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NEXT MEETING
NOVEMBER 2, 2024
10:00 AM
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Upcoming meetings

NOV 2 DECEMBER 14 CHRISTMAS PARTY

GUEST SPEAKERS SCHEDULED:

OCTOBER JOANIE FROM PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY
NOVEMBER LAURIE / COLLETTE VACATIONS

SEATS HELD WITH DEPOSIT OR FULL PAYMENT
MAKE SURE PHONE NUMBER IS ON CHECK
LOOK AT THE END OF EACH TRIP TO SEE WHO TO MAKE
YOUR CHECK TO AND PLEASE MAKE SURE TO SEND YOUR
CHECK TO THE CORRECT ADDRESS

THE IMPORTANCE OF SIGNING UP ON TRIPS
AS SOON AS POSSIBLE: WE CAN'T WAIT
UNTIL THE LAST WEEK TO SEE IF THE TRIP IS
GOING. TICKETS? BUS? NEEDS TO BE PAID

ALL PAYMENTS DUE IN FULL ON DAY TRIPS WHEN
YOU SIGN UP! PLEASE LOOK OVER THE
UPCOMING AND LET US KNOW IF YOU HAVE ANY
QUESTIONS

IMPORTANT PAYMENT
INFORMATION

THIS IS A MUST READ
At this time, please pay attention
to WHOM YOU NEED TO MAKE
THE CHECKS PAYABLE TO. Some
will be changing. ALL trips after
the 1st of the year will go back to a
majority of checks/payments
going to the Gadabouts PLEASE
PAY CLOSE ATTENTION

THANK YOU TO ALL THAT WENT ON THE SANTA BARBARA
SEA GLASS FESTIVAL! IT WAS FANTASTIC

AND SOLVANG! WHAT A PERFECT SOLVANG DANISH DAYS
IT WAS

AND PISMO BEACH AND AVILA VALLEY BARN GETTING
OUT OF OUR RIDICULOUS 90 DEGREE TEMOS...AND
YOU...MADE THIS ONE PERFECT TRIP!

OCTOBER 6 SUNDAY
MORRO BAY WHALE WATCHING
& THE MB WATERFRONT MARKET

Discover the magic of whale watching with their family-owned and operated tours, celebrating 23 years of unforgettable adventures in Morro Bay! Join us for an up-close encounter with these magnificent creatures and create memories that will last a lifetime. **I cannot wait to go again! Also the Waterfront Market is in Morro Bay That's always FUN!**

\$149
cks to A-1 Tours & Travel

OPTIONAL: MORRO BAY ONLY
\$60

OCTOBER 10 Thursday
HAMILTON
AT THE PANTAGES THEATRE
7:30 PM

SOLD OUT

OCTOBER 12 SATURDAY
THE GREAT AMERICAN MELODRAMA

PISMO BEACH
WEREWOLF OF ARROYO GRANDE

HOWL DID THIS HAPPEN? AFTER A MAN RELOCATES INTO ARROYO GRANDE TO START UP HIS NUT BASED FAST FOOD RESTAURANT, HE DISCOVERS THAT THE TOWN IS TERRORIZED BY A TERRIBLE HAIR RAISING WEREWOLF! THE VILLAGE OF ARROYO GRANDE MUST COME TOGETHER TO PUT AN END TO THE CANINE HORROR BEFORE IT'S TOO LATE!

YOU'LL HAVE TIME IN PISMO BEACH followed BY THE GREAT AMERICAN MELODRAMA 2:00 PM MATINEE \$129.00 CKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS CALL FOR AVAILABILITY

OCTOBER 27 SUNDAY

MONTEREY

MONARCH GROVE SANCTUARY

Arriving in October, monarch butterflies cluster together on pine , cypress & eucalyptus trees in the sanctuary. Their migration to Pacific Grove is so unique the PG is name Butterfly Town, U. S. A. Time in Monterey for you to enjoy this beautiful area. **\$83.00 PERSON AWESOME PRICE! 12 & UNDER \$69.00 CHECKS TO A-1 TOURS & TRAVEL**

NOV 6-7 wed/thurs
THE QUEEN MARY
OVERNIGHT

What a wonderful trip! We leave this morning for a fun-filled tour. First stop will be at the Earl Burns Miller Japanese Garden. Next we travel to the Waterfront for lunch on own followed by a 45 minute Harbor Breeze Cruise. Load the bus and we're headed to the beautiful QUEEN MARY for the night. Escort just needs a short amount of time to check in and get your keys. You are on your own for the evening. Next morning, you will each have a \$25 meal voucher for breakfast in the café. This morning you will really enjoy a guided tour "The Glory Days" of the Queen Mary. It's an excellent tour and provides so much information about the ship .It's really very interesting. The tour time TBA...will be around 10:30 am. Next we take a very short drive over to the Gondola Getaway. This is an excellent Italian Gondola ride through the canals of Naples Island. So much fun! "Singing included" You'll also get to see the "Skinny House" on this trip.

PRICE IS \$345 PERSON DBL SINGLE IS \$437 FULL PAYMENT DUE CKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS CALL FOR AVAILABILITY

NOVEMBER 14 Thursday
SAN FRANCISCO MOVIE TOUR

+ Fisherman's Wharf

This is going to be awesome! Our guide, Brian will board our bus in SF and take us on an adventure !

Discover iconic filming locations, local attractions, and unforgettable sights on a San Francisco Movie Tour. See tourist favorites like the Golden Gate Bridge, the sights of

North Beach, Fisherman's Wharf and more, from a unique perspective. While you sit back and relax on the San Francisco bus tour, their guides reveal behind-the-scenes facts about famous movie locations, like the high school from The Princess Diaries and the Tanner family residence from Full House. They even play the movie and TV clips that feature these famous spots so you can see them in action from the comfort of the bus! Whether you're the biggest movie fan in the group, or just want to take a unique San Francisco city tour, their experiences offer excitement for everyone Fisherman's Wharf time follows checks to VISALIA GADABOUTS THE PRICE IS ONLY \$157 PP THIS WILL BE EPIC!

November 25 Monday
MCHENRY MANSION TOUR
& GIFT SHOP

HILMAR CHEESE TOUR & LUNCH
DUARTE NURSERY AND
THE AMAZING POINSETTIAS

Today we head north for a trip that has been a favorite of so many! Our first stop will be at the beautiful McHenry Mansion. Decorated for the Holidays, our docent will take us on a journey through! Christmas Decorations highlight this journey! It's just beautiful! Time in the gift shop follows. Next we head over to the Hilmar Cheese Company. A step on guide will take us through the back lot and explain the cheese making process. Enter...and on the top floor you will be treated to a Lunch Buffet Experience their Famous Cheese Chowder, Choice of Sandwich Honey Ham & Cheddar Cheese or Roast Turkey and Jack Cheese For desert, their Cream Cheese Brownie! Choice of coffee, water or iced tea. Spend a bit of free time to shop after lunch and then we board for the most beautiful stop of the day! Duarte Nursery POINSETTIA HEAVEN! Choose from so many different colors and types of poinsettias along with so much more. NOTE PLEASE: BRING BOXES WITH YOUR NAME TO PUT YOUR POINSETTIAS IN..AND CASH OR CHECK ONLY HERE ! Checks to VISALIA GADABOUTS \$99 pp

DECEMBER 1 SUNDAY

DICKENS CHRISTMAS FAIRE

Discover London at the historic Cow Palace Exhibition Halls! Enter the winding lanes of Victorian London and immerse yourself in a world of music halls, theatres, pubs, dance parties, and charming shops overflowing with hand-made holiday treasures. Enticing aromas of roasted chestnuts and hearty foods fill the air. Discover holiday revelry in this lamp-lit city brimming with hundreds of lively and colorful characters from the imagination of Charles Dickens, the pages of history, and the sometimes saucy world of the Victorian stage. Dinner stop on the way home TOUR PRICE IS ONLY \$150 PERSON. \$50 DEPOSIT DUE AT BOOKING WITH BALANCE DUE 10/1 MAX 40 PEOPLE ON THIS ONE CHECKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS

DEC. 3-4-5

LAUGHLIN CHRISTMAS TRIP
IS HERE

Spend 2 nights at the Riverside Hotel & Casino. On the bus: YES there will be a

**Christmas Raffle YES games and prizes
YES plenty of snacks YES our annual
Christmas Sing-a-long
PLEASE JOIN US! Ring in the holiday
season with us once again!
\$213 pp dbl \$279 single \$15 00 food
credit.**

**IMPORTANT NOTE:
DEC. 4 THE PLATTERS VERY MERRY
CHRISTMAS SHOW AT DON'S CELEBRITY
THEATER**

**DECEMBER 15 SUNDAY
CAMBRIA CHRISTMAS MARKET
CAMBRIA CHRISTMAS LIGHTS
Experience MORE lights &
NEW displays in 2024!**

They're thrilled to announce that the [Cambria
Christmas Market](#) is shining brighter than ever
this year with 3+ million lights! Experience the
enchantment of the holiday season **2 BUSES**

The Cambria Christmas Market is known for featuring local
artisan vendors and all the holiday magic that comes with
Christmas. Two **(NOW THREE MILLION)** million Christmas
lights will be on display. This will be the 13th year for the
Cambria Christmas Market. The Golden Gate Bridge and
rainbow tunnel are included in the displays and a new food
menu featuring traditional German menu items is being
offered during the event. This is by far one of the most
perfect display of Christmas lights you will ever see! Walk at
your own pace. YOU WILL LOVE THIS! A stop in Morro
Bay precedes this event. **Price \$127 A-1 TOURS
& TRAVEL**

**WICKED
DEC 22 CANCELED**

**JANUARY 1, 2025
THE ROSE PARADE
It's the 136th year!**

Note our departure from Visalia is about 2:00 AM
We must arrive in Pasadena and into our parking area by a certain
time. Bleacher seating today! Duration of Parade 2 hrs The
earliest Tournament of Roses welcomed 3,000 spectators to
its first parade filled with beautiful, horse-drawn carriages
covered in flowers. More than a century later, the parade
floats are a marvel of state of the art technology, all tucked
away beneath flowers and other all-natural materials.
During the next few years, the festival expanded to include
marching bands and motorized floats. The games on the

town lot (which was re-named Tournament Park in 1900)
included ostrich races, bronco busting demonstrations and a
race between a camel and an elephant (the elephant won).
Reviewing stands were built along the Parade route, and
Eastern newspapers began to take notice of the event. In
1895, the Tournament of Roses Association was formed to
take charge of the festival, which had grown too large for the
Valley Hunt Club to handle.

The Tournament of Roses has come a long way since its early
days. The Rose Parade's elaborate floats now feature high-
tech computerized animation and exotic natural materials
from around the world. Although a few floats are still built
exclusively by volunteers from their sponsoring communities,
most are built by professional float building companies and
take nearly a year to construct. The year-long effort pays off
on New Year's morning, when millions of viewers around the
world enjoy the Rose Parade. **Price is only \$179 person.**
**Checks to VISALIA GADABOUTS & remember...we
need your deposits in now to secure the tickets.**

Each year, thousands of vibrant orange and black
Western Monarch Butterflies flock to Pismo
Beach, seeking shelter from the freezing
northern winters. Our colony is one of the
largest in the nation, some years hosting an
average of 25,000 butterflies

**#1 OF A-1 TOURS & TRAVEL'S 35TH
ANNIVERSARY TRIPS!**

JANUARY 11 Sat

**MONARCH BUTTERFLY GROVE & PISMO
BEACH**

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Western Monarch Butterflies flock to Pismo
Beach, seeking shelter from the freezing
northern winters. Our colony is one of the
largest in the nation, some years hosting an
average of 25,000 butterflies Time here to walk
around and enjoy! Next on to Pismo Beach with
free time to enjoy this beautiful coast.

**SIGN UP FOR THIS TRIP AND YOU WILL
BE ENTERED IN A DRAWING FOR A
FREE TRIP TO THE COAST THIS
SUMMER!**

**PRICE IS ONLY \$61 PERSON
CHECKS TO A-1 TOURS
35TH ANNIVERSARY TRIP**

NUMBER #2

FEBRUARY 8 SAT

**PIEDRAS BLANCAS ELEPHANT SEALS
MORRO BAY /CAYUCOS
YOU HAVE FREE TIME IN ALL
LOCATIONS!**

SIGN UP FOR THIS TRIP AND YOU WILL
BE ENTERED IN A DRAWING FOR A
FREE TRIP TO THE COAST THIS
SUMMER!

**PRICE IS ONLY \$62.00 PERSON
CHECKS TO A-1 TOURS**

FEBRUARY 18-19-20

Tues - Thurs

AMTRAK SNOW TRAIN

2 NIGHTS SILVER LEGACY

WE'RE READY FOR YOU! Our schedule:

Bus from Visalia to Sacramento ...Board the California Zephyr in Sacramento and experience the scenery on our way to Reno.

Going home: California Zephyr to Sacramento and the bus home.

BALANCE DUE November 1 We will provide Transportation (and driver tip) roundtrip from VISALIA TO AMTRAK IN SAC And roundtrip transportation Amtrak to our Hotel. Baggage Handling is included! You have 2 nights at the beautiful Silver Legacy. ENJOY one beautiful scenic journey through the Sierras and into Reno.

Our annual SNOW TRAIN TRIP DON'T MISS OUT AND AGAIN.... FIRST COME....you know the rest!

8 LOWER LEVEL SEATS AVAILABLE

\$373 PP DOUBLE \$440 SINGLE

CKS TO A-1 TOURS & Travel

MARCH 11

COVELS CLYDESDALES RANCH

SO EXCITED to bring this tour to you!

Today we drive to the ranch in Cambria. Your time here will include over an hour tour meeting several

Clydesdales up close and personal, and a drive through their 2,000 acre ranch with beautiful views.

The meal includes chicken, potatoes, bread, beans, salad and dessert! Enjoy music playing and games are available for anyone that wants to play.

Following we will take the short drive to Morro Bay.

Drop off in the city parking lot for some free time before returning home. **PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO VISALIA GADABOUTS PRICE IS ONLY \$149 PP**

MARCH 29 thursday

POINT SAN LUIS LIGHTHOUSE PLUS SENSORIO ...AND THE ALL ACCESS PASS PLUS MORE!

We will not be making a breakfast stop this morning. We will make a short 20 minute MAX stop so we can get on our way! First stop POINT SAN LUIS LIGHTHOUSE for an awesome tour of this wonderful property. But that's not all! They are going to cook you up a TACO BAR today complete with pork, chicken or beef, all the trimmings plus beans, corn or flour tortillas and my contact said IT'S FANTASTIC! This is such a great stop. Next we head over to Avila Beach for a short stop. About 90 minutes. Back on the bus for the drive to SENSORIO! Today you all receive the ALL ACCESS PASS for admission in to THE LIGHT TOWERS, DIMENSIONS & FIELD OF LIGHT. Haven't seen it? You're missing out. This is a FUN FANTASTIC DAY! Don't miss out. See color flier for more information Price is only \$ 209 CHECKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS

I am giving you about 8 months to come up with the craziest hat you can think of! I am so excited to announce that finally, after years...I am actually planning this even before it's here.

April 6 Sunday

BIG HAT DAYS in Clovis

This 2 day festival takes place in Old Town Clovis, which is transformed into a bustling street faire with over 400 vendors offering everything from handmade crafts to delicious food. Other activities include a carnival, a petting zoo and a beer garden. We will be going on Sunday as soon as I confirm the date! Please make checks payable to VISALIA GADABOUTS COST: \$ 45.00 pp

SAN DIEGO IS HERE

APRIL 13-14-15-16

IT'S TIME YOU MEET THEIR NEWEST RESIDENTS YUN CHUAN 5 YEARS AND XIN BAO 4 YEARS And by the way, the residents are the black and white pandas at the San Diego Zoo. This can be

**YOUR CHOICE on Day 2 3 NIGHTS IN
SAN DIEGO 4 MEALS INCLUDED**

DAY 1 Leaving Visalia this morning and heading south. We have 309 miles to go. We will make a couple of stops on the way down. Upon arrival, we should be able to check in to our hotel. That

evening you will be treated to an awesome dinner buffet with CITY EXPERIENCES on the Admiral Hornblower. 2 ½ hrs taking in some pretty amazing sights. Following we take you back to your room DAY 2 You have a choice today. You can go to the San Diego Zoo. Or you can go to Sea World Or you can have a day of freedom and do whatever you like! Please let us know what you choose at final payment time. DAY 3 This morning we will board the San Diego Seal City Tour for 100 minutes of fun! Experience SD by land and sea on an amphibious journey throughout the city..and in the sea. Next we head over to the U.S.S. Midway Museum. In 2004 this opened to the public as a floating aircraft carrier museum. It is the most visited naval ship museum in the world. Proudly known as America's Living Symbol of Freedom. And finally on Day 3, we drop you at Seaport Village It's huge! There are so many dining options for you. Tons of shopping and things to see! It's quite a "big deal" DAY 4 On this day we will take you to the Air & Space Museum. This is an experience you will never forget! Start with Apollo 9 Command Module, Curtiss A-1 Triad, Catalina and B-1 Robin, Ford Trimotor, Gee Bee, Mercury Spacecraft (mock-up), McDonnell Douglas Phantom II, Bell Cobra Helicopter, Hornet Blue Angel, Gemini Spacecraft (mock-up) plus artifacts, image collections, film & audio archive and so much more. And next we leave San Diego but only as far as Coronado. Cross over the beautiful Coronado Bridge to this breathtaking area. You will have time for lunch and looking around. **STAY 3 NIGHTS AT THE HACIENDA HOTEL IN OLD TOWN...A PERFECT LOCATION!** PRICE IS \$928 PERSON ADD \$81 FOR THE ZOO OR ADD \$90 FOR SEA WORLD SINGLE IS \$1198 Deposit is \$300 pp upon booking 2nd Deposit is \$300 1/1/25 Final Due 2/1/25 Checks to Visalia Gadabouts

APRIL 26 SATURDAY
SANTA MARIA STRAWBERRY FESTIVAL
 Join us today for a fun-filled day, tasty treats and a stop at the beach! The festival is better than ever is 2025. A BERRY exciting day with **culinary delights, live performances, activities, rides & attractions, strawberry delights, local artisan crafts and more!** We

go to Pismo Beach right after! The price is \$93 Srs & age 6-11 5 & under \$65 Adult \$95

MAY 8, 2025
RONALD REAGAN
PRESIDENTIAL LIBRARY

Another **amazing exhibition coming to the Reagan Library!** **DEAD SEA SCROLLS - THE 75TH ANNIVERSARY** Dating back to as early as the Third Century B.C.E., The Dead Sea Scrolls are among the oldest surviving documents known to humankind. Celebrating 75 years since their discovery, Running Subway has the exclusive rights to present the scrolls for a once-in-a-lifetime exhibition. This experience allows guests to step back in time through the history of the Dead Sea Scrolls: manuscripts composed, copied, and hidden in caves 2,000 years ago. The largest of its kind EVER mounted outside of Israel, this exhibit features over 200 ancient artifacts and 24 original scrolls. I can't wait! **TRY THE CHILI IN THE SNACK BAR!** Following, we are going to drive over to beautiful Ventura Harbor Village. Can't decide? Try the Mexican Restaurant! **CHECKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS \$132**

MAY 17 SAN FRANCISCO
FOR THE DAY

#3 35th ANNIVERSARY TRIP
 You've been asking for it! Drop off will be at Fisherman's Wharf. You'll have plenty of time there to enjoy the City by the Bay! Please sign up early! **SIGN UP FOR THIS TRIP AND YOU WILL BE ENTERED IN A DRAWING FOR A FREE TRIP TO THE COAST THIS SUMMER!** Price is \$75 pp Checks to A-1 Tours

May 29 MONDAY
YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK Always a favorite but keep in mind that even with 2 buses, we can sell out. Perhaps one of the most perfect places to visit and explore...or just sit back and take in this absolutely gorgeous place. You will be on your own for a good part of the day however you will be boarding the

amazing VALLEY FLOOR TRAM TOUR for a 2 hr open air ride through this gorgeous area. See Yosemite Falls, Half Dome, El Capitan, Tunnell View, Bridalveil Falls and so much more.

THIS IS PERFECTION! \$154.00
CHECKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS

JUNE 8-9 Sun-Mon

SAFARI WEST

WINCHESTER MYSTERY HOUSE

FILOLI GARDENS

OVERNIGHT SAN JOSE

LAQUINTA

INN & SUITES

On Day 1 We will make our way to the ever-

beautiful Filoli Gardens. Introduce yourself to Filoli, where you can explore 16 acres of formal gardens, step back in time in the historic house museum, and hike through the lush and varied natural communities of the estate. Next visit the awesome and eerie Winchester

Mystery House. Experience the mystery and

wonder of the Winchester Mystery House as you embark on our guided Mansion Tour, exploring 110 of its 160 captivating rooms. Guests will be able to see the infamous rooms of Sarah's stately mansion and see the unique attributes that give the mysterious mansion its name.

Immerse yourself in Africa's essence at Safari West! Join one of our expert guides as you climb aboard a safari vehicle and adventure among herds of giraffes, rhinos, zebras, wildebeest, cape buffalo, and more.

Stroll amongst dozens of birds species in our vast aviary and spot cheetahs, lemurs, and many more surprises as you walk through the heart of our preserve. From the amazing victories in conserving Sahara desert antelope to the ongoing fight to protect

rhinos, the world of wildlife is filled with fascinating and important stories. Their mission is to connect you to the natural world and empower you to help us make sure the beauty of the wild stays around for generations to come. Join us – you're the vital element in this extraordinary journey! Following, you will be treated to a wonderful Barbecue Lunch complete with Chicken, Pulled Pork, Sliders, Salads, Vegetables and lots more! Breakfast is included.
CHECKS TO VISALIA GADABOUTS \$495

THE GRAND CANYON AND SO MUCH MORE Highlights will include:

The Verde Canyon Railroad, The Grand Canyon, / Grand Canyon National Park, Jerome, an old mining town & melting pot, chuckwagon supper at the "Blazin M Ranch & Western Stage Show. Also. Narrated Trolley tour in Sedona, Chapel of the Holy Cross. I am working on this one as well!

JULY 2025

The Great Elephant Migration began in Newport, Rhode Island, before the herd took up residence in New York City, where they will remain through 20 October 2024.

In December, they will venture down to Miami, Florida, before travelling to Browning, Montana for May-June 2025.

The migration will end in Los Angeles, California in July 2025_100 magnificent Indian Elephants are migrating across the USA to share their story with the world. The Great Elephant Migration is a global fundraising adventure to amplify indigenous knowledge and inspire the human race to share space.

A collaboration between indigenous artisans, contemporary artists and cultural institutions, it will raise millions of dollars to power human-wildlifecoexistence projects and protect migratory animals making spectacular journeys across land, rivers and oceans. As the elephants travel the world, they will tell the story of Asia's wild elephants and the indigenous communities living alongside them, where people and elephants coexist in the densest

populations in the world. **More info will be coming soon**

PLUS”
THE NETHERCUTT
WRIGLEY MANSION TOUR
SONY PICTURES STUDIO TOUR
SUGGESTIONS? WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO?

Our longer tours! 2024 - 2025

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DECEMBER 3, 2024

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Highlights: 4 nights in the French Quarter, French Quarter Walking Tour, French Market, Café du Monde, Paddlewheeler Cruise, New Orleans School of Cooking, New Orleans City Tour, Garden District, Oak Alley Plantation, Court of Two Sisters Dinner, Reveillon Dinner, Celebration in the Oaks and Long Vue Gardens & House. RT air from Fresno, 7 meals...and so much more. Color Flier is available. \$100 pp Booking Discount with final payment by check..You pay \$2775 pp DBI or add \$625 for single.



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ON THE BEAUTIFUL**

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JANUARY 23, 2025

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**AMAZING
AMAZING**

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FUN DAY AT SEA DAY 4
ENSENADA DAY 5
LONG BEACH DAY 6

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phone number,
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MARCH 20-28, 2025
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Pick one up! Air from Fresno 14 meals

Book now and save \$200 person NOW \$3499 DBL Single only \$3799

MARCH 26
HOLLAND TULIPS & THE RHINE RIVER
CASTLES CRUISE 10 DAYS

With Premier World Discovery and
The Amadeus Cara

Featuring Amsterdam & 7 nights on the Amadeus Cara Highlights:
AMSTERDAM & KEUKENHOF GARDENS Amsterdam started as a small fishing village in the late 12th century & today is one of the world's most important ports. The city has one of the largest historic centers in Europe with about 7,500 registered historic buildings & 90 islands linked by 400 bridges. Enjoy an Amsterdam City Tour & Canal Cruise featuring views of beautiful homes through the intricate canal system. Outside of Amsterdam, visit the famous Keukenhof Gardens, the Garden of Europe and the world's 2nd largest flower garden with 7 million bulbs planted annually. This showplace for the tulip growers of the Netherlands features numerous sculptures between the flower beds to create harmony between art and nature. Visit the famous village of Zaanse Schans featuring windmills, wooden shoes & historic buildings. STRASBOURG, FRANCE Capital city of the Alsace region in northeastern France, Strasbourg is situated on the Rhine at the German border. Enjoy a Strasbourg City Tour & Canal Boat Cruise. Start with a short coach trip through the city, then walk through the lovely, historic old town and see the famous cathedral. During a boat cruise discover the famous quarter, "Petite France". This former mill and tanner district still maintains its medieval charm. See some of Strasbourg's famous half-timbered houses, and the Council of Europe. SPEYER Arrive in Speyer, one of Germany's oldest cities, known for its cathedral, numerous churches and the 13th-century Altpörtel ("Old Gate"). Explore the city during your Speyer Walking Tour. Cruise to Mannheim & maybe take an optional excursion to historic Heidelberg to visit the red-walled castle with beautiful views of the Neckar Valley. RÜDESHEIM - RHINE RIVER GORGE - KOBLENZ Enjoy a stroll through Rudesheim and explore the Drosselgasse, a narrow alley lined with wine taverns and restaurants on your own or maybe take an optional Rudesheim Wine Tasting Tour. Today your ship cruises through the Rhine River Gorge, a UNESCO Heritage Site and the most stunningly beautiful stretch of the river with hillsides dotted with fairy-tale castles, historic towns and vineyards. Arrive in Koblenz and enjoy a Koblenz Walking Tour of this charming Rhineland town situated at the confluence of the Rhine & Moselle Rivers. COCHEM Cochem is a charming town on the Moselle River, surrounded by vineyards. Enjoy a Cochem Walking Tour featuring the picturesque old town with half-timbered houses, a historic market square, and a baroque town hall. Enjoy a Wine Tasting at a local winery including the region's famous Riesling. Then visit either the Reichsburg or the Eltz Castle, both majestic castles offer stunning views. COLOGNE Cologne is Germany's 4th largest city and located on both sides of the Rhine. Enjoy a Cologne Walking Tour of the Old Town (Altstadt) and see the massive iconic 13th century Gothic cathedral. Explore the dock side taverns, cafes and shops SEE COLOR

FLIER FOR CRUISE AND COMPLETE FLIER.

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12 Meals Spend two nights at The Greenbrier, America's Resort. Visit a Smithsonian museum of your choice in Washington, D.C. Explore the formerly-secret bunker hidden under The Greenbrier. Enjoy day and twilight tours of DC's iconic monuments and memorials. Stroll the grounds of historic Colonial Williamsburg. Enjoy lunch at a colonial tavern. Spend two evenings dining amid The Greenbrier's grandeur. **Highlights** Smithsonian Museums, Twilight Monument Tour Arlington National Cemetery Greenbrier Bunker Tour Monticello Tavern Lunch Choice on Tour: American History or Black History Tour of Richmond Colonial Williamsburg Mount Vernon AIR FROM FRESNO DOUBLE OCCUPANCE PRICE \$4399 PER PERSON SINGLE \$5499 A fu

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Tour Highlights include 11 meals, roundtrip airport transfers once on tour. Spend 2 nights at the Gaylord Opryland Hotel and enjoy a sightseeing tour of Nashville Honky Tonks & Music Row. Visit the Country Music Hall of Fame& Museum. The Smithsonian of Country Music. Reserved seats to the Granddaddy of country shows, the Grand Ole Opry. Tour historic RCA Studio B, the recording home of musicians Elvis Presley & Chet Atkins. In Memphis, visit the Stax Museum of American Soul & Sun Studio, known as "The Birthplace of Rock 'n' Roll/ Spend the day at Elvis Presley's Graceland & tour the mansion, the mediation garden, his custom airplanes & car museum. Visit the Delta Blues Museum & have lunch at Ground Zero Blues Club. Tour the B. B. King Museum & trace the roots of the Blues through the life of the man himself. Take a narrated tour of Vicksburg National Military Park with a license guide. Tour the majestic Oak Valley Plantation. A narrated tour of New Orleans to see the historic French Quarter, Garden District and Bourbon Street. New Orleans Jazz

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With Premier World Discovery

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OCTOBER 5 – 14 , 2025

SUNNY PORTUGAL

with optional 4 – night Madeira Island Post Tour Extension This is a 10 day tour with air from Fresno and 13 meals. HIGHLIGHTS include: Lisbon, Choice on Tour: "Calçadas: Walking Tour or "The Way of the God" Tour, Belem, Cork Factory, Evora, Alentejo, Lagos, Algarve, Portimao, Setubal, Portuguese Riviera, Obidos, Sintra, Choice on Tour: National Palace of Sintra OR Walking Tour, and UNESCO World Heritage Sites. Stay at the Turim Marques Hotel in Lisbon...2 nights, Vila Game in Evora 1 night,,, 2 nights Vila Gale in Algarve and 2 nights in Vila Gale Cascais Hotel in Cascais. You can add the 5 day 4-night extension Madeira Island Post Tour Extension for \$1699 pp double PRICE OF THIS TOUR \$3899 (WHICH INCLUDES \$550 DISCOUNT ON THIS TOUR...DBL) SINGLE IS \$4499 WHICH ALSO INCLUDED \$550 DISCOUNT. See color flier for more information

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Excited to offer this tour to you! Highlights include: 11 meals, airport transfers on tour, included panoramic city tour of Athens. Visit the ancient Parthenon with a local guide. Discover antiquities at the Acropolis Museum. High speed ferries between Athens & the islands of Mykonos & Santorini / Orientation tours on the islands of Mykonos & Santorini.

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includes air

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FREE AIR FROM FRESNO UNTIL MAY 14, 2024

Exceptional Inclusions: 20 meals, airport transfers on tour, Seven night Cruise, First-class service by an English Speaking Crew, Shore excursions, personal listening device, all meals with a variety of international cuisine, complimentary regional wines, beer and soft drinks. You'll have an onboard activity manager, complimentary WIFI onboard and all gratuities included. Complimentary bikes onboard for use ashore. See Unesco World Heritage canal system, reflect on the bygone era of the Dutch Golden Age. You'll visit 7 idyllic Christmas Markets. See Koblenz, Amsterdam, Cologne, Ludwigshafen, Heidelberg, Kehl, Strasbourg, Breisach, Basel and Zurich Other highlights: Upon arrival arrive in the town of Basel, Switzerland. Your captain & crew await to welcome you onboard the luxurious Emerald Cruises Star-Ship. Here we go! Black Forest Regio in Germany, Hofgut Sternen complex at the foothill of Ravenna Gorge..the site where, in 1770, Marie Antoinette stopped with 52 beautifully decorated carriages on the way to her wedding to King Louis XVI See Kehl, stroll along Grand Ile , the Old Quarter "La Petite France", Ludwigshafen, the Church of the Holy Spirit & the oldest University in Germany. Sail through Rhine Gorge, the German Corner monument, Ehren Breitesten Fortress crossing the river via aerial tram. Visit more than 100 glittering, festive, cottage-style stands filled with Lebkuchenherzen & other special treats & handicrafts. JUST SO MUCH MORE THIS IS PERFECTION IN A TRIP!

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