

# spotlights

CITY STAYS & QUICK GETAWAYS

2018 - 2019



An aerial photograph of a city at sunset. The sky is a mix of orange, red, and blue. A river flows through the city, with a large stone bridge crossing it. The city buildings are lit up, and the lights reflect on the water. In the foreground, there are green trees.

# *Now* is the *Time*

If you have been waiting, then it's time to go. If you have just returned from a trip, then start planning the next one. We are all travellers, out there looking for the next adventure. Time never slows down - so why should you?



Florence, Italy



# spotlights

Immerse yourself in a locale like never before with a tour that offers a unique combination of relaxation and exploration. You'll only need to unpack once before beginning a trip that takes you in and around the heart of cities like London, Paris, and New York City.

Steep yourself in the culture, cuisine, and charm of a destination with a tour that will take you to the must-see attractions as well as the hidden gems that only locals know about. You'll enjoy special access to iconic sights, as well as reserved seats at world-famous shows and events.

Delve deep into a destination in a way that gives you the freedom to adventure on your own, as well as a Tour Manager that can act as an expert guide, concierge, and local friend all at once. These short, single-hotel stays let you experience every facet of an iconic locale.

**Spotlights hits a perfect balance between guided travel and self-guided excursion!**





San Antonio River Walk



## *dive into these destinations...*

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# *always* included...

- A professionally planned itinerary
- 4-star accommodations
- The services of a professional tour manager
- Expert local guides with insider knowledge
- Attraction entrance fees with preferential access
- Unparalleled sightseeing
- Enriching cultural experiences
- Comfortable on-tour transportation
- Hotel-to-hotel baggage handling
- Plus, Wifi! Available on tour 📶

## **MORE PEACE OF MIND**

Every moment of your travel experience is important to us. Whether it's helping you select a destination, taking you to and from the airport, offering the security of our unrivalled Travel Protection plan or 24-7 support, we are there for you every step of the way.

## **MORE EXPERTISE**

Backed by nearly a century of experience, Collette (a family-owned and award-winning leader in travel) is proud to show you the world. Our passionate tour design team travels the globe, creating new experiences and staying ahead of the latest travel trends. Plus, with a professional Tour Manager at your service and local guides by your side you'll never miss a thing.



# COLLETTE GIVES YOU *more*

## **MORE FLEXIBILITY**

Every traveller is different. From pre and post nights in the world's greatest cities, to tour extensions to built-in free time in your destination, you can make every trip your own. With more customization choices, every moment feels like your own personal adventure.

## **MORE ON TOUR**

Our commitment to exceeding expectations begins with including more iconic must-sees and cultural inclusions that deliver a deeper experience. And that's just the beginning. We also include more meals in local restaurants and more menu choices. Add in carefully selected 4-star accommodations and the stage is set for a truly amazing journey.



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**SUMMER  
TOURS**  
MAY to OCTOBER



**Collette  
TOURS**  
18 Goff Avenue, Nantucket, R. I.

# 100 YEARS OF *innovation*

1918

## OUR STORY *begins*

Jack Collette establishes Collette and runs a 21-day trip to Florida for \$61.50

1930s

## NEW DESTINATIONS

NYC, Nantucket and Martha's Vineyard join the travel roster.

1960s

## CHANGING THE STORY

Dan Sullivan, Sr. purchases Collette in 1962. The World's Fair in 1964 ushers in a new generation of travellers to Collette.





# INNOVATING EVERY DAY

**As we celebrate 100 years in business,** we think back to that first jitney bus carrying New Englanders to Florida. For Jack Collette, it started with the idea to make travel more accessible. From 1918 to the present, Collette has set out to make travel a way of life. For over a century, we've led the way in helping travellers navigate all 7 continents in style.

Our promise to you is that we will continue to innovate – creating tours, travel styles and experiences tailor-made to the needs of our diverse travellers. Like Jack Collette, our experts are always looking ahead, carving out new paths.

## THANK YOU

Our 100 year story starts with our travellers, who are at the heart of everything we do. We would not be celebrating this milestone without you. Thank you for taking this journey with us.

1970s

### SECOND GENERATION

The second generation of Sullivans joins the company, and Collette begins offering travel to Canada. The Canadian Rockies becomes Collette's first tour with airfare instead of a local motorcoach departure.

1980s

### EXPANDING

Collette expands with new tours to Australia, New Zealand, Japan and China. The company opens its first global office in Canada. Soon after, tours to Switzerland, Italy, Ireland, the UK, France, Greece, Spain, Portugal and Scandinavia make Collette a leader in escorted tours worldwide.

1990s & 2000s

### THIRD GENERATION

Collette becomes truly global after adding Antarctica to its tour offerings. Additional global offices open in England and Australia, and the third generation of Sullivans join the Collette workforce.



# *more* PEACE OF MIND

With you every step of the way

Of all the things Collette delivers, one of the most valuable is the knowledge that everything is taken care of. Wake each morning on tour with a new experience in front of you and do it all without having to worry about a thing.

# *relax,* we're on it...



## **TRAVEL PROTECTION**

### *Peace of Mind*

Our industry-leading, worry-free travel protection plan offers you a full refund unlike many plans that only offer a voucher. Cancel for any reason right up to the day prior to departure.

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## **PRIVATE SEDAN SERVICE**

### *Included Personal Touches*

Open your tour the right way and leave the hassle of getting to the airport behind. Enjoy round trip home to airport sedan service. It's the perfect way to begin (and end) your journey.

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## **GUARANTEED TO GO**

### *Book with Confidence*

Choose from thousands of guaranteed departure dates. Reserve with complete confidence as these select departures are guaranteed to operate.

**Enhanced!**



## ***The Collette Passport Club***

### *Recognizing our loyal guests*

Guests who travel with Collette are eligible to become members of Collette's new loyalty program, the Collette Passport Club (formerly Travel Loyalty by Collette or TLC). Members earn a \$150 credit every time they travel along with various other benefits.

(See page 52 for more details.)





# *more* EXPERTISE

## Unmatched experience

Our team of experts has built relationships all over the world. It could be the time spent crafting the perfect local experience, the ability to include more in each itinerary, or simply knowing the destinations better than anyone else but those connections (and years of experience) allow us to pass the value on to you.



### Derek Moscarelli

Tour Manager: 20 years of service

My favourite part about being a Tour Manager is taking a leadership role, and sharing commentaries and stories. I like spending time with the guests, and hearing and experiencing their appreciation for taking them to these beautiful places. It doesn't ever get boring; it's always something new and different every day, and around every corner.

“*Our tour manager made our tour. There was no concern as to how to get to the airports, check ins, room reservations etc. We would definitely do this again.*”

- Arthur M.

### TOUR DESIGN TEAM

It all starts with perfectly planned itineraries. Our tour design team travels the globe, seeking out new and authentic inclusions. Along the way they vet each element of their tours - from the accommodations to the menu choices - ensuring you have the best possible experience.



### TOUR MANAGERS

Collette's Tour Managers are the best trained and most respected in the world. Drawing on their own rich backgrounds and extensive training, they enhance each journey. Whether it's with a bit of historical information, suggesting a special local restaurant or sharing a laugh, these travel aficionados are at your service.



### LOCAL EXPERTS

Get a local's perspective! Having a local guide at your side enhances your experience. They know the ins and outs of the destination. These friendly faces love to share an insider's view of the places they call home.



# *more* FLEXIBILITY

## Personalize your adventure

Every traveller is different, so make your trip your own. With features such as pre and post nights stays, It's Your Choice, dine arounds and on-tour options, you can make every day a personal adventure!



### PRIVATE SEDAN SERVICE

As one of the Collette differences, our private sedan service is available when you reserve an air-inclusive tour. It's the perfect way to begin your adventure.

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### ELITE AIRFARE

Collette's Elite Airfare allows you to travel in ultimate comfort and convenience. Treat yourself to a wealth of amenities that come with a business, premium economy, or first-class ticket. Land rested, refreshed, and ready for the world's wonders.

Call for details.



### PRE-NIGHTS

Collette can easily add a pre-night stay to your existing itinerary and with a single phone call we can reserve tickets to your host city's best attractions. Enjoy the benefits of an early arrival and a streamlined booking process. Spend more time in the city that starts your tour.



### IT'S YOUR CHOICE

Everyone's road is different and that's why this year, Collette is introducing It's Your Choice. Many of our itineraries now feature different paths you can take.



### OPTIONAL EXPERIENCES

Every tour offers a collection of optional excursions, carefully selected to offer you a different perspective on your destination. Enhance your experience and make the most of your time out in the world.



### DINING EXPERIENCES

On select tours and evenings, our Diner's Choice feature allows you to choose where to enjoy your included dinner. Find just the right spot from a list that includes the city's restaurants.



### POST-NIGHTS

Collette can also add a post-night stay to your existing itinerary along with tickets to your host city's best attractions. Stay a little bit longer and enjoy more of some of the world's best cities.



### TOUR EXTENSIONS

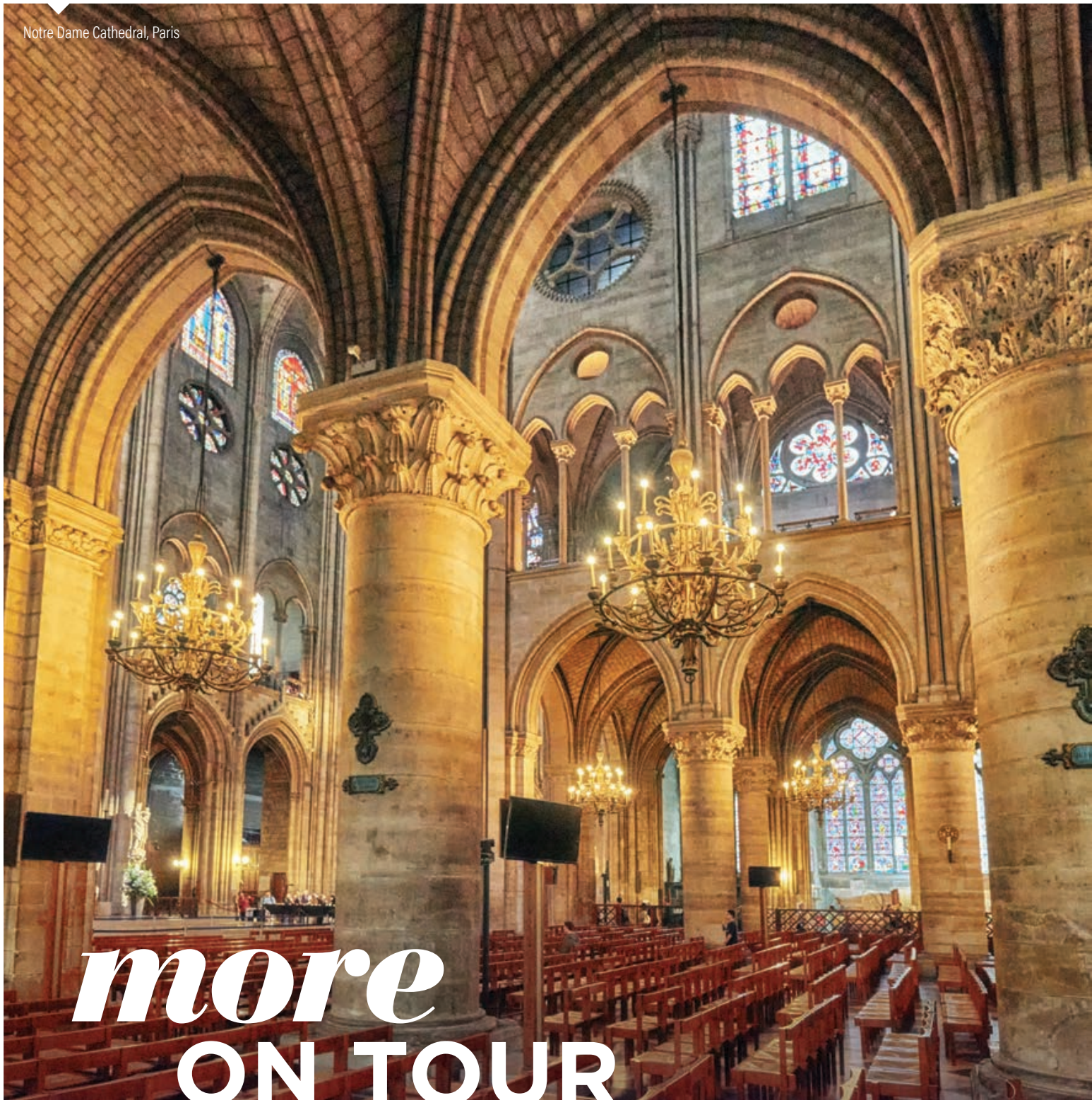
Our list of tour extensions reads like the logbook of a great adventure. These shorter excursions (which you can add before and after your tour) are the perfect way to add a few more memories.



### GO BACK-TO-BACK

Collette can help you combine two tours into one grand experience. Many of our dates line up perfectly to allow you to discover more of the world.

Call for details.



# *more* ON TOUR

## It's Your Choice

Everyone's road is different and that's why this year, Collette is expanding **It's Your Choice**. Many of our itineraries now feature different paths you can take. On select days, choose the included experience that best suits your interests.



# *the freedom* to explore



Paris Metro

With **It's Your Choice**, either activity is included, you simply choose one and personalize your **adventure!**

## **PERUSING PARIS**

### *Spotlight on Paris*

During your Paris tour, you'll see such dramatic highlights of Paris as the Arc de Triomphe, Notre Dame Cathedral, Champs-Elysees, and the stunning Place Vendome. Will you take a panoramic locally guided coach tour of Paris that includes a stop to explore the impressive Notre Dame Cathedral - **OR** - will you join a local guide who will take you to some of Paris' most iconic sights by Metro?



National World War II



Mardi Gras World

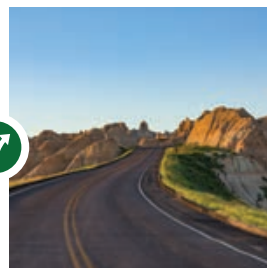
## **GETTING TO KNOW NEW ORLEANS**

### *Spotlight on New Orleans*

Experience the Big Easy like never before with two unique and historical tour experiences. Take a walk through history and experience the heroism of the Greatest Generation at the National World War II Museum - **OR** - celebrate the festive side of New Orleans at Mardi Gras World; learn the history of this tradition and tour a working warehouse where artisans create spectacular floats for the famous parades.



Badlands Guided Hike



Badlands Loop Road

## **EXPLORING THE BADLANDS**

### *Spotlight on South Dakota*

The chance to explore a natural wonder like the Badlands doesn't happen often. How you decide to adventure in the Badlands is completely up to you. Lace up your boots and explore one of the many scenic trails with a guided hike through the staggering natural beauty - **OR** - hit the road and drive the legendary Badlands Loop Road, where you'll see the marvellous rock formations and vibrant colors of this unique landscape.



Look for the **It's Your Choice** icon!

# *more* on tour



Montecatini Terme, Tuscany

Eiffel Tower

## Must-sees

Every destination has its iconic locations that are simply a must for visitors. Collette's inclusive itineraries interweave what we call the "must-sees" with immersive experiences to create a richer portrait of the destination.



Pow Wow in South Dakota © South Dakota Tourism



Touring the Colosseum  
Rome, Italy



Jazz Musician

*“It was great to just sit back and relax while seeing the beauty of the country and to have confidence that wherever we were, we were in good hands.”*

- J.L. Welton

## Cultural experiences

The cultural experiences you'll find as part of each itinerary are travel moments both large and small. These are the special inclusions (selected by our experts) that allow you to truly come to know a destination and, more importantly, the people who call that place home.

*more* on tour



## *4 star & above*

Personally reviewed properties, strategically selected locations, properties that capture the destination.



## Accommodations

Whether it's the amenities, the history, the view or the location, your accommodations become highlights all their own. We carefully select each hotel to best fit into your inclusive itinerary.



New Orleans School of Cooking



San Antonio Riverwalk



Traditional English Pub Fish & Chips



Italian Espresso

“ *We enjoyed the trip very much... We had excellent accommodations and we had excellent restaurants for the included dinners.* ”

- Randolph K.

## Culinary inclusions

Food is a wonderful way to experience new cultures. Our authentic culinary experiences take you into the destination, inspiring both your understanding and your taste buds.



# *more* TRAVEL STYLES

## Collette variety

No matter how you want to see the world, Collette can take you there. Whether you want to travel across an entire country, dive into a local culture, or come to know one of the world's great cities, Collette has the travel experience that's right for you.

# find your *travel style*



## CLASSIC

### *Collette's Flagship*

Collette's tours open the door to a world of amazing destinations. Marvel at must-see sights, sample regional cuisine, stay in centrally located hotels and connect with new and captivating cultures. These itineraries offer an inspiring and easy way to experience the world, where an expert guide takes care of all the details.



## EXPLORATIONS

### *Immersive Small Group Touring*

Smaller groups lead to bigger experiences. Explorations gives travellers access to the world in a new way, venturing off the beaten path for more adventure and immersive cultural connections. The small group size opens the door to magnificent sights, unique accommodations and exclusive culinary events. Your senses come alive as you capture the true essence of each destination.



## SPOTLIGHTS

### *Single-hotel Stays*

Unpack just once and explore the world's most iconic cities during Spotlights' single-hotel stays. The leisurely pace offers you the chance to get to know these destinations like a local. Must-see cultural highlights are always included, plus there's plenty of time to explore independently, creating your own unique adventure.



## RIVER CRUISE

### *Taking the River Less Travelled*

Collette's River Cruises are a slower, more intimate way to explore the world. These adventures, on small 4-star vessels, are an easy way to travel through the world's beautiful waterways. Plus, when you step off your ship with a Tour Manager by your side, you'll truly come to know the people and places along the river.



## FAITH

### *Spiritual Journeys*

Collette's collection of religious tours has been created with our faith-based travellers in mind. The focus is on creating inspiring travel experiences in world-famous spiritual locations, and these itineraries are designed utilizing more modest accommodations that capture the reflective surroundings in which they sit.

# SPOTLIGHT ON LONDON

7 DAYS · 7 MEALS  
FROM \$1819



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Explore London's famous Underground, known to locals as 'the Tube.'
- Visit Blenheim Palace, one of England's most magnificent homes

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Take an eye-opening panoramic tour of London.
- Enjoy a privately-led walking tour in Oxford.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

- DAY 4** | Join a locally guided tour of the Kensington and Knightsbridge neighbourhoods **or** travel to Whitehall to see 10 Downing Street and visit the Churchill War Rooms.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Gather for a special dinner at a traditional English pub and enjoy an ale tasting.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

- Day 1** Overnight Flight
- Days 2 - 6** Grange Fitzrovia Hotel, Grange Strathmore Hotel or Radisson Blu Edwardian, Vanderbilt, London

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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## embrace the life of a Londoner as you explore

the city's iconic landmarks, out-of-the-way corners and even travel into the countryside.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**London:** Reward yourself with another night in this cultural capital.

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

be a part of it all! This evening, experience a classic British pastime when you join your fellow travellers for a special welcome dinner at a traditional pub, complete with an ale tasting! (D)

### Day 3: London

Join a local expert on a panoramic city tour. See Trafalgar Square, St. Paul's Cathedral, the Tower of London, and Buckingham Palace, the London home to Britain's royalty since 1837. At Westminster, see the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey and Big Ben. End your city tour with a visit to Harrods, London's most iconic department store. This afternoon, perhaps you will join us on an optional tour to regal Windsor Castle. Originally built to guard the city of London, the imposing castle has been the home of kings and queens for nine centuries. (B)

### Day 1: Overnight Flight

London calls. Experience the regal touches and daily charms of life in this grand city.

### Day 2: London, England - Tour Begins

Welcome to London, a sophisticated metropolis with a timeless style all its own. Its bustling city streets are lined with beautiful gardens, fascinating museums, celebrated monuments and grand theaters – and you'll





London Skyline



© Blenheim Palace/Pete Seaward



Ale & Pie Tasting

**Day 4: London** 📍

Start your day like a true Londoner. Hop on the famous Underground, known to locals as 'the Tube.' Opened in 1863, this engineering marvel was the world's first metro system. Next, **it's your choice!** Perhaps you will join a local guide and explore the neighbourhoods of Kensington and Knightsbridge, known for their iconic shops and famous residents, before a visit to Kensington Palace, once the home of Queen Victoria and Princess Diana **-OR-** perhaps you would prefer to travel to Westminster station and snap a photo in front of Big Ben before heading north on Whitehall, known as the center of Her Majesty's Government. Catch a glimpse of 10 Downing Street before visiting the Churchill War Rooms. (B)

**Day 5: London - Oxford - Blenheim Palace - London**

Travel across England's beautiful countryside en route to the historic city of Oxford, one of the world's most famous university cities. Join a local expert on a privately-led walking tour that brings life to this quaint, yet privileged place.

Enjoy some free time to explore the city at leisure before setting out to visit Blenheim Palace, one of England's most magnificent homes, for a self-guided tour. Famous for being the birthplace of Sir Winston Churchill, this UNESCO World Heritage site offers a glimpse into the life of English royalty. (B)

**Day 6: London**

It's your last day in London. Spend the day independently exploring more of London's treasures. Or perhaps you'll join an optional excursion featuring Bath (UNESCO), one of England's most beautiful cities. Tonight, gather for a special farewell dinner at a favourite London restaurant and toast the end of a wonderful getaway! (B, D)

**Day 7: London - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close today, leaving you with many pleasant memories. (B)

**DATES & PRICES**

January - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019	Twin	Solo
January 17*	\$1919	\$2659	August 23	\$2089	\$2899
February 7*	\$1919	\$2659	September 6	\$2089	\$2899
March 7	\$2149	\$2959	September 20	\$2089	\$2899
April 4, 18	\$2419	\$3439	October 17	\$1949	\$2629
			March 30*	\$1819	\$2489
			April 4	\$1949	\$2629

Itinerary featured is for May 2018 - April 2019 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.

May 2018 - April 2019 <i>(featured itinerary)</i>	Twin	Solo
May 3	\$1949	\$2629
★ May 17	\$2629	\$3709
June 7	\$2089	\$2899
July 26	\$2089	\$2899

**Triple Room Reduction** (-)\$30  
Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.

\*Value Season Departures: These select off-season dates allow you to experience more for less. Plus, you'll enjoy smaller crowds. It's a wonderful time to travel.

**★ CELEBRATE TRADITION ★**

**Chelsea Flower Show**

Experience members-only day at the famous Chelsea Flower Show with full access to this prestigious event.

**May 17, 2018**



This trip requires a passport.

# CHRISTMAS IN LONDON

7 DAYS · 7 MEALS  
FROM \$1819



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Visit Harrods, London's most iconic department store, festively decorated for Christmas.
- Explore colourful Christmas markets in Oxford and London.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Experience an eye-opening panoramic tour of London.
- Enjoy a private tour of Blenheim Palace adorned for the season.
- See one of London's finest theater performances.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Feast upon a dinner inspired by the Christmas season.
- Gather for a special dinner at a traditional English pub and enjoy an ale tasting.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

- Day 1** Overnight Flight  
**Days 2 - 6** Radisson Blu Edwardian, Vanderbilt, or Grange Fitzrovia Hotel, London

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



## glittering lights, traditional decorations, shopping at Harrods...

this is the holiday you've always imagined.

### START EARLY

**ADD  
A DAY**

London: Give yourself the gift of another night in cheery London!

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

### Day 1: Overnight Flight

There's nothing like London during the holiday season.

### Day 2: London, England - Tour Begins

Welcome to London at Christmastime, a metropolis filled with light, laughter and the excitement of the holiday season. Whether perusing the city's many Christmas markets for handmade gifts and colourful decorations, or basking in the scent of mulled wine and cinnamon, this will surely be a Christmas you'll never forget. This

evening, experience a favourite holiday pastime and join your fellow travellers for a special welcome dinner at a traditional pub. (D)

### Day 3: London

Join a local expert on a panoramic city tour. See Trafalgar Square, St. Paul's Cathedral, the Tower of London, and Buckingham Palace. At Westminster, see the Houses of Parliament, Westminster Abbey and Big Ben. A Christmastime visit to London wouldn't be complete without a stop at Harrods, the city's most iconic department store. Find yourself exploring a wonderland of glorious holiday displays and its incredible food hall – a piece of gourmet heaven! This afternoon, perhaps you will join us on an optional excursion to celebrate the season at Windsor Castle: originally built to guard the city of London, Windsor Castle has been the home of

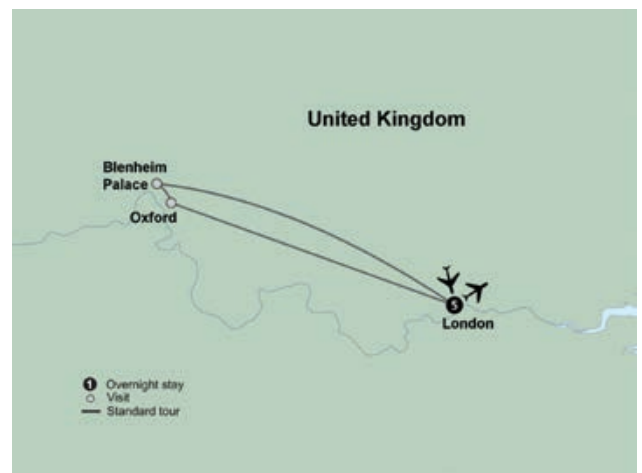
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London Market

Kings and Queens for nine centuries; make your way through the impressive State Apartments, adorned for the season with a stunning array of garlands, bedecked Christmas trees, and an array of festive decorations. (B)

**Day 4: London**

Enjoy a leisurely morning before setting off to explore London's charming Christmas markets. Peruse the sea of wooden chalets offering a plethora of unique handmade crafts, artisan goods and local treats. Continue on to Bond and Oxford streets, known worldwide for their elegant department stores, posh galleries and the season's stunning Christmas decorations. Admire the latest fashions before capping off your afternoon with one of London's finest theatre performances. (B)

**Day 5: London - Oxford - Blenheim Palace - London**

Travel across England's beautiful countryside en route to the historic city of Oxford, home to the prestigious University of Oxford. Join a local expert on a privately-led walking tour before

exploring the city's Christmas market. As you browse the stalls filled with handmade crafts, the sounds of Christmas carols and the smell of holiday treats fill the air and immerse you in holiday cheer. The festivities continue with a visit to Blenheim Palace, one of England's most magnificent homes, that shines even brighter at Christmas. The birthplace of Sir Winston Churchill, this UNESCO World Heritage site will give you a glimpse into the life of English royalty. (B)

**Day 6: London**

It's your last day in London. Spend the day independently exploring more of London's treasures. Or perhaps join an optional excursion featuring Bath (UNESCO), one of England's most beautiful cities. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner inspired by the Christmas season and toast the end of a wonderful tour. (B, D)

**Day 7: London - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close today, leaving you with many pleasant holiday memories. (B)

**DATES & PRICES**

<b>December 2018</b>	<b>Twin</b>	<b>Solo</b>	<b>Triple Room Reduction</b>	<b>(-) \$30</b>
December 2	\$1999	\$2829	Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.	
December 12	\$1819	\$2489		

This trip requires a passport.

# SPOTLIGHT ON PARIS

7 DAYS · 7 MEALS  
FROM \$2629



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Explore the treasures of the Louvre Museum with an expert.
- Tour the spectacular Palace of Versailles and its gardens with a local guide.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Glide along and admire Paris' glittering skyline on a Seine River cruise.
- Enjoy a free day to explore the sights and sounds of the city.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 3** | Set out on a locally guided coach tour that includes a stop to explore the impressive Notre Dame Cathedral **or** travel by the iconic Metro. In both cases you'll see the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs-Elysees and more.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Dine on delicious French cuisine and wine at the Eiffel Tower.
- Savour dinner accompanied by French wine at one of Paris' oldest Brasseries.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Day 1** Overnight Flight  
**Days 2 - 6** Le Meridien Etoile, Paris

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

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## revel in the allure of Paris on this tour

which includes its spectacular sights, history, architecture, art and, of course, fine food and wine.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

Paris : Start your love affair with the "City of Light" a little early.

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### Day 1: Overnight Flight

Come to know captivating Paris' world-renowned art, food and fashion. Its rich history will astound you while its style dazzles.

#### Day 2: Paris, France - Tour Begins

Arrive in the "City of Light." Tonight, your adventure begins with breathtaking views of the city while you enjoy dinner featuring delicious French cuisine and wine at the Eiffel Tower. Following dinner, get a different perspective of the

city during a Seine River cruise. Admire Paris' glittering skyline as you glide along. (D)

#### Day 3: Paris

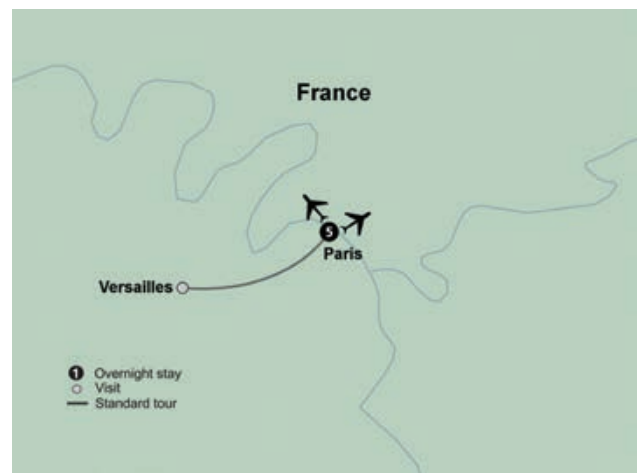
**It's your choice!** Will you choose to take a panoramic locally guided coach tour of Paris that includes a stop to explore the impressive Notre Dame Cathedral? **-OR-** for a truly local experience, will you join a local guide who will take you to some of Paris' most iconic sights by Metro? Either way you'll see such dramatic highlights of Paris as the Arc de Triomphe, Notre Dame Cathedral, Champs-Elysees, Place de la Concorde, and the magnificent Place Vendome. The afternoon is at leisure. You may choose an optional tour that takes you to the bohemian neighbourhood of Montmartre; join a local guide on a walking tour and get to know the culture, food and history of this eclectic



Eiffel Tower



Notre Dame



Versailles

neighbourhood, and see its crown jewel – the iconic Sacré-Coeur Basilica. (B)

#### Day 4: Paris - Louvre Museum

Join a local expert exploring the priceless treasures of the world-famous Louvre Museum, with a collection of more than one million works of art. Originally a palace and now a landmark of Paris, the Louvre displays an array of works of art ranging from ancient times up to the mid-19th century. Behold some of the museum's most famous pieces by the some of the greatest artists the world has seen including Raphael, Botticelli and Titian, and see the renowned statue of *Venus de Milo* and Leonardo Da Vinci's *Mona Lisa*. The remainder of the day is at leisure for you to explore Paris' many hidden treasures on your own. (B)

#### Day 5: Paris - Day at Leisure

Enjoy a day at leisure to relax or explore. You may take an optional excursion to Champagne country which includes a visit to ancient Reims for a walking tour; then, stop in Epernay and visit a champagne cellar for a tour and tasting. (B)

#### Day 6: Paris - Versailles

Explore the history, architecture and gardens of

Versailles, one of the world's most magnificent royal palaces and finest, most complete example of 17th-century architecture. Your local guide will recount the history of the palace and lead you through the various rooms of the State Apartments. Discover its immeasurable opulence and see its treasures including the Queen's bedchamber and the famous Hall of Mirrors. You then have time to explore the incredible gardens, some of the most famous in the world, which took over 40 years to complete. Tonight, celebrate the end of a fabulous trip with a sumptuous dinner accompanied by French wine at one of Paris' oldest brasseries. (B, D)

#### Day 7: Paris - Tour Ends

Your tour comes to a close today. Head home with many wonderful memories of Paris. (B)

#### STAY LONGER

**ADD A DAY**

Paris : Continue your adventure with another glorious night in this remarkable city. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### DATES & PRICES

	Twin	Solo		Twin	Solo
<b>February - April 2018</b> <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>			<b>May 2018 - April 2019</b>		
February 20	\$2629	\$3709	August 7	\$2759	\$3709
March 6	\$2629	\$3709	September 4	\$2759	\$3709
March 20	\$2759	\$3709	September 18	\$3169	\$4519
April 10	\$2759	\$3709	October 9, 16	\$2999	\$4249
Itinerary featured is for May 2018 - April 2019 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.			November 6	\$2629	\$3569
<b>May 2018 - April 2019</b> <i>(featured itinerary)</i>			February 19	\$2629	\$3569
May 1, 8, 22	\$3169	\$4519	March 19	\$2759	\$3709
June 26	\$3169	\$4519	April 9	\$2759	\$3709
July 10	\$2759	\$3709	<b>Triple Room Reduction</b>	N/A	
Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.					



#### COMBINE TWO TOURS INTO ONE ADVENTURE

Book another tour with Spotlight on Paris and create one grand experience.

**Suggested Tours:** ① Spain's Classics ② Spotlight on Rome

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This trip requires a passport.

# SPOTLIGHT ON TUSCANY

9 DAYS · 10 MEALS  
FROM \$1779



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Visit the Academy Gallery and Michelangelo's famous statue of "David."
- See the Gothic Line, one of the Germans' last lines of defense during WWII.
- Visit the Museum of Liberation and see WWII fortifications and bunkers.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Stay in the famous spa resort town of Montecatini Terme for seven nights!
- Journey to Florence for a tour of the "Cradle of the Italian Renaissance."
- Stop in the medieval city of Lucca, encircled by 16th-century walls.
- See the Ponte del Diavolo (Devil's Bridge) in Borgo a Mozzano.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 6** | Explore Siena's Gothic Cathedral at your own pace **or** join your guide to get to know local life in a contrada (neighborhood).



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Sample delectable wines during a wine tasting in the Chianti region.
- Spend time at a cheese farm to taste flavourful pecorino cheese.
- Learn about Tuscan cuisine during a cooking class.
- Enjoy regional wines with every included dinner.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Day 1** Overnight Flight  
**Days 2 - 8** Grand Hotel Tettuccio,  
Montecatini Terme

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.



# Let Tuscany become a part of your life.

Relax as you enjoy its sprawling vineyards, charming medieval hill towns and enchanting cities.

### Day 1: Overnight Flight

Rolling landscapes, savoury wines, delicious food and stunning architecture...this can only be Tuscany. Unpack once on this journey among Italy's most charming towns.

### Day 2: Montecatini Terme, Italy - Tour Begins

Your tour opens in the famous spa resort town of Montecatini Terme, nestled in the heart of the rolling hills of Tuscany. This evening, get to know your fellow travellers during a welcome dinner where regional foods and Italian wines kick off your adventure. (D)

### Day 3: Florence

A cultural tour in the "Cradle of the Italian Renaissance" showcases the beautiful city of Florence. Join a local Florentine guide who highlights many of the city's priceless treasures including a visit to the Academy Gallery - housing Michelangelo's monumental statue of *David*. At the Piazza del Duomo, the center of religious life in medieval Florence, see the impressive Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore and the gilded bronze doors of the

Baptistery dedicated to St. John. Take the remainder of your day to explore this unparalleled city as you choose. (B)

### Day 4: Lucca - Borgo a Mozzano - Gothic Line

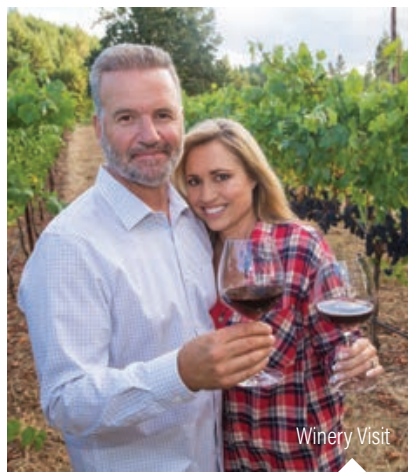
Set out on a guided visit to Lucca, Tuscany's best-kept secret. Renaissance walls, Romanesque churches, medieval streets flanked by towers, and delightful squares are just some of Lucca's charms. Visit the medieval Basilica di San Frediano. Its otherwise simple façade is adorned with a colourful 13th-century mosaic. Enjoy some time to explore at your own pace. Next, set off for Borgo a Mozzano to see the remarkable Ponte del Diavolo (Devil's Bridge). Continue on to the Gothic Line. Built by the Germans, it was one of their last lines of defense during WWII. You will visit the Museum of Liberation and see the actual fortifications and bunkers. (B)

### Day 5: Pisa

Explore the many historic sites in the ancient maritime Republic of Pisa including the Piazza dei Miracoli, or "Field of Miracles" (UNESCO). Keep your camera handy



Tuscan Countryside



Winery Visit



Florence

during your stop at the famous Leaning Tower of Pisa. You probably won't be able to resist taking a picture that makes it appear as if you are holding this iconic structure up. Visit the Baptistery, the largest in all of Italy. This impressive building of Romanesque and Gothic architecture is known for its perfect acoustics. This evening we travel to the quiet countryside to learn the secrets of traditional Tuscan cuisine. Partake in a cooking class featuring a bounty of local ingredients and culinary techniques that have been passed down for generations. Then sit down and enjoy the fruits of your labour during dinner. (B, D)

#### Day 6: Siena 🇻

Welcome to Siena. Discover this charming town with a local guide. Embark on a walking tour through its narrow Gothic streets. Take in stunning palaces, mansions and the historic Piazza del Campo along the way. Then, **it's your choice!** Explore Siena's beautiful Gothic Cathedral at your own pace **-OR-** join your guide to get to know local life in a *contrada* (neighborhood). Next we make our way to a Tuscan winery and meet the people behind some of Chianti's finest wines. Learn from experts as you savour a selection of the local varieties. You'll also learn about the art of winemaking and the process of making olive oil. (B)

#### Day 7: Montecatini Terme

The day is yours to relax and experience the local flavour. Take this opportunity to shop at the local boutiques and dine at one of the many fine local restaurants. Or, perhaps you will choose an optional excursion to Cinque Terre with its rugged coastline dotted with terraced vineyards. Explore its string of fishing villages nestled between the mountains and the Mediterranean. (B)

#### Day 8: Cheese Farm Visit - San Gimignano

Begin the day with breathtaking views of the Tuscan hills as we make our way to a cheese farm. Learn how the famous pecorino cheese is made before sampling it for yourself. Afterwards, travel to the hilltop village of San Gimignano, one of the most picturesque places in Tuscany. Explore this enchanting medieval town, from its famous 14 towers to its magnificent vistas overlooking the vineyards of Tuscany. Enjoy free time and perhaps indulge in some gelato. A delightful experience awaits this evening when you attend a Tuscan feast featuring traditional cuisine and savoury wines in the magical Tuscan countryside. (B, D)

#### Day 9: Montecatini Terme - Tour Ends

Your journey comes to a close today. Depart with many fond memories of Tuscany. (B)

### DATES & PRICES

January - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019	Twin	Solo
January 25*	\$1849	\$2119	October 25	\$2289	\$2629
February 22*	\$1849	\$2119	November 1, 3, 6, 8, 10, 29	\$2089	\$2359
March 8, 15, 20, 22	\$2089	\$2359	January 17*	\$1779	\$1779
April 5, 12, 17, 19, 26	\$2149	\$2419	February 14*	\$1779	\$1779
			February 28	\$2089	\$2359
			March 7, 14, 21	\$2089	\$2359
			April 4, 6, 11, 23, 25, 27	\$2219	\$2559

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#### May 2018 - April 2019 *(featured itinerary)*

	Twin	Solo
May 3, 10, 17	\$2359	\$2689
June 7, 14	\$2359	\$2689
July 5	\$2219	\$2559
August 30	\$2219	\$2559
September 6, 13, 20, 27	\$2359	\$2689
October 4, 11, 18	\$2359	\$2689

#### Triple Room Reduction (-) \$30

Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.

\*Value Season Departures: These select off-season dates allow you to experience more for less. Plus, you'll enjoy smaller crowds. It's a wonderful time to travel.



### COMBINE TWO TOURS INTO ONE ADVENTURE

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This trip requires a passport. Our air passengers will arrive and depart from Florence or Pisa airports.

# SPOTLIGHT ON ROME

7 DAYS · 8 MEALS  
FROM \$1719



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Enjoy a guided visit to the Vatican Museums.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Browse the medieval open-air Campo dei Fiori Market.
- Step into the past as you visit the Roman Colosseum.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

- DAY 3 |** You may choose to discover the beauty of Rome's mosaics with a local guide **or** join a local expert for a walking tour of the city.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Discover the secrets of Italian cuisine during a chef-led cooking class.
- Enjoy a special farewell dinner with music from local musicians.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

- Day 1** Overnight Flight  
**Days 2 - 6** Hotel Dei Borgia, Rome

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



## fall in love with Rome on a journey

that takes you through the deep and fascinating  
history of this city and its people.

### Day 1: Overnight Flight

Embark on your adventure through the art, history and culture of Rome, "The Eternal City,"

### Day 2: Rome, Italy - Tour Begins

Your tour opens in Rome. You will be captivated by its old-world charm blending with its lively cosmopolitan energy. This evening, meet your fellow travellers for dinner at a local restaurant. (D)

### Day 3: Rome

Today **the choice is yours!** Discover the beauty of the sophisticated ancient art of mosaics with a local guide

who leads you to some of Rome's churches that are bursting with mosaic masterpieces; gaze at the amazing works of art in the Basilica di San Clemente, Basilica di Santa Maria Maggiore and Basilica di Santa Prassede **-OR-** join a local expert for a walking tour of the city that culminates at the famous Fontana di Trevi – legend holds that if you toss a coin in the fountain, you'll be certain to return to Rome. The remainder of the day is yours to uncover more of the city's treasures on your own. (B)

### Day 4: Rome

Today you'll explore Rome's culinary treasures. First, set off on a walking tour through the "Eternal City" to the

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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Colosseum



Overnight stay\*  
\* Number indicates length of stay



Roman Mosaics



Cooking Class

famed Campo dei Fiori Market. Shop side-by-side with the locals as you browse this medieval open-air market. Next, you're off to discover the secrets of Italian cuisine during a chef-led cooking class. Learn how to prepare three types of pasta! Next, sit back and savour regional delicacies during a delicious lunch. (B, L)

**Day 5: Rome**

This morning you'll come to know the history and traditions of ancient Rome. Imagine the energy of 80,000 spectators cheering during your visit to the Colosseum, once home to gladiatorial combat and wild animal fights dating back to the first century A.D. This afternoon, continue exploring Rome's artistic treasures during a guided visit to the Vatican Museums. You will be in awe of the opulence at the Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica. (B)

**Day 6: Rome**

Your day is at leisure to relax, shop or explore the city your way. Perhaps you'll visit one of Rome's many remarkable museums including the Capitoline Museum or the Borghese Gallery. Or, you may decide to explore the Capuchin Crypt beneath the church of Santa Maria della Concezione, containing the skeletons of approximately 4,000 friars. Tonight, join your fellow travellers at a special farewell dinner where you'll be serenaded with music from local musicians. (B, D)

**Day 7: Rome - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close today. (B)

**DATES & PRICES**

January - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019	Twin	Solo
January 16*	\$1719	\$2119	October 4	\$2629	\$3569
February 13*	\$1719	\$2119	November 8	\$2359	\$3099
March 6, 13	\$2149	\$2829	December 6*	\$1719	\$2119
April 10, 17	\$2419	\$3229	January 17*	\$1719	\$2119
			February 14*	\$1719	\$2119
			March 28	\$2219	\$2759
			April 11	\$2489	\$3299
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May 2018 - April 2019 <i>(featured itinerary)</i>	Twin	Solo	Triple Room Reduction	(-) \$30	
<small>Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.</small>					
May 17	\$2629	\$3569	<small>*Value Season Departures: These select off-season dates allow you to experience more for less. Plus, you'll enjoy smaller crowds. It's a wonderful time to travel.</small>		
June 21	\$2629	\$3569			
July 5	\$2359	\$3099			
August 2	\$2219	\$2759			
September 13	\$2629	\$3569			

This trip requires a passport.

# SPOTLIGHT ON NEW YORK CITY

5 DAYS · 5 MEALS  
FROM \$2389



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Explore the 9/11 Memorial and the 9/11 Museum.
- Visit St. Paul's Chapel, a place for rest and care for World Trade Center recovery workers.
- Take a self-guided tour of Ellis Island.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- In the cultural treasure trove that is New York City, experience two Broadway shows.
- Cruise New York Harbor and see "Lady Liberty" up-close.
- Join a local guide for a tour of New York City's time-honoured landmarks.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Enjoy breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, featuring singing wait staff.
- Dine at your choice of favourites along restaurant row.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 - 4** Sheraton New York Times Square,  
New York

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



## experience the best of the "Big Apple"

from Rockefeller Center to Greenwich Village.  
Start spreading the news!

### START EARLY

**ADD  
A DAY**

**New York City:** Kick things off with an extra night in the city that never sleeps.

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

### Day 1: New York City, New York - Tour Begins

"Start spreading the news," because today you arrive in America's most exciting metropolis for a getaway filled with shopping, sightseeing and endless entertainment. Enjoy a single hotel stay in the heart of the city.

### Day 2: New York City

Prepare for an exhilarating day with breakfast at a local eatery before embracing the city's energy on a locally

guided tour of the "Big Apple." Find yourself in Greenwich Village, the Wall Street district and Central Park. See the Empire State Building and many other time-honoured landmarks. Visit lower Manhattan's St. Paul's Chapel where George Washington once worshipped and recovery workers were cared for during their time at the World Trade Center site. Reflect at the 9/11 Memorial and the 9/11 Museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost. Later, it's Diner's Choice... choose the perfect restaurant from a "menu" of the city's popular locations near bustling Times Square. Then, take your seat at a Broadway show! (B, D)

### Day 3: New York City

Another exciting day begins with a fun-filled breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, a 50s-themed restaurant featuring a singing wait staff. Board a ferry for a cruise of

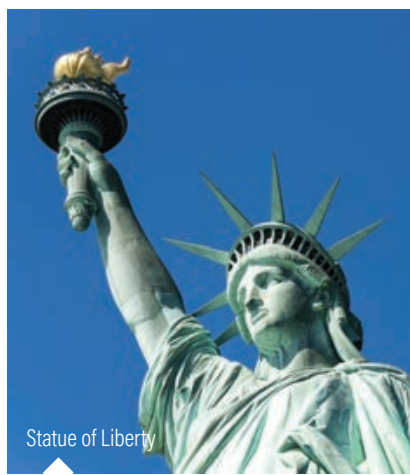
**TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL**

See page 52 for details.

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New York Skyline



Statue of Liberty



Central Park

New York Harbour. Take in the incredible views of the towering Statue of Liberty. Dock and get up-close to "Lady Liberty." She has welcomed immigrants and visitors to New York Harbour since 1886. Created as a token of friendship between the U.S. and France, the Statue of Liberty has become a global symbol of freedom. Then it's on to Ellis Island. Step back in time on a self-guided tour of the museum. Come to know the personal stories of the immigration boom of 1892-1924 when 12 million people passed through this station on their journey to America. The remainder of the day is at leisure to explore "the city that never sleeps." Tonight, choose to join an optional walking tour of Greenwich Village including dinner. (B)

**Day 4: New York City**

It's Diner's Choice...your breakfast is included and you'll choose the perfect spot from a "menu" of local restaurants. Take advantage of some free time to discover the city at your own pace. Your Tour Manager has countless suggestions on how to spend your time. Maybe you are up for a shopping spree at some of the world's most legendary department stores, including Macy's, Bloomingdale's and Saks Fifth Avenue.

This afternoon, the curtains rise for your second Broadway show. You'll choose from a selection of Broadway's biggest hits. Say farewell to this extraordinary city tonight as we gather for your final taste of New York with dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

**Day 5: New York City - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close with many pleasant memories of your exciting tour of fabulous "New York, New York."

**STAY LONGER**

**ADD A DAY** | **New York City:** Take some more time to enjoy the magic of New York.  
CALL FOR DETAILS

DATES & PRICES					
<b>January - April 2018</b> <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	<b>Twin</b>	<b>Solo</b>	<b>May 2018 - April 2019</b>	<b>Twin</b>	<b>Solo</b>
January 18	\$2389	\$3199	August 2, 16	\$2829	\$3769
February 22	\$2389	\$3199	September 6, 13, 20, 25, 27	\$3439	\$4919
March 22	\$2659	\$3609	October 4, 11, 16, 18, 25	\$3439	\$4919
April 5, 12, 19, 26	\$2899	\$3839	January 17	\$2389	\$3129
Itinerary featured is for May 2018 - April 2019 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.			February 21	\$2389	\$3129
<b>May 2018 - April 2019</b> <i>(featured itinerary)</i>			March 21	\$2659	\$3609
May 10, 17, 31	\$3099	\$4309	April 4, 11, 25	\$2959	\$3909
June 14, 21, 28	\$3099	\$4309	<b>Triple Room Reduction (-) \$30</b>		
July 12, 19	\$2829	\$3769	Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.		

**This trip requires a passport.** There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

# SPOTLIGHT ON NEW YORK CITY HOLIDAY

5 DAYS · 5 MEALS  
FROM \$3439



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Explore the 9/11 Memorial and the 9/11 Museum.
- Visit St. Paul's Chapel, a place for rest and care for World Trade Center recovery workers.
- Take a self-guided tour of Ellis Island.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Experience the incredible Christmas Spectacular at Radio City Music Hall.
- Venture out to Times Square to enjoy a Broadway show.
- Cruise New York Harbour and see "Lady Liberty" up-close.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Enjoy breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, featuring singing wait staff.
- Dine at your choice of favourites along restaurant row.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 - 4** Sheraton New York Times Square,  
New York

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.



## experience the "Big Apple" at its festive best.

There's nothing like the beauty of the glittering lights of  
New York during the holidays.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**New York City:** Start the fun early and enjoy more of the world's most exciting city. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### Day 1: New York City, New York - Tour Begins

"Start spreading the news," because today you arrive in America's most exciting metropolis as it shines during the holiday season. Your New York City getaway is filled with sightseeing, endless entertainment and holiday cheer.

#### Day 2: New York City

This morning, enjoy breakfast at a local eatery before setting out to embrace the energy of this fascinating city on

a locally guided tour of the "Big Apple." You'll see Greenwich Village, the Wall Street district, the Empire State Building, Central Park and other time-honoured landmarks decorated for the season. Visit lower Manhattan's St. Paul's Chapel, where George Washington once worshipped and recovery workers were cared for during their time at the World Trade Center site. Reflect at the 9/11 Memorial and the 9/11 Museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost. Later, it's Diner's Choice...choose the perfect restaurant from a "menu" of the city's popular locations near exhilarating Times Square. Then you're in for the sweetest holiday treat - Radio City Music Hall and the incredible Christmas Spectacular featuring the high-kicking Rockettes! (B, D)

#### Day 3: New York City

Another exciting day begins with a fun-filled breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, a 50s-themed restaurant

### TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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Rockefeller Center



Central Park



1 Overnight stay\*

\* Number indicates length of stay



Radio City Music Hall

featuring a singing wait staff. Then, board a ferry for a cruise of New York Harbour. Take in the incredible views of the towering Statue of Liberty. Dock and get up-close to "Lady Liberty." She has welcomed immigrants and visitors to New York Harbour since 1886. Created as a token of friendship between the U.S. and France, the Statue of Liberty has become a global symbol of freedom. Then it's on to Ellis Island. Step back in time on a self-guided tour of the museum. Come to know the personal stories of the immigration boom of 1892-1924 when 12 million people passed through this station on their journey to America. The remainder of the day is at leisure for you to partake in New York's fabulous holiday shopping at the world's most famous department stores including Macy's, Bloomingdale's and Saks Fifth Avenue, all dressed up in their holiday best! Tonight, choose to join an optional walking tour of Greenwich Village including dinner. (B)

#### Day 4: New York City

It's Diner's Choice...your breakfast is included and you'll choose the perfect spot from a "menu" of local restaurants. Enjoy some free time to discover "the city that never sleeps" at your own pace. Your Tour Manager has countless suggestions on how to spend your time. Maybe you are up for skating

at Rockefeller Center or Central Park. Perhaps you'll venture to Union Square to shop at its yearly holiday market. But be sure to take a picture in front of the colossal Christmas tree at Rockefeller Center and gaze at the elaborate 5th Avenue holiday window displays. This evening, say farewell to this extraordinary city as we gather for dinner at a local restaurant. Then it's off to exhilarating Times Square to take your seat at an included Broadway show! You'll choose from a selection of Broadway's biggest hits. (B, D)

#### Day 5: New York City - Tour Ends

Your tour comes to a close with many pleasant memories of your exciting tour of fabulous "New York, New York" during the holiday season.

#### STAY LONGER

ADD A DAY

New York City: Keep the celebration going with another night in the Big Apple. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### DATES & PRICES

November - December 2018	Twin	Solo	Triple Room Reduction	(-) \$30
November 26	\$3439	\$4989	Rates are land only, per person, and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.	
December 3, 10	\$3439	\$4989		

**This trip requires a passport.** There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

# SPOTLIGHT ON WASHINGTON, D.C.

6 DAYS · 8 MEALS  
FROM \$2419



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Peek into the life of America's first president at Mount Vernon.
- Behold the impressive Washington National Cathedral.
- Stop at Ford's Theatre where President Lincoln was assassinated.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Spend five memorable nights in the heart of Washington, D.C.
- Tour the iconic and storied U.S. Capitol building.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

- DAY 3** | Smithsonian Institution's National Air and Space Museum **or** the National Museum of American History.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Experience international cuisine in local restaurants throughout the city.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

- Days 1 - 5** Loews Madison Hotel or Omni Shoreham Hotel, Washington, D.C.

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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# the epic story of American democracy comes to life

on this historical and cultural journey.

## START EARLY

### ADD A DAY

Washington, D.C.: Experience more of D.C.'s blend of history and the modern workings of government. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

War II Memorial, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial and the Korean War Memorial. Tonight, join your fellow travellers for a special welcome dinner. (B, D)

### Day 3: Washington, D.C.

This morning we visit the White House Visitor Center. Explore the history of 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue and see artifacts from the White House collection. Then, **it's your choice!** Step into the pages of history and uncover some of the treasures of the Smithsonian Institution with a visit to either the National Air and Space Museum **-OR-** the National Museum of American History. Among the National Air and Space Museum's collection in their location on the National Mall are the famous Wright 1903 Flyer, the Spirit of St. Louis, and the Apollo 11 command module. The National Museum of American History houses an array of American touchstones, including many gowns worn by America's First Ladies and

### Day 1: Washington, D.C. - Tour Begins

Explore America's heritage and history during your stay in the capital city of the United States - Washington, D.C.

### Day 2: Washington, D.C.

Your day begins at the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center with a guided tour of this historic and storied building. Then, discover the celebrated history of America's capital on a tour with a local expert. Delight in wonderful views of the White House, National Mall and many monuments and museums. We continue with stops at the moving World



U.S. Capitol



WWII Memorial



White House

the Star-Spangled Banner. This afternoon, enjoy free time to continue exploring on your own. Tonight, you may choose to join an optional twilight tour of D.C. including dinner. (B)

**Day 4: Arlington National Cemetery - Mount Vernon, Virginia - Alexandria**

Visit Arlington National Cemetery for a narrated tour that takes you to the Tomb of the Unknowns and the Kennedy gravesites. This afternoon, we call on Mount Vernon, the beloved home of the first U.S. president, George Washington. Wander the beautiful plantation grounds he adored and tour the home, filled with 18th-century artifacts. Next, arrive in Old Town Alexandria, a charming community nestled along the Potomac. Enjoy some time to stroll the cobblestone streets, view the historic Colonial architecture, and stop at some of the trendy boutiques. This evening it's Diner's Choice...you'll choose the perfect spot from a "menu" of old town Alexandria's amazing restaurants. (B, D)

**Day 5: Washington, D.C.**

This morning, visit the Washington National Cathedral. This magnificent church took 83 years to complete and has been host to many poignant

moments in America's history such as state funerals, Presidential inaugural masses and Martin Luther King, Jr.'s last sermon. Admire the beautiful craftsmanship of the cathedral as you learn more about its history during a docent-led tour. This afternoon, visit Ford's Theatre where President Abraham Lincoln was assassinated on that fateful night in 1865. Tour the theatre and hear about the timeline of events that transpired as John Wilkes Booth's plan unfolded. Finish your tour with a visit to the neighbouring Petersen House, the boarding house to which the fatally injured Lincoln was carried. This evening, join your fellow travellers for a special farewell dinner commemorating the end of your historical journey. (B, D)

**Day 6: Washington, D.C. - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close in Washington, D.C. this morning. (B)

**STAY LONGER**

**ADD A DAY**

Washington, D.C.: Enjoy more time to explore the iconic sites and museums of America's capital. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

**DATES & PRICES**

March - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019	Twin	Solo
March 22	\$2419	\$3229	July 12, 19, 26	\$2419	\$3229
April 4, 5	\$2559	\$3499	August 2, 9	\$2419	\$3229
April 6	\$3229	\$5119	September 6, 13, 20, 27	\$2419	\$3229
April 12, 17, 18, 19, 26	\$2559	\$3499	October 4, 18, 26	\$2559	\$3499
<i>Itinerary featured is for May 2018 - April 2019 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.</i>			March 7	\$2489	\$3369
<b>May 2018 - April 2019 <i>(featured itinerary)</i></b>	<b>Twin</b>	<b>Solo</b>	March 27	\$2559	\$3499
May 3, 24	\$2559	\$3499	April 3, 4, 18, 25	\$2629	\$3569
June 7, 21, 28	\$2559	\$3499	<b>Triple Room Reduction</b>	<b>(-) \$30</b>	
			<i>Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.</i>		

**★ CELEBRATE TRADITION ★**

**Cherry Blossom Season in Washington, D.C.**

Cherry Blossom season colours the city in a sea of pink and white from mid-March to mid-April. Thousands of trees grow along the Tidal Basin in West Potomac Park, East Potomac Park, and on the Washington Monument grounds. The original trees were a gift from Japan in 1912. Enjoy the many activities and festivities that take place and learn the history and lineage of these beautiful trees.



Please Note: Blooming will vary slightly from year-to-year due to weather conditions. Dates are to be determined - only Mother Nature knows when the blooms will actually occur and peak!

This trip requires a passport. There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

# SPOTLIGHT ON SAN ANTONIO

6 DAYS · 7 MEALS  
FROM \$2149



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Discover the German settlement of Fredericksburg set in the Hill Country.
- Explore El Mercado, the Mexican Marketplace.
- Visit the LBJ Ranch, birthplace of the 36th President of the United States.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Visit the Alamo where a battle was fought and men made the ultimate sacrifice to defend their freedom and the Republic of Texas.
- Tour San Antonio with an expert local guide.
- Learn about the architecture and culture of San Antonio during a narrated cruise down the Paseo del Rio.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 3** | Visit the South Texas Heritage Center **or** explore the San Antonio Botanical Gardens.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Enjoy the local flavours of Texas with a wine and olive oil tasting at an olive orchard, followed by a memorable dinner.
- Saddle up and savour a barbecue dinner at a ranch.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 - 5** Omni La Mansion del Rio, San Antonio

### ROOM UPGRADE AVAILABLE

Upgrade your accommodations to a River View Room and enjoy spectacular views of the River Walk from the comfort of your balcony. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.



## taste the flavours of Texas

as you experience its historic charm, unique culture and bold cuisine.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**San Antonio:** Arrive early to begin your "Texas-sized" getaway.

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

### Day 1: San Antonio, Texas - Tour Begins

Welcome to the "American Venice." Historic missions, River Walk restaurants, Spanish architecture and a beautiful river centerpiece make this a truly remarkable city.

### Day 2: San Antonio

Enjoy a day of leisure to explore the river walk or some local markets. This evening get to know your fellow travellers at a welcome reception. (B)

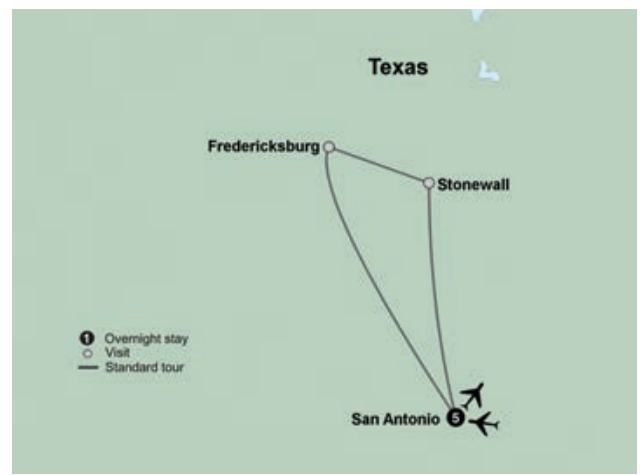
### Day 3: San Antonio

Your day begins with a fascinating tour of San Antonio with a local guide. History and culture abound with a visit to two UNESCO World Heritage sites. Visit the Mission San Jose, the second mission established by Fray Antonio Margil de Jesus in 1720. Then it's on to visit one of America's most historic sites, the Alamo, which played a critical role in the Texas Revolution. People worldwide continue to remember the Alamo as a heroic struggle against impossible odds - a place where men made the ultimate sacrifice for freedom. Next, browse for one-of-a-kind goods at El Mercado, the Mexican Marketplace. This afternoon **the choice is yours:** visit the South Texas Heritage Centre, an interactive museum dedicated to sharing the stories of San Antonio's people and the land that has shaped their lives. **-OR-** explore the 33-acre grounds of the San Antonio Botanical Gardens





River Walk



Mission San Jose

with expansive rose gardens, conservatory with tropical vegetation, and the Texas Native Trail showcasing ecosystems from the diverse regions of the province. This evening, enjoy the local flavours of barbecue during dinner at a ranch. (B, D)

**Day 4: San Antonio - Stonewall - Fredericksburg - San Antonio**

Journey to Stonewall and enjoy a visit to the LBJ Ranch, birthplace of the 36th President of the United States, Lyndon B. Johnson. On your tour of the ranch you will view the "Texas White House" and learn about living in the Texas Hill Country. Continue to the heart of the rural Hill Country and the German settlement of Fredericksburg. The old-time southwest will surround you as you take time to independently explore the quaint shops. Enjoy the evening at leisure to explore San Antonio's beautiful River Walk. (B)

**Day 5: San Antonio**

Board a boat and drift along the Paseo del Rio, also known as the River Walk, one of Texas's

most prized attractions. Learn more about the architecture and culture of the city on this relaxing narrated boat ride. Then, enjoy some leisure time to discover San Antonio on your own. This evening, visit a picturesque olive orchard. Enjoy a tour of the orchard complete with a wine and olive oil tasting and learn about its history before indulging in a spectacular Texas-inspired farewell dinner. (B, D)

**Day 6: San Antonio - Tour Ends**

San Antonio's natural beauty, history, cuisine, people and music create an experience you'll always remember. (B)

**STAY LONGER**

**ADD A DAY**

San Antonio: Experience more of "America's Venice" with an additional night. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

**DATES & PRICES**

January - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019 <i>(featured itinerary)</i>	Twin	Solo
January 28	\$1749	\$2149	May 19, 27	\$2149	\$2759
★ February 18	\$1819	\$2219	September 8, 15, 22	\$2289	\$2899
February 25	\$1749	\$2149	October 13, 27	\$2289	\$2899
March 18	\$1749	\$2149	November 10	\$2289	\$2899
April 9	\$1879	\$2289	January 26	\$2149	\$2759
★ April 22	\$1949	\$2359	★ February 9, 16	\$2289	\$2899
April 29	\$1879	\$2289	March 2, 16, 30	\$2149	\$2759
			April 13, 14, 27	\$2289	\$2899
			★ April 19	\$2089	\$2559

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**Triple Room Reduction (-) \$30**

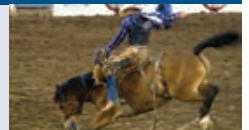
Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.

**★ CELEBRATE TRADITION ★**

**Stock Show & Rodeo**

Watch some of the country's top cowboys compete at the San Antonio Stock Show & Rodeo.

**Feb. 18, 2018 & Feb. 9 & 16, 2019**



**★ CELEBRATE TRADITION ★**

**Fiesta San Antonio**

Enjoy reserved seats at the Fiesta San Antonio's Texas Cavaliers River Parade.

**April 22, 2018 & April 19, 2019**



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# SPOTLIGHT ON SAN ANTONIO HOLIDAY

5 DAYS · 6 MEALS  
FROM \$2089



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Discover the German settlement of Fredericksburg set in the Hill Country.
- Explore El Mercado, the Mexican Marketplace.
- Cruise the Paseo del Rio and admire the festive holiday decorations along the way.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Visit the Alamo where a battle was fought and men made the ultimate sacrifice to defend their freedom and the Republic of Texas.
- Tour San Antonio with an expert local guide.
- Visit the LBJ Ranch, birthplace of the 36th President of the United States.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 2** | Visit the South Texas Heritage Center **or** explore the San Antonio Botanical Gardens.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Enjoy the local flavours of Texas with a wine and olive oil tasting at an olive orchard, followed by a memorable dinner.
- Saddle up and savour a barbeque dinner at a ranch.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 - 4** Omni La Mansion del Rio, San Antonio

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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## Immerse yourself in the laid-back atmosphere

of this fun Texas city adorned for the holiday season.

### Day 1: San Antonio, Texas - Tour Begins

Welcome to the "American Venice." Historic missions, River Walk restaurants, Spanish architecture and a beautiful river centerpiece make this a truly remarkable city. The sights and sounds of the holiday celebrations are sure to immerse you in the spirit of the season as you stroll along the San Antonio River, illuminated by festive decorations. This evening, get to know your fellow travellers at a welcome reception.

### Day 2: San Antonio

Your day begins with a fascinating tour of San Antonio with a local guide. History and culture abound with a visit to two UNESCO World Heritage sites. Visit the Mission San Jose, the second mission established by Fray Antonio Margil de Jesus in 1720. Then it's on to visit one of America's most historic sites, the Alamo, which played a critical role in the Texas Revolution. People worldwide continue to remember the Alamo as a heroic struggle against impossible odds – a place where men made the ultimate sacrifice for freedom. Next, browse for one-of-a-kind goods at El Mercado, the



River Walk



The Alamo ©San Antonio Convention & Visitors Bureau/Richard Reynolds

Mexican Marketplace. This afternoon **the choice is yours:** visit the South Texas Heritage Center, an interactive museum dedicated to sharing the stories of San Antonio's people and the land that has shaped their lives **-OR-** explore the 33-acre grounds of the San Antonio Botanical Gardens featuring expansive rose gardens, a conservatory with tropical vegetation, and the Texas Native Trail showcasing ecosystems from the diverse regions of the state. This evening, enjoy the local flavours of barbecue during dinner at a ranch. (B, D)

**Day 3: San Antonio - Stonewall - Fredericksburg - San Antonio**

Journey to Stonewall and enjoy a visit to the LBJ Ranch, birthplace of the 36th President of the United States, Lyndon B. Johnson. On your tour of the ranch you will view the "Texas White House" and learn about living in the Texas Hill Country. Continue to the heart of the rural Hill Country and

the German settlement of Fredericksburg. The holiday season is a fabulous time to visit with its seasonal festivities and decorations flavoured by German heritage. Enjoy the evening at leisure to explore San Antonio's beautiful River Walk. (B)

**Day 4: San Antonio**

You'll be surrounded by holiday cheer during a riverboat ride on the Paseo del Rio. Relax as the narrated cruise takes you along the San Antonio River Walk. This evening, visit a picturesque olive orchard. Enjoy a tour of the orchard complete with a wine and olive oil tasting and learn about its history before indulging in a spectacular Texas-inspired farewell dinner. (B, D)

**Day 5: San Antonio - Tour Ends**

San Antonio's natural beauty, history, cuisine, people and music create wonderful holiday memories. (B)

**DATES & PRICES**

November - December 2018	Twin	Solo	Triple Room Reduction	(-) \$ 30
November 29	\$2089	\$2559	Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.	
December 8, 12, 13	\$2089	\$2559		

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# SPOTLIGHT ON NEW ORLEANS

6 DAYS · 6 MEALS  
FROM \$2149



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Take in a spirited jazz revue at a French Quarter jazz club.
- Soak in the ambiance of the old South with a drive along St. Charles Avenue.
- Enjoy a single hotel stay in the heart of New Orleans' French Quarter.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Journey through Louisiana's swamp country on a narrated cruise.
- Join a local guide for a walking tour of the famous French Quarter.
- Enjoy a panoramic tour of New Orleans featuring St. Louis Cemetery, opened in 1853.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 3** | Take a walk through history at the National World War II Museum to learn about the American experience in the war **or** celebrate the festive side of New Orleans at Mardi Gras World



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Discover how to cook New Orleans-style at the New Orleans School of Cooking.
- Indulge in a taste of a New Orleans favourite — beignets at Café Du Monde.
- Enjoy dinner at The Court of Two Sisters.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 – 5** Royal Sonesta Hotel, New Orleans

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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# be prepared to dazzle all of your senses

on this getaway to one of America's most culturally and historically rich destinations.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**New Orleans:** Arrive early to acquaint yourself with New Orleans' southern hospitality. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### Day 1: New Orleans, Louisiana

Step into a cultural melting pot in the "Jazz Capital of the World" – New Orleans! This soulful city abounds with rich history, mouth-watering Cajun and Creole cuisine, and an incomparable soundtrack.

#### Day 2: New Orleans

Enjoy a day at leisure to explore New Orleans on your own.

#### Day 3: French Quarter

This morning, enjoy a panoramic tour of the city with a local guide. Begin by seeing St. Louis Cemetery #3 which opened in 1854 and holds some of the most elaborate crypts found in the city's cemeteries. Then, relax during a drive along the shoreline of Lake Pontchartrain. This romantic road eventually leads to St. Charles Avenue, whisking you past gorgeous mansions as well as Tulane and Loyola, two world-famous universities. This afternoon, **it's your choice!** Take a walk through history at the National World War II Museum to learn about the American experience in the war. **-OR-** celebrate the festive side of New Orleans at Mardi Gras World; come to know the history of this tradition and tour a working warehouse where artisans create spectacular floats for



French Quarter



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1 Overnight stay\*  
\*minimum required length of stay

Gulf Of Mexico



New Orleans School of Cooking

the famous parades. Tonight, roll up your sleeves and prepare to discover how to cook New Orleans-style! During a cooking demonstration at the New Orleans School of Cooking, your chef will indulge you in everything that Louisiana cuisine has to offer. Following dinner, discover why New Orleans is known as the "Birthplace of Jazz" as you take in a spirited jazz revue at a local French Quarter jazz club. (B, D)

**Day 4: French Quarter**

Get to know the city's famous French Quarter on a walking tour featuring the majestic St. Louis Cathedral, one of the city's most recognizable landmarks. Continue on to the bustling French Marketplace where you'll explore Pirates Alley and the Pontalba. Next, stop to taste a true New Orleans favourite - beignets at Café Du Monde. This afternoon is yours to explore New Orleans independently or you may choose an optional excursion to Oak Alley Plantation to explore the rich history of the Antebellum South. (B)

**Day 5: New Orleans**

Set out on a drive along New Orleans' historic

Esplanade Avenue. Then, journey through the Louisiana swamp on a cruise narrated by your captain. Learn about the history and ecology of this fascinating ecosystem while keeping an eye out for wildlife, including bald eagles, herons, turtles and alligators! Return to New Orleans and spend the remainder of the day at leisure to discover this great city your way. Tonight, enjoy a taste of traditional New Orleans during dinner at The Court of Two Sisters in the French Quarter. (B, D)

**Day 6: New Orleans - Tour Ends**

Your tour of this captivating city comes to a close today. (B)

**STAY LONGER**

**ADD A DAY**

New Orleans: Continue the fun, food and music of the "Big Easy."

CALL FOR DETAILS

This trip requires a passport. There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

**DATES & PRICES**

January - April 2018 <i>(different itinerary - see note)</i>	Twin	Solo	May 2018 - April 2019	Twin	Solo
January 15	\$1579	\$2259	July 14	\$2149	\$2759
February 5	\$1719	\$2389	September 8, 22	\$2219	\$2829
March 12, 26	\$1819	\$2489	October 6, 13, 20	\$2219	\$2829
★ April 11	\$2489	\$3839	November 3, 10	\$2219	\$2829
★ April 23	\$1819	\$2489	January 26	\$2149	\$2759
★ April 25	\$2759	\$4109	★ February 20	\$2899	\$3979
<i>Itinerary featured is for May 2018 - April 2019 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.</i>					
May 2018 - April 2019 <i>(featured itinerary)</i>	Twin	Solo	February 23	\$2149	\$2759
★ May 1	\$3099	\$4179	March 9, 23, 30	\$2219	\$2829
★ May 12, 19, 26	\$2219	\$2829	April 6	\$2219	\$2829
★ June 9, 16	\$2149	\$2759	★ April 9	\$2759	\$3909
			★ April 23	\$3299	\$4649
			Triple Room Reduction	(-) \$30	
			Rates are land only, per person and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.		

**CELEBRATE TRADITION**

**New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival**

Two-day admission to the New Orleans Jazz & Heritage Festival is included. Experience the music, food and art that captured the flavor and heritage of Louisiana.

**April 25, May 1, 2018 & April 23, 2019**



**New Orleans Carnival**

Experience Carnival, the first weekend when the parades start rolling before Mardi Gras. You'll be there to enjoy reserved seats at two "uptown" parades.

**February 20, 2019**

**French Quarter Festival**

Delight in the sounds of the French Quarter Festival featuring local musicians and festival food booths throughout the French Quarter.

**April 11, 2018 & April 9, 2019**

# SPOTLIGHT ON NEW ORLEANS HOLIDAY

6 DAYS · 7 MEALS  
FROM \$2359



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Enjoy the magic of this festive season in New Orleans.
- See the splendidly-decorated Garden District homes with a drive along St. Charles Avenue.
- Explore the National World War II Museum.
- Enjoy a vintage Christmas musical.
- Wonder at the spectacular light display at City Park – thousands twinkle in the majestic oak trees.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Experience unique 19th-century Creole holiday traditions at the historic Hermann-Grima House.
- Join a local guide for a walking tour of the famous French Quarter.
- Enjoy a panoramic tour of New Orleans featuring St. Louis Cemetery, opened in 1853.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Discover how to cook for the holidays New Orleans-style at the New Orleans School of Cooking.
- Indulge in a taste of a New Orleans favourite – beignets at Café Du Monde.
- Enjoy a special reveillon dinner at The Court of Two Sisters.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

Days 1 – 5 Royal Sonesta Hotel, New Orleans

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.



## NEW TOUR



get to know the “birthplace of jazz”  
all dressed up for the holidays

during your stay in the heart of the French Quarter in New Orleans.

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**New Orleans:** Savour more time to enjoy New Orleans' southern hospitality.

[CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### Day 1: New Orleans, Louisiana

Step into a cultural melting pot in the “Jazz Capital of the World” – New Orleans! This soulful city abounds with rich history, mouth-watering Cajun and Creole cuisine, and an incomparable soundtrack. And in December, the city sparkles with the season's pageantry and rolls out the red (and green) carpet!

#### Day 2: New Orleans

Enjoy a day at leisure to explore New Orleans on your own.

#### Day 3: French Quarter

This morning, we'll visit the Hermann-Grima house for an old-fashioned Christmas. See the home as it appeared in the 19th century and learn about Creole holiday traditions. Afterwards, come to know the famous French Quarter during a walking tour featuring the majestic St. Louis Cathedral, one of the city's most recognizable landmarks. Perhaps you'll hear some carolers in Jackson Square as we make our way past the Pontalba, the oldest apartment building in the French Quarter. These historic structures will be dressed in holiday finery. Next, stop to taste a true New Orleans favourite – beignets at Café Du Monde. Then, explore Pirate's Alley and the bustling French Marketplace where you can find unique Christmas gifts and see a 30-foot tree topped by a Fleur de Lis! Spend the afternoon strolling around the



French Quarter

French Quarter checking out the dazzling hotel lobbies and the antique shops on Royal Street. Tonight, discover how to cook for the holidays New Orleans-style during a demonstration at the New Orleans school of cooking. After dinner, the magic continues at Celebration in the Oaks, a New Orleans tradition, with a train ride that takes you through lit bridges, lagoons and gardens. (B, D)

**Day 4: New Orleans**

This morning, set out on a locally guided panoramic tour. See the St. Louis Cemetery #3 which opened in 1854 and holds some of the most elaborate crypts found in the city's cemeteries. Then, relax during a drive along the shoreline of Lake Pontchartrain. This romantic road eventually leads to St. Charles Avenue, whisking you past gorgeous mansions as well as Tulane and Loyola, two world-famous universities. Then, enjoy lunch and a holiday-themed musical revue by the Victory Belles at the National World War II Museum. Afterwards, take a walk through history to learn about the American wartime experience. (B, L)

**Day 5: New Orleans**

Today we take a drive along New Orleans' historic Esplanade Avenue. Then, journey through the Louisiana swamp on a cruise narrated by your colourful captain. Learn about the history and ecology of this fascinating ecosystem while keeping an eye out for wildlife, including bald eagles, herons, turtles and alligators. Return to New Orleans and spend the remainder of the day at leisure to discover this great city your way. Tonight, celebrate the season like a local and toast your travel companions at a traditional reveillon dinner at The Court of Two Sisters in the French Quarter. (B, D)

**Day 6: New Orleans - Tour Ends**

Your holiday tour of this captivating city comes to a close today. (B)



1 Overnight stay\*  
\* Number indicated length of stay

Gulf Of Mexico



St. Louis Cathedral

**DATES & PRICES**

December 2018  
December 1, 8

Twin \$2359  
Solo \$2959

Triple Room Reduction (-) \$ 30  
Rates are land only, per person an in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.

This trip requires a passport. There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

**STAY LONGER**

**ADD  
A DAY**

**New Orleans:** Let the fun continue a bit longer in this lively city.  
CALL FOR DETAILS

# SPOTLIGHT ON SOUTH DAKOTA

7 DAYS · 9 MEALS  
FROM \$2289



## CULTURAL EXPERIENCES

- Hear the history of the Lakota at the Red Cloud Indian School on the Pine Ridge Indian Reservation.
- Traverse 14 miles of magnificent rock formations on Needles Highway.
- Stroll along the Presidential Trail, filled with 150 years of American history.

## MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- Travel to the legendary Black Hills of South Dakota.
- Visit the epic Mount Rushmore.
- Explore rambling Deadwood, a National Historic Landmark.



## IT'S YOUR CHOICE!

(Be sure to arrange before trip departure)

**DAY 5** Take a guided hike along one of the Badlands' many trails **or** drive the Badlands Loop Road, a marvel of vibrant colours and rock formations.



## CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- Find yourself immersed in the local flavours during a western dinner show.



## ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 1 - 6** Hilton Garden Inn, Rapid City

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

## TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

See page 52 for details.

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## from the gently rolling prairies to the rugged badlands

discover the true west. It's time to get this wagon train rolling!

### START EARLY

#### ADD A DAY

**Rapid City:** Enjoy a little extra fun and time to relax before your western adventure begins. [CALL FOR DETAILS](#)

#### Day 1: Rapid City, South Dakota - Tour Begins

Welcome to the West. Your tour opens in Rapid City, long known as the gateway to the Black Hills. Tonight, you and your fellow travellers gather for a welcome dinner featuring a Native American chronicler who shares stories about the Lakota and Sioux way of life. (D)

#### Day 2: Rapid City - Keystone - Rapid City

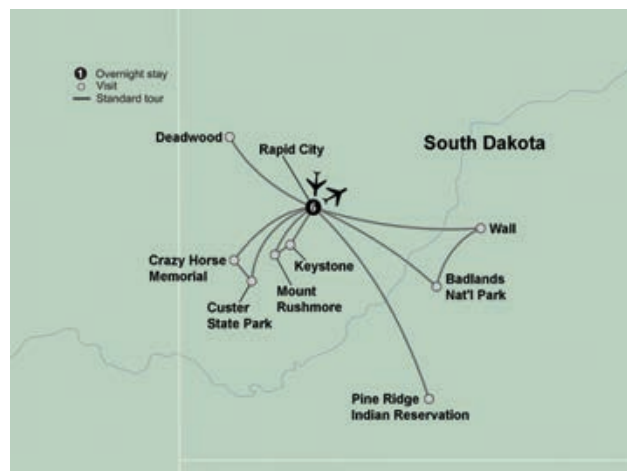
Follow in the footsteps of some enterprising westerners during a visit to the Chapel in the Hills and the log cabin of a gold prospector. Next, we head for mighty Mount Rushmore. Spend some time with the epic figures of Washington, Jefferson, Roosevelt and Lincoln. Stroll along the Presidential Trail which offers the closest

access to the iconic sculpture. Later, we'll visit downtown Rapid City (America's most patriotic city) to enjoy this great little western town. We'll be sure to make a stop at the Prairie Edge, a favourite local shop filled with authentic Lakota items. This evening, return to Mount Rushmore to see the spectacular nighttime lighting ceremony. (B)

#### Day 3: Rapid City - Deadwood - Rapid City

Are you ready for Deadwood? This morning, we explore one of the Old West's most iconic settlements. This National Historic Landmark comes alive - it is as if you've stepped onto the set of an old-fashioned western. Perhaps you'll fulfill your childhood cowboy dreams. Faithful recreations of turn-of-the-century streetlamps light the way as you make your way through accurately restored architecture. A local guide introduces you to the history of the city on a tour that includes a visit to Mount Moriah Cemetery, the final resting place of Wild Bill Hickok. We will also make a stop at Kevin Costner's Tatanka: Story





of the Bison. This interpretive center features large, awe-inspiring sculptures depicting the relationship of bison and the Lakota. Then, enjoy some time to ramble through Deadwood where gold, gambling and gunpowder were once the order of the day. (B, D)

**Day 4: Rapid City - Pine Ridge Indian Reservation - Rapid City**

This morning, an alumnus of the Red Cloud Indian School on Pine Ridge Indian Reservation joins us for a cultural discussion. Learn more about the school's mission, the reservation and the challenges faced by the Lakota people. Afterwards, we continue this special day at the Heritage Center. Later, learn more about Black Hills gold on a tour through Riddle's Black Hills Gold and Diamond Factory. See skilled artisans handcraft South Dakota's official state jewelry and enjoy time to shop for some handcrafted items. (B)

**Day 5: Rapid City - Badlands - Wall - Rapid City**

Today is all about wide-open spaces. Explore the larger-than-life Badlands National Park. After we get orientated at the visitor center, the stage is set for a classic adventure. **It's your choice!** Will you take a guided hike along one

of the Badlands' many trails? **-OR-** will you drive the Badlands Loop Road, a marvel of vibrant colours and rock formations? Afterwards, we all enjoy a stop at timeless Wall Drug, a store that remains much as it was in 1936. Take some time for lunch, sit at the soda fountain and do a little browsing. (B)

**Day 6: Rapid City - Custer - Rapid City**

The Needles Highway is calling your name. Travel through 14 miles of magnificent rock formations, curving tunnels and steep spires. Later, we continue our road trip through Custer State Park where you just might spot a buffalo, a band of bighorn sheep or a herd of majestic elk. Visit Crazy Horse Memorial and learn the story behind the world's largest mountain sculpture still in progress. The memorial includes the Indian Museum of North America, the Native American Cultural Center, the sculptor's studio, and an orientation center and theaters. Many Native American artists and craftspeople work at the memorial and welcome the chance to share how their culture influences their art. This evening, it's our final roundup. Join your fellow travellers at a western dinner show. (B, D)

**Day 7: Rapid City - Tour Ends**

Your tour comes to a close today. (B)

DATES & PRICES				
<b>May 2018 - October 2018</b>	<b>Twin</b>	<b>Solo</b>	<b>Triple Room Reduction</b>	<b>(-) \$30</b>
May 11, 18, 25	\$2289	\$2959	Rates are land only, per person, and in Canadian dollars. Call about additional dates.	
June 1, 8, 15, 22, 29	\$2359	\$3029		
July 6, 13, 20, 27	\$2359	\$3029		
August 17, 24, 31	\$2359	\$3029		
September 5, 7, 14, 21, 26	\$2359	\$3029		
October 3, 5, 12	\$2289	\$2959		

**This trip requires a passport.** There is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most trans-border flights. This is a fee levied by the airlines and may be subject to change.

# A WORLD OF *opportunity*

## EUROPE

### ICELAND & SCANDINAVIA

Iceland's Magical Northern Lights, 7 days  
Iceland: Land of Fire and Ice, 9 days  
Icelandic Adventure, 10 days  
The Northern Lights of Finland, 8 days  
Spectacular Scandinavia, 14 days  
Norwegian Coastal Voyage  
& Scandinavian Capitals, 15 days

### IRELAND & THE UNITED KINGDOM

Shades of Ireland, 10 days  
Shades of Ireland featuring Northern Ireland,  
13 days  
Elegant Ireland, 9 days  
Irish Splendour, 8 days  
Countryside of the Emerald Isle, 10 days  
Exploring Britain & Ireland, 15 days  
British Landscapes, 10 days  
England's Treasures, 12 days  
UK by Rail, 10 days  
Exploring Scotland & Ireland, 13 days  
Discover Scotland, 10 days  
Spotlight on London, 7 days  
Christmas in London, 7 days

### FRANCE

London & Paris, 8 days  
France Magnifique, 13 days  
Spotlight on Paris, 7 days  
French Impressions, 11 days  
Journey Through Southern France, 13 days

### SPAIN & PORTUGAL

Spain's Classics, 11 days  
Spain's Classics & Portugal, 14 days  
Madrid & Barcelona, 8 days  
Spain's Costa del Sol &  
the Portuguese Riviera, 13 days  
Northern Spain & Portugal, 14 days  
Sunny Portugal, 10 days  
Portugal & Its Islands, 13 days  
Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes, 10 days

### ITALY

Italian Vistas, 13 days  
Reflections of Italy, 10 days  
Rome & Amalfi Coast, 10 days  
Tuscany and the Italian Riviera, 8 days  
Southern Italy & Sicily, 12 days  
Splendid Sicilia, 10 days  
Italy's Treasures, 12 days  
Venice, Florence & Rome, 8 days  
Spotlight on Tuscany, 9 days  
Tuscan & Umbrian Countryside, 11 days  
Spotlight on Rome, 7 days  
Shrines of Italy, 11 days

### CENTRAL & EASTERN EUROPE

Imperial Cities, 11 days  
Exploring the Alpine Countries, 13 days  
Discover Switzerland, Austria & Bavaria, 10 days  
Alpine Lakes & Scenic Trains, 10 days  
Germany's Cultural Cities & the Romantic Road,  
12 days  
Magical Rhine & Moselle, 10 days

Springtime Tulip River Cruise, 9 days  
Discover Croatia, Slovenia & the Adriatic Coast,  
12 days  
Magnificent Cities of Central & Eastern Europe,  
14 days  
Classic Christmas Markets, 9 days  
Magical Christmas Markets, 7 days  
Discovering Poland, 12 days  
On the Trail of Martin Luther, 11 days  
Pilgrimage to Poland, 9 days  
Classic Danube, 11 days  
Christmas on the Danube, 9 days

### GREECE & THE EASTERN MEDITERRANEAN

Exploring Greece & its Islands, 15 days  
Greece: In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle,  
11 days  
Iconic Israel, 10 days  
Israel: A Journey of Faith, 9 days  
Israel: Pilgrimage to the Holy Land, 9 days

## USA

### ALASKA

Alaska & The Yukon, 13 days  
Alaska Discovery Land and Cruise, 13 days

### USA – EAST

Islands of New England, 8 days  
Colours of New England, 8 days  
New England Charm, 8 days  
Historic Hotels of New England, 8 days

Heritage of America, 10 days  
Spotlight on New York City, 5 days  
Spotlight on New York City Holiday, 5 days  
Spotlight on Washington D.C., 6 days

#### **USA – MIDWEST & WEST**

Mackinac Island, 8 days  
America's Historic Mid-Atlantic, 8 days  
Spotlight on San Antonio, 5 days  
Spotlight on San Antonio Holiday, 5 days  
Canyon Country, 8 days  
National Parks of America, 12 days  
Northern National Parks, 8 days  
America's Cowboy Country, 8 days  
Winter in Yellowstone, 7 days  
The Colorado Rockies, 9 days  
Spotlight on South Dakota, 7 days  
California Coast, 8 days  
California New Year's Getaway, 5 days  
Southern California New Year's Celebration,  
6 days  
Treasures of Northern California, 9 days  
Pacific Northwest & California, 8 days  
The Pacific Northwest's Coastal Treasures, 9 days  
Hawaiian Adventure, 10 days  
Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta, 6 days

#### **USA – SOUTH**

Southern Charm, 7 days  
Southern Charm Holiday, 6 days  
America's Music Cities, 8 days  
America's Music Cities Holiday, 8 days  
Spotlight on New Orleans, 5 days

## **CANADA**

### **CANADA – WEST**

Canadian Rockies by Train, 9 days  
Canadian Rockies with Rocky Mountaineer®,  
8 days  
Canadian Rockies & Glacier National Park, 8 days  
Canada's Winter Wonderland, 7 days

### **CANADA – EAST**

The Best of Eastern Canada, 8 days  
Charming French Canada, 8 days  
Newfoundland & Labrador Discovery, 12 days  
Maritimes Coastal Wonders, 11 days

## **SOUTH & CENTRAL AMERICA PLUS ANTARCTICA**

Cultures of Peru & Bolivia, 14 days  
Discover Panama, 9 days  
Tropical Costa Rica, 9 days  
Costa Rica: A World of Nature, 12 days  
Peru: Ancient Land of Mysteries, 10 days  
Machu Picchu & the Galapagos Islands, 15 days  
The Complete South America, 23 days  
Highlights of South America, 10 days  
Adventure to Antarctica, 17 days

## **AUSTRALIA & NEW ZEALAND**

From the Outback to the Glaciers, 21 days  
The Complete South Pacific, 27 days  
South Pacific Wonders, 15 days  
South Pacific Wonders with  
New Zealand's North Island, 18 days  
Exploring Australia, 18 days  
Exploring New Zealand, 21 days

## **ASIA**

Cultural Treasures of Japan, 14 days  
Wonders of China & the Yangtze River, 19 days  
Mysteries of India, 15 days  
Kingdoms of Southeast Asia, 20 days  
India's Treasures, 10 days  
Exploring Sri Lanka, 13 days  
Taste of Vietnam, 15 days  
Discovering Myanmar, 13 days  
Dubai, Oman & Abu Dhabi, 12 days

## **AFRICA**

The Plains of Africa, 14 days  
Treasures of Egypt, 13 days  
Spectacular South Africa, 13 days  
Spectacular South Africa featuring Swaziland,  
15 days  
Exploring South Africa, Victoria Falls & Botswana,  
14 days  
Colours of Morocco, 11 days

# **COMPLETE LIST OF TOURS FOR 2018-2019**

# Frequently Asked Questions

## Accommodations

### What is the difference between a twin room and a double room?

In certain countries, hotel rooms tend to be smaller than Canadian standard accommodations. A double room is designed to accommodate two people, but may not have two separate beds. A twin bedded room has two separate beds of any size, and is the type most commonly utilized.

**What size is a triple room?** A triple room is the same size as a twin bedded room and beds will accommodate three people, but we cannot guarantee that there will be three separate beds. If there are only two beds, a rollaway may be requested but cannot be guaranteed due to size of room and fire codes. Please inquire at time of reservation.

**Can my children travel on tour?** Children over the age of 5 may travel on a Collette tour accompanied by an adult. Child land rates are valid for ages 5-12, sharing a room with two full-paying adults.

**Are single and triple rooms always available?** On many tours, triple and single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Be advised that single rooms are often smaller.

**When can I check into my hotel?** Due to early arrival times into some cities, rooms may not always be available for immediate check-in.

## Air

**Can Collette book our airline reservations?** Collette is happy to assist you in accommodating your flight needs. Due to tour scheduling and limited availability, you are strongly encouraged to take advantage of Collette's air packages. We are not responsible for air arrangements you have made on your own. On occasion, it is necessary to change tour dates. In this case, we can only protect air reservations booked through Collette. For all air reservations, it is strongly recommended to reconfirm flights before departure, in the event that the airline has an unexpected schedule change. We cannot assume responsibility for schedule changes, routings or flight cancellations involving the airlines. Not all airlines offer pre-assigned seats. Some charge a fee for seats which will be at the guests' expense. Where pre-assigned seats are not offered, the guests must contact the airline directly to arrange seat assignments.

## Attractions & Sightseeing

**Are attractions always available?** Access to some attractions or Collette Foundation sites may be affected by the observance of holidays, weather conditions or other circumstances. As a result, the days and order of sightseeing may change to best utilize your time on tour. Boat rides are weather permitting. Some attractions may not be available during the "off-season" months. When attractions are unavailable, other similar attractions will be substituted. Wildlife sightings are not guaranteed.

**Is there a lot of walking on tour?** We pride ourselves on bringing travellers the very best experiences a destination offers. Our itineraries include many activities and may consist of walking on uneven terrain or significant walking at times. Some of the most unique sightseeing can mean accessing locations that restrict motorcoaches, especially in historic areas. Some hotels/lodges in remote locations may not have elevators. For your comfort, we recommend bringing walking shoes. Review each tour's "Tour Activity Level" and "Tour Pacing" for details.

**Can you tell me more about the safaris?** In order to most fully experience the wildlife, you will be travelling by custom-built safari vehicle which requires climbing in and out frequently and sometimes travels on bumpy roads. To experience Africa fully, we recommend that all travellers be in reasonably good health and prepare properly.

**How can I plan for shore landings?** Special clothing is required for the shore landings (Antarctica, Galapagos); please refer to your predeparture documents for important details.

**Are all theatre performances suitable for children?** Some theatre performances may be unsuitable for children – consult your tour manager.

## Documentation

**Do I need a passport?** Government-issued identification is required for all air travel. A valid passport is required for all trips outside Canada. All passengers should check with the appropriate foreign consulate for entry and validity requirements. We recommend that your passport has seven months validity, and at least 3 blank pages. Passports and visas are the responsibility of each client.

In South Africa, children are required to have a passport as well as additional documentation to travel with you into and out of the country. Please consult the South African Embassy for the current specific requirements related to your travel dates.

If travelling internationally with a child under the age of 18, please check directly with the airline for the legal documentation that is required. It is the sole responsibility of the guest to procure the proper documentation to travel and many requirements vary by airline and destination. Collette will not be responsible for costs incurred for missed flights or canceled tours where a guest fails to secure proper documentation.

## Extending Your Stay

**Can I extend my tour to see more of a region?** Yes! You may enhance your tour by purchasing either an extension or pre/post hotel stays, offered on select tours. Extensions may be "hosted" rather than escorted. When hosted, passengers will be greeted upon arrival by a local tour manager who will provide all included services and be available on-call during the duration of the extension. A minimum number of passengers may be required to operate some extensions. Extensions not purchased at time of deposit are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

Collette also offers pre and post hotel nights before and/or after a tour for you to explore the destination independently. Should you purchase additional nights, please be advised that your Tour Manager will not be available during this time.

## Extras

**What is not included in the tour price?** The land price does not include air travel, airline fees, airport or departure taxes, transfers, visas, customary end-of-trip gratuities for your tour manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, cruise ship waitstaff, and any incidental charges.

## Late Bookings

**Do you accept late bookings?** Tour sales normally close 7 days prior to departure. All late bookings are on request and must be guaranteed with a credit card if within 60 days of departure date.

## On-Tour Experience

**Where do I meet my Tour Manager?** Your tour will begin at your first hotel. The Tour Manager will make contact with you at the hotel and will provide details relating to your tour. The hotel's address and phone number will be included in your documents.

**Can I prepurchase optional excursions/activities?** Yes, the majority of optional excursions and activities are available for advance purchase for applicable tours provided that you make your options purchase prior to 15 days of the tour departure. Collette makes it convenient to reserve presold options by visiting our website for a full listing of activities and excursions or when your reservation is made with our reservations staff. In addition, there are benefits to pre-purchasing options including a price guarantee once your tour is paid in full. So, while the cost of an optional activity may change from the time you book your tour, once payment is received in full, your preselected options are guaranteed by Collette at their original price. Although you can still purchase options while on tour, reserving them ahead of time ensures you a spot in the event that the activity sells out. Collette will provide a refund if you cancel a presold option prior to tour departure. Any presold options cancelled while on tour are nonrefundable.

## Revisions/Changes

**Would my tour date ever be changed?** While it is unlikely, Collette does reserve the right to cancel a tour prior to departure. Should this happen, Collette will make every effort to put you on another departure date. If an alternate cannot be found, a full refund will be made. Air booked through Collette will be protected. We cannot be held responsible for penalties incurred if you have secured your own air.

**Can I make changes to my reservation?** Should you decide to change your reservation after initial booking, a handling fee of \$25 per transaction will be charged. A change of tour date, tour itinerary or passenger name, within the guidelines of the cancellation policy, will be treated as a cancellation and regular cancellation fees may apply. Revisions to air tickets are subject to the rules and regulations of the airline. See our Cancellation Policy for more details.

## Tour Pacing

### How can I be best prepared for the pacing and physical requirements on a Collette tour?

Tour pacing varies by itinerary, and each destination's sightseeing and activities are unique. Pacing is subject to personal interpretation. At Collette, we do include the best a destination has to offer, enhancing your overall tour experience. For overnight pacing of a tour, please refer to the "Accommodations" section on each tour page and on the tour map. These describe the number of nights you will stay in each hotel during your tour. The day-by-day descriptions will provide additional detail about the number of activities included in each day.

The Tour Activity Level Ranking is featured on each tour itinerary in a circle. The definition of each activity level is listed here. If you have additional questions regarding a specific tour, please inquire at time of reservation. For your comfort, we recommend packing comfortable walking shoes so you can fully enjoy every aspect of your tour.

**Level 1:** At a very leisurely pace, this tour involves minimal physical activity, such as climbing some stairs, boarding a motorcoach, and walking from the hotel reception area to hotel rooms and dining areas.

**Level 2:** This tour requires average physical activity. You should be in good health, able to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, possibly over uneven ground and cobblestoned streets.

**Level 3:** This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs, or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

**Level 4:** To truly experience the program and destination, you need to be able to participate in physical activities such as longer walking tours, walking over uneven terrain, climbing stairs and periods of standing. Some of the touring days may be longer, with select included activities occurring later in the evening.

**Level 5:** This tour is very active, requiring participants to be physically fit to fully enjoy all the experiences. This itinerary has more strenuous activities which may include such things as: extensive walking tours, transfers over uneven and dusty terrain, high altitudes, early morning departures, late night activities, or extreme temperatures. All conditions do not apply to all days, so please read the itinerary carefully and speak to one of our travel counsellors to determine if this tour is right for you. We recommend this program to individuals who are physically fit. Unfortunately, this tour is not appropriate for individuals who use either walkers or wheelchairs. If this trip is not ideally suited for you, our travel counsellors can help determine the perfect trip for you.

## Transfers

**Are airport and hotel transfers available?** Roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers are provided for all passengers who purchase airfare through Collette. These transfers do not apply to pre- and post-night stays. Passengers who do not purchase airfare through Collette can purchase arrival and departure transfers from Collette. Some restrictions may apply. All transfers leave at prescheduled times.

### Are airport transfers available for pre/post hotel stays?

All passengers who purchase pre and post hotel nights through Collette may also purchase transfers to/from the airport and the pre or post hotel. Please inquire at time of booking.

**What is Roundtrip Home to Airport Sedan Service?** It's your ticket to and from the airport. This service is available for all air-inclusive tour bookings. This personalized service is included when you reside within a 100 km radius of the airport.\* Please confirm at time of booking. Not valid on group travel.

\*One transfer per room booking. Additional stops are not permitted on route. Other restrictions apply; call for details.

## The Collette Passport Club

**What is the Collette Passport Club?** Formerly known as Travel Loyalty by Collette (TLC), Collette has relaunched a new, more inclusive loyalty program called the Collette Passport Club. For guests who are already enrolled in TLC no action is required. New guests who complete a trip that departs on or after 9/4/17 will automatically be enrolled in the program. Collette Passport Club members receive a \$150 travel credit for each trip they take\* along with various other benefits.

\*Full credit is valid for your next tour when travel is completed within 12 months of the original trip. \$100 of the credit remains valid for travel within 13-24 months. Credit expires 24 months after the original trip.

# Reservation Information

## Land Rates

Land rates are on a per person, double occupancy unless otherwise noted. Availability of departures at the prices noted in the brochure is limited. Government taxes and fees are additional. For current prices, please see our website at [www.gocollette.com](http://www.gocollette.com). Land rates are guaranteed at the time that the deposit is received by Collette.

The land price includes those land based items delineated as included in the package itinerary and does not include any other items such as air travel, airline fees, airport or departure taxes, transfers, visas, customary end of trip gratuities for your tour manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, cruise ship waitstaff, and any incidental charges.

## Payments

### Land Package Deposit

- A \$250 non-refundable deposit is due with your land only reservation.
- For Antarctica and Cruises only reservations, a non-refundable \$500 deposit is required. An additional \$1,000 is due 180 days prior to departure for Antarctica.

### Air Inclusive Package Deposit

- A \$500 non-refundable deposit is due with your air inclusive reservation. If you purchase our Travel Protection Plan, the air inclusive deposit required is only \$250 plus the cost of the Travel Protection Plan.
- For Antarctica and Cruise air inclusive reservations, a non-refundable \$750 deposit is required. If you purchase our Travel Protection Plan, the air inclusive deposit required is only \$500 plus the cost of the Travel Protection Plan. An additional \$1,000 is due 180 days prior to departure for Antarctica.

### Instant Purchase Air

- If you have selected Instant Purchase Air, the deposit required is the full cost of the airfare plus a \$500 deposit (or \$250 with the Travel Protection Plan), all of which is non-refundable

Should you decide to purchase our Travel Protection Plan, you must do so at the time of booking. Payment of this Plan includes the Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver which protects you from penalties in the event you have to cancel your entire tour package for any reason up to the day prior to departure (see Part A for more details). If you originally purchased nonrefundable airline tickets, Part B of the Travel Protection Plan may provide a refund for the airline tickets, taxes, or fees in the event of a cancellation for a covered reason (see Part B for more details).

### Final Payment

Unless otherwise noted, the balance is due 60 days before departure on all tours, except cruises. The balance is due 120 days before departure for cruises and Antarctica.

All payments may be made by charging to your MasterCard, Visa, or American Express (card imprint and signature required) or by sending a cheque or money order made payable to "Collette." Payment may also be made online at <https://reservations.gocollette.com/payment.aspx?co=CAD>

### TRAVEL PROFESSIONALS PLEASE CONTACT:

Collette: 1-800-468-5955  
[reservations@gocollette.com](mailto:reservations@gocollette.com)

### PLEASE SEND PAYMENTS TO:

Collette, 40 Queen Street South, Mississauga, ON L5M 1K3  
Attn: Accounts Receivable

## Revision Fees

Upon receipt of your itinerary, you must review it and report any discrepancies to Collette immediately in order to avoid any supplier incurred penalties. A handling fee of \$25.00 per transaction will be assessed for any change or revision made to a reservation. A change of departure date within 11 months of the departure date will be treated as a cancellation, and cancellation charges will apply.

## Cancellation Charges

Cancellations of confirmed bookings and transfers to new travel dates will result in penalties and fees assessed by travel suppliers. If you need to transfer or cancel for any reason prior to tour departure, the following cancellation fees will be assessed on your land or cruise product. Air is 100% nonrefundable once paid in full. If canceled prior to being paid in full, the following cancellation fees will also apply to air.

- More than 60 days prior to departure: a nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 60 - 16 days prior to departure: 30% of total price
- 15 - 1 day prior to departure: 50% of total price
- Day of departure and after: 100% of total price

### Exceptions:

#### Ocean Cruises:

- More than 90 days prior to departure, the nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 90 - 61 days prior to departure: 35% of total price
- 60 - 31 days prior to departure: 60% of total price

- 30 - 0 days prior to departure: 100% of total price

#### River Cruises: including Europe, Russia, Egypt and China

- More than 90 days prior to departure, the nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 90 - 61 days prior to departure: 50% of total price
- 60 - 31 days prior to departure: 85% of total price
- 30 - 0 days prior to departure: 100% of total price

#### Galapagos & Antarctica:

- More than 120 days prior to departure: nonrefundable deposits will be retained.
- 120 - 90 days prior to departure: 60% of total price
- 89 - 0 days prior to departure: 100% of total price

\* Instant Purchase air and its associated taxes, fees and surcharges are 100% nonrefundable at time of reservation.

Upon cancellation of transportation or travel services where you, the client, are not at fault and have not cancelled in violation of these terms and conditions, you will be refunded 100%.

## Airfare

For your convenience, we offer airfare for purchase with all tour packages. If you purchase an air-inclusive program, your airfare will be quoted exclusive of all fuel, taxes and fees. Your rates are subject to change until paid in full. Seats are limited and may not be available on every flight or departure date.

Instant Purchase nonrefundable airfare includes roundtrip airport/hotel transfers (excluding pre- or post-days and extensions). If you have selected Instant Purchase nonrefundable air, you are required to pay the full air cost in addition to the \$250 deposit at time of booking (all of which is nonrefundable). If you purchase the Travel Protection Plan, the Instant Purchase nonrefundable airfare may be covered, if you cancel your trip for a covered reason (see Part B for more details). Tickets will be issued immediately and once issued are nonrefundable; you may only be changed for a fee up to \$300 plus any difference in airfare for travel in the following 12 months; specific fees and policies may vary by airline. These tickets include an administration fee and roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers, of which both hold no airline reissue value. Once issued, there can be no fluctuation in price due to an increase in government taxes or in airline fuel surcharges. Therefore, any such fees or airport-to-hotel transfers are not refundable under any circumstances.

### Aircraft Cabin Disinsection Disclaimer

Some countries may require aircraft cabin insecticide treatment for inbound foreign flights. Information about aircraft disinsection requirements and a list of countries requiring such disinsection are available online at <http://www.dot.gov/office-policy/aviation-policy/aircraft-disinsection-requirements>.

## Currency

Unless specified otherwise, all statements of or references to dollar amounts in these terms and conditions are to lawful money of Canada.

## Proof of Citizenship: Passports & Visas

Documentation is required by foreign governments for all trips outside Canada. Clients/passengers should check with the appropriate foreign consulate/embassy for entry requirements, including whether you need to obtain a visa before entering your destination country and, if you do need to get a visa, its cost and timing. Please remember that the possession of valid passports and necessary visas are the responsibility of each client/passenger. If you would like assistance in ensuring you have the proper visa(s) for your trip outside of Canada, we would be happy to refer you to a company that can assist you.

## Travel Conditions

There may be different living standards and practices and different standards and conditions with respect to the provision of services and accommodations outside of Canada.

## Door to Door Transfer Service

Return door to door transfers are offered up to 100 kilometers from most major Canadian gateways with the purchase of an air-inclusive tour.

## Travellers Needing Special Assistance

You must report any disability requiring special attention to Collette at the time your booking is made.\* Collette will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance. Neither Collette nor its personnel, nor its suppliers, may physically lift or assist clients into transportation vehicles. If a traveller thinks he or she might need assistance during a trip, he or she should call Collette to determine what assistance might reasonably be given. Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining or other routine activities.

\*To request a wheelchair accessible room on a cruise, the traveller or person sharing the room must have a recognized disability that alters a major life function and requires the use of a mobility device and the use of the accessible features provided in the wheelchair accessible stateroom.

### **Holiday and Museum Closures**

Museum visits and personal shopping time may be disrupted due to unforeseen circumstances or many religious, state and local holidays observed throughout the world.

### **Motorcoach Washrooms**

Most motorcoaches used on our tours are equipped with washrooms except safari vehicles, exotic locations, and some of our Explorations tours. These are typically for emergency use, as we make plenty of comfort stops, allowing you the opportunity to use public restrooms and/or stretch your legs.

### **Seat Rotation**

Seats are rotated onboard the coach for all Collette tours under the direction of the tour manager. So that we do not show partiality among passengers, exceptions cannot be made.

### **Maps and Photos**

Maps shown on tour pages are current at the time of printing and may not reflect actual tour routing should the tour change. Photos shown on tour pages are reflective of the area(s) visited, but may not be included in the actual tour itinerary and the conditions you experience may be different than depicted in the photograph(s).

### **Baggage Disclaimer**

Although every effort is made to handle passengers' luggage as carefully as possible, Collette is not responsible for and does not assume liability or accept claims for loss of or damage to luggage due to breakage, theft or wear and tear through airline/airport, hotel and group carrier handling. It is recommended for your own self-interest and protection that you have adequate insurance to cover these eventualities. Check with your sales agent for low-cost insurance to cover these risks. Collette is not responsible for submitting your insurance claim.

There are limitations by coach and air carrier as to the number and size of bags which can be carried onboard and in bulk storage. Be sure to ask your travel professional about such restrictions before departing for your tour.

**Checked Baggage Charges:** Some airlines impose additional charges if you choose to check baggage. Please contact your airline or refer to its website for detailed information regarding your airline's checked baggage policies. Please be advised there is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most transborder flights between U.S. & Canada. This is a fee levied by the airlines, not Collette, and may be subject to change.

### **Explanation of Responsibilities and Tour Conditions for Collette**

Each client is responsible for proper documentation and inoculations that may be required and/or recommended to participate on tour. Please contact your local travel clinic or personal physician for specific details on the destinations you are traveling to and from. If you decide to make a reservation, you acknowledge and agree that you are physically well enough to travel and understand that medical facilities may not be similar to what you are accustomed to at home. You must bring enough medication with you for the trip. Any person reserving or purchasing any Collette product published in this brochure accepts the condition that Collette reserves to itself the exclusive right to change or cancel itineraries, hotels, and other tour components whenever it is deemed necessary, including for tours designated as "guaranteed departures.". If this occurs, every effort will be made to offer alternate dates and/or programs. Published times on itineraries are as accurate as possible but subject to change due to traffic, weather, mechanical and any other conditions beyond Collette's control that prevent Collette from operating as scheduled. Collette expressly disclaims any liability for any damages that may be incurred for any changes, cancellations or delays on any itinerary on any Collette tour.

All rates on foreign tours are subject to fluctuations of currency and may be changed when necessary without advance notice prior to deposit.

All rates published are per person as indicated and are based on double occupancy when only one rate is shown. Reservations will be accepted subject to availability at the time of request and will be considered confirmed only upon receipt of a minimum deposit. Child land rates are available and are valid for ages 5-12, sharing a room with two full-paying adults.

Collette does not accept liability in the case of any passenger being denied boarding by any airline carrier due to the carrier's overbooking of a flight. All cancellation charges, fees and refunds for any tour within this brochure are in effect as of the effective date as indicated below and supersede any other previously printed policies relating to these same charges.

### **GENERAL DISCLAIMER**

Collette monitors security situations around the world as well as government travel advisories. Conditions may require Collette to change or even cancel trips. You accept the risks involved in travel, both foreign and domestic, and accept responsibility for your own travel decisions. Guests may be required to review and sign a participation agreement prior to engaging in certain activities on the trip.

Neither Collette Travel Service, Inc., its affiliated entities and its and their employees, shareholders, officers, directors, successors, agents, and assigns (collectively "Collette"), own or operate any person or entity which is to or does provide goods or services for these trips. You agree to be bound by the conditions of carriage for all transportation providers. Collette does not maintain control or operate the personnel, equipment, or operations of these suppliers it uses and as such Collette assumes no responsibility for and cannot be held liable for any personal injury, death, property damage or other loss, accident, delay, inconvenience, or irregularity which may be occasioned by reason of (1) any wrongful, negligent, willful or unauthorized acts or omissions on the part of any of the suppliers or other employees or agents, (2) any defect in or failure of any vehicle, equipment, or instrument owned, operated or otherwise used by any of these suppliers, or (3) any wrongful, willful or negligent act or omission on the part of any other party.

Client shall indemnify and hold harmless Collette Travel Service, Inc., its affiliated entities and its and their employees, agents, shareholders, officers, successors and assigns (collectively "Collette"), from all suits, actions, losses, damages, claims or liability for any personal injury, death, property damage or other loss, accident, delay, inconvenience or irregularity which is occasioned by any negligent acts or omissions of Collette arising out of any goods or services provided for this or these trips.

Additionally, responsibility is not accepted for losses or expenses due to sickness, lack of appropriate medical facilities or practitioners, weather, strikes, theft or other criminal acts, war, terrorism, computer problems, or other such causes. Other risks may arise such as, but not limited to, hazards of traveling in foreign countries including undeveloped areas, the hazards of travel by aircraft, bus, van, train, automobile or other motorized vehicle, differing safety standards, sickness, criminal acts committed by others, allergic reactions, and/or animal encounters. You are voluntarily participating in the tour and Collette, and as lawful consideration for the agreement to travel with Collette, you agree not to make a claim against Collette, its related companies, officers and employees for injuries, death, or any other claim and agree to release Collette, its related companies, officers and employees from any such claim. This release is binding on all members of your traveling party, as well as your Estate and heirs and this provision shall be enforceable even after your trip has ended. If you make your own air reservations, Collette is not responsible and shall provide no refund if your flight schedule changes so that you are not able to enjoy the entirety of your tour. All services and accommodations are subject to the laws of the country in which they are provided. Collette reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary whenever, in their sole judgment, conditions warrant, or if Collette deems it necessary for the comfort, convenience, or safety of the tour. Collette reserves the right to withdraw any tour announced. Collette reserves the right to decline to accept any person as a member of the tour, or to require any participant to withdraw from the tour at any time, when such action is determined by the Tour Manager to be in the best interests of the health, safety, and general welfare of the tour group or of the individual participant. If you are traveling with children, you are solely responsible for their behavior and monitoring them throughout the tour. Neither does Collette accept liability for any carrier's cancellation penalty incurred by the purchase of a nonrefundable airline or other ticket to the tour departure city and return or otherwise. Baggage and personal effects are the sole responsibility of the owner at all times.

Collette is not responsible, and will not be bound by, representations made by third party representatives, travel agents, unaffiliated websites, or any other party.

Participants may be photographed for the promotional purposes of Collette. In addition, any comments that you submit as a review or your social media posts may be used for Collette's promotional purposes.

Payment of the deposit to Collette constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions. Collette reserves the right to modify these terms and conditions at any time, without notice.

### **Consumer Protection Plans**

Collette is a member of the following organizations: the National Tour Association, the United States Tour Operators Association, the Alliance of Canadian Travel Associations, the Travel Industry Council of Ontario, and the Association of British Travel Agents. Some of these associations operate a consumer protection plan to cover deposits placed with any tour operator member. Full details are available from these organizations or Collette. Collette is pleased to provide this additional protection to our clients.

## Collette's Travel Protection Plan

(for Canadian citizens or residents only\*)

Following is an outline of the Non-Insurance Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver, Insurance Benefits and non-insurance assistance services that make up the Travel Protection Plan.

**Part A Waiver Only provided by Collette Tours Canada, Ltd:** The Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver is provided by Collette and is not an insurance benefit underwritten by Northbridge General Insurance Corporation. Payment of a per person Travel Protection Plan fee to Collette at the time of booking guarantees a full refund of all payments (including deposits), except the Travel Protection Plan fee itself, for travel arrangements in case of cancellation of your travel plans for any reason prior to the day of departure. The Travel Protection Plan fee with air only covers airline tickets that you purchase from Collette.

Exception: If you originally purchased nonrefundable airline tickets, this Part A Travel Protection Plan does not provide a refund for any such nonrefundable airline tickets in the event of a cancellation. This air ticket may be covered by Collette's Travel Protection Plan under Part B, if you cancel your trip for covered reasons (see Part B for more details).

The Part A Waiver portion of Collette's Travel Protection Plan protects you from penalties in the event you have a need to cancel your entire inclusive tour package up to the day prior to departure. The Part A Waiver portion of the Travel Protection Plan does not indemnify you from penalties if you choose to cancel partial tour components or air. If you choose to partially cancel your tour, you will be responsible for a revision fee as well as any penalties that are incurred at the time of the cancellation.

**Collette's Part A Waiver portion of the Travel Protection Plan does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's travelling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure.** In this case, the single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (However, the Part B Benefits referenced below include a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons, as detailed in Part B.) Division of this charge between the two passengers involved is solely their responsibility. If insufficient funds are deducted from the cancelling client, the travelling client will be charged the remaining portion of the single supplement.

The Travel Protection Plan fee is nontransferable and valid for each applicant (paying client) only. Collette assumes no responsibility for and cannot and will not be held liable for any wrongful, negligent or unauthorized acts or omissions of any travel agent or travel agency other than that of Collette Tours Canada, Ltd. and its own employees, directors and officers.

### Where to Present Part A Claims:

To request a refund under the Part A Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver portion of the Travel Protection Plan, please call Collette and send any unused airline tickets to:

Collette

ATTN: Customer Service Department

40 Queen Street South, Mississauga, ON L5M 1K3

If cancellation occurs prior to departure, contact the Collette Reservations Department. When a client cancels prior to departure, any refunds are processed through the booking agent.

PART A – Provided By Collette  
Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee & Unused Services Waiver up to Trip Cost

**The Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver is provided by Collette and is not an insurance benefit** underwritten by Northbridge General Insurance Corporation.

**Part B Insurance Benefits provided by Northbridge General Insurance Corporation (\*NOT AVAILABLE TO RESIDENTS OF QUEBEC):** On tour, travel protection benefits may provide coverage if you: must interrupt your trip or return home early for a covered reason; incur medical expenses for a covered sickness or injury; need a medical evacuation; suffer a baggage loss or delay; or are delayed on tour for 12 hours or more for a covered reason.

### SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS MAXIMUM BENEFIT AMOUNT

PART B – Benefits Provided by the Insurance Company Listed Below

Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$25,000
Trip Interruption	\$1,000
Missed Connection	\$1,000
Trip Cancellation	Amount Purchased†
Travel Delay (Up to \$150 Per Day)	\$1,500
Single Supplement	\$1,000
Medical Expense/Emergency Assistance, Accident & Sickness	
Medical Expense, Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation	\$1,000,000**
Baggage/Travel Documents	\$2,000
Baggage Delay (Up to \$150 Per Day)	\$750

†This benefit is only applicable to Instant Purchase (Non-Refundable) Air Tickets and any single supplement penalties you are assessed if your Family Member or Travelling Companion has his/her Trip canceled and does not cover any other land, air or water arrangements.

\*\*The Medical Expense/Emergency Assistance benefits of this plan are subject to a maximum benefit limit of \$10,000 for those persons who at the time of a covered injury or sickness do not have valid hospital and medical insurance under a Government Health Insurance Plan of a Province or Territory of Canada.

### PART B Exclusions & Limitations

Benefits are not payable for any loss due to, arising or resulting from: 1. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury while sane or insane; 2. an act of declared or undeclared war; 3. participating in maneuvers or training exercises of an armed service; 4. riding, driving or participating in races, or speed or endurance contests; 5. mountaineering (engaging in the sport of scaling mountains generally requiring the use of picks, ropes, or other special equipment); 6. participating as a member of a team in an organized sporting competition; 7. participating in skydiving, hang gliding, bungee cord jumping, or scuba diving if the depth exceeds 130 feet or if you are not certified to dive and a dive master is not present during the dive; 8. piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft; 9. being intoxicated, as specifically defined in the policy, or under the influence of any controlled substance unless administered on the advice of a Legally Qualified Physician; 10. the commission of or attempt to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation; 11. normal childbirth, normal pregnancy (except complications of pregnancy) or voluntary induced abortion; 12. dental treatment (except as coverage is otherwise specifically provided herein); 13. amounts which exceed the Maximum Benefit Amount for each coverage as shown in the Schedule of Benefits; 14. due to a Pre-Existing Condition, as defined in the Policy. The Pre-Existing Condition Limitation does not apply to the Emergency Medical Evacuation or Return of Remains coverage; 15. a mental or nervous condition, unless hospitalized; 16. any rehabilitation or convalescent care; 17. treatment, services or expenses related to or resulting from travel in a specific country, region or city for which Foreign Affairs and International Trade Canada has issued a formal Travel Warning, before Your departure date, advising Canadians to avoid all travel to that specific country, region or city; or 18. Sickness or Injury resulting from a motor vehicle accident where You are entitled to receive benefits pursuant to any policy or legislative plan of motor vehicle insurance.

### NON-INSURANCE SERVICES

One Call 24-Hour Assistance Services  
Global Xpi Medical Records Services

**Please Note:** Plan cost is based upon the cost of your trip. Benefits are described on a general basis only. The information in this brochure is only an outline of the coverage available, and is subject to the terms, conditions and exclusions of the policy. Please refer to the policy wording for complete details. Plan benefits, limits and provisions may vary by province jurisdiction. You will receive a Description of Coverage and a Description of 24-Hour Emergency Assistance Services which describe the benefits and limitations in detail. To review full plan details online, go to: [www.tripmate.com/wpCN426C](http://www.tripmate.com/wpCN426C).

**The Part B Insurance Benefits are underwritten by:** Northbridge General Insurance Corporation, 105 Adelaide St. W., Toronto, ON M5H 1P9.

Payment for the plan(s) is required at time of purchase and is non-refundable once purchased. Prices and coverage are subject to change. For full plan details online, please visit: [www.tripmate.com/wpCN426C](http://www.tripmate.com/wpCN426C) (except for Cancel for Any Reason Waiver). **This Part B travel insurance is underwritten by:** Northbridge General Insurance Corporation: 105 Adelaide Street West, Toronto, Ontario M5H 1P9. Benefits are administered by: Northbridge Claims Administration, c/o Active Care Management, Tel: 1.888.421.5378.

For specific questions regarding Travel Insurance or to report a claim, call the Claims Administrator: **Northbridge Claims Administration at: 888.421.5378. Representatives are available 24 hours a day, 7 days a week.**

### Collette's Travel Protection Plan Pricing (per person)

The Cost of the Travel Protection Plan includes a Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver Provided By Collette Travel Service, Inc., insurance benefits underwritten by Northbridge General Insurance Corporation, as well as non-insurance assistance services provided by One Call Worldwide Travel Services Network, Inc. and Trip Mate.

#### Land Only Clients:

- \$95 adult/\$95 child for all North American escorted tours under 6 days
- \$230 adult/\$115 child for all North American escorted tours of 6 days or more
- \$310 adult/\$140 child for all international tours (except cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours)
- \$370 adult/\$165 child for all cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours

When purchasing pre- and post-night accommodations, including optional extensions, the number of days will be added to the total number of tour days, and may subsequently alter your Travel Protection Plan fees. Please confirm with your reservation agent at time of booking.

#### Air-Inclusive Clients (Flex Airfare is purchased through Collette)

- \$140 adult/child for all North American tours under 6 days
- \$270 adult/child for all North American tours of 6 days or more
- \$350 adult/child for all international tours (except cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours)
- \$400 adult/child for all cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours

Collette's Travel Protection Plan can only be purchased by individuals who have purchased Collette Flex Airfare or Instant Purchase nonrefundable air through Collette. Instant Purchase air and its associated taxes, fees and surcharges require full payment at time of reservation and are 100% nonrefundable. This air ticket is covered by Collette's Travel Protection Plan under Part B, if you cancel your trip for covered reasons. Tickets may only be changed for a fee up to \$300 plus any difference in airfare for travel in the following 12 months; specific fees and policies may vary by airline.

For reservations, seek out the expert advice of your travel professional.

**SAVE  
\$100\***  
per person

\*Mention source code for savings. Offers can expire earlier due to space or inventory availability. Space is limited and savings are only available on select departures. Space is on a first come, first served basis. Offers are not valid on group or existing bookings or combinable with any other offer. Promotional pricing may remain in effect after the expiration date. Offer amounts vary by tour and departure date. Other restrictions may apply. Call or visit [collette.com/offers](http://collette.com/offers) for more details.



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