with Stories

Spend the night at Wuksachi Lodge in the heart of Sequoia National Park surrounded by the forest and soaring Sierra peaks.

Be My Guest

Your host, Dan Webster will share how fire shapes the forests and what it means for their future, followed by lunch at Tenaya Lodge.

DAY 6 Meet the World's Largest Living Tree

Tread in the footsteps of giants, walking beneath the soaring sequoia canopy to see first-hand the world's largest living tree, General Sherman. Learn about the Giant Forest and its history during a stop at the Giant Forest Museum, then enjoy a leisurely walk along the Big Trees Trail, connecting with the invigorating natural surroundings. Spend the rest of the afternoon exploring the park on your terms, using the complimentary shuttle system (seasonal). This evening enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience. (B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

The Milky Way galaxy spills out across the broad Sequoia sky, an explosion of stars, planets and infinite questions. Spend the hour touring constellations, galaxies, planets and the history of human space and exploration hosted by the non-profit Sequoia Parks Conservancy. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land.

DAY 7 Get a Taste of Hollywood

Descend the Sierra Nevada mountain range into Southern California for an unrivaled view of the hustle and bustle of Los Angeles. You will enjoy a visit to Hollywood, the entertainment capital of the world, for your chance to find your favourite celebrity's Hollywood Star. As your encounter with California's epic natural beauty comes to an end, join your Travel Director and newfound friends for a dinner. **(B, D)** **Hotel: Beverly Hills Marriott**

DAY 8 Farewell California After your adventurous journey through California's national parks, the time has come for you to say goodbye. Prepare to leave Los Angeles International Airport at your leisure or consider extending your stay. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees**Visit Must-see Landmarks**

High Roller Las Vegas, Death Valley National Park, Mammoth Lakes, Yosemite National Park, Kings Canyon National Park, Sequoia National Park, Giant Forest Museum

View Must-see Landmarks

Zabriskie Point and Badwater Basin in Death Valley National Park, General Grant Tree in Kings Canyon National Park, General Sherman Tree in Sequoia National Park

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along Tioga Pass (seasonal)

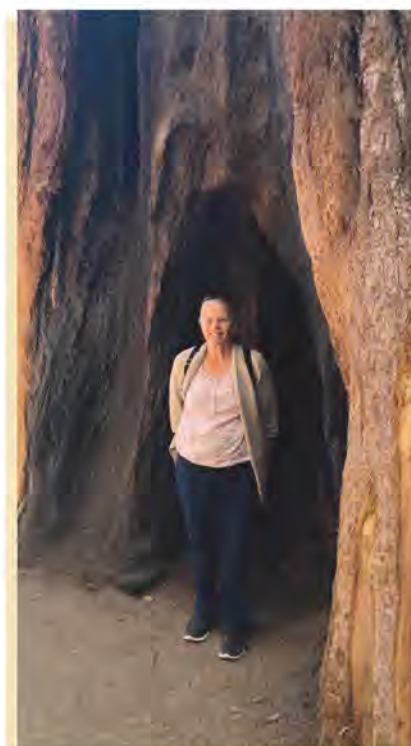
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Amazed and delighted at Sequoia National Park!

Debbie

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DCGP

Best of the Pacific Northwest

feefo 
Tour rating coming soon

8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

Travel from Seattle to San Francisco through the forests, coastlines and cities of the West Coast. Visit Pike Place Market, Portland and Yaquina Head Lighthouse, taste regional flavours in the Willamette Valley, then stand among the giant trees of Redwood National and State Parks.



DAY 1 Hello Seattle Welcome to the Emerald City, named for its towering green forests. A mix of lakes and parks, a tech hub and a foodie paradise, Seattle is full of sights awaiting your discovery. Relax after your arrival or explore before joining your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner this evening. **(D) Hotel: Crowne Plaza**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Morning at the Market Unlock the best of Seattle this morning visiting the historic over-hundred-year-old landmark, Pike Place Market. Next up on an orientation tour led by your Travel Director, drive by the Space Needle built for the 1962 World's Fair. After lunch, stop in Castle Rock, Washington for a visit to the Mount Saint Helens Interpretive Centre before continuing on your journey to Portland. Discover why Portland is dubbed "The City of Roses" on your visit to the International Rose Garden in Washington Park. Snap a photo and inhale the fragrance of the colourful blooms before enjoying a night at leisure. **(B) Hotel: The Dossier**

DAY 3 Portland Get ready for a delicious **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the TMK Creamery. Tour the creamery to learn about the production of cheese, ice cream and Cowcohol. Continue your culinary discoveries at Terra Vina Wines, a multi-generation, family-owned vineyard and tasting room in the northern Willamette Valley AVA. Your **Be My Guest** experience finds you enjoying a tour and tasting their Pinot Noir, Chardonnay and Cabernet Franc. Icons continue on your stop at Portland Women's Forum State Scenic Viewpoint. Capture the view of the historic landmark framed by the Columbia River Gorge. Your next iconic sight is Multnomah Falls before concluding the day back in Portland where you have the option to join a dinner cruise. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Visit TMK Creamery, the world's first farmstead creamery and distillery. See where "Cowcohol" is made - complimented by a tasting of cheese and spirits. Meet the "COWlebrities" and learn how the creamery upcycles remnants from each of their processes into a consumable product. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

Be My Guest

Meet Karl and Carole Dinger and see how Oregon wines are in a league of their own on your visit to family-run Terra Vina Vineyard where you'll enjoy the flavours over lunch.

DAY 4 Sights of Oregon Leave Portland and follow the Oregon coast. Stop in Tillamook to explore the town known for its dairy heritage. Continue to Yaquina Head Lighthouse, built in 1872 and still

in operation. Learn how it guided ships along the coast for over a century. Travel on to Newport, a coastal town where you stay the night. **(B) Hotel: Elizabeth Oceanfront Suites**

DAY 5 On to California Drive along the Oregon coastline, stopping in Coos Bay. Cross into California and arrive in Crescent City, where you'll have time for lunch as you choose. Drive Drury Scenic Parkway through Redwood National and State Parks. This ten-mile drive through old-growth redwood forest in Prairie Creek Redwoods State Park is the best way to see redwood groves otherwise only found in smaller, isolated places. Conclude the day with dinner with your travelling companions and Travel Director. **(B, D) Hotel: Red Lion Eureka**

DAY 6 The Best of the Redwoods Begin your day at Blue Ox Historic Village, one of the last remaining Victorian job shops in the country. Tour the facility and make your own card on the proof press. Unlock California's incredible scenery at Humboldt Redwoods State Park. View some of the world's most majestic ancient redwood groves within the 17,000 acres of the old-growth redwood forest - the largest expanse of ancient redwoods on the planet. Drive through the Avenue of the Giants which is famous for being the most scenic drive among the redwoods and has been called the finest forest drive in the world. You can breathe in fresh forest air and snap a few photos of these titan trees. Then make your way to San Francisco and check in to your **Stays with Stories** accommodation. You'll arrive in the city by the bay with a free evening to explore. Try local cuisine at one of the city's iconic restaurants or seek out the best view of the glittering Golden Gate Bridge stretching across the bay. **(B) Hotel: Beacon Grand**

Stays with Stories

You'll unlock the spirit of San Francisco at this 1920's icon, where golden-age glamour meets modern flair in the heart of Union Square.

DAY 7 San Francisco Embark on a morning exploration tour that takes you from the hotspot of Fisherman's Wharf to Union Square. This afternoon, opt for a Bay Cruise. Take advantage of photo opportunities with views in every direction as you sail past the famous Pier 39 sea lions. Conclude a big day in the big city over dinner with your travel companions. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Farewell, San Francisco It's been a memorable journey from Seattle to San Francisco discovering the many icons of the Pacific Northwest. Conclude your tour after saying goodbye to your travel companions and departing at leisure. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Seattle's Pike Place Market, Mount St. Helens Interpretive Centre, Portland's International Rose Test Garden, Yaquina Head Lighthouse, Eureka's Blue Ox Historic Village and School, San Francisco's Fisherman's Wharf

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive Redwood National and State Parks and the Avenue of the Giants

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Standing beneath the Founder's Tree and walking through the grove fills you with a sense of wonder and awe at the natural world's beauty and resilience.

Alex, Travel Experiences Team

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DPCC

Scenic Great Lakes with Mackinac Island

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Tour rating coming soon

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

See the American Midwest through scenic waterfronts, charming small towns and storied landmarks. Cross Lake Huron to Mackinac Island, roll Bavarian pretzels in Frankenmuth and explore Henry Ford's legacy in Detroit.



DAY 1 Welcome to Chicago Touch down in Chicago and settle into the city before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers over dinner. **(D)**

Hotel: Ambassador Gold Coast

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Discover Chicago's Icons Begin the day with an orientation tour of Chicago alongside your Travel Director, taking in landmarks such as Cloud Gate, the Magnificent Mile and Navy Pier. The afternoon is yours to explore or join an Optional Experience to 360 Chicago for panoramic city and lake views from the 94th floor of the John Hancock Centre. In the early evening, you could take to the water on an Optional Chicago River cruise to see the skyline from a new perspective and hear the stories behind some of its most famous architectural landmarks. **(B)**

DAY 3 Swapping Illinois for Michigan

Travel to Farmhaus Farms for your **Be My Guest** experience, joining John and Meghan Behrens at their family farm. Sip small-batch blends and savour a seasonal three-course lunch among the orchards. Then arrive in Grand Rapids, known for its vibrant craft scene, riverside trails and creative spirit. Spend the evening your way — explore a local brewery, take a stroll along the Grand River or relax at your hotel before the journey continues. **(B, L)** **Hotel: Embassy Suites Downtown**

Be My Guest

Join John and Meghan at their family farm in Michigan for a cider-paired lunch among the orchards. Enjoy a tour through the grove and learn how this duo saved the farmstead from development to grow more than 24 varieties of fruit.



DAY 4 To Mackinac Island via Charlevoix

Leave Grand Rapids behind and travel north to Charlevoix, a lakeside town with impressive harbour views. Take time to explore before continuing to Mackinaw City. From here, you'll take the ferry across the Straits of Mackinac to car-free Mackinac Island. Settle into island life with a horse-drawn carriage ride to the Grand Hotel, your **Stays with Stories** accommodation for tonight, famous for its sweeping porch, lakefront setting and more than a century of hospitality. **(B)** **Hotel: The Grand, Mackinac Island**

Stays with Stories

Since 1887, The Grand Hotel has welcomed guests with its signature white facade, horse-drawn carriages and sweeping views

over Lake Huron. Stroll the world's longest porch and learn about famous figures who've stayed here, from presidents to public personalities.

DAY 5 Welcome to Mackinac Island Set off around the island on a private horse-drawn carriage tour, a tradition dating back over a century. Stop to take in the views from Arch Rock, visit Fort Mackinac and pass landmarks that tell the island's story. This afternoon enjoy lunch at the hotel, enjoying the elegant surroundings. Spend the rest of the day exploring the island as you like. Wander the shops, cycle along the shoreline or simply relax at the Grand Hotel. **(B, L)**

DAY 6 Mackinac Island to Frankenmuth

Take the ferry back to Mackinaw City and continue south to Frankenmuth, known as "Little Bavaria". Dive into Culture with pretzel rolling at the Bavarian Inn, learning the technique before enjoying the results of your work. The rest of the day is yours, perhaps stroll through the boutique-lined streets, stop by a German bakery or relax with a stein before settling in for the night. **(B)** **Hotel: Drury Inn and Suites Frankenmuth**

DAY 7 Head into the City in Detroit Your day begins with a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the Tuskegee Airmen National Museum. Next, get to know Detroit on an orientation tour, passing landmarks that reflect its industrial history, cultural influence and ongoing revitalisation. In the afternoon you have the option to step inside the Guardian Building, a striking Art Deco skyscraper, for an exclusive tour. Gain access to hidden bank vaults, admire the intricate design and hear stories of its significance in the city's financial past. **(B)** **Hotel: The Westin Southfield**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Learn about the first African American aviators in the U.S. Army during a tour of the Tuskegee Airmen National Museum with a Local Specialist. See aircraft used by the airmen and hear how their legacy continues through youth training programmes and scholarships. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 4: Quality Education.

DAY 8 Innovation and History in Motor City

Spend the day exploring the Henry Ford Museum. See the bus where Rosa Parks refused to give up her seat, sparking the Montgomery Bus Boycott. See a presidential limousine and learn about breakthroughs in automobiles, aviation and industry. In the evening, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a final dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 Farewell Detroit It's time to say goodbye to your Travel Director and fellow travellers. Depart at leisure for your onward flight back home. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Learn Bavarian Pretzel Rolling in Frankenmuth

Visit Must-see Landmarks

The Cloud Gate in Chicago, Fort Mackinac and Arch Rock on Mackinac Island

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise the Chicago River, ferry across Lake Huron, tour Mackinac Island on a Carriage ride

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Visiting Mackinac Island is like stepping into a timeless world. Victorian buildings line the streets, and motor vehicles are absent. Instead of cars, you'll hear the gentle clapping of horse hooves and the occasional hum of a bicycle passing by.

Alex, Travel Experiences Team

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DMAC

Charms of the Southeast USA

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

7 Days | 1 Country | 9 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - May + Sep - Oct

Travel through the American Southeast. Unlock the past at Drayton Hall, Wanderer Memory Trail, and Mosaic, Jekyll Island Museum. Taste the flavours of Charleston at its city market and dine with a celebrity food writer and TV host in Savannah.



DAY 1 Welcome to Charleston Get ready for charming neighbourhoods, historical sites and delicious food in Charleston, South Carolina. Upon arrival, settle into your hotel or get out and explore. Perhaps make your way to Rainbow Row and you'll soon see why the 13 candy-coloured Georgian homes are a photographer's dream. Discover a bit of history at these structures dating back to 1730 when they were shops on the wharf. Tonight, dinner with your travel companions awaits. **(D) Hotel: Courtyard by Marriott Charleston Historic District**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Charleston Sightseeing Unlock Charleston's people, places, culture and traditions with a Local Specialist. You'll love this chance to discover the secrets – from architecture to art – through local eyes. You've surely worked up an appetite and Charleston City Market is just the place to fuel up. This vibrant, open-air market dating back to 1804 is one of the nation's oldest. Browse among more than 300 vendors selling goodies like biscuits, shrimp and grits, lobster hushpuppies and pimento cheese sandwiches. You'll even find locally made products marked with a 'Certified Authentic Handmade in Charleston' seal. This afternoon, you may choose to take an Optional Experience cruise through Charleston Harbour to Fort Sumter National Monument, where the first shots of the American Civil War were fired. **(B)**

DAY 3 Charleston to Savannah via Beaufort Spend the morning at Drayton Hall, a National Historic Landmark that offers a powerful look at life on a Southern estate. Led by a Local Specialist, you'll explore the preserved interiors of the main house and hear stories of the Drayton family and the people who built and maintained the estate across generations. Then it's off to Beaufort for lunch and time to explore the historic district and its 19th-century architecture. Continue to Hilton Head Island, known for its white sand beaches and oak-lined streets, before arriving in Savannah. This evening is yours to enjoy at leisure. **(B) Hotel: Indigo Savannah Historic District**

Stays with Stories

Once a 19th-century storage house for Southern goods like tobacco and peaches, this Ellis Square stay later housed Savannah's first true coffeehouse.

DAY 4 Savannah Sightseeing Led by a Local Specialist, discover the charm of Savannah on your city tour through oak-lined streets, historic squares and antebellum homes. Take in the historic district and stroll through Forsyth Park before wandering the lanes of River Street beside the Savannah River. Later, enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience hosted by local food personality Jesse Blanco, who shares stories and his love for Lowcountry flavours over a Southern-inspired lunch. Travel out to Tybee

Island Light Station and climb to the top for sweeping coastal views. Perhaps choose an Optional Experience to round off the day on a river cruise with live music along the Savannah River. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Explore Vic's on the River, a culinary hotspot of Savannah. Enjoy sampling some of the city's finest flavours and stories with Jesse Blanco, the host of Emmy-nominated "Eat It and Like It".

DAY 5 Georgia Coast Sightseeing Get ready for more must-see sights of the American Southeast, your next stop is St. Simons Island where moss-draped oaks line the streets filled with shops and museums. After free time for lunch, make your way to Jekyll Island. Settled in 1733 as the Georgia Colony, Jekyll Island retains its historic character. You'll visit Driftwood Beach to explore the sun-bleached trees worn down by erosion. On the Wanderer Memory Trail, unlock the past and learn the stories of enslaved people brought to the shores of Jekyll Island 160 years ago. This trail has received a UNESCO Slave Route Project "Site of Memory" designation and will leave you reflective of the island's past. **(B) Hotel: Holiday Inn Resort Jekyll Island**

DAY 6 Jekyll Island Sightseeing Discover the hidden treasures of Jekyll Island on a Landmarks Tram Tour of the island's 240-acre historic district. You'll dive into the world of Jekyll Island Club members who created an exclusive retreat for their family and friends including a stop at Indian Mound Cottage, former home of the Rockefellers. Your next stop is at Mosaic Museum where you will Dive into Culture through "Hearing History: African American Music on Jekyll Island." You'll learn about Gullah ring shouts, a call and response dance passed down through the descendants of the enslaved people of the low country. Cap off your exploration of the island with a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Georgia Sea Turtle Centre. Your final full day concludes with a dinner with your travel companions. **(B, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

You'll learn about sea turtles and see rehabilitation in action on a behind-the-scenes tour of Georgia's only sea turtle education and rehabilitation facility. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 14: Life Below Water.

DAY 7 Depart Jekyll Island Enjoy one last leisurely morning on Jekyll Island before concluding your tour. Then say farewell to your fellow travellers as you depart for Jacksonville, Florida International Airport. Please take note of transfer timing when booking your flights. You may also choose to extend your stay in Jacksonville, FL. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 10:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Charleston including Drayton Hall, Savannah and Jekyll Island including Indian Mount Cottage

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Charleston City Market, Beaufort, Hilton Head Island, Tybee Island Lighthouse, St. Simons Island, Wanderer Memory Trail and Driftwood Beach on Jekyll Island

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Jekyll Island's historic district on a private trolley

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Walking under trees draped with Spanish moss feels almost magical. The soft, swaying strands create a serene and romantic ambiance, perfect for a leisurely stroll or a quiet moment of reflection.

Alex, Travel Experiences Team

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Tastes and Sounds of the South

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

10 Days | 1 Country | 13 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Feb - Jun + Sep - Dec

Enjoy home cookin' from local Southerners mixed with a little jazz, country music and a whole lot of Rock'n'Roll. Showcasing the culture of Memphis, Nashville, Natchez and New Orleans, experience this musical region with a visit to Graceland, the Grand Ole Opry and Memphis' famous Beale Street.



DAY 1 Howdy Nashville Welcome to Nashville. This evening, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner.
(D) Hotel: Gaylord Opryland Resort & Convention Centre

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

Stays with Stories

The Gaylord Opryland Resort is an expansive property with nine acres of lush, indoor garden atriums. The resort has witnessed iconic performances, including those by legend Johnny Cash, and stands as the proud home to the world-renowned Grand Ole Opry.

DAY 2 Hear the Rhythm of Nashville RCA Studio B reveals the legends of Elvis Presley, Jim Reeves and Roy Orbison. Gain insights into the life and music of Johnny Cash during a private performance of original Cash tunes with one of Johnny's family members. You will visit the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum to see Elvis' Solid Gold Cadillac limousine and Jim Reeves' tuxedo jacket. This evening, enjoy a live show at the iconic Grand Ole Opry. **(B)**

DAY 3 Discover the History of the Nashville Sound Continue your discovery of Nashville by exploring the Johnny Cash Museum. With the remainder of the day at your leisure choose to visit the Ryman Auditorium, where Johnny June first met, or a hop-on-hop-off trolley. Or perhaps you'll enjoy the opportunity to amble through Broadway's honky-tonk scene or enjoy the gut-busting flavours of homemade chicken or biscuits. **(B)**

DAY 4 Sway To The Blues Of Memphis Head to Memphis' famous Beale Street, the birthplace of Blues, Soul, and Rock 'n' Roll, for a tour where you'll meet a musician and Local Specialist to learn about the musical heritage of Memphis. Continue your Memphis sightseeing with a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** visit to one of the most significant sites in town, the National Civil Rights Museum. Enjoy a dinner of Southern cuisine this evening, capping off your tour of Memphis, past and present. **(B, D) Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn Memphis Downtown**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Walk through "history" with a Local Expert who will show how the heroes and lessons from the civil rights movement continue to impact equality all over the world. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 5 Visit The Home Of The King Worship at the altar of the King, Elvis Presley, and head to Graceland, a National Historic Landmark. Explore Elvis' incredible career through hundreds of artifacts, photos and memorabilia. Then pay a visit

to Sun Studio, where the first Rock 'n' Roll single was recorded in 1951. This evening is free to explore the city your way. **(B)**

DAY 6 Taste Southern Charm In Natchez Kick off the day's sightseeing with a musical morning at the Memphis Rock 'n' Soul Museum exploring the blues, country, and gospel of the rural South before leaving for Natchez, Mississippi. You'll arrive in Natchez on the banks of the Mississippi, surrounded by the antebellum homes. The best way to experience Natchez is with a taste of Southern hospitality and you'll experience all this and more at tonight's **Be My Guest** experience as your hosts, who have lived in the area for generations, share their stories. **(B, D) Hotel: Natchez Grand Hotel & Suites**

Be My Guest

Enjoy a private performance by pianist Joseph Stone before joining your dinner host, Marsha Colson, as she opens the doors of her beautiful historic home to share her stories with you over dinner and backyard cocktails.

DAY 7 Explore the South's Story Today your travels take you deeper into an important part of Southern history. On this morning's visit to a working cotton plantation, Frogmore Plantation and Gins, learn about Natchez planters and the trials of slavery in the South. Tour the property boasting 19 restored antebellum structures and equipment dating from the early 1800s including a Smithsonian quality steam gin listed on the National Register. **(B) Hotel: Sheraton New Orleans**

DAY 8 Venture Into New Orleans Let the good times roll in New Orleans today with a Local Specialist, stopping at City Park and one of the ornate above-ground cemeteries. The afternoon is yours to explore on your own or choose an Optional Experience like a jazz cruise on the Mississippi River or visit to the National World War II museum. **(B)**

DAY 9 Entice Your Senses In New Orleans Today is yours to explore the French, Spanish and Creole sights and sounds of New Orleans. Why not join an Optional Experience at the Jean Lafitte National Historical Park exploring the scenic swamp and bayou, or a private cooking demonstration hosted by a local chef showcasing Creole flavours at the New Orleans School of Cooking. Alternatively, take a stroll down Magazine Street for plenty of regional food and shopping. This evening, join your Travel Director and your fellow travellers for a memorable dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 10 Until Next Time New Orleans For now, it's 'Au Revoir' New Orleans, but not 'Adieu'. Depart New Orleans at your leisure. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

RCA Studio B and Country Music Hall of Fame in Nashville, Sun Studios and Backbeats Tour in Memphis, Frogmore Plantation in Natchez, Guided tour in New Orleans

Discover on City Orientations

Nashville, Memphis, New Orleans

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Country Music Hall of Fame, Grand Ole Opry and the Johnny Cash Museum in Nashville, Graceland and the Rock 'n' Soul Museum in Memphis

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 1 and 6 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 4 for how you'll make a positive impact

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In retelling the trip, I am reminded of ALL the unique aspects. It was the music, history, culture, people - watching and encounters.

Shelia

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Historic Highlights

4.6/5 feefo 
As rated by past guests

8 Days | 1 Country | 11 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

Explore the nation's history on this journey from Capitol Hill and George Washington's home to re-enactments on Gettysburg's battlefields and dinner in a haunted tavern. You'll be chatting with blacksmiths in Colonial Williamsburg as well as visiting the monuments of Washington, D.C.

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DAY 1 Greetings Washington, D.C. The political heart of America is your gateway to a memorable encounter with the Land of the Free and how it came to be so. After checking in to your hotel, enjoy an afternoon at leisure to explore the museums, memorials and dinner. **(D)**

Hotel: Washington Marriott Georgetown

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Marvel at Mount Vernon This morning, visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture, the only national museum devoted to the documentation of African American life, history and culture. Afterwards, visit Mount Vernon, the former home of George Washington. Step back into the 18th century, strolling the estate's lush gardens, grounds, and fascinating museum galleries before returning back to your hotel for a free evening. **(B)**

DAY 3 Uncover the History of

Washington, D.C. Roam the avenues of Washington, D.C. and see tributes to America's famous sons and daughters. View the National Mall, then reflect on the nation's history at the memorials to WWII and the Vietnam War. Continue to Yorktown to visit the American Revolution Museum to see period artifacts from the Siege of Yorktown. Your journey carries on to Williamsburg, founded in 1638, once the capital of the Commonwealth Virginia. **(B)**

Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn Williamsburg

DAY 4 Step Back In Time At Colonial Williamsburg In Jamestown, gain insights into the trials that marked the lives of early 17th century colonists. Spend the rest of the day in Colonial Williamsburg. Chat with blacksmiths and soldiers, and perhaps even engage in some politicking with a costumed Federalist in the town square. In a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**, America's slavery history is brought into the light with storytelling, song and dance. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Join Sylvia Tabb-Lee on a powerful presentation on the Trans-Atlantic slave trade and American colonial life in Virginia through storytelling, song and dance. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 5 Explore Charlottesville And

Monticello Visit St. John's Church in Richmond, Virginia - the very spot where George Washington and Thomas Jefferson were inspired by Patrick Henry's fiery "Give me liberty or give me death" speech. Continue to Charlottesville via Richmond, where you'll enjoy lunch on your own at one of the many local restaurants in town. Then, visit Monticello, the neoclassical Italian estate where Jefferson once sought a quieter existence. Tonight, settle into your hotel, a **Stays with Stories** experience. **(B)**

Hotel: The Draftsman

Stays with Stories

Appreciate the legacy of three U.S. presidents hailing from Virginia - Jefferson, Madison and Monroe - throughout the hotel's design, combining history with modern sophistication crafted to enhance your stay.

DAY 6 Unlock the Legacy of Gettysburg

Journey through the rolling hills of Shenandoah National Park en route to Gettysburg, where you'll uncover the devastation of the four-year Civil War that divided North and South. Visit the Gettysburg National Military Park Museum and Visitor Centre to explore powerful exhibits, artifacts and stories from one of the war's most pivotal battles, while learning how the National Park preserves this solemn battlefield and its legacy. This evening, indulge in a festive dinner at the 19th-century Dobbin House, said to be Gettysburg's most haunted. **(B, D)**

Hotel: Wyndham Gettysburg

DAY 7 Journey To Philadelphia Join a Local Specialist who will bring to life the events at Gettysburg which turned the tide in the Civil War. Enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience on a farm outside of Lancaster. Next up, journey to the City of Brotherly Love and site of the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Stay in the heart of Philadelphia's historic district and join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(B, L, D)**

Hotel: Philadelphia Marriott Old City

Be My Guest

You'll experience an insider's look into the traditional lifestyle of the Amish, as you meet your hosts, farmers Samuel and Ruth, who will treat you to a family-style meal with recipes passed through generations and ingredients sourced directly from their farm.

DAY 8 Discover The Sights Of

Philadelphia Discover the story of American democracy as you explore Independence National Historical Park and see the cracked Liberty Bell. Continue to the National Constitution Centre to enjoy immersive exhibits of the debates that form the rights and freedoms of the nation before walking among the life-size bronze figures of the signers of the Constitution. Your journey then comes to an end in Washington D.C., where you'll be transferred to Dulles International Airport or Ronald Reagan National Airport. Or, if you're extending your stay, to the Washington Marriott Georgetown. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at Dulles International Airport (IAD) at 16:00.

Transfer: Arrive at Ronald Reagan National Airport (DCA) at 17:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Washington, D.C., St. John's Church in Richmond, Gettysburg Battlefield

Visit Must-see Landmarks

The Smithsonian Institution in Washington DC, Mount Vernon, the National Mall in Washington, D.C., Jamestown, Colonial Williamsburg, St. John's Church in Richmond, Monticello, Shenandoah National Park, Gettysburg National Military Park, Independence National Historic Park and National Constitution Centre in Philadelphia

View Must-see Landmarks

The Washington Monument, U.S. Capitol Building and the White House in Washington, D.C., the Liberty Bell in Philadelphia

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 5 and 7 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 4 for how you'll make a positive impact

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The choice of stops covered was excellent. There was a good mix of walking and less strenuous activity. The mix of guests was truly icing on the cake.

Donna

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DHIH

Autumn Colours

4.3/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 13 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Sep - Oct

As autumn arrives, admire the colourful foliage from Beantown to the rocky headlands of Maine. Scenic drives along Kancamagus Highway and visits to the coastal towns of this beautiful area are the best way to spend this season.



DAY 1 Welcome to Boston Known as the 'Cradle of Liberty', Boston was once home to famous sons such as Samuel Adams, Paul Revere and Benjamin Franklin. Immerse yourself in its revolutionary history or stroll along the waterfront on your own terms. This evening, meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner to kick-start your New England tour. **(D) Hotel: Westin Copley Place**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

Stays with Stories

Unlock quintessential Boston at the Westin Copley Place in the Back Bay, moments from the city's icons including Newbury Street, Fenway Park and the Prudential Centre.

DAY 2 Take a Historical Drive Through New England Explore the best of Boston walking along parts of the Freedom Trail, revealing the rich history of the American Revolution. Stop at Lexington and Concord, the site where "the shot heard round the world" was fired, marking the beginning of the American Revolutionary War. This afternoon, you'll make your way to Vermont, driving past picturesque farmlands and old-world towns. **(B) Hotel: DoubleTree by Hilton Burlington**

DAY 3 Uncover the Best of Vermont Get a taste of delectable East Coast cuisine among some of the country's most beautiful landscapes on your New England tour. In Northfield, Vermont, try local produce over a **Be My Guest** experience at Green Mountain Girls Farm. Take in the Burlington waterfront and downtown area filled with boutique shops, cafes and breweries. Amble through the cobblestone streets of Church Street Marketplace and delight in one of the many local eateries before settling into your hotel this evening. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Meet Mari Omland and Laura Olsen, owners of Green Mountain Girls Farm, and see regenerative and sustainable farming in action before sitting down for an organic farm-to-table lunch.

DAY 4 Discover Charming Stowe and Northern Vermont Head to Stowe, Vermont, a quintessential autumn foliage destination known for red and orange hues. This afternoon, see how the foliage of New England is in a league of its own as you journey along "The Kanc", an American Scenic Byway that cuts through the White Mountain National Forest. Admire the glowing autumn colours on this untouched stretch of road and snap postcard-worthy pics at the many overlooks to remember your New England tour. **(B) Hotel: Cambria Hotel North Conway**

DAY 5 Embrace Autumn Hues in North Conway This morning, join a Local Specialist for your **MAKE TRAVEL**

MATTER™ Experience with Raven Wildlife Programmes and discover the local ecology, wildlife and the science behind New England's autumn colours. Later, take a gentle guided walk to Diana's Baths in White Mountain National Forest, where waterfalls, rocky ledges and clear pools offer a peaceful escape in nature. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Your Local Specialist provides insights into the local ecology, wildlife and even the science behind the famous colours of the autumn foliage. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land.

DAY 6 Savour the Flavours of Bar

Harbour Continue through the lush pine forests, highlands and river valleys that define the rugged Maine landscape. Descending "Downeast," the looming Atlantic swells of Bar Harbour on Mount Desert Island are your final destination for the day. Join a Local Specialist to learn about lobster fishing and tonight, you'll savour a traditional lobster dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: Bar Harbour Regency**

DAY 7 Trek Through Colourful Acadia

National Park Acadia National Park promises sweeping coastal vistas. Visit Cadillac Mountain, the highest point along the Atlantic Seaboard and the first spot in the United States where the sun rises. Admire the magnificent pink granite cliffs and ancient maple forests – their leaves glowing fiery red, burnt orange and mustard yellow in the crisp autumn air. Return to Bar Harbour for free time to explore or consider joining an optional nature cruise on Frenchman Bay. **(B)**

DAY 8 Take a Panoramic Drive Along the

Marine Coast Follow the Maine coast south, where rocky shoreline, maritime towns and Atlantic views define this corner of New England. The colours of the season stay with you as you arrive in Portland, a historic port city known for its working waterfront and lively food scene. Spend the afternoon exploring at your own pace before joining your fellow travellers for dinner this evening and looking back on your autumn foliage journey. **(B, D) Hotel: Holiday Inn Portland-by the Bay by IHG**

DAY 9 Back to Boston and Beyond

Enjoy a final morning in New England before travelling south towards Boston. On the way, stop at Nubble Lighthouse, one of Maine's most photographed coastal landmarks, for a last look at the Atlantic shoreline. Continue to Boston, where you can transfer to Boston Logan International Airport or to your hotel if you're extending your stay. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 12:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Lobster fishing presentation

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Boston Freedom Trail, Concord where the "Shot heard 'round the world," was fired, Boston Common, Lexington Battle Green Park, Stowe, Acadia National Park, Kennebunkport, Nubble Lighthouse

View Must-see Landmarks

The Green Mountains, Mount Washington, White Mountains National Forest, Cadillac Mountain

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drives along the Kancamagus Highway, Route 100, a classic Vermont drive that stretches from Canada to Massachusetts, and Route 1, a Panoramic Drive along the Maine Coast

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

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I was ecstatic to finally experience the American autumn. The colours, the ambiance and the rich history of America made this a trip to remember.

Kimberley

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East Coast USA and Canada

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

14 Days | 2 Countries | 19 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Apr - Oct

From New York and Washington D.C. to Ottawa, Toronto and Montréal, this journey reveals the contrasts of two neighbouring nations. You'll see the White House and Lincoln Memorial, visit an Amish community in Pennsylvania Dutch Country and feel the thunder of Niagara Falls.



DAY 1 Greetings From New York City

Check in to your New York hotel and spend the afternoon exploring its soaring skyline. This evening, meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(D) Hotel: New York Hilton Midtown**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Explore the Highlights of NYC and Philadelphia

Embark on an orientation tour of the Big Apple before journeying to Philadelphia. Visit the Liberty Bell Centre and view Independence Hall, the site of the signing of the Declaration of Independence, before travelling to Washington, D.C. **(B) Hotel: Capital Hilton**

DAY 3 Immerse Yourself into Historical Washington, D.C.

View the White House, the U.S. Capitol Building, the Lincoln Memorial, and the World War II and Vietnam War memorials. This afternoon, you will visit the National Museum of African American History and Culture. **(B)**

DAY 4 Engage in the Stories of Amish Country

Travel to rural Pennsylvania to immerse yourself in the traditional agricultural lifestyle of the Amish and the Mennonites. This evening enjoy a hearty dinner and make your own whoopie pie for dessert. **(B, D) Hotel: The Inn at Leola Village**

Stays with Stories

Dating back to 1867, the Inn offers you a serene countryside escape, with rooms adorned with exposed wood beams and antique furnishings.

DAY 5 Discover the Artistry of Glassblowing

Witness first-hand the delicate craft of glassblowing at the Corning Museum of Glass, then cross the Canadian border to Niagara Falls. **(B) Hotel: Hilton Niagara Falls/Fallsview**

DAY 6 Take in the Sights and Flavours of Niagara Falls

Embark on an exhilarating boat ride to the base of Horseshoe Falls, which plunges dramatically into Lake Ontario. Later, meet your hosts for a **Be My Guest** experience at a local winery. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Learn about wine production and sustainable growing practises of small batch wines at family-owned Ravine Winery where you'll be surrounded by a humble and inviting Harber family farm.

DAY 7 Get Expert Hockey Tips and Tricks

Skirt the shores of Lake Ontario and stop in Oakville to learn about the art of playing ice hockey. Embrace Canada's popular pastime as a team staff member walks you through a day in the life of a player. Grab your stick and and it's off onto the ice where you'll learn how to score a goal. Head to Toronto for an introduction to the city. **(B) Hotel: Chelsea**

DAY 8 Explore Ottawa You'll stop off today in Kingston to explore before heading to Madahoki Farm, where you'll take part in a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** that shares the traditions and stories of Algonquin First Nation communities. Continue to Ottawa, where your Travel Director will give you an orientation tour before settling into your hotel for the night. **(B) Hotel: Sheraton Ottawa**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Join your Indigenous Cultural Ambassadors at Mādhōki Farm for a guided visit that outlines the diversity of First Nations cultures across Canada. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 9 Unlock the Traditions of Québec City

Voyage to Québec City and the UNESCO-listed Old Québec. Explore the city and 17th-century facades, but not before you enjoy lunch at an authentic Cabane à Sucre (Sugar Shack), a tradition dear to Québécois. **(B, L) Hotel: Château Laurier**

DAY 10 Wander the Historic Streets of Québec City

Explore Québec City's winding streets and historic sites, joining your Local Specialist for an in-depth discovery of this city. The afternoon and evening are yours to explore La Vieille Capitale on your terms. **(B)**

DAY 11 Sample the Flavours of Montréal

Visit a local farmers market near Montréal to experience the flavours of the region during a lunch tasting with wine and cider. Arrive in Montréal to meet your Local Specialist and visit Notre-Dame Basilica, the Old Port of Montréal, and Place Jacques-Cartier. **(B, L) Hotel: Le Centre Sheraton Montréal**

DAY 12 Journey to Rustic Franconia Notch

Return to the United States and traverse New Hampshire bound for Boston, one of the oldest cities in America. **(B) Hotel: Hilton Boston Park Plaza**

DAY 13 Engross in the History of Boston

Tour part of Boston's Red Brick Freedom Trail this morning, including a stop at the Boston Harbour, the site of the famous Tea Party protest. Spend the rest of the day on your terms. This evening, toast your memorable East Coast experiences at dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 14 Depart Boston or New York

Depart Boston today at your leisure or take our complimentary transfer to New York. **(B)**

Transfer: Depart Boston and transfer to New York City JFK airport, arriving at approximately 15:00.

Included highlights and must-sees**Explore with Local Specialists**

Washington D.C., Amish Country in Lancaster County, Oakville Hockey Academy, Québec City and the Sugar Shack, Montréal

Discover on City Orientations

New York City, Toronto, Ottawa, Boston

Visit Must-see Landmarks

The Smithsonian Institution in Washington, D.C., Liberty Bell Centre in Philadelphia, Corning Museum of Glass, Niagara Falls, the Notre-Dame Basilica, Ferme Guyon Farmers Market in Montréal

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise Niagara Falls and embark on an exhilarating boat ride to the base of Horseshoe Falls

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

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Niagara Falls with my Mama was such a wonderful bucket - list moment spent with my best friend.

Elizabeth

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DEUS

Alaska Northern Lights

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Tour rating coming soon

7 Days | 1 Country | 10 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Feb - Mar

Traverse across boreal forests and delve into Alaska's people at cultural centres and museums. With multiple opportunities to see the Northern Lights and with night photography tips from a professional photographer, this is an incredible tour through Alaska's magical winter landscape.



DAY 1 Start Your Adventure In Fairbanks

Get ready for Northern Lights, native cultures and astounding natural beauty as you discover the diversity of Alaska. Your tour begins in Fairbanks where you'll enjoy dinner. Your first evening is off to a big start as you head out after 10pm to chase the iconic Northern Lights. Due to its location directly beneath the Auroral Oval, and its unique geography which encourages stable, clear weather, Alaska's Arctic is one of the best places in the world to view the Aurora Borealis. With everything taken care of, enjoy a warm beverage as you wait for the lights to put on a show. **(D) Hotel: Pike's Waterfront Lodge**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Fairbanks Sightseeing Unlock the best of Fairbanks on the first full day of your Alaska tour. Your Travel Director reveals the must-sees of the city on an orientation tour before a stop at the Morris Thompson Cultural and Visitors Centre. Through films and life-sized dioramas, feel the mood of the seasons and see displays featuring artwork, objects and learn information about the cultural and economic history of the state. In the exhibit depicting summer, walk through a display of a rural fish camp at Nuchalawoyya. In the fall exhibit, see a grizzly bear digging for ground squirrels just outside of a camp. Continue your discovery of Fairbanks' icons by stopping at the Museum of the North, the only research and teaching museum in Alaska. Rest up, as later tonight you have a second opportunity to take in the Northern Lights. **(B)**

DAY 3 Travel to Talkeetna The real Alaska springs to life over a one-of-a-kind experience aboard the Alaska Railroad, from Fairbanks to Denali. Feel like you're in a postcard as winter scenery unfolds around you. On a clear day, you'll get a spectacular view of Denali above the Susitna River. You may even be rewarded by spotting a moose in the wild. At Murie Science and Learning Centre, unlock the stories and science of Denali. Meet a professional photographer on a **Be My Guest** experience. Complete your day at an epic **Stays with Stories**, overnight at Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge and test your knowledge with another chance to see the Aurora Borealis from the deck of the lodge. **(B, L, D) Hotel: Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge**

Stays with Stories

Perched on a ridge just above the town of Talkeetna, the Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge presents you with majestic views of Denali – the tallest peak in North America. Outside, high-energy outdoor adventures awaits. Inside, cosy up to a crackling fire in a giant river rock fireplace.

Be My Guest

Meet Aurora Dora, who has been chasing the Aurora Borealis since 2001 and photographing ever since. She has been

published multiple times from NASA to local magazines and has a gallery in downtown Talkeetna. Hear her expert tips and secrets for photographing the night sky.

DAY 4 Talkeetna at Leisure See how Talkeetna is in a league of its own with a day at leisure on your terms. Explore the town or consider joining an Optional Experience on a snowshoeing tour, take a flightseeing tour of Denali National Park or join a dog sledding tour. **(B)**

DAY 5 On To Anchorage Dive into Culture at the Musk Ox Farm. View the Arctic musk oxen, an Ice Age mammal that once roamed alongside saber-toothed tigers and woolly mammoths. Discover how the musk ox adapted by shedding its underwool, qiviut, in the spring. You'll even get a chance to collect qiviut while observing the musk oxen, and then create your own nesting ball or ornament to remember your time here. Next up, the Alaska Native Heritage Centre, where you'll unlock 10,000 years of Alaska Native history and culture through art and dance during your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. **(B) Hotel: Marriott Anchorage Downtown**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Visit the Alaska Native Heritage Centre for an immersive experience and learn about the culture and heritage of the Indigenous people of Alaska. Enjoy a presentation of the Native Alaska Games showcasing the mental and physical challenges endured in subsistence living in Alaska. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities Communities.

DAY 6 Anchorage Alaska brings new sights, foods and traditions with every leg of your journey. Join a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Alaska Wildlife Conservation Centre where a Local Specialist reveals the role of this wildlife rehabilitation centre and the local animals. Complete your day with dinner with your Travel Director and fellow travellers. **(B, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

At the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Centre, you'll team up with a Local Specialist who will guide you through this non-profit, wildlife rehabilitation centre dedicated to preserving Alaska's wildlife through conservation, education, research, and quality animal care. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land.

DAY 7 Depart Anchorage Your adventure through Alaska's winter beauty has come to an end. After breakfast, say farewell to your fellow travellers and depart Anchorage at leisure. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
Palmer's Musk Ox Farm

Discover on City Orientations
Fairbanks, Anchorage

Visit Must-see Landmarks

The University of Alaska Museum of the North and the Morris Thompson Cultural and Visitor Centre in Fairbanks, the Murie Science and Learning Centre in Denali, Alaska Native Heritage Centre

View Must-see Landmarks

The Aurora Borealis
(weather dependent)

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along the Scenic Seward Byway, take a scenic train ride on the Alaska Railroad Aurora Winter Train

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Hearing Dora's story about her passion for the aurora lights, and how it once led her to take an unexpected plunge into a lake, was wild.

Maritza, Travel Experiences Team

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DAKW

Majestic Alaska

4.5/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

10 Days | 1 Country | 14 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

Bring your Alaska dreams to life across wild Denali, glacier-filled Prince William Sound and the glass-domed Alaska Railroad. Along the way, try gold panning, take in Valdez views, spot wildlife and enjoy moments that feel wonderfully far from everyday life.



DAY 1 Start Your Adventure In

Anchorage Welcome to a city surrounded by uninhabited landscapes and the perfect springboard to an epic adventure through Alaska. Tonight, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(D)**
Hotel: Hilton Anchorage

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:15.

DAY 2 Step Into The Wilderness Of Denali

National Park Kickstart your day with an Anchorage City Tour before your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** visiting the Alaska Native Heritage Centre. Then it's onto Denali National Park for your **Stays with Stories** accommodation. **(B)** **Hotel: Denali Park Village**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Enhance your visit to The Alaska Native Heritage Centre, which promotes active observance of local culture and traditions, on an Indigenous Plants Tour. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

Stays with Stories

From your lodge within this wild and rugged landscape, you can choose to take to the hiking trails, unlock awe-inspiring views and locally sourced dishes.

DAY 3 Uncover The Natural History Of

Denali This morning, a Local Specialist reveals insights into the subarctic flora and fauna of Denali. Later, join a naturalist through boreal forest and tundra, where you'll uncover Denali's geology and glacial history and learn how life adapts to the extremes of the far north. Look out for signs of wildlife as you experience this remarkable landscape from a fresh perspective. The evening is yours to enjoy at leisure. **(B)**

DAY 4 Explore Denali And Venture

To Fairbanks Tune into your beautiful surrounds as you'll have the whole morning to connect with Denali on your terms. Later, board a deluxe dome railcar on the Alaska Railroad, and make your way to the Golden Heart City of Fairbanks. Dinner is served aboard the train before your arrival in Alaska's Northern Lights capital. **(B, D)**
Hotel: River's Edge Resort

DAY 5 Dig Deep Into Alaskan Culture

After breakfast, enjoy a city tour of Fairbanks. Then, delve into insights of Alaska's Gold Rush. Next, meet Fairbanks' own 'Gold Daughters' who will guide you through the process of panning for gold in real Alaskan paydirt. To conclude your day, enjoy a special visit to the home of former Iditarod musher for a **Be My Guest** experience. **(B, D)**

Be My Guest

Join local dog-mushing celebrity Dave Monson and his dogs to learn about the sport of dog-mushing in Alaska.

DAY 6 Take A Scenic Journey To Valdez

Journey south to the port community of Valdez located along Prince William Sound. As you carve your way through this rugged state, you'll view the snow-capped summits of the Alaska Range. Visit the Wrangell-St. Elias Visitor Centre to explore the engaging exhibit hall and take in the scenic overlooks. **(B)** **Hotel: Totem Hotel & Suites**

DAY 7 Spot The Wildlife Of Valdez

Delve into the heritage and culture of Valdez, the Copper River Basin and Prince William Sound during this morning's visit to the Valdez Museum. Keep a keen eye out for seals, otters, sea lions and porpoises as you cruise around Prince William Sound, admiring the plunging ice cliffs of Columbia Glacier which have calved giant icebergs into the bay. Enjoy lunch against the backdrop of your wild surrounds before returning to Valdez. **(B, L)**

DAY 8 Travel Back To Anchorage

Journey back to Anchorage this morning. Enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** during your afternoon stop at a Musk Ox Farm. This evening, toast to new friends over a dinner. **(B, D)**
Hotel: Hilton Anchorage

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Take a guided tour to learn about the farm's commitment to the gentle and sustainable husbandry of musk oxen and their sustainable production of qiviut (wool). Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 9 Glance At Glaciers

Journey along the Scenic Seward Byway this morning to the port community of Seward. Your first stop is for a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Centre. Next up, explore Seward at your leisure or join an Optional Kenai Fjords National Park Cruise to share the waters with humpback whales and glacial icebergs. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

At the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Centre, you'll team up with a Local Specialist who will guide you through this non-profit, wildlife rehabilitation centre dedicated to preserving Alaska's wildlife through conservation, education, research, and quality animal care. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 15: Life on Land.

DAY 10 Depart Anchorage Your adventure through the rugged Alaskan wilderness has come to an end. Depart Anchorage at leisure. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Discover Denali National Park, learning about its flora and fauna before a guided journey through vast wilderness: in Fairbanks, master the art of gold panning

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Denali National Park Visitor Centre, Meier's Lake Roadhouse, Seward, Wrangell St. Elias Visitor Centre, Valdez Museum

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along the Scenic Seward Byway, travel via Dome Railcar on the Alaska Railroad, and cruise through Prince William Sound

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 2 and 5 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See days 2, 8 and 9 for how you'll make a positive impact

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My Nonna and I took this trip to Alaska to celebrate my college graduation. We will cherish these memories and photos forever!

Hannah

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DSMA

Canada's Rockies

with Rocky Mountaineer Option

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

7 Days | 1 Country | 9 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

Set against the Canadian Rockies, this journey takes in Jasper, Banff and Lake Louise before trekking across the Athabasca Glacier in an Ice Explorer and learning about the importance of buffalo from a Cree guide, with spectacular views at every turn.



DAY 1 Kick Start Your Journey in Calgary

Tip your Stetson to Canada's 'Cowboy Country', kick-starting your adventure through the inimitable Rockies in Calgary. This evening, gather for a delicious dinner.

(D) Hotel: The Westin Calgary

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Uncloak the Ethereal Canadian Rockies

Travel into the heart of the Canadian Rockies. Stop at Lake Louise for time to explore and enjoy lunch your way. Then it's on to the Icefields Parkway, where the scenery ramps up. Pause at Big Bend Viewpoint and Sunwapta Falls—two standout spots that showcase the raw power and scale of the landscape. Skirt rugged peaks, glacial lakes and waterfalls, keeping watch for bears, elk and mountain goats on your journey through Jasper National Park. Later, stop at Athabasca Falls before arriving in Jasper for the next two nights. **(B) Hotel: Chateau Jasper**

DAY 3 Enjoy the Wonders of Jasper National Park

Soak up pristine natural surroundings perhaps joining a Jasper Float Trip Optional Experience along the Athabasca River, a designated Canadian Heritage River, in a UNESCO Heritage site. A National Park licensed guide will provide commentary on the human and natural history of Jasper while navigating you along the same route used by "fur traders" over two centuries ago. Afterwards, enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience at Maligne Lake Chalet. Then take to Maligne Lake (seasonal), admiring views of its three glaciers and Spirit Island. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Join hosts Joost and Pieter from Jasper Theatre Productions as they share their stories and reveal why so many have fallen in love with this special town.



DAY 4 Take an Excursion to the Athabasca Glacier

Your adventure begins with a ride onto the Athabasca Glacier in an all-terrain Ice Explorer — a massive vehicle specially designed for glacier travel. On this thrilling trip, an experienced driver-guide will share local secrets about glaciers and their impact on the environment. Take a sip of ice-cold glacier water and admire the

surrounding snowcapped panorama before continuing your journey to Banff village. **(B)**

Hotel: Banff Park Lodge

Stays with Stories

Banff Park Lodge, located inside the National Park has been a staple of local life since 1970. Delight in spectacular views that you'll never forget.

DAY 5 Shoot Your Shot in Canmore Learn the art of playing the puck like a pro when you meet a real Canadian hockey player in Canmore. Later, embrace Canada's national sport, learning the secrets and superstitions of hockey players as a professional coach walks you through a day in the life of a player. Grab your stick and it's off onto the ice where you'll soon find out whether you are a lefty or righty and learn how to score the big goal. A sightseeing excursion around Banff reveals the exquisite natural beauty of the area. Admire the classic viewpoint of Surprise Corner, spectacular Bow Falls, and the hoodoo rock formations. You may also choose a breathtaking helicopter Optional Experience for unforgettable views of the Canadian Rockies, or take a ride on the Banff Gondola, where you'll see more mountains in a moment than most see in a lifetime! Ride to the top of Sulphur Mountain to experience a bird's eye view of six mountain ranges of the Canadian Rockies. **(B)**

DAY 6 Breathe Fresh Air in Banff Join your Travel Director for an Optional Experience to explore the jewels of the Rockies and head to Yoho National Park and Moraine Lake (seasonal) in the Valley of Ten Peaks. See Takakkaw Falls, the second tallest waterfall in Canada. This evening, enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** with a local Cree Guide for a storytelling experience. Later, toast to your travels with your fellow travellers over dinner. **(B, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Learn about the local First Nations people and their historic relationship with the buffalo. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 7 Farewell From Calgary Descend from high above and bid farewell to the Canadian Rockies. Depart Banff for Calgary, where an included airport transfer will take you to Calgary International Airport for your return flight home, or to The Westin Calgary if you are extending your stay. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at Calgary International Airport at 11:30.

Rocky Mountaineer Option

Extend your tour onboard the Rocky Mountaineer for two days of rail travel through Canada's West and the Canadian Rockies.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Columbia Icefield Adventure, learn to play hockey like a pro with a professional hockey coach in Canmore

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Jasper National Park,
Banff National Park

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along the Icefields Parkway;
Cruise across Maligne Lake to Spirit Island

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 3 and 4 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 6 for how you'll make a positive impact

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Maligne Lake, Jasper National Park, Alberta - spectacular azure blue waters overshadowed the Rockies. Top it off with the beautiful weather!

Dave

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DCRA

Spectacular Canadian Rockies

with Rocky Mountaineer and Alaska Cruise Options

4.5/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Discover Western Canada from Vancouver and Victoria to the dramatic Canadian Rockies. Journey through Banff and Jasper National Parks, travel the Icefields Parkway, stand on the Columbia Icefield, meet the Maan family for a Be My Guest experience and even enjoy before-hours access to Butchart Gardens.



DAY 1 Welcome to Vancouver The soaring peaks of Canada's soul-stirring Rockies take centre stage on this epic alpine adventure that begins in Vancouver, one of the world's most livable cities. Spend the day discovering the city's scenic surrounds on your own, then join your Travel Director and fellow travel companions for dinner this evening. **(D)** **Hotel: Pinnacle Harbourfront**
Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 The Delights of Vancouver and Victoria Embark on a morning sightseeing tour of Vancouver's historic neighbourhoods and view First Nations totem poles of Stanley Park. Visit the Bill Reid Gallery on a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** before continuing by ferry to Vancouver Island for an orientation tour in Victoria. **(B)** **Hotel: Chateau Victoria Hotel & Suites**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience
Discover the only public gallery in Canada dedicated to contemporary Indigenous Northwest Coast Art on a private guided tour. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 3 Admire the Colours of Victoria
Embrace the Garden City status of Victoria as you greet the day with before-hours breakfast at Butchart Gardens, a 55-acre showcase of gorgeous floral gardens that have colourfully transformed a once unused quarry. After breakfast, enjoy time in the garden prior to the gates being open to the public. Spend the rest of the day at leisure exploring the walkable capital of British Columbia or join an optional Victoria Whale Watching excursion and keep your eyes peeled for whales, bald eagles, porpoises or seals. **(B)**

DAY 4 Relax and Enjoy the Outdoors In Kamloops Depart Victoria by ferry with one last view of the city's historic buildings and make your way to a **Be My Guest** experience on a rural farm. Meet your hosts, fourth-generation owners, and learn how they turned a small berry stand into a farm that now provides quality produce to locals. In Kamloops, enjoy a **Stays with Stories** experience at The South Thompson Inn. **(B, L)** **Hotel: South Thompson Inn & Conference Centre**

Stays with Stories

Once home to a thoroughbred racing stable, this riverfront property still has the original brick manor and carriage houses.

Be My Guest

Meet the Maan family for lunch at their farm and see first-hand the different cultures that make up Canada as a melting pot.

DAY 5 Gaze Upon Mount Robson This afternoon you'll stop at the Mount Robson Visitor Centre where you can admire UNESCO-listed Mount Robson, the highest

peak in the Canadian Rockies in all its 3,954 m (12,972 ft) of glory. Then travel through the raw wilderness of magnificent Jasper National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Spend the evening at leisure or join an evening optional to experience the majestic scenery of Jasper National Park on foot during a guided nature walk. **(B)** **Hotel: Chateau Jasper**

DAY 6 Admire Jasper National Park
Cruise the aqua waters of Maligne Lake (seasonal), admiring views of its three glaciers and Spirit Island. Then kick back and enjoy more spectacular scenery over a delicious lakeside lunch with wine at Maligne Lake Chalet. Continue your exploration with an Optional Experience: an easy rafting trip down the Athabasca River, a route once used by fur traders over two centuries ago. Keep your eyes peeled for local wildlife. Later this evening, you may choose to attend an optional theatre performance showcasing the spirit of this charming mountain town. **(B, L)**

DAY 7 Voyage to Athabasca Glacier Your adventure begins with a ride onto the Athabasca Glacier with your Local Specialist in an all-terrain Ice Explorer - a massive vehicle designed for glacier travel. On this thrilling trip, an experienced driver-guide shares fascinating insights about glaciers and their impact on our environment. Sip ice-cold glacier water and admire the surrounding snow-capped panorama. Continue on to Lake Louise, with time to soak in the majestic beauty of its turquoise, glacier-fed waters, fringed by high peaks, deep green forests, overlooked by Victoria Glacier. Proceed to the township of Banff, in the heart of UNESCO-listed Banff National Park. Enjoy Banff sightseeing including Bow Falls and Surprise Corner. **(B)** **Hotel: Banff Park Lodge**

DAY 8 Explore Banff This morning, opt to take the Brewster Banff Gondola. After lunch, join an optional helicopter tour of Mt Assiniboine or Three Sisters Peak. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner in the Rockies with your fellow travellers. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 Farewell Banff and Calgary
Descend from the glorious Canadian Rockies and depart Calgary for your return flight home or make your way to the Westin Calgary if you are extending your stay. **(B)**
Transfer: Arrive at Calgary International Airport at 11:30.

Rocky Mountaineer and Alaska Cruise Options

You can start your tour with an 8-day Alaska Cruise through the Inside Passage, and choose to extend your tour with two days aboard the Rocky Mountaineer, travelling through Canada's West and the Rockies.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
Columbia Icefield

Discover on City Orientations
Vancouver, Victoria

Visit Must-see Landmarks
Butchart Gardens in Victoria, Mt. Robson Visitor Centre, Jasper National Park, and Banff National Park

View Must-see Landmarks
Stanley Park Totem Poles in Vancouver, Mount Robson, Lake Louise, Athabasca Falls, Bow Falls and Surprise Corner in Banff

Travel by Scenic Journeys
Cruise across Maligne Lake to Spirit Island; Drive along Icefields Parkway

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The moment we stepped onto the dock, I was overwhelmed with a sense of awe. This was a magical and spiritual experience for me.

Jamie

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DSCRI/Z/B

Secrets of the Rockies and Glacier National Park

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 2 Countries | 12 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Jun - Sep

Experience the exhilarating thrill of walking on the Athabasca Glacier and delve into the rich heritage of Glacier National Park with a Blackfeet and Cherokee guide. Travel along the picturesque Going-to-the-Sun-Road in a private Red Jammer forage for ingredients on a Be My Guest experience.



DAY 1 Hello Calgary Don your Stetson and buckle up those cowboy boots. Get settled before meeting your Travel Director and fellow explorers for dinner. **(D) Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn Calgary Downtown**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Unmask Painted Warriors Kick off your first full day as you join a **Be My Guest** experience at an indigenous owned and operated ranch. Journey toward Waterton Lakes National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site boasting majestic Rocky Mountains and lakes carved out of rock by ancient glaciers. Discover its blend of unusual geology, mild climate, rare wildflowers and abundant wildlife that has remained unchanged for centuries. **(B, L) Hotel: Waterton Lakes Lodge Resort**

Be My Guest

Join Tracey Klett of Painted Warriors for a gathering walk to learn about foraged plants that add earthy and spicy flavours to your hosted lunch.



DAY 3 Take a Vintage Voyage Along St. Mary Lake The Big Skies of Montana beckon as you enter Glacier National Park. Join a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** with a Blackfeet and Cherokee member as she welcomes you onto traditional Blackfeet territory for storytelling and history. Continue in a restored 1930s vintage touring red "jammer" up into the cirques of the St. Mary Valley along the Going-to-the-Sun Road. **(B) Hotel: Best Western Rocky Mountain Lodge**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Join Mariah Gladstone and learn about Blackfeet history, culture, the connection to this land, and contemporary indigenous life. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 4 Travel Through Kootenay National Park Travel along the Banff-Windermere Highway, one of the most scenic drives in British Columbia. Enter Kootenay National Park and drive through Sinclair Canyon. Make the climb up to Vermilion Pass at the Continental Divide, reaching an elevation of 1,680 m (5,510 ft) and enter Alberta and Banff National Park, Canada's oldest National Park. Arrive in Banff for your **Stays**

with **Stories** at the iconic Fairmont Banff Springs. **(B) Hotel: Fairmont Banff Springs**

Stays with Stories

Located in the heart of Banff National Park and modeled after a Scottish baronial castle, this hotel is known as the 'Castle in the Rockies'.

DAY 5 Explore Picturesque Banff

Experience the excitement of a real Canadian hockey as you learn the secrets from a professional coach who will walk you through a day in the life of player. Grab a stick, hit the ice, learn if you're a left or right and how to score the big goal. Choose to view the alpine forest from above during an optional helicopter tour of Mt Assiniboine or Three Sisters Peak. Or opt to take an optional gondola ride as you climb to the top of Sulphur Mountain for a bird's eye view of six mountain ranges of the Canadian Rockies. Explore the rugged beauty of Banff before dinner at a local restaurant. **(B, D)**

DAY 6 Traverse Across Athabasca Glacier

Take the Icefields Parkway, one of the most scenic drives in North America. Stop at glacier-fed Peyto Lake, named for pioneer, mountain guide and early park warden Bill Peyto. Take a ride onto the Athabasca Glacier in an all-terrain Ice Explorer where an experienced driver-guide will share information about glaciers and their impact on our environment. Take a sip of ice-cold glacier water and admire the snow-capped panorama before continuing your journey and heading to Jasper National Park. **(B) Hotel: Forest Park**

DAY 7 The Joys Of Jasper Immerse yourself in natural beauty on an optional cruise of Maligne Lake (seasonal), the largest glacially fed lake in the Canadian Rockies. Cruising these brilliant blue waters, discover world-famous Spirit Island, the crown jewel of Jasper National Park and one of the most photographed locations in the Rockies, accessible only by boat. Head back into Jasper where the rest of the day is free to relax or join a scenic float trip down the Athabasca River on a route that was once used by fur traders. **(B)**

DAY 8 Take In The Tranquility Of Lake Louise

Head to the glacier-fed waters of Lake Louise where you can join your Travel Director for a walk along the lakeshore or set out exploring on your own. Consider joining an Optional Experience this afternoon to visit nearby Moraine Lake with your Travel Director. Cap off your trip with a dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: Lake Louise Inn**

DAY 9 Depart Calgary This morning depart Calgary for your return flights home or extend your stay at the Hilton Garden Inn Calgary. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at Calgary International Airport at 11:30.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Learn to play hockey like a pro with a professional coach in Canmore, enjoy the Columbia Icefield Adventure

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Waterton Lakes National Park, Glacier National Park, Banff National Park, Jasper National Park, Lake Louise

View Must-see Landmarks

Bow Falls and Surprise Corner in Banff, Peyto Lake, Athabasca Falls

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive along Going-to-the-Sun Road aboard iconic Red Jammers & Icefields Parkway

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This trip was amazing. The scenery was spectacular and the Trafalgar itinerary covered all the areas I wanted to see and more.

Flora

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Iconic Rockies and Western Canada

with Rocky Mountaineer and Alaska Cruise Options

13 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

4.6/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

Embark on a journey from Maligne Lake to the iconic Spirit Island, connect with First Nations traditions and learn the art of crafting drink bitters. Feel the thrill of crossing the Golden Skybridge, ascend the Sea to Sky Gondola, and discover the charm of Vancouver, Victoria and Whistler.



DAY 1 Voyage To Vancouver Tackle the 'Great Outdoors' on this effortlessly delivered adventure through Western Canada. Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a dinner. **(D) Hotel: Holiday Inn & Suites Vancouver Downtown**
Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Sample Cider On Vancouver Island This morning, delve into the historic neighbourhood of Gastown before boarding a ferry to Vancouver Island. Taste local cider at a family-owned ciderhouse, before continuing to Victoria. **(B) Hotel: Grand Pacific**

Stays with Stories

Feel good knowing this hotel is helping replenish vital ecosystems by partnering with Veritree to plant trees for every night you stay.

DAY 3 Explore Butchart Gardens In Victoria Greet your day with breakfast before opening hours at Butchart Gardens, a 55-acre showcase of gorgeous floral gardens that have colourfully transformed a once unused quarry. Enjoy time in the gardens before the crowds, then explore the walkable capital of British Columbia your way. Treat yourself to high tea or local fish and chips. Or, join an optional Victoria whale watching cruise to spot orcas, humpback whales, bald eagles, porpoises and seals. **(B)**

DAY 4 Take In The Sights Of Chemainus, Squamish and Whistler See the vivid murals of Chemainus. Board the ferry and then drive the scenic Sea-to-Sky Highway. Ascend to Summit Lodge, admiring the views from the Sea-to-Sky Gondola. **(B) Hotel: Hilton Whistler Resort and Spa**

DAY 5 Explore Whistler This morning, enjoy an insightful **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at the Squamish Lil'wat Cultural Centre followed by lunch. Later, enjoy your time at leisure. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience
 Get a first-hand look into the Squamish and Lil'wat cultural history with Aboriginal Ambassadors, exploring their collection of artifacts and contemporary pieces. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 6 Travel To Sun Peaks Continue towards Sun Peaks, Canada's second largest resort and seventh largest in North America, where you'll enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. **(B, D) Hotel: Sun Peaks Lodge**

DAY 7 Explore The Rocky Mountain National Parks Drive through Glacier Yoho National Park en route to Banff. Sample the best of the UNESCO-listed Canadian Rocky Mountain Parks. The excitement of Canada's highest suspension bridges awaits at the Golden Skybridge! Explore canyon ridge walking trails with sweeping views

of the Columbia Valley and the Rocky and Purcell mountain ranges. **(B) Hotel: Banff Park Lodge**

DAY 8 Wander Beautiful Banff Your morning is at leisure, perhaps opt in for a gondola ride or explore on your own terms. Later in the morning enjoy a scenic orientation tour of Banff. This evening, meet a Mountie dressed in traditional red serge uniform and hear about their exciting history before enjoying dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 9 Cross The Athabasca Glacier Enjoy a lakeside walk at Lake Louise, then board an Ice Explorer and drive over the Athabasca Glacier, one of the six principal 'toes' of the Columbia Icefield. Continue your drive along the Icefields Parkway to your overnight in Jasper. **(B) Hotel: Lobstick Lodge**

DAY 10 Walk Through the Wilderness in Jasper Board a narrated cruise on Maligne Lake (seasonal) stopping at Spirit Island. Later, join Warrior Women for a **Be My Guest** experience. Finally toast to your travels at a fantastic dinner. **(B, D)**

Be My Guest

Join Matricia Bauer, a Warrior Woman, and learn about the local flora through the lens of the Indigenous Peoples and how to make curated drink bitters utilising the foraged ingredients as you enjoy storytelling and drumming during dinner.

DAY 11 Marvel At Mount Robson Admire Mount Robson – the tallest peak in the Canadian Rockies. End the day in Kamloops and enjoy an evening at leisure. **(B) Hotel: South Thompson Inn & Conference Centre**

DAY 12 Through the Coast Mountains and Fraser Valley Drive from Kamloops, past dramatic mountainscapes toward the scenic coastal setting of Vancouver, known as 'Hollywood North'. Join an Optional Experience to cross the iconic Capilano Suspension Bridge and take in breathtaking views, surrounded by towering evergreens and rushing waters below. **(B) Hotel: Holiday Inn & Suites Vancouver Downtown**

DAY 13 Farewell From Vancouver your dazzling encounter with the Canadian Rockies has come to an end. Depart at leisure as you head to Vancouver International Airport. **(B)**

Rocky Mountaineer and Alaska Cruise Options

At the end of your tour, as your fellow travellers continue to Vancouver by coach, you can opt for a scenic rail journey aboard the Rocky Mountaineer. Or, choose an 8-day Alaska Cruise, gliding through the Inside Passage.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
 Chat with a local retired Canadian Mountie to learn about their rich history and traditions, enjoy the Columbia Icefield Adventure

Discover on City Orientations
 Vancouver, Victoria

Visit Must-see Landmarks
 Local Vancouver Island Ciderhouse, Butchart Gardens in Victoria, Sea-to-Sky Gondola in Squamish, Golden Skybridge, Banff National Park, Jasper National Park, Kamloops, Mount Robson Visitor Centre

View Must-see Landmarks
 Stanley Park Totem Poles in Vancouver, Murals of Chemainus, Seton Lake, Bow Falls and Surprise Corner in Banff, Lake Louise, Athabasca Glacier, Athabasca Falls, Mount Robson

Travel by Scenic Journeys
 Drive along the Sea-to-Sky Highway and Icefields Parkway; Cruise across Maligne Lake to Spirit Island

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It was a dream come true to be on the Athabasca Glacier. Fabulous trip and fabulous Trafalgar Service!
 Karin

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Quebec City and Beyond

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Tour rating coming soon

8 Days | 1 Country | 10 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Wander through Montréal, Québec City and Charlevoix, where cobbled streets, bold flavours and river views shape the journey, from old city lanes to Charlevoix's sweeping scenery. Enjoy farm-to-table dining and stories shared by a Wendat Storyteller.



DAY 1 Welcome to Montréal Arrive in Montréal and settle in before meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. It's a relaxed welcome to French Canada, with your first chance to get to know the group. Enjoy a shared meal as you ease into Québec's distinct culture, cuisine and warm hospitality. **(D) Hotel: Le Centre Sheraton Montréal**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Discover Montréal Discover Montréal with your Local Specialist as you explore the city's historic heart. Later, explore at your own pace. You might stroll through Place du Canada, browse Saint Catherine Street, spend time in Old Montréal or pause over coffee in one of the city's lively neighbourhoods. **(B)**

DAY 3 Journey to Charlevoix Leave Montréal and travel north to Charlevoix, a region shaped by the St. Lawrence River, rolling farmland and an ancient meteorite crater. Follow La Route des Saveurs (the Flavour Trail), known for its strong agricultural identity and local producers — one of Québec's key food regions. In Baie-Saint-Paul, enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience. Then visit Hydromel Charlevoix to learn more about mead production, from honey harvest to bottling, before a tasting. Later, continue to La Malbaie and your **Stays with Stories** experience at Le Petit Manoir du Casino. **(B, L) Hotel: Le Petit Manoir Du Casino**

Be My Guest

In Baie-Saint-Paul, join hosts Amélie, Réjean and Mathieu at Au Poulailler, where an abandoned poultry barn has been transformed into a welcoming space perfect for a seasonal meal rooted in local produce, sustainability and Charlevoix expertise.



Stays with Stories

High on the cliffs above the St. Lawrence River, Le Petit Manoir du Casino is a family-owned Charlevoix retreat, known for its warm hospitality, scenic setting and the extraordinary cliffside O'Quartz Spa.

DAY 4 Charlevoix at leisure Enjoy a free day in Charlevoix. You could join an Optional Experience to Baie-Sainte-

Catherine for whale watching where the Saguenay Fjord meets the St. Lawrence, an area rich in marine life. Or stay near your hotel and make the most of the spa, waterfront, Pointe-au-Pic district or Casino de Charlevoix. **(B)**

DAY 5 Île aux Coudres onto Québec City Cross by ferry to Île aux Coudres, where river views, island traditions and local flavours shape the day. Visit a bakery and ciderie as you continue along Charlevoix's flavour trail, then head for Québec City. En route, stop at the Basilica of Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré, known for its architecture, stained glass and devotional art. **(B) Hotel: Château Laurier**

DAY 6 Explore Québec City Join a sightseeing tour of Old Québec, where fortified streets, historic squares and French character reveal the city's enduring charm. The rest of the day is free for your own discoveries. You might ride the funicular, wander Petit Champlain or admire Château Frontenac before an Optional Experience to Montmorency Falls and Île d'Orléans this evening. **(B)**

DAY 7 Wendake and Indigenous traditions This morning is yours to explore more of Québec City, or you can join an Optional Experience to the Cuivres d'Art Albert Gilles Museum to discover a family legacy of copper craftsmanship. Meet the artisans keeping the rare art of repoussé alive, enjoy a guided demonstration, then try shaping your own piece. If you choose to spend time in the city, explore the historic stairways down to Lower Town, where Place Royale, the Petit-Champlain district and the Musée de la Civilisation offer another side of the city's history. Later, visit Wendake for your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. **(B, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

At the Huron Traditional Site, where you'll learn more about history and culture through a guided visit. Continue your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Sagamité, where Huron-Wendat cuisine and traditional storytelling come together as you raise a glass to your journey over dinner with your fellow travellers. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 8 Farewell Québec City Your journey through French Canada comes to an end in Québec City this morning. Say goodbye to your fellow travellers before making your own way to Québec City Jean Lesage International Airport, taking with you memories of river landscapes, regional flavours and meaningful cultural connections shaped throughout your trip. **(B)**

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Montréal, Hydromel Charlevoix, Québec City, Huron Traditional Site and Wendake with Wendat Storyteller

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré Shrine

Travel by Scenic Journeys

La Route Des Saveurs in Charlevoix, Ferry Ride to Isle-Aux-Coudres

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See day 3 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 7 for how you'll make a positive impact

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Charlevoix is a destination for food lovers, where local ingredients, passionate producers, and unforgettable flavours come together.

Alex, Travel Experiences Team

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DVOI

Best of Eastern Canada

4.3/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: May - Oct

Discover Eastern Canada's vibrant cities, layered heritage and striking landscapes, from Toronto's waterfront to Québec City's old-world charm and Montréal's energy. Along the way, experience Powwow dancing in Ottawa, the force of Niagara Falls and stories shared by a professional hockey player.



DAY 1 Welcome to Toronto Canada's multi-cultural metropolis of Toronto launches your journey across Eastern Canada. Relax after your journey, then meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner this evening. **(D) Hotel: Sheraton Centre Toronto**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Toronto The day begins with an orientation tour unlocking the best of Toronto, passing Queen's Park, Dundas Square's entertainment district, stately University Avenue and the Provincial Parliament Buildings. After lunch at leisure, you can choose to visit the Royal Ontario Museum, home to remarkable art and culture collections housed in one of the city's most striking landmarks. This afternoon, consider an Optional Experience to the CN Tower for panoramic views across Toronto, with the chance to walk on air on the famous Glass Floor at 342 m (1,122 ft), including access to the outdoor Sky Terrace. **(B)**

DAY 3 Travel on to Niagara Falls Embrace Canada's national sport, learning the secrets and superstitions of hockey players as a professional coach walks you through a day in the life of a player. Go inside the players' dressing room and put on full hockey gear, then grab your stick and it's onto the ice where you'll learn how to score the big goal. Sample some of Niagara's regional cuisine paired with a delicious vintage over a **Be My Guest** experience at a local winery. Continue to Niagara Falls. Embark on an exhilarating boat ride to the base of Horseshoe Falls, which plunges dramatically into Lake Ontario. Later, you have the option of joining a helicopter flight before overnighting at Niagara Falls with plenty of time to take in the area's natural beauty. **(B, L) Hotel: The Brock Niagara Falls-Fallsview, Tapestry Collection by Hilton**

Be My Guest

Learn about wine production and sustainable growing practises of small batch wines at family-owned Ravine Winery where you'll be surrounded by a humble and inviting Harber family farm.



DAY 4 Journey to Kingston and Ottawa Leave the cascades of Niagara Falls behind and travel east through Ontario's lake country. Stop in Kingston, once the capital of Canada and now a city known for its limestone buildings and military history. Explore at your own pace or choose to join an Optional Experience – a

narrated cruise through Kingston Harbour. Continue to Ottawa, the nation's capital, and your stay for the next two nights. **(B) Hotel: Sheraton Ottawa**

DAY 5 Ottawa Enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Mādahōki Farm, then return to Ottawa to embark on a tour of Canada's capital. You'll have a full afternoon to discover the city on your terms. Consider joining an optional cruise on the Ottawa River or taking in the "Oh Canada Eh? Dinner Show" to unlock the famous stories and people of Canada. Or, explore on your own with a visit to one of the city's museums or discover the range of amazing local cuisine. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Join your Indigenous Cultural Ambassadors at Mādahōki Farm for a guided visit that outlines the diversity of First Nations cultures across Canada. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 6 Travel to Québec City See how the cuisine of Canada is in a league of its own. The sticky, rich flavours of Canada's traditional maple syrup will linger long after your lunch at a local "Cabane à sucre" (Sugar Shack). After feasting on favourites such as ham, bacon, sausages, baked beans, scrambled eggs, pancakes and sugar pie, continue to Québec City to begin your love affair with the city's French Canadian 'joie de vivre' and your hotel in Old Québec. Tonight's **Stays with Stories** overnight finds you at the Clarendon Hotel. **(B, L) Hotel: Clarendon**

Stays with Stories

Québec City's oldest hotel dating back to 1870 features Art Deco elegance and more than a century of history, giving it an atmospheric charm.

DAY 7 Enjoy Québec City Embark on a captivating tour through the narrow streets of Old Québec, joining your Local Specialist for an in-depth discovery of this UNESCO-listed place exuding all the charm of a European city. Spend the rest of the afternoon exploring La Vieille Capitale on your terms. **(B)**

DAY 8 Discover Vibrant Montréal Visit modern downtown Montréal, the colourful port area and Place Jacques-Cartier, with your Local Specialist. After unlocking the heart of the city, join your fellow travellers for dinner in Old Montréal. **(B, D) Hotel: Le Centre Sheraton Montréal**

DAY 9 Au Revoir Montréal or Toronto Bid a fond au revoir to newfound friends as you depart Montréal at your leisure or head to Toronto International Airport. **(B)**

Transfer: Depart Montréal and transfer to Toronto airport, arriving at approximately 16:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Learn to play hockey like a pro with a professional coach in Oakville, UNESCO-listed Québec City, Montréal

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Kingston and Notre-Dame Basilica of Montréal

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise Niagara Falls on an exhilarating boat ride to the base of the iconic Horseshoe Falls

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 3 and 6 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 5 for how you'll make a positive impact

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Toronto was great, Niagara Falls and Québec were a highlight. We ate poutine for the first time in Ottawa and loved it!

Patrick

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DBEC

Enchanting Canadian Maritimes

4.5/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 1 Country | 15 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Jun - Sep

Feast on fresh Atlantic lobster, hear local stories and seek wildlife along the Cabot Trail and Gulf of St. Lawrence. From rugged coastlines to fishing communities, you'll learn about the Maritime way of life and even explore legends and traditions of the Indigenous Mi'kmaq people.



DAY 1 Hello Halifax Learn the art of living the good life as you brace yourself for crisp sea breezes and Nova Scotian hospitality in Halifax, your launch pad to discovery of Canada's Maritimes. Join your fellow travellers for dinner. **(D) Hotel: Hampton Inn by Hilton Halifax**

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Discover the Maritime History of Halifax Join your Local Specialist for morning Halifax sightseeing followed by a guided visit of the Maritime Museum of the Atlantic. From small craft boatbuilding to World War convoys, the days of sail to the age of steam, the Titanic to the Halifax explosion, you'll discover the stories and people that defined Nova Scotia and its relationship with the sea. Then, go on a guided exploration of the Citadel National Historic Site, built in the mid-18th century to defend the town from various enemies. **(B)**

DAY 3 Hear the Legends of Nova Scotia Explore local history on a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience at the Millbrook Cultural and Heritage Centre. Traverse the Canso Causeway to Cape Breton Island and arrive in the village of Baddeck, named from the Mi'kmaq word "Abadak" meaning "place with an island near". Later, enjoy a foot-stomping Ceilidh evening celebrating the Celtic heritage. **(B, D) Hotel: Silver Dart Lodge**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

At Millbrook Cultural and Heritage Centre, let music and wonderful pieces of art on display guide you through the legends and traditions of the Mi'kmaq people before enjoying a multimedia presentation. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 4 Traverse the Cabot Trail Today, enjoy the dramatic coastal views and highland scenery offering an endless source of artistic inspiration as you wind through Cape Breton Highlands National Park. Unspoiled natural beauty and sweeping coastal vistas provide a mesmerising backdrop for your drive along the Cabot Trail. Keep an eye out for moose and bald eagles as you travel in search of whales in the Gulf of the St. Lawrence. Return to Baddeck later for free time to explore the town. **(B, L)**

DAY 5 Tease Your Taste Buds on Prince Edward Island This morning, pay tribute to one of the world's most famous inventors at the Alexander Graham Bell National Historic Site, then cross the Northumberland Strait to Prince Edward Island. Tonight, enjoy a dinner at the PEI Preserve Company before a **Stays with Stories** experience. **(B, D) Hotel: Rodd Charlottetown**

Stays with Stories

From the marble floors of the grand lobby to its barrel-vaulted ceilings, the Rodd Charlottetown exudes historic elegance. Admire the thoughtful details that Canadian National Railway Hotels are known for at this hotel built in 1931.

DAY 6 Uncover the History of Prince Edward Island Join a Local Specialist for an exploration of Prince Edward Island, starting with Prince Edward Island National Park and a visit to the literary landmark of Green Gables. Step back in time over a **Be My Guest** experience overlooking the beauty of Brackley Bay. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Join a member of the Shaw family for lunch at the oldest tourist accommodations at Shaw's Hotel and Cottages on Prince Edward Island, run by the family for four generations.



DAY 7 Get Your Lobster Fix at Shediac Bay Cross the Northumberland Strait via the engineering feat of Confederation Bridge. Head to the waters of Shediac Bay, where you'll celebrate all things lobster with your Local Specialist. Get a closer look at Acadian culture while diving into the lobster industry, learning about old fishing techniques that helped shape the way of life of the region. Then, enjoy a delicious lobster lunch. Journey to the Bay of Fundy in search of the world's highest tides. Visit Hopewell Rocks and enjoy a rare opportunity to walk on the ocean floor (tide permitting). **(B, L) Hotel: Saint John Harbourfront**

DAY 8 See The Fishing Heritage Of Lunenburg Board a ferry to cross the Bay of Fundy to Digby. In the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Lunenburg, take a walking tour with a Local Specialist before delving into the fishing heritage of Nova Scotia at the Fisheries Museum of the Atlantic, then see real tall ships. Continue on to Halifax for a dinner with your fellow travellers. **(B, D) Hotel: Hampton Inn by Hilton Halifax**

DAY 9 Enjoy the Ocean Breeze at Peggy's Cove Breathe in the fresh ocean air and share in the inspiration enjoyed by painters and photographers who visit Peggy's Cove on St. Margaret's Bay. Conclude your tour arriving back in Halifax where you'll head to Stanfield International Airport or consider extending your stay. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 12:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists
Maritime Museum of the Atlantic,
Halifax Citadel National Historic Site, Prince Edward Island National Park, Hopewell Rocks

Visit Must-see Landmarks
Alexander Graham Bell National Historic Site, Green Gables Heritage Place, Cape Breton Highlands National Park

Travel by Scenic Journeys
Cruise on Shediac Bay (weather dependent);
Drive along Cabot Trail and across the Confederation Bridge

One-of-a-kind Experiences
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Travel Responsibly
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Peggy's Cove, the last stop of our amazing 9-day adventure.

Laurel

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: DMMA

Scenic Wonders of Newfoundland and Labrador

4.4/5 feefo 
As rated by past guests

12 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: May - Sep

Wild beauty, hospitality and centuries of maritime traditions await you on this Canadian tour. Each day brings a new adventure: meeting local fishermen, touring a nineteenth-century lighthouse and visiting a scallop farm. You'll even take part in a local tradition to become an honorary Newfoundlander.



DAY 1 Greetings St. John's The colourful row houses of St. John's launch your journey through Canada's easternmost provinces. Enjoy dinner with your fellow travellers, then join a local celebrity for live entertainment and a traditional "screech-in" ceremony that makes you an honorary Newfoundlander.

(D) Hotel: Hilton Garden Inn St. John's Newfoundland

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 St. John's Sightseeing Begin your day with sweeping views from Signal Hill National Historic Site, where Marconi received the first transatlantic wireless message. Join your Travel Director for an orientation tour of St. John's, before enjoying lunch at leisure. Choose an Optional Experience cruise of Witless Bay Ecological Reserve, with chances to spot puffins or whales in season. Later, visit Cape Spear National Historic Site, the easternmost point in North America, to admire its dramatic cliffs and historic lighthouse. **(B)**

DAY 3 Go Back in Time to Olde English Settlements The first stop is Cupids, the second oldest English settlement in North America. Then depart to the Town of Brigus, known for its old-style architecture and as a strategic location for local fishermen. The journey leads to Brigus tunnel where a stunning view of the wharf awaits. As the day comes to an end, depart for Clarenville. **(B) Hotel: Quality Clarenville**

DAY 4 Uncover The Natural Beauty of Bonavista Admire the rugged beauty of the Bonavista Peninsula on a tour of the Lighthouse on Cape Bonavista. See if you can spot whales, icebergs and puffins (seasonal) like the lighthouse keepers of yesteryear once did. Continue to the historic Newfoundland town of Trinity to meet a Local Specialist for a walking tour before returning to Clarenville. **(B, D)**

DAY 5 Discover the Impact of Gander Join a Local Specialist for a guided walk in Terra Nova National Park exploring sheltered inlets, headlands and forests. Continue to Gander to learn about the significant role this Newfoundland community played during the 9/11 disaster. **(B) Hotel: Sinbad's Hotel and Suites**

DAY 6 Uncover Earth's Secrets At Gros Morne National Park Your first stop is the Whale Pavilion in King's Point to see the 50-foot skeleton of a whale. Enjoy lunch on the scenic shoreline of Green Bay joining a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. Visit an authentic fishing shed for your **Be My Guest** experience. **(B, L, D) Hotel: Fisherman's Landing Inn**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Join a Local Specialist on a guided walk of UNESCO-listed Gros Morne National Park. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development goal 15: Life on land.

Be My Guest

Step into Newfoundland's rich food culture with hosts Becky and Alex at Fish Sheds, in Bonne Bay. After a tour of the grounds, sit down to a meal, as your hosts share why Newfoundland's food scene is truly one of a kind.



DAY 7 Voyage Through Gros Morne National Park Explore Gros Morne National Park your way with an Optional Experience. Choose between a cruise on Bonne Bay aboard the EMM-CAT, where live commentary reveals the bay's geological wonders, cultural history and wildlife, or a tour of Western Brook Pond to see glacier-carved land-locked fjords, waterfalls and pristine scenery. Later, visit Lobster Cove Head Lighthouse to learn about the heritage of the park. **(B)**

DAY 8 Taste The Wilderness At Arches Provincial Park Journey along the rugged coastline of Western Newfoundland with a stop at Arches Provincial Park. Visit L'Anse aux Meadows National Historic Site for a tour of the UNESCO-listed 11th-century Viking settlement, followed by dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: North**

DAY 9 Shuck Scallops In Blanc Sablon Take the ferry to Labrador, arriving in Blanc-Sablon where you'll visit a scallop farm and learn how to shuck like a local. Taste the difference between fresh and cooked scallop accompanied by wine. **(B) Hotel: Northern Light Inn**

DAY 10 Voyage Back in Time at Red Bay Tour the UNESCO-listed Red Bay National Historic Site, learn about its whaling past and visit Point Armour, the tallest lighthouse of Atlantic Canada. **(B)**

DAY 11 Unmask the Ancient History of Newfoundland Travel to St. Barbe and Port aux Choix National Historic Site. Enjoy a dinner and a **Stays with Stories** overnight in Corner Brook. **(B, D) Hotel: Glynmill Inn**

Stays with Stories

Stay at The Glynmill Inn, a Tudor-style 'Staff House' built for senior executives of the Newfoundland Pulp and Paper Company in the early 1900s.

DAY 12 Depart Corner Brook Your journey ends as you head to Deer Lake Regional Airport. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 10:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Join a Screech-in Welcome Ceremony and become an honorary Newfoundlander in St. John's, Trinity Walking Tour, Terra Nova National Park Guided Walk, Gander, Gros Morne National Park, learn how to shuck a scallop in Blanc Sablon

Discover on City Orientations

St. John's

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Cape Spear National Historic Site, Signal Hill National Historic Site, Cupids and Brigus Townships, Cape Bonavista, Gros Morne National Park, Lobster Cove Head Lighthouse, L'Anse aux Meadows National Historic Site, Red Bay National Historic Site, Point Amour Lighthouse, Port au Choix National Historic Site

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise the iconic Witless Bay; Drive along the rugged coastline of Western Newfoundland with a stop at the Arches Provincial Park

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 6 and 11 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 6 for how you'll make a positive impact

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We met some of the friendliest and most hospitable people in Newfoundland and the tour group. Outstanding scenery and a great Travel Director.

Liz

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Small Group Tour

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

Costa Rica Nature Adventure

with Guanacaste Beach Option

8 Days | 1 Country | 14 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Year-round

Glide through tree-lined waterways, relax in thermal pools, sample chocolate made from the world's best cacao and journey back in time with a native Quaker in Old Town Monteverde. This tour captures the natural highlights of a biodiverse country including a 3-day optional extension to Guanacaste.



DAY 1 Welcome to San José Learn the secrets of Pura Vida – Costa Rica's inimitable zest for life that will linger throughout your effortlessly delivered encounter with a land that boasts no artificial ingredients. This evening, join your Travel Director and fellow expeditioners for dinner. **(D)**
Hotel: Sheraton San Jose

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

DAY 2 Discover the Natural Beauty of Tortuguero National Park Journey to San Isidro de Heredia where you'll Dive into Culture with master chocolatiers Julio Fernandez and George Soriano to learn about the history of chocolate and its production at this artisanal workshop. Then, continue towards the coast where you'll embark on a river journey through protected wetlands and on to secluded Tortuguero, gliding through canals, lagoons and lowland rainforest. Continue to your **Stays with Stories** at Laguna Lodge.
(B, L, D) Hotel: Laguna Lodge

Stays with Stories

Enjoy a remote 15-acre retreat surrounded by towering trees, exotic plants and vast gardens teeming with birds and butterflies.

DAY 3 Visit the wildlife of Tortuguero National Park Cruise the waterways of Tortuguero National Park this morning with a Local Specialist, watching for monkeys, toucans and other regional wildlife. Visit Tortuguero village before returning to the lodge for lunch. In the afternoon, explore deeper on another wildlife-rich cruise. Later, Dive into Culture with Cloied, a member of a pioneer local family, as you prepare a traditional coconut dessert together before dinner at the lodge. **(B, L, D)**

DAY 4 Sample heart of palm in Sarapiquí Bid adiós to Tortuguero as you travel through the Sarapiquí region, where you'll meet the Tico family for a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at their palm plantation. Here, you'll learn about and sample the delicate heart of palm. Later, at Hacienda Pozo Azul, you'll meet the Quintana family to experience how their eco-friendly hacienda, originally built as a retirement project, has blossomed into an eco-adventure hub. During this **Be My Guest** experience, you'll learn firsthand how they're reducing their carbon footprint while supporting the local community.
(B, L) Hotel: Magic Mountain/Arenal Paraiso Resort

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Visit a local Tico family palm plantation and sample the delicate heart of palm. Your experience directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

Be My Guest

Join Don Alberto and Doña Ana at their eco-friendly farm to explore the organic orchard and share a traditional home-cooked meal.



DAY 5 Venture into Arenal Volcano Area

Head to the Arenal Hanging Bridges to walk eye-level with the rainforest canopy. Look out for monkeys, sloths and birds, with views out to the majestic Arenal Volcano. The rest of this afternoon is yours to explore or unwind at your own pace. **(B)**

DAY 6 Immerse in the stories of Monteverde Cloud Forest

Enjoy a leisurely morning before travelling to the stunning Monteverde Cloud Forest, where you'll be immersed in one of Costa Rica's most unique ecosystems. This evening, attend a Pioneer Quaker Presentation and meet a descendant of Monteverde's early Quaker settlers, who share stories of their 1950s journey from Alabama and the community's evolution. It's an evening where history and culture come vividly to life in the heart of Monteverde. **(B)**

Hotel: El Establo Mountain

DAY 7 Wander the Monteverde Cloud Forest

This morning, explore the lush Monteverde Cloud Forest with your Travel Director. Later, you can join an Optional Experience to ascend into the treetops on the Sky Walk suspension bridges, observing wildlife high above the jungle floor. You'll have plenty of new stories to share with new friends over dinner. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Depart San José or Liberia Your adventure through Costa Rica comes to a close as you prepare for your journey home with wonderful memories. **(B)**

Transfer: Depart Monteverde and transfer to San Jose or Liberia airport, arriving at approximately 11:00.

Guanacaste Beach Option

Enhance your holiday with a 3-day optional extension at Guanacaste Beach, where you can enjoy fishing, swimming, diving, surfing or simply soaking up the sun.

Small Group Tours

With an average of 16 travellers, you'll enjoy deep connections with the places and people you meet along the way. To find out more, turn to page 7 of this brochure.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Cocoa Farm with Master Chocolatier, Monteverde with Quaker pioneer descendant, and Tortuguero

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Tortuguero Village, Sarapiquí and Monteverde Cloud Forest

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise the canals of Tortuguero National Park

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See days 2 and 4 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See day 4 for how you'll make a positive impact

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We ziplined at Monteverde Park and it was incredible. The whole tour from start to finish allowed us to see the different ecosystems of Costa Rica!

Judy

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Included meals: Breakfast **(B)** Lunch **(L)** Dinner **(D)**

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: LCRE/LCRG

The Heart of Mexico

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Tour rating coming soon

10 Days | 1 Country | 13 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Jan - Apr + Oct - Dec

From Mexico City to Guadalajara, you'll glide through Xochimilco's ancient floating gardens and wander cobbled streets of colonial towns that feel untouched by time. Connect with local tradition as you learn the craft of tequila-making in the agave countryside and roll tortillas with local hosts.



DAY 1 Welcome to Mexico City Arrive in Mexico City and transfer to your hotel in the historic heart of the capital. Later, meet your Travel Director and fellow travellers before heading to a local restaurant. Your journey begins with a **Stays with Stories** experience in a beautifully restored colonial building.

(D) Hotel: Historico Central

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

Stays with Stories

In Mexico City's historic district, **Historico Central** is a restored 18th-century colonial building, carefully preserving its original architecture in the very heart of the former Aztec capital and Spanish colonial city.

DAY 2 Discover Mexico City Delve into the stories of Mexico City on a guided exploration of its UNESCO-listed historic centre. See the Metropolitan Cathedral, visit the National Palace to admire Diego Rivera's murals and explore Templo Mayor. Continue to Coyoacán for time at leisure and visit Casa Azul, Frida Kahlo's iconic home, where she was born, lived and worked. Explore at your own pace, seeing personal items, artworks and rooms that reflect her life and artistic identity. **(B)**

DAY 3 Experience Xochimilco Travel to UNESCO-listed Xochimilco for a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** that reveals one of Mexico City's oldest living traditions. Glide by private trajinera to a chinampa, meet local hosts protecting this ancient farming system and discover how these floating gardens support biodiversity and community life. Enjoy a fresh farm-to-table lunch before returning to the city. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Visit Xochimilco's ecological gardens and meet local hosts safeguarding the ancient chinampa system. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Production.

DAY 4 Journey to San Miguel de Allende Visit the Basilica of Guadalupe, one of the world's most significant pilgrimage sites. Continue to Teotihuacán, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, where a Local Specialist brings this remarkable archeological site to life as you see the Pyramid of the Sun, the Pyramid of the Moon and the Temple of Quetzalpapálotl. As you explore, gain insight into the history and significance of this ancient city. After travel to San Miguel de Allende. **(B) Hotel: Mision San Miguel de Allende**

DAY 5 See the sights of San Miguel Join your Travel Director for a walking tour of the UNESCO-listed historic centre of San Miguel de Allende, seeing the striking pink spires of Parroquia de San Miguel Arcángel

and strolling through graceful colonial streets. Then, join an Optional Experience for a hands-on papier-mâché workshop with the Trejo family, whose artistry has been passed down through four generations. As you make your own alebrije or mask, you'll get closer to the techniques, skill and family tradition behind this Mexican art form. **(B)**

DAY 6 On to Guanajuato Drive through the Sierra de Guanajuato to one of Mexico's most atmospheric colonial cities. Explore with your Travel Director on foot, uncovering flower-filled plazas, narrow alleyways and the city's distinctive underground roads. The rest of the day is yours to soak up the character of Guanajuato. This evening, you can choose to join an Optional Experience, walking Guanajuato's alleys with student musicians as they perform traditional songs and share local stories. **(B) Hotel: San Diego**

DAY 7 Continue to Guadalajara Begin with a **Be My Guest** experience at Casa Carbonera. Join your hosts for a hands-on tortilla-making workshop, then sit down to a regional meal that shares the flavours, stories and warmth of a Mexican family kitchen. Later, continue to Guadalajara, where the evening is free for your own discoveries. **(B, L) Hotel: Plaza Diana**

Be My Guest

At Casa Carbonera, meet your local hosts for a hands-on tortilla-making workshop followed by a family-style regional meal with wine, celebrating the origins of enchiladas mineras and the traditions of a Mexican family kitchen.

DAY 8 Visit Tequila Travel to Tequila, a town at the heart of Jalisco's agave country and within the UNESCO-listed Agave Landscape. At a local distillery, a Local Specialist reveals the craft behind this celebrated spirit, from the skill of the jimadores to the distinct character of each tasting. Later, spend time in Tequila itself, exploring the birthplace of Mexico's best-known spirit and seeing more of this Pueblo Mágico before returning to Guadalajara. **(B)**

DAY 9 Discover Guadalajara Explore Guadalajara's historic centre, where elegant colonial buildings, cathedral façades and murals by José Clemente Orozco reveal the city's proud cultural heritage. Visit Tlaquepaque, known for its artistic spirit and local charm. This evening, celebrate your journey with a dinner and a lively Mariachi performance. **(B, D)**

DAY 10 Depart Guadalajara Your journey comes to an end this morning with an included transfer to the airport. **(B)**

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 10:00.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Teotihuacán, the Pyramid of the Sun and the Pyramid of the Moon, and a local Tequila distillery

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Casa Azul, Templo Mayor, Basilica de Guadalupe, Tlaquepaque

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Cruise Cruise the UNESCO-listed canals of Xochimilco on a colourful trajinera

One-of-a-kind Experiences

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Travel Responsibly

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Mexico has an energy you feel right away. There's so much warmth and something to love in every place we visited.

Maritza, Travel Experiences Team

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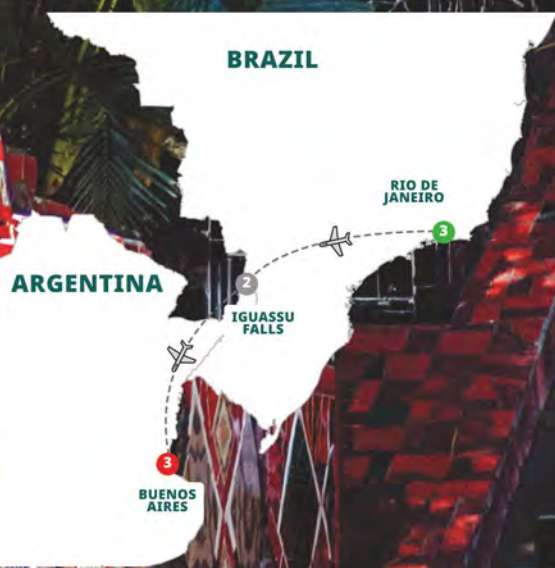
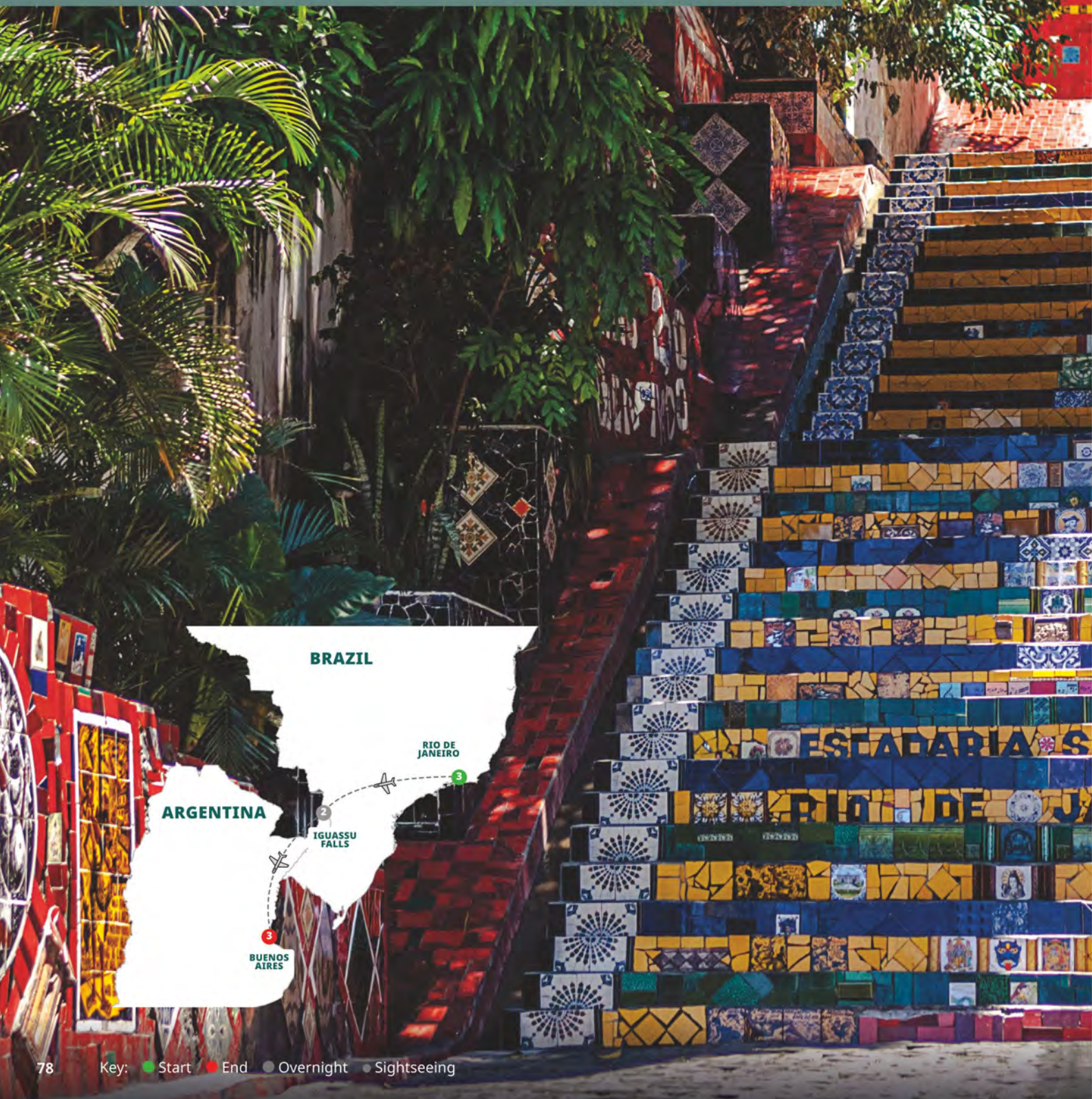
Impressions of South America

4.5/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

9 Days | 2 Countries | 12 Meals | Balanced Activity

Departure months: Year-round

From Copacabana's famous shores to the thunder of Iguassu Falls, you'll experience South America at full volume. Enjoy an evening of tango in Buenos Aires, feel Rio's infectious rhythm, then slow down at a family-run gaucho ranch, with asado crackling on the fire and live music drifting into the evening.



DAY 1 Arrive Rio de Janeiro Launch your leisurely exploration of South America to the sultry beats of the Bossa Nova and Samba. A local host will take you to your hotel in the heart of Copacabana beach, just minutes from downtown Rio. This evening, we enjoy a festive dinner with our Travel Director and fellow travellers. **(D) Hotel: Windsor Excelsior Copacabana**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 19:30.

DAY 2 Rio de Janeiro Sightseeing and At Leisure Join your Travel Director and ride the historic cable car to Sugarloaf Mountain, pausing at Urca Hill before reaching the summit for sweeping views over Guanabara Bay and Copacabana. Hear how this iconic peak got its name during Brazil's sugar trade era. After a drive past Ipanema and the Copacabana beaches, your afternoon is at leisure. Perhaps choose an Optional Experience to the Selarón Steps, a colourful mosaic staircase and local landmark. This evening, you could choose an Optional Experience if you wish: enjoy Brazilian flavours and a performance at the city's famous Roxy Dinner Show. **(B)**

DAY 3 Rio de Janeiro Sightseeing and At Leisure Hands outstretched, the iconic Christ the Redeemer welcomes you to the hunched outcrop of Corcovado, sharing his impressive panoramic view of a city that loves to celebrate. This afternoon, soak in the shores of Copacabana and Ipanema. Kick back and watch sun-worshippers playing and sip a caipirinha or two as you learn to mix one this afternoon. This evening, enjoy sizzling barbecue at a local churrascaria. Bom proveito! **(B, D)**

DAY 4 Rio de Janeiro – Iguazú Falls Journey into some of South America's most beautiful natural landscapes on a flight from Rio to Iguassu Falls, the UNESCO-listed magnificent falls that straddle the borders of Brazil, Argentina and Paraguay. Explore the Brazilian side of Iguassu Falls with a Local Specialist hiking through giant clouds and sprays of water. **(B) Hotel: Mercure**

DAY 5 Iguazú National Park See the Argentinian side at Devil's Throat. Visit the Guarani community of Fortín M'bororé on a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**, then opt for a Gran Aventura boat tour to the falls' base. **(B)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Visit the Guarani community for a walk through the jungle, where you'll learn about ancestral beliefs, medicinal plants, traditional homes, rituals and handicrafts. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

DAY 6 Iguazú Falls – Buenos Aires Take a flight from Iguazú Falls to Buenos Aires, the capital of Argentina. Take a stroll around the neighborhood to explore the local cafes, or venture on a wine tasting trip to "El Querandi," a big house located in the historical district and considered a living testimony of the city originally founded as a bar in 1920. **(B) Hotel: Intercontinental**

DAY 7 Buenos Aires Sightseeing Take in the sights of Buenos Aires on a City Tour to the pink palace, cathedral and La Boca neighbourhood. The rest of the afternoon is free for you to relax and explore this exciting city on your own. This evening enjoy the passionate and precise steps of some of Buenos Aires most talented tango dancers. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Explore San Antonio de Areco Head to San Antonio de Areco, the heart of gaucho traditions in the pampas region. Here, you'll learn about local social initiatives and admire handcrafted alpargatas during a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. At a gaucho painter's studio, watch a live drawing demonstration before the day winds down with sizzling asado and a **Be My Guest** experience at a family-run ranch. **(B, L)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Visit a workshop at the Association for the Promotion of Persons with Disabilities, where you'll see alpargatas, the typical shoes of the gauchos, created using traditional methods. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

Be My Guest Meet a local family at their gaucho ranch for an authentic asado Argentino complete with folkloric music and dancing.



DAY 9 Depart Buenos Aires Transfer to the airport for your flight home or choose to extend your stay. **(B)**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer from your hotel to the airport is scheduled according to your flight departure time.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Rio de Janeiro to learn how to mix the perfect Caipirinha, Buenos Aires and the Brazilian and Argentinean side of Iguazú National Park

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Christ the Redeemer statue, Sugarloaf Mountain, Corcovado Mountain, and San Antonio de Areco, the heart of the "gaucho" traditions

One-of-a-kind Experiences

See day 8 for your unique local encounters

Travel Responsibly

See days 5 and 8 for how you'll make a positive impact

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Rio & Buenos Aires are incredible! But it was the power of Iguazu Falls that truly stayed with me - I left in complete awe.

Tony

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Highlights of Peru

4.7/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

with Peruvian Amazon & Galápagos Extension Options

8 Days | 1 Country | 12 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Year-round

Walk Lima's UNESCO-listed Historic Centre, then learn to cook lomo saltado and create a delicious Chilcano at Chef Ignacio's kitchen. In the Sacred Valley, the Manos de la Comunidad weaving centre reveals ancient Andean craft before your visit to Machu Picchu.



DAY 1 Arrive Lima Prepare for your epic voyage through the iconic and unexpected highlights of Peru. Meet your local host and transfer to your hotel in the upscale shopping district of Miraflores. Join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner this evening. **(D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 19:30.

DAY 2 Experience the Sights and Flavours of Lima Connect with the colonial heritage of Francisco Pizarro's 'City of Kings', admiring the colonial splendour of Lima's UNESCO-listed Historic Centre, with your Local Specialist. See the Church of San Francisco and discover its hidden catacombs. You'll visit a local market before continuing to Chef Ignacio's cooking school for a **Be My Guest** experience with lunch before spending the rest of the day at leisure. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Explore a local market with Chef Ignacio, then enjoy lunch at his cooking school where you'll learn to cook lomo saltado and craft the perfect Chilcano.



DAY 3 Journey to the Sacred Valley Board a morning flight to Cusco and continue to the Sacred Valley upon arrival. Visit Manos de la Comunidad, a local weaving centre, for your **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. Here, you'll uncover a tradition of the Sacred Valley called "linderaje". After your experience, enjoy an exclusive lunch. Then continue to a former 18th-century colonial-style monastery set among peaceful gardens. Later, connect with artisans working to protect Peru's textile heritage. This **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** helps fund skills training and job creation across villages like Chinchero and Parobamba. **(B, L) Hotel: Sonesta Posadas del Inca Yuca**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Visit Manos de la Comunidad weaving centre, and discover traditions of the Sacred Valley. Then enjoy an exclusive, pachamanca lunch in a beautiful outdoor

space near the centre. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 11: Sustainable Cities and Communities.

Stays with Stories

Enjoy an overnight stay within the Sacred Valley at Sonesta Posadas del Inca Yuca, a former monastery complete with plazas and cobbled streets.

DAY 4 Explore iconic Machu Picchu We visit the famous Sacred Valley stronghold of Ollantaytambo before boarding the Vistadome train for our epic journey to Machu Picchu, one of the New Seven Wonders of the World. **(B, D) Hotel: El MaPi**

DAY 5 The Sites of Machu Picchu and Cusco The ancient ruins of Machu Picchu beckon again and you have an opportunity to re-connect with this ancient wonder. Board a train to the Sacred Valley later, then head to the colonial city of Cusco, stopping en route at a local chicheria. Enjoy the sweet flavours of chicha as you learn how this Peruvian corn beer is brewed by the local women. **(B) Hotel: Sonqori Boutique Hotel**

DAY 6 Step Back in Time in Cusco Embark on a sightseeing tour of the sacred city of Cusco this morning, admiring the 16th-century Spanish colonial buildings that stand on the foundations of former Inca temples and palaces. See the baroque Cathedral on the Plaza de Armas and 17th-century Church of Santo Domingo. Visit the ruins of the Sacsayhuaman fortress and see nearby warehouses where the Incas once stored their grain. The afternoon is free to explore on your terms. **(B)**

DAY 7 Delve into Pre-Columbian Art in Lima A leisurely start to your day sees you return to Lima this afternoon. Meet a Local Specialist at the Larco Museum, which houses one of the largest private collections of pre-Columbian art in the world. This evening you'll join your join our travel companions for dinner in the museum's garden restaurant. **(B, D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

DAY 8 Depart Lima Transfer to the airport for your onward flight. **(B)**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer from your hotel to the airport is scheduled according to your flight departure time.

Peruvian Amazon and Galápagos Islands Cruise Options

Customise your holiday by adding a 5-Day extension to the Peruvian Amazon, or a 6-Day extension to Quito with a Galápagos Islands cruise.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Lima, Machu Picchu and Larco Museum

Visit Must-see Landmarks

San Francisco Monastery, Ollantaytambo Ruins, Historic Sacsayhuaman, Cusco Cathedral, Qorikancha

Travel by Scenic Journeys

Drive through the Sacred Valley, Scenic Train Ride to Machu Picchu

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I came for Machu Picchu, but it was everything else that made me fall in love with Peru.

Maritza, Travel Experiences Team

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Land of the Incas

with Peruvian Amazon Extension Option

4.8/5 **feefo** 
As rated by past guests

13 Days | 1 Country | 22 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Year-round

From the Nazca Lines to Machu Picchu, prepare to uncover Incan history. You'll visit Ollantaytambo and Sacsayhuaman, cruise to the Ballestas Islands and take a private boat to Taquile Island, where a home-cooked lunch and UNESCO-listed weaving traditions await you.



DAY 1 Arrive Lima This evening, you'll join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:30.

DAY 2 Lima Sightseeing Start your city tour taking in of the highlights of Lima. Learn to play the "cajón" instrument and get an introduction to the basic steps of "musica negra", dance. Continue to the Main Square of Lima for more views and history. **(B)**

DAY 3 Cusco and the Sacred Valley Fly to Cusco this morning, and continue to the Sacred Valley, where you'll enjoy a local Peruvian lunch with sweeping views of the Sacred Valley. Then Dive into Culture meeting a shaman who will perform a special ceremony to welcome you to Peru. **(B, L) Hotel: Sonesta Posadas del Inca Yucay**

DAY 4 Sacred Valley Enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience as you meet farmers who grow Peru's iconic Giant White Corn. You'll learn how their cultivation methods blend ancestral knowledge with modern innovation. Then watch a performance of the Marinera, a graceful couple's dance that celebrates Peru's Spanish, Indigenous and African heritage. Round out the day with a Ceviche and Pisco Sour Demonstration. **(B, L)**

DAY 5 The Sacred Valley and Machu Picchu Visit the mystical Incan stronghold of Ollantaytambo, en route to Machu Picchu, a village in the Sacred Valley, set on the Urubamba River amid majestic mountains. Then, ascend to the Lost City in the Clouds aboard the Vistadome train. Join your Local Specialist for an exploration of the temples, palaces and terraces whose construction defy imagination. **(B, D) Hotel: El MaPi**

DAY 6 From Machu Picchu to Cusco The ruins of Machu Picchu beckon yet again and you'll enjoy one final opportunity to reconnect with its story. Next, journey back to the Sacred Valley by train, stopping en route to Cusco to learn about the natural dyeing techniques used by native weavers. **(B) Hotel: Sonqori Boutique Hotel**

DAY 7 Cusco Sightseeing Begin your day in Cusco with your Local Specialist at the remarkable UNESCO-listed Incan fortress of Sacsayhuamán, then continue on a guided city tour. **(B)**

DAY 8 Traditions of Puno Leave Cusco behind as you journey towards Puno, crossing the La Raya Pass where the Andes divide the Cusco and Puno regions. Along the way, explore the archaeological site of Raqchi, once a key settlement along the

Inca road network. Enjoy a warm welcome into a local family home, where you'll share lunch and stories. Then Dive into Culture with a traditional art form as you paint your own torito de Pucará: a colourful ceramic bull. **(B, L) Hotel: Sonesta Posadas del Inca Puno**

DAY 9 Cruise Lake Titicaca Take to the water for a scenic cruise across Lake Titicaca to the Uros Floating Islands, where you'll meet a local family and hear how their extraordinary homes are carefully crafted from totora reeds. Cruise to Taquile Island where you'll enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**. **(B, L, D)**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience
Cruise across Lake Titicaca to Taquile Island, where you'll meet Indigenous locals and explore their UNESCO-listed textile traditions. You'll share a home-cooked lunch and see how the community's weaving and knitting reflect cultural identity and status. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 10 Travel to Paracas Return to Lima this morning, then continue your journey to the coastal playground of Paracas. **(B, L) Hotel: Aranwa Paracas Resort & Spa**

DAY 11 Fly Over the Nazca Lines Fly high above the desert to view the Nazca Lines, a network of ancient geoglyphs best seen from the air. Back on the ground, explore the Regional Museum of Ica, home to a collection of artifacts from the Paracas, Nazca and Inca cultures. At a nearby winery, learn how Peru's iconic Pisco is made during a tour and tasting at their production site. **(B, L)**

DAY 12 Ballestas Islands and Lima This morning, connect with nature with a Local Specialist, cruising around the uninhabited Ballestas Islands, a 'mini-Galapagos' teeming with wildlife. See the mysterious Candelabro in Pisco Bay, then return to Lima where this evening, you'll indulge in a farewell dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

DAY 13 Depart Lima Take a transfer to the airport for your flight home or consider extending your holiday in Lima. **(B)**

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Peruvian Amazon Option

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Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Cusco, receive a special welcome from a Shaman in the Sacred Valley, learn to play the "cajón" in Lima

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Ollantaytambo, two visits to Machu Picchu, Sacsayhuaman, the Uros Islands and Lake Titicaca, Cusco Cathedral, Qorikancha

Travel by Scenic Journeys

on Lake Titicaca, Drive through the Sacred Valley, Scenic Train Ride to Machu Picchu

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Pictures absolutely don't do them justice! Seeing the Nazca lines was a longtime dream and a glimpse of the ingenuity we've been capable of for centuries!

Shante

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In the Footsteps of the Incas

with Peruvian Amazon Extension Option

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As rated by past guests

11 Days | 1 Country | 17 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Year-round

From the cloud forests of the Andes to the birthplace of the sun at Lake Titicaca, this journey through Peru's altiplanos and the famous floating Uros Islands traces the ancient past of the Incas. You'll visit with local weaver and corn farmers, filling your days with authentic connections and captivating culture.



DAY 1 Arrive Lima Transfer to your hotel in the upscale district of Miraflores. This evening, you'll join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. (D)
Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection

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Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 18:00.

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Learn about the culture surrounding the production of Giant White Corn over lunch.



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once-great civilisation, joining your Local Specialist for an exploration of the temples. (B, D) **Hotel: El MaPi**

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DAY 9 Lake Titicaca Excursion Connect With Locals as you cruise the deep blue waters of Lake Titicaca, passing floating islands constructed by the Uros people. Next, in the midst of South America's largest lake lies Taquile Island, where you'll **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** and tonight, enjoy dinner with your fellow travellers. (B, L, D)

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

Cruise across Lake Titicaca to Taquile Island, where you'll meet Indigenous locals and explore their UNESCO-listed textile traditions. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 10: Reduced Inequalities.

DAY 10 Travel to Lima Today, we fly to Lima and enjoy an evening at leisure. Perhaps take one last stroll through Miraflores or walk along the scenic boardwalk. (B) **Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

DAY 11 Depart Lima For now it's time to say a fond hasta luego to Lima and transfer to the airport for your flight home, or consider extending your stay. (B)

Transfers: A complimentary transfer from your hotel to the airport is scheduled according to your flight departure time.

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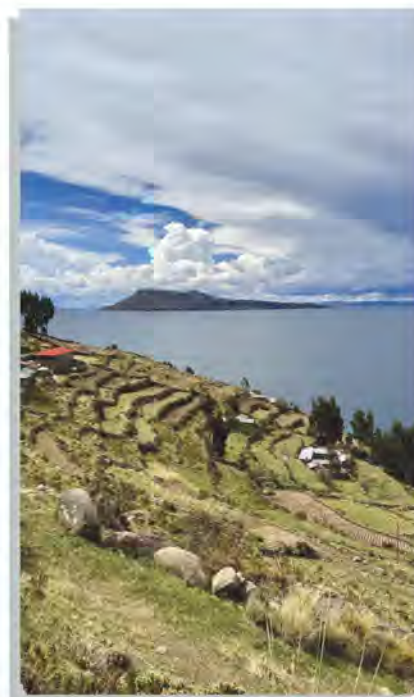
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I'll never forget overlooking Lake Titicaca, enjoying a simple quinoa soup. Not only was it delicious, but an incredibly peaceful moment.

Daniela

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Included meals: Breakfast (B) Lunch (L) Dinner (D)

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: LLIL

Small Group Tour

4.5/5 feefo 
As rated by past guests

Wonders of Patagonia

11 Days | 2 Countries | 16 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Jan - Apr + Oct - Nov

From Buenos Aires' electric streets to the silent, wind-swept steppe, Patagonia is a delight for curious travellers. On this tour, you'll experience lands shaped by glaciers and generations of hard work, and come face-to-face with the colossal Perito Moreno Glacier.



DAY 1 Welcome to Buenos Aires

Argentina's capital is your launch pad to the other-worldly southern frontier of Patagonia. This evening, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. (D) **Hotel: Intercontinental**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 19:00.

DAY 2 Buenos Aires Sightseeing Explore Buenos Aires with your Travel Director, beginning along 9 de Julio Avenue, often called the widest street in the world. See the ornate Colón Theatre before arriving at Plaza de Mayo, the city's historic heart, framed by the Casa Rosada, the Metropolitan Cathedral and the Cabildo. Step inside the cathedral to view its neoclassical interior. Your orientation of the city takes you through the district of La Boca, Palermo's green spaces and to Recoleta, where Eva Perón is buried. (B)

DAY 3 Uncover Ushuaia Fly to Ushuaia, the world's southernmost city and join a Local Specialist for a walking tour. Then visit Claudia's home for dinner as Franco, a third-generation Fuegian, shares what life is like in remote Patagonia. (B, D) **Hotel: Los Acebos Ushuaia**

DAY 4 Tierra del Fuego National Park Join a Local Specialist to explore the dramatic landscapes of Tierra del Fuego National Park, Argentina's southern-most national park on the border of Chile. Keep an eye out for red foxes, condors, eagles and beavers. Come face to face with the biological richness of Tierra del Fuego Island and its beautiful scenic beauty, enjoying views over the Beagle Channel at Ensenada Bay, the glacial waters of Roca Lake and the deep Bay of Lapataia. Consider joining an optional cruise excursion on the Beagle Channel, focusing on the scenic archipelago, wildlife and history, or take a longer excursion that includes views of lazy colonies of sea lions and Magellanic penguins. (B)

DAY 5 Off to El Calafate Leave the 'end of the world' and fly to El Calafate on the shores of Lake Argentino, the gateway to Los Glaciares National Park with its spectacular Perito Moreno Glacier. (B) **Hotel: Kosten Aike**

DAY 6 Glaciares National Park Excursion Today you'll explore the striking UNESCO-listed Los Glaciares National Park. Touring with a Local Specialist, you'll come face-to-face with its arctic blue and white glaciers fed by the massive South Patagonian Ice Field. Discover the magnificent Perito Moreno Glacier, towering above the icy waters of Lake Argentino. Experience the rugged solitude of the windswept steppe and the quiet southern beach forests before heading back to El Calafate for an evening at leisure. (B)

DAY 7 Adventure to Puerto Natales

Start your day with a with a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Pingo Salvaje, where you'll learn about the ranch owners' holistic grazing efforts. Next, it's off to the fascinating Milodon Cave with your Local Specialist. After, explore Rupestre Patagonia Park. Just a stone's throw from Milodon Cave, this family-owned park features native Patagonian forests and diverse rock formations. With a Local Specialist, you'll see eaves and caverns sculpted by glaciers 18,000 years ago. (B) **Hotel: Costaustralis**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience Explore Pingo Salvaje ranch in the heart of Patagonia. Discover the sustainable practises of the ranch owners, who have implemented holistic grazing to maintain ecological balance. Your visit directly supports United Nations Sustainable Development Goal 12: Responsible Consumption and Protection.

DAY 8 Torres Del Paine Sightseeing Venture into the heart of Torres Del Paine with a Local Specialist. Embark on a scenic drive and short hikes to see stunning landscapes. (B, L)

DAY 9 Local culture of Puerto Natales Enjoy a **Be My Guest** experience at Estancia Tierra de Overjeros, a working ranch in Cerro Castillo owned by Raúl and América. Sit down with your hosts for a traditional Patagonian lamb barbecue, complete with homemade dessert and fresh bread with Pebre sauce for an authentic taste of Chilean country life. (B, L)

Be My Guest Surrounded by sheep pastures and fruit trees planted by América herself, you'll learn how generations of hard work have shaped life in this remote part of Patagonia.

DAY 10 Serrano Glaciers Excursion Travel by boat up the Rio Serrano, passing the Southern Icefield toward the icy turquoise sheets of the Serrano Glacier. Explore the impressive glacier with a hike to Seno Ultima Esperanza where you will see the rest of the Southern Patagonian Icefield. Continue through the fjord by boat then return to land where you'll join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. (B, L, D)

DAY 11 Depart Santiago Depart this morning for the peninsula town of Punta Arenas to board your flight to Santiago International Airport, where your Patagonia adventure ends. (B)

Transfer: Arrive at the airport at 20:00.

Small Group Tours

With an average of 16 travellers, you'll enjoy deep connections with the places and people you meet along the way. To find out more, turn to page 7 of this brochure.

Included highlights and must-sees

Explore with Local Specialists

Tierra del Fuego National Park, Ushuaia, Los Glaciares National Park, Milodon Cave, Rupestre Patagonia Park, Torres del Paine National Park

Visit Must-see Landmarks

Recoleta Cemetery, Perito Moreno Glacier, Laguna Amarga

Travel by Scenic Journeys

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Our trip to Patagonia was simple and unforgettable. Windy days, big landscapes and lots of laughs. Thanks Trafalgar.

Jhonatan

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Included meals: Breakfast (B) Lunch (L) Dinner (D)

Hotels: On occasion, hotels of a similar standard and location may be used.

Trip code: LPAT

South America Revealed

with Galápagos Extension Option

4.5/5 **feefo** 
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16 Days | 3 Countries | 24 Meals | Dynamic Activity

Departure months: Year-round

From Rio's beaches to Peru's Inca heartland, uncover South America's icons and local flavours. You'll create caipirinhas and chilcanos, meet skilled weavers in the Sacred Valley and stand before Machu Picchu, returning with stories shaped by culture and connection.



DAY 1 Welcome to Rio de Janeiro The "Cidade Maravilhosa" launches your South American exploration. Start by meeting your Travel Director and fellow travellers over dinner. **(D) Hotel: Windsor Excelsior Copacabana**

Transfers: A complimentary transfer to your hotel is scheduled according to your flight arrival time.

Welcome: Meet your Travel Director at 19:30.

DAY 2 Enjoy Rio de Janeiro and Sugarloaf Mountain Join your Travel Director on a cable-car ride to Sugarloaf Mountain for sweeping views over Guanabara Bay and Copacabana. **(B)**

DAY 3 Uncover the Sights and Flavours of Rio de Janeiro Explore the city's natural heart when you ride a cogwheel train to Corcovado's summit to see Christ the Redeemer. This evening, enjoy sizzling barbecue at a local churrascaria. **(B, D)**

DAY 4 Rhythms of Rio de Janeiro and Iguazú Falls Fly from Rio to Iguassu Falls and explore the Brazilian side with a Local Specialist, hiking through mist and cascading waters. **(B) Hotel: Mercure**

DAY 5 Iguazú National Park See the Argentinian side at Devil's Throat. Visit the Guarani community of Fortín M'bororé on a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience**, then opt for a Gran Aventura boat tour to the falls' base. **(B)**

DAY 6 Iguazú Falls - Buenos Aires Kick back on a travel day as you fly from Iguassu Falls to Buenos Aires. **(B) Hotel: Intercontinental**

DAY 7 Buenos Aires Sightseeing Take a city tour of the Pink Palace, cathedral and La Boca. In the evening, watch a captivating tango performance by some of Buenos Aires' top dancers. **(B, D)**

DAY 8 Explore San Antonio de Areco Enjoy a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** visit to a workshop supporting people with disabilities, learn about local art, and end the day with a **Be My Guest** asado feast. **(B, L)**

DAY 9 Venture to Lima, the City of Kings Fly to Lima to meet your local host and transfer to your hotel. This evening, you'll join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for dinner. **(B, D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

DAY 10 Savour the Flavours of Lima Discover Lima with your Local Specialist. Celebrate Lima's status as the culinary capital of South America when you meet Chef Ignacio Barrios. You'll have an opportunity enjoy some of his best dishes during your **Be My Guest** experience. **(B, L)**

Be My Guest

Explore a local market with Chef Ignacio, then enjoy lunch at his cooking school where you'll learn to cook lomo saltado and craft the perfect Chilcano.

DAY 11 Admire the Local Culture of Cusco and Sacred Valley Fly to Cusco to see the Sacred Valley. During a **MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience** at Manos de la Comunidad, uncover a "linderaje." Later, connect with artisans who protect Peru's textile heritage. **(B, L) Hotel: Sonesta Posadas del Inca Yuca**

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER™ Experience

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DAY 12 Journey to Machu Picchu Visit Ollantaytambo, then board the Vistadome Train to discover the UNESCO-listed Machu Picchu ruins with a Local Specialist. Tonight, dine at your hotel. **(B, D) Hotel: El MaPi**

DAY 13 Continue in Machu Picchu then Return to Cusco Return to Machu Picchu to explore this mythical fortress on your own terms. Then travel to Cusco, stopping at a local chicheria to see how Peruvian corn beer is made by local women. **(B) Hotel: Sonqori Boutique Hotel**

DAY 14 Step Back in Time in Cusco Embark on a sightseeing tour with your Local Specialist and visit the baroque Cathedral and the ruins of the Sacsayhuaman fortress. **(B)**

DAY 15 Onward to Lima Return to Lima late this morning. In the evening, join your Local Specialist at the Larco Museum to admire its collection of pre-Columbian art. Your dinner is in the museum's garden. **(B, D) Hotel: SOUMA Lima, Vignette Collection**

DAY 16 Farewell Lima Transfer to the airport for your flight home or consider extending your stay in Lima. **(B)**

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