

# New Vacations & Getaways

## An Apple Farm Christmas

Featuring Hearst Castle and Cambria Christmas Market

**4 Days • November 30 – December 3**

A holiday favorite for **Sports Leisure** travelers for many years, the Apple Farm is classic Christmas. Add the grandeur of the Hearst Castle and their decorations and you will be inspired to come home and “deck your halls”. This early December holiday trip includes three nights at the favored Apple Farm Inn; an “upstairs tour” of the Hearst Castle including Hearst’s private office and living quarters; and the Cambria “Christmas Market” to get you into the holiday spirit.

**1.** Begin with a drive down through the western side of the Central Valley, arriving at Harris Ranch Inn for lunch. Their collection of Christmas decorations is sure to set the spirit soaring with delight. In the company store you will find almonds, apricots and other fine goodies fresh from the neighboring orchards. Continue to the coast, arriving in San Luis Obispo late afternoon. **Apple Farm Inn – 3 nights (L)**

**2.** Relax a bit with a later morning start before heading out on our excursions. Morro Bay is a quaint coastal village with plenty of shopping, and great clam chowder. We’ll start with a visit to the “rock” to see if we can spot some harbor seals playing in the bay followed with time to browse the shops. This evening, stroll through booths at Cambria’s Christmas Market. Vendors, musicians and festive lights make this a great holiday event. **(FB,L)**

**3.** A nice hot breakfast prepares you for a day of touring along the Central Coast. First up, we will stop in at the little hamlet of Harmony. Once home to a dairy creamery, this little village is continually re-inventing itself with artisan shops. As time and weather allows, we will visit the Elephant Seal Rookery in San Simeon. December is the month the females arrive to give birth to their 70 pound pups! Then, step back in time as you tour the Assembly Room and the Upstairs Suites of Hearst Castle.

Please note: the tour is 60 minutes in length, includes **332 steps** both up and down, and **3/4 mile walk** with much standing. (You may OPT OUT of castle tour at time of registration and receive \$30 credit). **(FB,L)**

**4.** Begin your last day with another hot and hearty breakfast. On our return to Sacramento, we make a brief stop in Salinas at the Steinbeck Center. This quintessential American author truly has the story of local boy “done good.” While Steinbeck’s writings were very controversial at the time they were written, today Salinas is proud of their Nobel Prize author. Arrive Sacramento, early evening to find the transfer to your home provided by our local car service. **(FB,L)**

This holiday vacation includes door-to-door service, roundtrip motorcoach transportation, accommodations, 7 meals **(3FB,4L)**, all tours and attractions listed, and the services of a **Sports Leisure Vacations** Tour Director. 1450/1650 Gold Passport Points

**\$1405 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1615 single**

**Save \$40 until July 7**

## The California Christmas Mystery Tour

**5 Days • December 3-7**

We had a far away destination in mind for this year’s Christmas Mystery Tour. But things have changed since we made that decision last fall. So we’ll wait a year for that itinerary and offer a trip within California in 2020. This four night adventure visits three different destinations and includes a wide variety of Christmas attractions. Let’s see, water, rails, motorcoach, a short air flight in one direction (yes, it’s a budget tour, so you fly one way and walk home... LOL). Lots of holiday treats (we never miss a feeding), accommodations of the finest order, and a true step back in time along the way. Even Santa himself would be jealous of our itinerary.

Because many people repeat this trip every year, it is very popular (Imagine that, signing up year after year, for a trip where you don’t know the destination.) We strongly recommend you register early. It is perhaps our most sought after reservation of the year! The package includes 9 meals, one way airfare, train, boat and coach transportation, plus the services of a *Sports Leisure Tour Director* (or two). 2200/2450 Gold Passport Points

**\$2160 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2450 single**

**Save \$75 until July 7**

## Christmas in Victoria

**4 Days • December 2-5, 2020**

★ **Highlights** ★

- Roundtrip air to/from Victoria
- 3 nights at an all-suite hotel
- Dinner and lights at famed Butchart Gardens
- Holiday English Tea served at The Empress Hotel
- Tour the B.C. Legislative Building
- Unique holiday shopping at a local crafts fair
- 7 meals: 3 full breakfasts, 1 lunch, 1 High Tea, 2 dinners
- 2200/2400 Gold Passport Points

Kick off the Christmas Season with a bit of British flair in beautiful Victoria, B.C. Twinkling lights replace hanging flower pots, illuminating the streets as you go store to store to find that perfect gift for a loved one... or yourself! All the highlights are included with plenty of free time to create your own experience. It’s truly a very special time to visit the quaint, yet lively little city on the picturesque Inner Harbour.

**1.** By way of Seattle, fly to Victoria arriving in the late afternoon. Lunch is waterside in quaint Sidney, a seaside resort town full of boutique shopping and a charming English Sweets shop. You’ll get an assortment of traditional confections from across the pond to take with you. After checking into your all-suite hotel, grab dinner at one of the restaurants at your hotel or one of the many eateries nearby. Chateau Victoria – 3 nights **(L)**



2. Enjoy breakfast at your hotel each morning. A narrated driving tour this morning gets you acquainted. Make note of the shops you want to visit! You'll have free time for lunch on your own and shopping before heading to the world-renowned Butchart Gardens. Arrive at dusk and enjoy an upscale three-course dinner in the original family home. Afterwards, stroll through a twinkling holiday wonderland. The 12 Days of Christmas are cheekily represented with lighted displays. Bring your imagination, good cheer, and your camera! **(FB,D)**

3. The majestic Legislative Building is your first stop this morning. Look up, up, up at the tree reaching from the first floor into the vast rotunda. After touring, it's time for a spot of tea, finger sandwiches and decadent petit fours at the famed Empress Hotel! It's a meal fit for a queen! Learn about early Christmas traditions brought by immigrants at the award-winning Royal B.C. Museum, and stroll the decorated replica streets of Old Town Victoria. Dinner is served atop your hotel overlooking the city with sweeping views of the harbor and surrounding Olympic Mountains **(FB,HT,D)**

4. Each year, artisans from nearby Salt Spring Island bring their wares to sell at a local crafts fair. With unique offerings ranging from textiles, leather goods and specialty food items, you're sure to find something you must have! Fly home from Victoria through Seattle with memories and goodies to share. **(FB)**

**\$2200 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2360 single**

**Save \$75 until July 7**

## Puttin' on the Ritz for Christmas

*Featuring Sunday brunch at the Hayes Mansion and a Christmas visit to Filoli*

**3 Days • December 13-15**

1. We pick you up from your home and deliver you to the *Sports Leisure Vacation* office where you will board the coach for San Jose. Enjoy the lavish award-winning Champagne Sunday Brunch at the popular Dolce Hayes Mansion before heading to the coast and the charming town of Half Moon Bay. Check into the Ritz Carlton Resort at Half Moon Bay, which resembles a grand European country estate set on a rocky bluff overlooking the Pacific Ocean. **(BR)**

2. Enjoy a free morning at the resort; amenities include a coastal trail, beach, gas fire pits overlooking the ocean, a fitness center, indoor pool, hot tub and sauna. Spa services are available for additional costs. Lunch will be hosted on Main Street in Half Moon Bay followed by a visit to Filoli for a tour of their Mansion and formal gardens all decked out for the holidays. **(L)**

3. Depart the coast; lunch is hosted on the way back to Sacramento. **(L)**

This package includes door-to-door service, deluxe motorcoach transportation, all attractions listed above, and 3 meals **(1BR,2L)**. 1500/1800 Gold Passport Points.

**\$1495 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1795 single**

**Save \$25 until July 7**

## All Aboard the Christmas Train

*A close-to-home holiday expedition to The Silver State!*

**3 Days • December 23-25**

1. Start your holiday like all good vacations should – by sleeping in! The *California Zephyr* leaves the Amtrak Station at half past 11, arriving in Reno at 4 p.m. Whether there's snow or not the trip through the Sierra Nevada, complimented by a gourmet boxed lunch, is always stunning. Tonight enjoy the gaming action, dining options and other exciting opportunities offered in The Row, the new interconnected entertainment venue in downtown Reno bringing the Silver Legacy, Eldorado and Circus Circus together under one roof.

**Silver Legacy – 2 nights (L)**

2. Visit nearby Virginia City where a holiday scavenger hunt awaits prompting you to visit beautifully decorated shops, bars and historic sites as your interest warrants. Of course, in Virginia City bars and historic sites are often one in the same – not completely a bad thing and we think Mark Twain would agree! Back in Reno enjoy a traditional gift exchange and dinner followed by optional church services. Let's pray "midnight mass" begins well before midnight! **(FB,D)**

3. Our fun and funky gift exchange assures lots of laughs whether you end up with a keeper or white elephant! A midday Christmas feast and the scenic drive home via Lake Tahoe's south shore is the perfect way to end our holiday expedition. **(FB,L)**

Tour includes home pick-up and return, Amtrak ticket (one way), deluxe motorcoach service, accommodations, activities as indicated, 5 meals **(2FB,2L,1D)** and the services of a *Sports Leisure Vacations* Tour Director. 1000/1100 Gold Passport Points

**\$960 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1060 single**

**Save \$20 until July 7**

## 132<sup>nd</sup> Tournament of Roses Parade: A California New Year Tradition!

**3 Days • December 30 – January 1, 2021**

★ **Highlights** ★

- Tasty guided tour of the LA Farmer's Market
- Tram tour of Hollywood's Warner Bros. Studio
- Lunch on Santa Monica Pier
- Pre-parade viewing of the building of the floats
- New Year's Eve dinner buffet and hosted toast
- Reserved parade seating, commemorative souvenir pin and program
- 6 Meal: 2 full breakfasts, 3 lunches, 1 dinner
- Door-to-door transportation
- 1700/1900 Gold Passport Points

Celebrate the New Year in true Southern California style! The brilliant colors of elaborately decorated floats, the pageantry of majestic equestrian teams coupled with the chest-thumping rhythm of the marching bands will ring in the new year on the right note! Always been on your to-do list? Why not make it 2021?

1. Fly to Burbank and head to the LA Farmer's Market. Founded in 1934 and situated near Hollywood, the market has grown and morphed into a collection of vendors ranging from high end to comfort

eats. It's anything but typical! Lunch features items from the market's top vendors with free time to shop! On a tram tour of Warner's Bros. Studios, the magic of Hollywood comes alive! Afterwards, check into your accommodations for the next two nights. **Hilton LAX – 2 nights (L)**

**2.** At the Float Construction Barns in Pasadena, flowers, greenery and seeds are attached right up until the final hours. The task seems near impossible, but just you wait! Lunch is included on the Santa Monica pier. Stroll along the pier, watch the many performers, or find a comfy spot to sit and watch the waves. At your hotel, the evening festivities are being readied! Enjoy a New Year's Eve Buffet and toast to the ball drop in NY's Times Square. **(FB,L,D)**

**3.** Arrive to the parade in time to get settled before an Air Force flyover sets the day into motion! Miraculously, the floats you saw the day before in parts and pieces are assembled. The imaginative, elaborate designs are simply astounding! Enjoy it all from your reserved seating. You'll receive an official Rose Parade seat cushion, program and souvenir pin. At the Tam O' Shanter, one of Walt Disney's favorite spots, fill up on prime rib and Yorkshire pudding before your early evening flight home. **(FB,D)**

**\$1690 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1860 single**

**Save \$50 until July 7**

## **The Queen Mary, New Year's Eve and A Salute to Vienna**

*Ring in the New Year aboard the historic Queen Mary*

**4 Days • December 30 – January 2**

Are you ready to "ring out" 2020 and start a new year? **Sports Leisure Vacations** has just the trip for you! A swanky New Year's Eve party aboard the historic *Queen Mary* in Long Beach. For several years now, travelers have been asking for a New Year's Eve party (we've had some great ones over the years especially at Harris Ranch Inn, and aboard the *USS Midway*) and May has discovered a new experience for you.

**1.** The festivities begin with a mid-morning flight to Long Beach. After lunch, settle into the Queen Mary Hotel. A docent-guided historical tour of the ship helps you get oriented to the docked ship; and provides some context for your stay. **Queen Mary Hotel – 2 nights (L)**

**2.** It is New Year's Eve Day, so we have planned a leisurely morning and afternoon. Choose from a visit to the Long Beach Aquarium, a nearby shopping center, or to just relax on the ship. Tonight, a fabulous dinner and music await, as everyone gets dressed up to ring out the old, and ring in the new. Get out your glitz and glitter... **(L, D)**

**3.** A late morning start is planned after an evening of festivities, but you have another full day ahead. Depart Long Beach for San Diego. After a quick lunch, arrive at the Copley Symphony Hall in San Diego for the afternoon performance of "*Salute to Vienna*"... a dazzling performance evoking the golden age of Viennese music, and is a glorious re-creation of the beloved Neujahrskonzert, the concert that has welcomed the New Year for more than 80 years in Vienna and all

over the world. **Embassy Suites Waterfront Hotel – San Diego (L)**

**4.** An mid-day flight returns you home after a festive beginning to 2021. With Strauss waltzes still playing in your ears, and visions of bygone elegance, you can welcome a new year filled with memories of beauty, joy and entertainment. **(FB)**

This package includes door-to-door service, roundtrip air to/from San Diego, deluxe motorcoach transportation, all attractions listed above, and 5 meals **(1FB,3L,1D)** along with the services of your **Sports Leisure Vacations** Tour Director.

**Pricing and final itinerary**

**TBA at later date.**

## **Key West, Miami and The Everglades**

*A SLV favorite; a winter tradition*

**6 Days • January 23-28, 2021**

**★ Highlights ★**

- Tour Miami's Coral Gables, Coconut Grove and South Beach's art deco district
- Take an airboat ride through Everglades Safari Park; meet an alligator or two
- Overnight Key Largo; dinner at a nationally renowned Florida Keys seafood diner
- Meet the wildlife: visit a dolphin research center and butterfly conservatory
- 4 nights in Key West in the heart of town on Duval Street, spectacular location
- Cabaret Dinner Show at La Te Da; meet & greet with performer (another exclusive)
- Tour: Truman's Little White House, Hemingway Home, the island by trolley with Louie – a true entertainer
- 12 meals: 2 breakfasts, 3 full breakfasts, 3 lunches, 4 dinners
- Door-to-door transportation
- Roundtrip air to Ft. Lauderdale, return from Key West
- 3750/4250 Gold Passport Points

**1.** Arrive into Miami in time for dinner at a Brazilian Steakhouse. Come hungry! Gauchos arrive tablesides with various cuts of juicy grilled meats. Tell them how you like it, they carve and you eat! Delicious! From presentation to service, everything about the meal is an experience. **Hilton Garden Inn – Miami at Dolphin Mall (D)**

**2.** Tour exclusive Coral Gables and Coconut Grove neighborhoods with a local guide and learn how some daring, enterprising women turned this swampy backwater into a truly international city. Cruise down Ocean Drive in South Beach, America's largest historic Art Deco District. After lunch on your own, it's off to the Everglades. Board an airboat to learn about the residents and the unique ecology. Keep your hands inside the ride at all times. Those alligators are real! Mother Nature serves up magnificent sunsets in Key Largo. Dinner features fresh local seafood (landlubber options available) at a funky island hotspot! **Hampton Inn – Key Largo (B,D)**

**3.** Travel the Overseas Highway, a ribbon of road stretching over 100 miles into the ocean. As the sun dances on the water, you've never seen so many shades of blue! At a dolphin research center,

learn about their mission and watch as scientists work with local dolphins in an effort to promote conservation. Each dolphin has its own distinct personality. Can you spot the class clown? After a dockside lunch, visit the Key West Butterfly & Nature Conservatory, arguably one of the best in the country. Check into your perfectly situated hotel on Duval Street, the heart of town. Dinner is included tonight. **Crowne Plaza La Concha – 4 nights (B,L,D)**

4. A trolley tour of the island gives you the history and sordid stories of the Conch Republic's residents, past and present. Lunch is at famous Sloppy Joe's Bar, home to the namesake sandwich. Grab a drink and listen to live music or take the afternoon to shop in Mallory Square. Tonight we gather for a lovely dinner served al fresco at LaTeDa, followed by a lively female-impersonation performance. Stick around after the show to meet the performer. Ask all your burning questions, and be prepared for an honest answer! **(FB,L,D)**

5. Harry S. Truman was a huge fan of the island and visited frequently during his presidency, conducting official business under the palm trees at the Little White House. After touring, taste the best of Key West! Board a trolley and stop for all the island's classics: Key Lime Pie (TWICE!), Cuban Sandwiches, Conch Fritters and Conch Chowder. While sipping a cold beer, wine or tropical fruit juice on a topsail schooner traverse the southern coast as our captain shares local history and ecology of the area. Join your Tour Director for a nightly Key West tradition, the Sunset Celebration. Every night, the island turns out to grab a cocktail, toast the sunset and watch one of the many street buskers perform daredevil acts. Only in Key West! **(FB,L)**

6. At Ernest Hemingway's home hear about the author who was as known for his work as his antics. How many toes does that cat have? Six?! You counted correctly! These famous kitties spend the day lounging and posing for tourists. It's a rough life! With tropical memories and perhaps a new book in hand, board your flight, arriving into Sacramento by the early evening. **(FB)**

**\$3725 p.p./dbl.occ., \$4250 single**  
**Save \$100 until July 7**

## Eagles, Owls and Agriculture

*Unique birds of prey viewing and agricultural education experience*  
**3 Days • January 29-31**

### ★ Highlights ★

- Private Ranch and Owl tours
- Sunday brunch at Harrah's Lake Tahoe
- 3 meals: 1 brunch, 1 lunch, 1 dinner
- Door-to-door service
- 1050/1150 Gold Passport Points

1. Experience the beauty of the Sierra Nevada Mountains in winter as you travel along Highway 50 to the south shore of beautiful Lake Tahoe. Pause for lunch before traveling east to Carson Valley and the town of Minden in Nevada. The annual *Eagles and Agriculture* gathering focuses on the influx of bald eagles and other birds of prey that come to the scenic Carson Valley each year during winter calving season. This remarkable interaction between nature and

agriculture attracts photographers, birders and nature-lovers of all kinds who come to closely observe raptors and a variety of other birds. Tonight, dinner is hosted with guest presenters. **Carson Valley Inn – 2 nights (D)**

2. Today is special treat! Visit local ranches and observe their operations up close with the men and women who run them. While learning about Carson Valley ranching and conservation, you have the opportunity to observe birds of prey from vantage points not available to the general public. This is a once in a year opportunity for eagle viewing and photography. The afternoon Owl Prowl Tour goes to historic area barns to view owls in their natural habitats. **(L)**

3. Time to head back over the mountains stopping again at Lake Tahoe's south shore where you will enjoy the popular Sunday Brunch at the Forest Buffet, high atop Harrah's Casino/Resort, before returning to Sacramento. **(BR)**

**\$1015 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1125 single**  
**Save \$25 until July 7**

## Winter in Yellowstone National Park

*Featuring stays at the Old Faithful Snow Lodge and Mammoth Hot Springs Hotel in Yellowstone National Park*

**7 Days, February 19-25, 2021**

Join our select group for a trip to the winter wonderland that is Yellowstone National Park. It's an adventure you'll never forget...

1. Fly to Bozeman Montana. Lunch is hosted before traveling to Gardiner situated at the North entrance of Yellowstone National Park.

**Ridgeline Hotel (L)**

2. Enter the incredible landscape of Yellowstone National Park. Winter is a special time to visit Yellowstone. Deep snow in the high country pushes the wildlife down to lower elevations. Today we explore the famed Lamar Valley on a wildlife tour. Elk, bison, coyotes and fox are some of the animals we are looking for but our big prize here is to spot wolf packs. Mammoth **Hot Springs Hotel (B,L)**

3. Today we travel south to Old Faithful. Sit back and enjoy the spectacular scenery in comfort, as you move easily across the snow in custom snow coaches chauffeured by an experienced guide. Along the way learn about the park's history, walk thermal basins viewing geysers and hot springs. Your accommodations for the evening are just steps away from the famous geyser. **Old Faithful Snow Lodge – 2 nights (B,L)**

4. Today enjoy a free day to walk the Old Faithful geyser basin and spend time in the visitor's center. For (extra cost) rent snowshoes / cross-country ski's and head off on your own adventure or join a guided walk. **(B)**

5. Depart the park for West Yellowstone. Lunch is hosted before a visit to The Grizzly & Wolf Discovery Center. The Center is home for grizzly bears from as far away as Alaska. Each bear and its story are unique, but they all have something in common; they came to reside here after becoming nuisance bears or orphaned cubs of a nuisance bear. **Holiday Inn West Yellowstone (B,L)**

6. Travel south through Idaho crossing the Grand Teton Mountains to the town of Jackson. Lunch is hosted before taking a horse-drawn





sleigh ride among an elk herd numbering in the thousands at the National Elk Refuge. **Wort Hotel (B,L)**

7. Enjoy a free morning to visit the shops in town before your afternoon flight back to Sacramento. A memorable trip you will not soon forget! **(B)**

This tour is limited to 20 people and includes roundtrip airfare, deluxe transportation and airport transfers, accommodations, all attractions and meals listed in the itinerary and the services of **Sports Leisure Vacations** Tour Director Scott Angeletti. 4000/4500 Gold Passport Points

**\$3950 p.p./dbl.occ., \$4495 single**  
**Save \$125 until July 7**

## Winter at the **Majestic Ahwahnee**

*Featuring an overnight stay in Yosemite National Park*

**2 Days • February 21-22**

This trip is a **Sports Leisure Vacations'** favorite! And the focus is all about the Ahwahnee Hotel... recently re-named *The Majestic Yosemite Hotel*. For this writer, and many others, it will always be the Ahwahnee. Enjoy brunch in the grand dining room, have a docent-guided historic tour of the public areas, and spend one night in what is considered the Grand Dame of National Park hotels.

1. Travel through the Central Valley to Yosemite National Park and to the historic Ahwahnee Hotel, built in 1926. Sunday Brunch is presented in the Ahwahnee Dining Room, with its 34 foot high ceilings and floor to ceiling windows. A guided tour of the public areas deepens your appreciation for the architecture and interior design of this grand structure. Pause for a cup of tea in the Grand Lounge while awaiting check-in at 5pm. The evening is yours to enjoy the historic surroundings. **Ahwahnee Hotel (BR)**

2. Exploring the valley during the winter is very different than during other times of the year; perhaps you will wake up to a fresh dusting of snow. Learn more about winter in Yosemite and enjoy the spectacular views as you explore from one end of the valley to the other from the comfort of a heated coach with a local guide this morning. There is time for lunch on your own in the valley; then enjoy a brief stop at the Hilmar Cheese Company before returning home.

This package includes motor coach transportation, accommodations, 1 brunch, all tours and attractions as listed above and the services of a **Sports Leisure Vacations** Tour Director. 800/900 Gold Passport Points

**\$770 p.p./dbl.occ., \$870 single**  
**Save \$20 until July 7**



## Tonopah and Laughlin with Just a Glimmer of Vegas

*An "all coach" trip through the desert, with 3 nights on the Colorado River*

**6 Days • February 28 – March 5**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 3 nights next to the Colorado River with river view accommodations
- Optional side trips to Oatman, AZ and Lake Havasu
- 1 night Tonopah, home of the Mizpah Hotel; and 1 night at Tachi Palace
- Door-to-door service
- 6 meals: 1 brunch, 4 lunches, 1 dinner
- 1750/1950 Gold Passport Points

For many years we have stayed in Las Vegas but now travelers' comments ask for more time in Laughlin, and less in Vegas...We will still stop on "The Strip" for several hours to satisfy your curiosity, and then continue to your hotel on the Colorado River for 3 nights.

1. Our convenient door-to-door service brings you to the **Sports Leisure Vacations** office. Depart for the south shore of Lake Tahoe for the popular Forest Buffet at Harrah's. Continue your travels down Hwy. 395, crisscrossing California and Nevada as you make your way to Tonopah. Indulge yourself at the Mizpah Hotel, a landmark of luxury since 1907, when Tonopah was the last of the Wild West boom towns, bustling with those seeking fortunes in the silver mines. Due to a limited number of two-bedded rooms at the historic Mizpah Hotel, additional double rooms will be provided at the nearby **Best Western High Desert Inn. (BR)**

2. A quick stop in Las Vegas is just enough to whet your appetite; next, drop by Sam's Town for a dinner buffet. Arrive Laughlin early evening with three nights to enjoy the river view from your hotel.

### **Golden Nugget – 3 nights (D)**

3-4. With two full days in Laughlin, you have several options. Travel the Colorado River by jet boat to Lake Havasu, home of the famous London Bridge; and view breathtaking Topock Gorge, only accessible by river, along the way. Enjoy a hosted lunch before returning to Laughlin via our coach. (If you opt out of the jet boat ride and lunch at Lake Havasu, you may deduct \$100 from the price of the tour. This must be done at time of making your reservation.) Or maybe you'd rather visit Oatman, a Route 66 landmark and home to the famous burros. Have lunch at the Oatman Hotel; tho' a word of warning – watch out those burros don't steal your ice cream! (Opt out at time of booking, and receive \$25 credit.) **(2L)**

5. Depart Laughlin this morning, stopping in Yermo for lunch at the fabulous and fun Peggy Sue's, then continue on through Mojave and Bakersfield to Tachi Palace for one more opportunity at the slots. This beautiful hotel is one of the finest casino hotels in California. Tachi Palace **(L)**

6. Enjoy a relaxing morning before traveling north, arriving in Sacramento early afternoon. Your transportation waits at the office to take you home. **(L)**

**\$1705 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1945 single**  
**Save \$60 until July 7**

## Alaska's Aurora Borealis

Featuring small group travel with unique winter attractions

7 Days • March 6-12

### ★ Highlights ★

- Small group; 20 people maximum
- View the Aurora Borealis in the dark sky's outside of Fairbanks
- Tour of the BP Ice Art Championship sculptures
- Travel on the Alaska Railroad from Talkeetna to Healy
- Dogsled at Dallas Seavey kennel, winner of the 2012, 2014, 2015 & 2016 Iditarod
- Star Lady Aurora presentation
- Door to door airport transportation
- R/T air to Anchorage and from Fairbanks
- 8 Meals: 1 breakfast, 4 lunches, 3 dinners
- 4350/4650 Gold Passport Points

1. Fly to Anchorage where lunch is hosted before we try on our winter gear and check into our hotel. Winter jackets, snow pants and boots are provided to you to use during the tour at no extra cost if you do not have your own. **Captain Cook Hotel (L)**

2. Journey north to Willow for the official start of the Iditarod! Our hospitality tent is right at the starting line, a great spot for watching the mushers take off across the frozen lake. There will be an option to try snowshoeing as well as an Alaska-style camp lunch on the lake. This afternoon travel to the town of Talkeetna, a quaint "mountain climbing" town, featured on several TV shows for good food and fun personalities. Enjoy a family style mushers dinner at the historic Talkeetna Roadhouse, followed by a slide show and an Iditarod guest speaker. Tonight the Star Lady will make an Aurora presentation before we head outside on the lodge deck to look for the Northern Lights! **Talkeetna Alaskan Lodge – 2 nights (B,L,D)**

3. Wake up and look out your window and hopefully view the majestic Alaska Range and North America's highest mountain Denali! Visit the homestead of Dallas Seavey, the 2012, 14, 15, & 16 Iditarod Champion to learn what it takes to train and race in the Last Great Race, the Iditarod. Tour the kennel, and go for a wilderness ride on a real dog sled with Iditarod Champion sled dogs! In the afternoon take a tour of the town and an optional (extra cost) flight seeing tour. **(L)**

4. This morning journey on the Alaskan Railroad for an amazing snow train ride. We will depart the train near Denali National Park and continue by bus to Fairbanks. After checking into our hotel we travel to a remote location that will allow us to get away from the city lights of Fairbanks to enjoy the aurora and photograph this spectacular show! NOTE: The aurora is weather and solar flare dependent – it takes clear skies and active solar activity combined to make for a great viewing experience. **Westmark Hotel– 3 nights (L)**

5. Sleep in this morning. The Chena Hot Springs Resort is home to the world's largest year-round ice environment, the Aurora Ice Museum! Tour the museum and stop at the ice bar for an Appletini, served in an ice glass of course. After dinner at the resort stop at a remote Lodge for Aurora viewing. **(D)**

6. Sleep in this morning. This afternoon get ready to be amazed at the BP World Ice Art Championships. Single and multi blocks of ice are sculpted into exquisite masterpieces, the detail will astound you! Dinner is hosted before heading back to the Ice Park to see the sculptures all lit up! There is optional aurora viewing tonight. **(D)**

7. You will not soon forget the magic you experienced in the Great North. It is time to take our photos and memories back home to share with our families and loved ones. Depart Fairbanks International Airport for Sacramento.

Please note: You must be prepared for cold weather (0 to 25 degrees Fahrenheit is typical) throughout this tour.

**\$4345 p.p./dbl.occ., \$4610 single**

**Save \$100 until July 7**

## Desert Beauty: Anza-Borrego and Joshua Tree National Park

Springtime wildflowers, majestic landscapes, and splendid beauty

5 Days • March 15-19

### ★ Highlights ★

- Anza-Borrego State Park, Joshua Tree National Park and the gardens of the Living Desert provide spectacular examples of desert beauty
- Experience the desert first hand with a jeep ride, tram ride and guided tour of the region
- Stay 3 nights at the Agua Caliente Resort
- Door-to-door airport service
- Roundtrip airfare to San Diego/from Ontario
- 5 meals: 1 full breakfast, 3 lunches, 1 dinner
- 2500/2900 Gold Passport Points

The desert is a place of silence, light and space with beauty in its arid landscape, and wildflowers tucked into its crevices. Spend enough time here and the desert will weave a spell upon you. Experience the beauty and grandeur for yourself in this springtime expedition.

1. A late-morning flight delivers you to San Diego for lunch in the beautiful Old Town. After lunch, enjoy the view of the Pacific Ocean from Point Cabrillo, a monumental site commemorating the first European explorer. **Embassy Suites Waterfront Hotel (L)**

2. Travel from the seashore into the mountains to Julian, a small mining town known for apple pies. A quick lunch and you are off to Anza-Borrego Desert State Park, California's largest. Famous for its springtime display of wildflowers, this desert park has so much to offer: dramatic mountains and vast arid landscapes punctuated by oases prolific with all types of flora and fauna. Our late afternoon drive to Rancho Mirage, home to a "hot water" resort, provides insight into the agriculture of the Coachella Valley. **Agua Caliente Casino Resort Spa – 3 nights (FB,L)**

3. Climb into one of the famous "red jeeps" for a trek into slot canyons and an open air ride through the desert landscape. With a local guide explaining the history, culture and legends of the Cahuilla people, the beauty of the desert comes alive with your



driver's interpretation. And besides, the ride is just plain fun as the wind flies through your hair! This afternoon ascend two-and-one-half miles through multiple life zones aboard the world's largest rotating tramcar to witness the diversity of the desert and amazing views of the Coachella Valley.

**4.** Two distinct desert ecosystems, the Mojave and the Colorado, come together in Joshua Tree National Park. Forests of trees and jumbles of massive rocks make this an enchanting place – a land sculpted by strong winds and torrents of rain. The surreal geologic features add to the mystique of this vast wilderness. This evening you have the option to stroll through Village Fest, a menagerie of crafts, art and music on Palm Canyon Road, in downtown Palm Springs. It's a fun evening out with the locals and visitors alike. **(L,D)**

**5.** Desert beauty comes in many forms. This morning, go behind-the-scenes for a private tour at The Living Desert Zoo and Gardens, providing insight to the survival of life in many deserts around the world. An afternoon flight from Ontario returns you home with a greater appreciation of the desert and all her beauty.

**\$2490 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2880 single**  
**Save \$75 until July 7**

## **NYC – Behind Broadway and The Bronx**

*Times Square, two Broadway shows and a night at Carnegie Hall*

**6 Days • April 24-29**

### **★ Highlights ★**

- 5 nights at the Marriott Marquis Times Square, in the heart of the city
- 2 included nights of theater (One we select, one of your choice – an exclusive SLV feature); a night at Carnegie Hall with the New York Symphony Pops Orchestra
- A Day Behind Broadway – meet Broadway actors/musicians/technicians to learn the inner workings. Talk hits and misses with Peter Filicia, a theater reviewer
- A Day in The Bronx – taste the real “Little Italy,” meet the FDNY and NYPD with stops at a working fire station and police precinct.
- A Day Downtown – stroll Wall Street & the Financial District, 9/11 Memorial/Museum/Observation Deck (all 3 experiences included)
- Free day to visit Ellis and Liberty Islands; optional visit to Grand Central Station
- 6 meals: 3 lunches, 3 dinners
- Door-to-door airport service
- Roundtrip airfare to/from NYC

If you've always longed to wake up in the city that never sleeps, allow us to use our many years of expertise to help you personalize your visit. Harness the city's energy for a true New York experience. Come with us, we'll show you how!

**1.** Welcome to The Big Apple! Dinner is at Broadway hotspot, Sardi's, with caricatures of celebrity patrons lining the walls. The lights of Times Square are mesmerizing and right outside your hotel. It's the premiere address at the center of it all, and you call it home!

**Marriott Marquis Times Square – 5 nights (D)**

**2.** In Central Park pay homage to John Lennon. At Strawberry Fields, a mosaic spells out “Imagine,” timely still today. At a real working firehouse and precinct, Bronx FDNY and NYPD share the rigors of the job and their efforts to strengthen community relations and safety. True heroes! Eat your way along Arthur Avenue, The Real Little Italy. Meet shop owners producing the foods you enjoyed at lunch. Grab some to take home, our treat! Oh, and the fresh cannoli? *Mangia, mangia!* Tonight is your first night of theater. **(L)**

**3.** Do it the New York way, by subway and on foot. Take the subway to the Financial District. On Wall Street, pause at Federal Hall and say hi to Alexander Hamilton at Trinity Church. After lunch ascend One World Observatory with 360° views. Below, reflect at the 9/11 Memorial & Museum. Pause in the West Village at the sight of the Stonewall Riots, a flashpoint that began the LGBTQ community's fight for Civil Rights 50 years ago. Get ready for a decadent family-style dinner at Carmine's. **(L,D)**

**4.** You decide how to spend your day! Join your Tour Directors and sail to Ellis and Liberty Islands, visit Grand Central Station, do some shopping, take in a world-class museum or go sightseeing. Come together for an early steakhouse dinner and share your adventures. Carnegie Hall will be abuzz for the New York Pops 37<sup>th</sup> Birthday Gala, and you have box seats! With past and present stars of Broadway, it's truly a one-of-a kind New York evening. **(D)**

**5.** Pull back the curtain of Broadway. At a rehearsal studio, ask actors, musicians and technicians about their training, path to the stage or insider gossip! Meet Peter Filicia, a theater critic, with deep roots and a long history in the Broadway world. An endless source of information and full of entertaining stories, he's a show unto himself! Lunch is at an authentic New York Deli; try the pastrami! Your last evening on Broadway is the show of your choosing. **(L)**

**6.** Before Times Square roars to life, take a short walking tour as a local guide shares fabled stories and easily overlooked points of interest. If only the streets could talk! At Hershey Chocolate World, tap into your inner child with a S'mores. Why you ask? It's New York and anything is possible here, so... why not? With sticky fingers and a chocolate smudged smile, head to the airport to return home.

**Pricing and final itinerary**  
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# Discounts, Etc.

## EARLY PAYMENT DISCOUNT COUPON

Early Registration Payment Discounts listed here expire on **Tuesday, July 7th**; or may be withdrawn when 50% of the available space has been reserved. To receive the discount, you must pay in full within ten days of registration. If you accept this option, the monies paid (less \$20 administrative fee), including the cost of Cancellation Protection, are returned to you if you cancel more than 60 days prior to departure for US and Canadian tours or 75 days prior for International tours, regardless of the reason for cancellation. Within the time limits noted above, restrictions on refunds apply. See the **Special Vacation Notes & Information** brochure for complete details.

Dec. – An Apple Farm Christmas – **Save \$40**

Dec. – Christmas in Victoria – **Save \$75**

Dec. – California Christmas Mystery – **Save \$75**

Dec. – Puttin' on the Ritz – **Save \$25**

Dec. – All Aboard the Christmas Train – **Save \$20**

Dec. – Tournament of Roses Parade – **Save \$50**

Jan. – Key West, Miami and Everglades – **Save \$100**

Jan. – Eagles, Owls and Agriculture – **Save \$25**

Feb. – Winter in Yellowstone – **Save \$125**

Feb. – Winter at the Majestic Ahwahnee – **Save \$20**

Feb. – Tonopah and Laughlin – **Save \$60**

Mar. – Alaska's Aurora Borealis – **Save \$100**

Mar. – St. Patrick's Day in New Orleans – **Save \$75**

Mar. – Desert Beauty – **Save \$75**

Mar. – Nebraska – **Save \$75**

Mar. – Color Carolina Coast – **Save \$150**

Apr. – Fixin up Texas – **Save \$75**

## VALUABLE COUPON

### Save \$10–\$40 per person on Cancellation Protection

Valid only when used with Early Payment Discounts. **Your savings depend on the double-occupancy price of the tour. Save \$10** on tours priced from \$451-\$800, **Save \$20** on tours priced from \$801-\$2250, **Save \$30** on tours priced from \$2251-\$3500, **Save \$40** on tours priced at \$3501 or more. To receive the above discounts, you must pay in full within ten days of registration and purchase the protection at the time you pay for your tour.

## TOUR UPDATE...

A brief list of tours which are sold out, or have only a limited amount of space (10 or fewer seats, number in parenthesis) remaining. Day trips are not listed.

### Sold-Out Tours (waiting lists available)

Capitol Reef

A Mystery to Talk About

Great Reno Balloon

San Juan Explorer

Niagara Falls

Pure Michigan

### Limited Space (10 or fewer seats)

Reno Balloon (4)

Niagara Falls (3)

Nat'l Treasures (6)

Quebec – Oct. (4)

Catalina Island (8)

Tennessee (7)

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# Previously Announced Tours...

## Soulful Santa Fe

*Featuring scenery, inspiring art and creative cuisine*

**5 Days • August 29 – September 2, 2020**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 4 nights in a beautiful, perfectly located hotel
- Savor fun, imaginative Southwest cuisine
- Guided tour of the Palace of the Governors & visit the State Capitol Building
- Travel through stunning O'Keefe Country with a naturalist guide
- Immerse yourself in the art of famed Canyon Road
- Learn about Native Culture at Acoma Sky City Pueblo
- 8 meals: 4 full breakfasts, 3 lunches, 1 dinner
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Albuquerque, door-to-door airport service
- 2300/2600 Gold Passport Points

Known as "The City Different," Santa Fe is truly unique. There is a magic of sorts... the light is a little brighter, wonder is in the air and a calmness permeates your soul leaving you feeling refreshed and restored. A short stroll from your hotel is the central plaza (location, location), the heart of town, lined with boutiques, museums and restaurants. It's all yours to experience and explore!

**\$2275 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2560 single**  
**15 seats remaining**

*See page 21 in our 2020 Dream Book*

## The Magnificent Mendocino Coast

*Featuring Noyo Harbor, Ft. Bragg and the historic Skunk Train*

**4 Days • September 8-11**

Our lodging for **two nights** will be overlooking Noyo Harbor at the familiar **Harbor Lite Lodge**. In the early morning, as you enjoy your first cup of coffee, watch as the fishing fleet heads out for the day. In the evenings, enjoy the fresh catch of the day as we dine at some of the area's oldest and finest establishments.

This tour includes door-to-door service, motorcoach transportation, accommo-dations, all attractions as listed in the catalog, 9 meals (3B,4L,2D), and the services of a **Sports Leisure Vacations** Tour Director. 1500/1750 Gold Passport Points

**\$1490 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1725 single**  
**12 seats remaining**

*See page 27 in our 2020 catalog*

## Santa Cruzin' at the Dream Inn

*Every room has an ocean view*

**3 Days • September 15-17, 2020**

Come with us down to the beach for some sun-filled, fun-filled days in Santa Cruz. Spend two heavenly nights at the iconic **Dream Inn** where every room has an ocean view and you're steps away from the beach!

The **Dream Inn** has been a part of the Santa Cruz beach landscape since it opened in the early 70's. It quickly became THE PLACE to stay primarily because it's so close to the Santa Cruz Wharf and the popular Santa Cruz Beach Boardwalk. It's been recently remodeled and walking into its retro-chic lobby immediately reminds you that you are near the beach.

Still not convinced? How about waking up both mornings (promise not to rush you), to the sound of the ocean, with the Beach Boardwalk and Santa Cruz Wharf in sight? Also worth mentioning is that this is a no-fly trip, meaning we'll be traveling in the comfort of our deluxe motor coach.

Included are lunches at **Porter's Restaurant at the Poppy Ridge Golf Club** in Livermore and the **Crow's Nest** in Santa Cruz, and dinner with a sunset ocean view at our hotel.

We've replaced the canceled Follies Show with visits to either the **Seymour Marine Discovery Center**, a community-supported marine science education center of the UC Santa Cruz or the nearby **Monterey Bay National Marine Sanctuary Exploration Center**, featuring state-of-the-art exhibits and interactive displays highlighting the sanctuary and its incredible underwater environment. A docent-guided tour of Santa Cruz with one of the city's native sons and time to shop in nearby Capitola round out your three days of sun and relaxation in this popular beachside resort town.

This tour includes door-to-door service, deluxe motorcoach transportation, your accommodations, 2 lunches and 1 dinner, the activities mentioned and the services of a **Sports Leisure** Tour Director. 1250/1450 Gold Passports Points

**\$1225 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1440 single**

## National Treasures of the West

*Featuring the Black Hills, Crazy Horse Memorial, Deadwood and Mount Rushmore*

**6 Days • September 21-26**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 4 days sightseeing in the Black Hills including Badlands National Park, and both day and night visits to Mt. Rushmore
- Go into the lab with researchers at the Mammoth Dig Site
- Ride the jeeps through Custer State Park's bison herd
- Stand on top of the arm of the Crazy Horse Memorial
- A guided tour at Sanford Labs explains the importance of neutrinos
- 9 meals: 5 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- Door-to-door airport service
- Roundtrip air to/from Rapid City
- 3100/3450 Gold Passport Points

**\$3060 p.p./dbl.occ., \$3445 single**  
**6 seats remaining**



## Bonjour, La Belle Québec!

Featuring Canadian Thanksgiving Day and fall colors

**8 Days • September 24 – October 1 OR October 6-13**

Its geography, history and culture give Québec a most unique identity. With fall colors ablaze, experience the warmth and authenticity of a Canadian Thanksgiving, Québécois style! *Rooms limited with one queen only remain.*

### ★ Highlights ★

- 2 nights in a French Bed & Breakfast with home cooked meals
- Brilliant fall colors in the beautiful Charlevoix Region
- Enjoy a Thanksgiving Dinner with a French flair
- 2 nights 4-star accommodations in Québec City
- Visit Sainte-Anne-de-Beaupré Basilica & Montmorency Falls
- Tour Montreal, including Notre Dame Basilica
- 15 meals: 7 full breakfasts, 4 lunches, 4 dinners
- Door-to-door service
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Montreal
- 4250/4750 Gold Passport Points

**\$4220 p.p./dbl.occ., \$4710 single**

*This vacation requires a valid passport!*

**11 seats remaining**

*See page 28 in our 2020 catalog*

## US 50, The Lincoln Highway, America's Loneliest Road

*Journey across Nevada on the loneliest and most historic highway in America*

**5 Days • September 29 – October 3**

### ★ Highlights ★

- Authentic Basque-style lunch
- Visit the ghost town of Cherry Creek
- Explore McGill Drugs, frozen in time from 50 years ago
- Ride the Ghost Train of Old Ely, visit a bordello and meet the ladies... optional, of course
- Tour Eureka & Austin, tiny historical outposts on the historic Lincoln Highway
- Visit the Nevada State Museum in the old Carson City Mint
- Lunch atop Harrah's Tahoe, 11 included meals: 3 breakfasts, 1 full breakfast, 5 lunches, 2 dinners
- Door-to-door service
- 1550/1800 Gold Passport Points

**\$1530 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1775 single**

*See page 45 in our 2020 catalog*

## The Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta

*Featuring reserved upgraded seating in the Chasers Lounge and Gondola Club*

**5 Days • October 6-10**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 3 balloon events: Balloon Glow, Special Shapes and Mass Ascension
- Ride the Sandia Peak Aerial Tram
- Upgraded seating in the Chasers Lounge & Gondola Club
- Tour the Turquoise Museum Mansion
- Rio Grande Arts and Crafts Festival
- Door to door airport transportation
- R/T air to / from Albuquerque
- 8 meals: 4 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 1 dinner
- 2550/2850 Gold Passport Points

1. Arrive in Albuquerque and enjoy lunch and a group before checking into your hotel. **Albuquerque Marriott – 4 nights (L)**

2. The Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta with over 600 balloons is the largest ballooning event on earth. We have upgraded your experience this morning to the Chasers Club Lounge which offers private seating on the field. Travel on the famous Sandia Peak Aerial Tramway. Enjoy the view and lunch on top of the mountain at Ten 3. This afternoon visit Old Town for shopping or head back to the hotel. **(B,L)**

3. This morning we are watching the balloons from another private venue on the other side of the balloon field the Gondola Club. Today is Special Shapes Day! This is a very popular ascension with approximately 100 special shape balloons. You might see Darth Vader and Yoda, a flying cow, maybe Smokey Bear, just to name a few. Take a docent tour of the Abruzzo Balloon Museum and learn about hot air and gas balloons from the first flight in 1783 to the present. **(B)**

4. Tour the Turquoise Museum which is housed in a mansion full of antiques; one of Albuquerque new top attractions, a must see! Tonight we re-group for the Fiesta's "Glowdeo" a static display of the Special Shape balloons. Dinner will be held in the private Gondola Club with live entertainment and an open bar. Following dinner is the spectacular afterglow fireworks show! (Weather permitting, high winds could possible cancel any events) **(B,L,D)**

5. After a sleep in morning attend the Rio Grande Arts & Crafts Festival. 200 fine artists and craftspeople from throughout the U.S. come together each year for two weekends. Take a break from shopping and enjoy ongoing live entertainment, a food court and specialty food booths before heading to the airport for our flight home. **(B)**

**\$2545 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2835 single**

**13 seats remaining**

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## On the Central Coast

*Relax at oceanfront accommodations in Avila Beach*

**5 Days • October 12-16, 2020**

### ★ Highlights ★

- San Luis Lighthouse tour aboard a classic trolley
- Visit San Luis Obispo and the Madonna Inn
- Enjoy seaside dining with live entertainment in Pismo Beach
- Hummer tour on the beach
- 9 meals: 4 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 1 dinner
- Door-to-door service
- Deluxe motorcoach transportation
- 2050/2450 Gold Passport Points

Scott's trip to the Central Coast is an early sell-out every year but with the rescheduling, a few spaces are still available. October is a great time to sit back and relax at the coast.

**\$2040 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2430 single**

*See page 8 in our 2020 Dream Book*

## Relax on Catalina Island

*Enjoy three nights in Avalon*

**4 Days • October 18-21**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 3 nights at the Pavilion Lodge
- Sunday Brunch at Long Beach's elegant *Queen Mary*
- Be whisked away across "26 miles across the sea" on the high-speed *Catalina Express*
- *Twilight in the Casino* tour features wine and cheese on the balcony
- Explore the island with a scenic guided tour and special "undersea" experience
- 6 meals: 3 full breakfasts, 1 brunch, 1 lunch, 1 dinner
- Door-to-door service
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Long Beach
- 1950/2350 Gold Passport Points

**\$1935 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2320 single**

**8 seats remaining**

*See page 11 in our 2020 catalog*

## Hidden Gems of the Ozark Mountains; a fall foliage tour

*Featuring entertainment in Branson, MO*

**6 Days • October 23-28**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 5 nights at the beautiful Hilton Convention Center Hotel
- Fantastic Caverns Tour
- Top of the Rock Ozark Heritage Preserve
- Private Murder Mystery at the Titanic Museum
- Dogwood Canyon Scenic Wildlife Tram
- See "Noah" at the Sight & Sound Theatre
- Musical Shows: Noah, Yakov Smirnoff, The Presley's and the Hughes Brothers

- Door to door airport transportation
- R/T air to / from Springfield Mo
- 9 meals: 4 breakfasts, 1 brunch, 1 lunch, 3 dinners
- 3400/3650 Gold Passport Points
- celebration of music, love and

**\$3355 p.p./dbl.occ., \$3645 single**

**15 seats remaining**

## Spectacular Sedona

*Four nights at the Hilton Sedona Resort*

**5 Days • November 1-5**

### ★ Highlights ★

- Brunch at the Wrigley Mansion
- Ride the Verde Valley Railroad
- Visit the town of Jerome
- Guided tour of the Copper Museum
- Lunch and entertainment in Flagstaff
- 8 meals: 4 breakfasts, 1 brunch, 2 lunches, 1 dinner
- 2500/2900 Gold Passport Points

**\$2495 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2885 single**

**14 seats remaining**

## Beautiful Bodega Bay and The Coast

*Featuring the Sonoma Coastline*

**3 Days • November 8-10, 2020**

### ★ Highlights ★

- Relax in comfort and enjoy the hospitality of Bodega Bay Lodge & Spa, overlooking Dorian Beach
- Tour the Marine Biology Laboratory
- Dine at the historic Occidental Union Hotel; and legendary Tides
- 5 meals: 2 full breakfasts, 1 brunch, 2 lunches
- Door-to-door service and deluxe motorcoach transportation
- 1200/1400 Gold Passport Points

There is something special about the Sonoma Coast: beaches that stretch for miles, remnants of rocks forming striking sea stacks, and ah... the sound of the ocean. As you walk along Bodega Head, listen for the barking of the sea lions; and as you relax in your room, the sound of the fog horn.

**\$1200 p.p./dbl.occ., \$1390 single**

**14 seats remaining**

*See page 9 in our 2020 catalog*

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# Rescheduled Tours for 2021

## St. Patrick's Day in New Orleans

*The luck 'o the Irish is yours on our annual journey to New Orleans*

**5 Days • March 14-18**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 4 nights at the Sheraton New Orleans Hotel
- Downtown Irish Club's Twilight Parade on St. Patrick Day
- Scenic New Orleans driving and French Quarter carriage tours
- A day in Plantation Country and visits to Houmas House and San Francisco
- Visit the National World War II Museum and Stage Door Canteen
- Learn the secrets of great Cajun chefs at the NOLA School of Cooking
- 8 meals include daily breakfast, 2 lunches, 2 dinners
- Door-to-door airport transportation
- Round trip airfare to/from New Orleans
- 2250/2500 Gold Passport Points

**\$2210 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2465 single**

**Save \$75 until July 7**

## Nebraska: Honestly, it's not for everyone!

*It's Sandhill Cranes, Prairie Chickens and Kool-Aid*

**5 Days • March 22-26, 2021**

- Evening and morning viewing of cranes at Rowe Sanctuary
- Visit the Crane Trust Foundation headquarters
- Drive through the countryside with local crane "guy"
- Walk through the Kool-Aid exhibit at the Hastings Museum
- Spend the morning in Red Cloud, home to author Willa Cather
- Early morning "chicken dance" experience
- 10 meals: 4 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 2 dinners
- Door-to-door service
- Roundtrip air to Kearney/from North Platte
- 2350/2600 Gold Passport Points

**\$2335 p.p./dbl.occ., \$2580 single**

**Save \$75 until July 7**

## The Colorful Carolina Coast

*Meander the beautiful Southern Atlantic coastline from*

*Norfolk to Jacksonville*

**10 Days • March 23 – April 1**

### ★ Highlights ★

- Visit North Carolina's Outer Banks, Kitty Hawk, New Bern and the USS North Carolina
- See South Carolina's Myrtle Beach, Brookgreen Gardens, Charleston and Ft. Sumter
- Enjoy Georgia's first city, Savannah, and historic Jekyll Island
- 2-night stays oceanfront on Myrtle Beach and in Charleston and Savannah's Historic Districts
- Overnights in Norfolk, the Outer Banks and New Bern
- 17 meals: 7 breakfasts, 5 lunches, 5 dinners
- Door-to-door airport service
- Round trip air to Norfolk/from Jacksonville
- 4300/4850 Gold Passport Points

**\$4260 p.p./dbl.occ., \$4820 single**

**Save \$150 until July 7**

## The NEW Fixin' Up Texas

*Three presidents, two Fixer Uppers and a million bats!*

**6 Days • April 15-20**

### ★ Highlights ★

- 2 nights Austin, 1 night College Station
- LBJ Library, State Capitol, Lady Bird Johnson Wildflower Center, Congress Bridge Bats
- George H.W. Bush Library, Texas A&M University
- George W. Bush Presidential Center
- 2 nights in Downtown Waco on the Brazos River
- Famous "Fixer Uppers," Magnolia Market, The Silos and other sites from the show
- Ft. Worth Stockyards
- 10 meals: Daily breakfast, 4 lunches, 1 dinner
- Door-to-door airport transportation
- Roundtrip air to Austin/From Dallas
- 2800/3200 Gold Passport Points

**\$2795 p.p./dbl.occ., \$3190 single**

**Save \$75 until July 7**



***It is still too early to finalize air schedules and prices for many of these trips...***

***Watch upcoming newsletters and the SLV Website for release of 2021 details***

***(Day-by-Day itinerary and highlights may be found in the 2020 Dream Book)***

### **Skagit Valley Tulip Festival**

*Celebrate the beauty of Spring in the lush Pacific Northwest*

**3 Days • April 15-17, 2021**

*See page 19 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Moab, Gateway to Arches National Park**

*4 nights at the spectacular Red Cliffs Lodge on the banks of the Colorado River*

**5 Days • May 2-6, 2021**

*See page 22 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Springtime in Yosemite**

*Giant Sequoias, waterfalls and spring flowers*

**3 Days • May 11-13, 2021**

*See page 6 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Niagara Falls, Naturally Awesome!**

*Your room overlooks The Falls*

**5 Days • May 17-21, 2021**

*See page 34 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Walla Walla & Pendleton**

*Lewis & Clark, Oregon's Cowboy country, the Columbia River*

**5 Days • June 1-5, 2021**

*See page 24 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Falling for Boise**

*Featuring Shoshone Falls in the Snake River Canyon*

**4 Days • June 1-4, 2021**

*See page 43 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Lassen Volcanic National Park**

*Featuring rivers, lakes and waterfalls*

**3 Days • July 7-9, 2021**

*See page 7 in our 2020 catalog*

### **The Sound of Music in Leavenworth**

*Take the Train to Washington's Little Bavaria*

**4 Days • July 2021**

*See page 41 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Maine – Lobsters and Lighthouses**

*From pristine coastlines, lush forests, rugged mountains and wildlife, it's all here!*

**7 Days • August 18-24, 2021**

*See page 29 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Cruising the St. Lawrence River**

*Relax as the Canadian Empress weaves through the islands*

**9 Days • August 15-23, 2021**

*See page 33 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Laguna Beach and The Pageant of the Masters**

*SLV's annual summer tour to Southern California's Premiere Event*

**3 Days • July and/or August, 2021**

*See page 40 in our 2020 catalog*

### **Newfoundland**

*Featuring rugged coastlines, quiet beauty and friendly folks*

**August 30 – September 8, 2021**

*See page 35 in our 2020 catalog*

### **New England Fall Foliage Spectacular**

*Our annual expedition takes a new turn this year – to Lake Placid!*

**8 Days • October 2021**

*Check out the SLV website for details*



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