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World Travel Catalog



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Welcome to our 2025 World Travel Program

Once again it is time to see the world!!!

For 2025 I have selected and helped create some amazing trips that will offer so much more to see and do.

By signing up early with a deposit you can make payments on your trip right up until the final payment is due. We hope this will make it easier for everyone to achieve their dream destination.

The Harman Center Trips & Tours program partners with two very trust worthy and reliable travel companies; Friendly Excursions & Premier World Discovery. We are all dedicated in helping you to achieve the trip of a lifetime!

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YOUR 2025 DOMESTIC & INTERNATIONAL TRIP LINE-UP

**JAN. 11-23 – PANAMA CRUISE W/STOPS IN ARUBA, COSTA RICA,
COLUMBIA & THE GRAND CAYMANS**

Feb. 25-MAR. 2 – MARDI GRAS AND THE BEST OF LOUISEANNA

JUNE 8-22 – YOSEMITE & SEQUOIA NATIONAL PARKS

JUNE 11-17 – CANADIAN ROCKIES & GLACIER NATIONAL PARKS

JULY 15-23 – ALPINE SWISS VILLAGES & RAILS

AUG. 29- SEPT. 7 – ALASKA CRUISE & DENALI NATIONAL PARK

LATE SEPT. DATES TBA – NEW ENGLAND FALL FOLAGE TOUR

DEC. 3-7 – SAN ANTONIO HOLIDAY

**PANAMA
CRUISE**

**JAN. 11-23,
2025**

Panama Canal Cruise



January 10 - 23, 2025

14 Days and 13 Nights

Highlights

- Aruba
- Bonaire, Caribbean Netherlands
- Cartagena, Colombia
- Panama Canal Partial Transit New Locks
- Colon, Panama
- Limon, Costa Rica
- Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands

Price Includes

- Round Trip Airfare
- Round Trip Transfers
- 1 Night in Ft Lauderdale
- Drink Package
- Wifi: 1 Device Per Person
- Fitness Classes
- Port Charges & Taxes
- Cabin Gratuities
- 12 Day Cruise
- Meals on Board the Ship



Prices are Per Person, Double Occupancy

Inside Cabin

Forward/Mid Decks: 9, 10, 11, 12 **\$4,700**

Ocean View Cabin

Forward/Mid/Aft Deck: 5 **\$5,000**

Outside Balcony

Forward/Mid/Aft Decks: 11, 12 **\$6,100**

Limited Availability Call to Check Prices, Subject to Change

Day	Date	Cruise Ports (14 Days & 13 Nights)	Arrival	Departure
Fri	1/10	Fly to Ft Lauderdale, Florida (Hotel overnight)		
Sat	1/11	Depart on Cruise		
Sun	1/12	At Sea		
Mon	1/13	At Sea		
Tues	1/14	Aruba	9:00 am	10:00 pm
Wed	1/15	Bonaire, Caribbean Netherlands	8:00 am	6:00 pm
Thurs	1/16	At Sea		
Fri	1/17	Cartagena, Colombia	7:00 am	3:00 pm
Sat	1/18	Panama Canal Partial Transit New Locks Colon, Panama	5:30 am	8:00pm
Sun	1/19	Limon, Costa Rica	7:00 am	6:00 pm
Mon	1/20	At Sea		
Tues	1/21	Grand Cayman, Cayman Islands	8:00 am	5:00 pm
Wed	1/22	At Sea		
Thurs	1/23	Ft. Lauderdale, Florida / Return Home	7:00 am	

*Times and ports subject to change



Emerald Princess



Tour ID: T435



Day 1 Fly to **Fort Lauderdale, Florida.**

Day 2 Today we board our ship, the **Emerald Princess!**

Day 3-13 Visit **Aruba**, a Caribbean island known for its white-sand beaches, vibrant coral reefs, and arid landscapes, offering a perfect blend of relaxation and outdoor adventure for travelers. Next visit **Bonaire**, part of the Caribbean Netherlands, entices visitors with its vibrant coral reefs, crystal-clear waters, and diverse marine life, making it a paradise. Explore **Cartagena, Colombia**, which captivates visitors with its enchanting blend of colonial charm, vibrant street life, and picturesque beaches along the Caribbean Sea. The city is famous for its well-preserved defensive walls and fort, built during the colonial period to protect against pirates. Then go through the new eastern locks of the **Panama Canal**, a marvel of engineering. The locks connect the Atlantic and Pacific Oceans offering a vital shortcut for global maritime trade. Next visit, **Limon, Costa Rica**, boasts pristine beaches, lush rainforests, and vibrant cultural diversity, offering visitors a captivating blend of natural beauty and local charm. Finally, visit **Grand Cayman**, which boasts pristine white-sand beaches, crystal-clear turquoise waters, and vibrant coral reefs, making it a tropical paradise for beach lovers and snorkeling enthusiasts alike.

Day 14 Today we board our flight home. While on the plane we can take some time to reminisce about the amazing places we visited and the experiences this adventure has given us.

GENERAL INFORMATION

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By signing up for the cruise, you are agreeing to all Princess Cruises Lines terms and conditions, found on their website

Deposit of **\$400.00 per person** due upon sign up to hold your cabin.

Final Payment Due on **Oct 1, 2024.**

Cancellation & Refund Policy: No refunds after **Oct 1, 2024.**

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Travel Documentation :

Passport is required

Valid 6 months after Jan 23, 2025



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**COUNTDOWN
TO
MARDI GRAS**

**FEB. 11-23,
2025**



Count Down to Mardi Gras!

New Orleans & Cajun Country

February 25 - March 2, 2025



6 Days & 5 Nights
\$3,499.00 Per person, double occupancy
\$3,999.00 Per person, single occupancy

Sightseeing Highlights

- ♣ New Orleans City Tour
- ♣ Walking Tour of the French Quarter
- ♣ Pre-Mardi Gras Parades with Seating
- ♣ National WWII Museum and Movie
- ♣ Bayou Airboat Ride
- ♣ Baton Rouge Capitols
- ♣ Tabasco's Avery Island
- ♣ Vermilionville
- ♣ Nottoway Plantation

Itinerary

Day 1: Tuesday, 2/25 - We begin the tour by flying into New Orleans; the birthplace of Jazz, where European, Caribbean, African and Hispanic cultures blend together for variety and intrigue. The food, architecture, music, and traditions are so unique and they demand to be experienced and enjoyed. Staying at the Wyndham New Orleans French Quarter (3 nights) will place you near the center of New Orleans nightlife. Enjoy a welcome dinner, where you meet your fellow travelers in one of the country's be culinary locations. (D)

Day 2: Wednesday, 2/26 - Today we take the **New Orleans City Tour**, with a highly acclaimed local guide, who will bring life to the points of interest and reveal city secrets. The city tour will include a walking tour of the French Quarter, Bourbon Street; and your exploration will also include observing various exhibits in the **National WWII Museum**. The evening is yours and you'll have a chance to explore the vibrant night life of New Orleans. (B)



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Tour Price Includes:

- ♣ Roundtrip Airfare
- ♣ Round Trip Airport
- ♣ Deluxe Motorcoach
- ♣ Professional Tour Director
- ♣ Local Experts
- ♣ Luggage Handling
- ♣ Meals: 5 Breakfasts
2 Dinners

Hotel Accommodations

- ♣ 3 Nights in New Orleans Wyndham New Orleans French Quarter
- ♣ 2 Nights in Lafayette, LA Springhill Suites Marriott

Moderately Active: Faster Pace, Substantial distances covered, extensive walking and stair climbing.

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Day 3: Thursday, 2/27 - Start your morning off gliding through the bayou on an **airboat**. Get an up close look at the wild life in the swampland with your local guide. We then return to the hotel, giving you time to explore the tastes and sounds of the city on your own. During your evening, you will have time to enjoy one of the **Pre-Mardi Gras Parades** from reserved grandstand seats. (B)

Day 4: Friday, 2/28 - Heading Northeast, our first stop is **Nottoway Plantation**, the largest existing antebellum plantation home in the south. This home first built in 1859, is known for its beautiful architecture and oak draped lawns overlooking the Mississippi River. Continuing north along the river, we will explore the **old and new capitol buildings** in **Baton Rouge**. We then continue to Lafayette (2 nights). (B)



Day 5: Saturday 3/1 - Lafayette is considered the center of Acadian, the area of Cajun and Creole culture in Louisiana and the United States. Begin the day exploring **Vermilionville**, a living history museum and folk life park that promotes and propagates the cultural resources of the Acadian, Native American, and Creole people – from 1765 to 1890. Then **Avery Island**, the home of Tabasco Sauce and the beautiful **Jungle Gardens**. This is a chance to see how the famous hot sauce is made on their private island. We end the night with a local Mardi Gras celebration. (B, D)

Day 6: Sunday, 4/2 - As we fly home today, take some time to reflect on this amazing Mardi Gras and Cajun Country carnival experiences we had. (B)

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DEPOSIT: **\$200 per person** is required to hold your reservation. Your deposit is fully refundable up to December 23, 2024.

CANCELLATION: No Cancellation will be given after **December 23, 2024**.

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**YOSEMITE &
SEQUOIA
NATIONAL PARKS**

**JUNE 11-23,
2025**

Yosemite & Sequoia National Parks



June 8 – 12, 2025
5 Days & 4 Nights

\$2,799 Per person Double Occupancy
\$3,359 Single Person Occupancy

Sightseeing Highlights:

- Yosemite National Park
 - Yosemite Valley Floor Tour (2 Hours)
- Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks
- Chukchansi Gold Resort Casino
- San Francisco
 - Fisherman's Wharf and Pier 39

Itinerary

Day 1: Begin your adventure by flying to the California Bay Area. Enjoy a visit to the iconic **Fisherman's Wharf** and **Pier 39** in **San Francisco**, where you can see sea lions, shop at waterfront stores, and dine at various restaurants. Spend the evening on the waterfront at the Embassy Suites south of San Francisco.

Day 2: Today we head towards the Sierra Mountains, stopping at the **Hilmar Cheese Factory** in the Central Valley along the way. See some of the historic sierra mountain mining towns founded during the height of the 1850's California Gold Rush. In the evening, stay at the world-class **Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino**, a four-diamond hotel. Enjoy the nightlife with 1,800 slot machines, 46 table games, and a variety of restaurants. B



Tour Price Includes:

- Round Trip Airfare
- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- Hotel Accommodations
- 1 Night Embassy Suites South San Francisco
- 2 Nights in Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino
- 1 Night in Clovis—Courtyard by Marriott Fresno Clovis
- Luggage Handling
- Meals included:
 - 4 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch,

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Day 3: Travel to **Yosemite National Park**, a stunning landscape shaped by glaciers. Designated as the nation's first state park by Abraham Lincoln on June 30, 1864, Yosemite offers incredible sights. Take a two-hour **Valley Tram Tour** led by a park ranger, providing fascinating information about **El Capitan**, **Tunnel View**, **Yosemite Falls**, and more. Spend some leisure time exploring Yosemite Village, visiting its restaurants and shops. B

Day 4: On our final day, visit **Sequoia & Kings Canyon National Parks** to see some of the world's largest trees. Marvel at the groves of giant sequoias, including the **General Grant Tree**, the second largest sequoia in the world. B, L

Day 5: Today, we leave the beautiful Sierra Mountains behind and return home.

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DEPOSIT: \$200 due now to hold your place. Final payment is due on **April 4, 2025**.

CANCELLATION: Deposit is fully refundable up to **April 4, 2025**. No refund will be given after **April 4, 2025**.

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**CANADIAN
ROCKIES &
GLACIER
NATIONAL PARK**

**JUNE 11-17,
2025**



Canadian Rockies & Glacier National Park

2024

7 DAYS

**BOOKING
DISCOUNT!**

Save \$100 Per Person
\$200 Per Couple*

**NO RISK DEPOSIT
NO CHANGE FEES**

*Book Now and your Deposit is Risk Free with
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TOUR RATES:

Booking Discount*: \$ pp double

Regular Rate: \$ pp double

Single Supplement: +\$

*See Reservation Info for Booking Discount details



Canadian Rockies & Glacier National Park

DAY 1: ARRIVE CALGARY

Arrive in Calgary, meet your Tour Director and transfer to your hotel. Tonight enjoy a Welcome Dinner with fellow travelers.

✘ (D) Overnight: **Calgary**

DAY 2: BUFFALO JUMP - GLACIER NATIONAL PARK

Today travel south and visit Head-Smashed-In Buffalo Jump. The interpretive center is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and bears witness to a custom practiced by native people of the North American plains for nearly 6000 years. Later enter Waterton Lakes National Park and see the historic and spectacularly situated Prince of Wales Hotel. Travel across the border into Montana and Glacier National Park. The isolated location of the park leads to fewer visitors during the summer season, making it a haven for some of the world's endangered species such as the gray wolf and grizzly bear. Stay in the park and enjoy dinner this evening.

✘ (B,D) Overnight: **Glacier National Park**

DAY 3: GLACIER NATIONAL PARK - KALISPELL/WHITEFISH

This morning our destination is the heart of Glacier National Park, the Crown of the Continent. The excitement begins as you board a 1930's Red Jammer Touring Car for a ride over the Going-to-the-Sun Highway, acclaimed as one of the most beautiful roadways in the world. The 52-mile journey crosses the Continental Divide through Logan Pass at an elevation of 6,680 feet and includes the Weeping Wall and Birdwoman Falls along with many spectacular mountain vistas. We'll stop at Lake McDonald for lunch on your own. Continue onto the Kalispell/Whitefish area of Montana for an overnight stay.

✘ (B) Overnight: **Kalispell/Whitefish Area**

DAY 4: KOOTENAY NATIONAL PARK - BANFF

Head north through British Columbia along the western slope of the Canadian Rockies, into the heart of Canada's great timberlands and Kootenay National Park. See the bright red walls of Sinclair Canyon and travel through Radium Hot Springs. Arrive in Banff for a three-night

stay in the heart of the Canadian Rockies. Banff is a resort town in the province of Alberta, located within Banff National Park. The peaks of Mt. Rundle and Mt. Cascade dominate its skyline. On Banff Avenue, the main thoroughfare, boutiques and restaurants mix with chateau-style hotels and shops.

✘ (B) Overnight: **Banff**

DAY 5: BANFF - ICEFIELDS PARKWAY

This morning travel north along much of the Icefields Parkway, situated between Lake Louise and Jasper, and considered one of the most scenic highways in the world. See a panorama of snowcapped mountain peaks, hanging glaciers, waterfalls, canyons and often wildlife such as moose, big-horn sheep and bear. Scale Bow Pass with a stop to see turquoise blue Peyto Lake. Then ride in the specially designed Ice Explorer on the 1000 foot-thick Athabasca Glacier, part of the Columbia Icefield. The experience features a guided tour of the glacier and engaging commentary about glaciers, the local ecosystem, and environmental changes. Return to Banff for an evening on your own in the lively yet quaint downtown area on Banff Ave.

✘ (B) Overnight: **Banff**



DAY 6: LAKE LOUISE & BANFF TOUR - BANFF GONDOLA

Today see two of the crown jewels of the Canadian Rockies: **Moraine Lake & Lake Louise**. First stop to view spectacular Moraine Lake and the Valley of the Ten Peaks. Next stop at the Chateau Lake Louise to explore and capture spectacular views and photos of Lake Louise & Victoria Glacier. Later enjoy a **Banff Area Tour** including Mt. Rundle, Bow Falls, Tunnel Mountain and the Hoodoos. Cap off another scenery filled day with a ride to the summit of Sulphur Mountain via the **Banff Gondola**. From the summit see six stunning mountain ranges and the sweeping Bow Valley before you, the views are nothing short of breathtaking. Tonight enjoy a memorable **Farewell Dinner** in the Banff area at a local restaurant with your fellow travelers.

⊗ (B,D) Overnight: **Banff**

DAY 7: BANFF - CALGARY - FLIGHT HOME

Today transfer to Calgary and fly home filled with wonderful memories of the Canadian Rockies & Glacier National Park.

⊗ (B)



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TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

Easy **1** **2** **3** **4** Active

HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Three Nights in Banff
- ▶ Head-Smashed-In Buffalo Jump
- ▶ Waterton Lakes National Park
- ▶ Glacier National Park
- ▶ Kootenay National Park
- ▶ Banff Gondola - Sulphur Mountain
- ▶ 1930's Red Jammer Touring Cars
- ▶ Going-to-the-Sun Highway
- ▶ Banff Area Tour
- ▶ Peyto Lake
- ▶ Lake MacDonald
- ▶ Moraine Lake & Valley of the Ten Peaks
- ▶ Lake Louise & Victoria Glacier
- ▶ Icefields Parkway
- ▶ Athabasca Glacier Ice Explorer
- ▶ Prince of Wales Hotel

INCLUSIONS

- ▶ Roundtrip Airfare
- ▶ 9 Meals: 6-Breakfasts & 3-Dinners
- ▶ Professional Tour Director
- ▶ Motorcoach Transportation
- ▶ Hotel Transfers
- ▶ Admissions per Itinerary
- ▶ Sightseeing per Itinerary
- ▶ Baggage Handling at Hotels

ACCOMMODATIONS

6 Nights Accommodations

- ▶ 1 Night - Residence Inn, Calgary
- ▶ 1 Night - Glacier Park Lodge, Glacier Nat'l Park
- ▶ 1 Night - Red Lion Hotel or Hilton Garden Inn, Kalispell/Whitefish Area
- ▶ 3 Nights - Caribou Lodge or Ptarmigan Inn, Banff

On some dates alternate hotels may be used



TOUR RATES:

Booking Discount*: \$ pp double

Regular Rate: \$ pp double

Single Supplement: +\$

*See Reservation Info for Booking Discount details

**ALPINE SWISS
VILLAGES &
RAILS**

**JULY 15-28,
2025**



Alpine Swiss Villages & Rails

2024

9 DAYS

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Alpine Swiss Villages & Rails

DAY 1: OVERNIGHT FLIGHT

Today board your overnight flight to Europe.

DAY 2: ARRIVE IN ZURICH, SWITZERLAND - BERN - WENGEN

Upon arrival in Zurich, Switzerland meet your Premier World Discovery Tour Director. Travel to **Bern**, the beautiful capital city of Switzerland featuring cobblestone streets under medieval arches making it one of Europe's most picturesque cities & registered as a UNESCO historic site. See the **Rose Garden**, one of the most beautiful parks in Bern offering an unrivaled view over the rooftops of the historic **Old Town**. Also see the impressive Zytglogge (Glockenspiel), a landmark medieval tower built in the early 13th century, it has served the city as guard tower, prison, and clock tower. Later travel up into the massive Swiss Alps and arrive in Lauterbrunnen with its towering cliffs. Say good-bye to the motorcoach for a few days as you begin using your included **Berner Oberland Regional Rail Pass** which gives access to rail, cable car, bus and boat. Travel by Cog Railway up to the enchanting alpine village of **Wengen**, your home for the next 6-nights. Wengen is a picturesque small village in the Jungfrau region and could represent the Swiss Alps on postcard as it features no cars, mountains all around, green meadows and forests surrounding the village. This evening enjoy a **Welcome Dinner**.



(D)

Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 3: LAUTERBRUNNEN VALLEY - TRUMMELBACH FALLS-MURREN

This morning board the Cog Railway for an excursion to the glacier-carved **Lauterbrunnen**

Valley. Board a Postbus to **Trummelbach Falls**, a series of ten glacier-fed waterfalls inside the mountain made accessible by a tunnel-funicular, built in 1913. Go inside the mountain and see how the falls have carved incredible caves. Next, take the cable car up to **Gimmelwald**, a small traffic free village in the Bernese Oberland. Then continue to **Murren** to enjoy some time at leisure in this car-free village noted for hiking paths surrounded by bell-ringing cows, waterfalls and wildflowers. Ride the funicular up to **Allmendhubel** (altitude 6,200 ft.) for the view, or take the **Schilthorn Cable Car** up to the summit **Piz Gloria** (additional cost, altitude 9,700 ft.). The panoramic revolving restaurant at the summit was featured in the 1969 James Bond movie *On Her Majesty's Secret Service*. Later return to **Wengen** where dinner is included this evening with your fellow travelers.



(B,D)

Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 4: WILDERSWIL - LAKE CRUISE - ROTHORN STEAM TRAIN

Today begins with a visit to **Wilderswil** to board the vintage Cog Railway up to **Schnyge Platte** for incredible views of the surrounding mountain peaks (altitude 6,800'). Later, take in the scenery as you cruise across turquoise blue **Lake Brienz**. Then ride the **Brienzer Rothorn Steam Train** to the heights of the **Rothorn** through alpine meadows and the sound of Swiss cow bells to experience more views of the impressive Alps. Later return to **Wengen** and enjoy dinner with your fellow travelers.



(B,D)

Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 5: DAY AT LEISURE - ZERMATT OPTIONAL

Today, enjoy free time in **Wengen** to shop, hike and explore with your travel pass. Maybe join an optional day trip to the famous car-free ski resort village of **Zermatt** situated at the foot of the majestic **Matterhorn**, one of the world's most famous mountain peaks. Enjoy time at leisure to explore **Zermatt** on your own. Perhaps peruse the luxury boutiques and shops or enjoy a meal in a ski lodge. Maybe ride up the **Cogwheel Railway** to the **Gornergrat** (additional cost, weather permitting-9,500 ft.) offering incredible views of the **Matterhorn** and 29 of the highest peaks in Europe. Return to **Wengen** after a long but rewarding day and enjoy the evening at leisure.



(B)

Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 6: JUNGFRAU OPTIONAL - GRINDELWALD

This morning is at leisure to relax or maybe join the half day Optional **Jungfrauoch Mountain Rail Excursion**, referred to as the **Top of Europe**, a place where the highest railway station in Europe is located (11,300 ft.). This afternoon travel via Cog Railway to enjoy the included visit to the resort village of **Grindelwald** to explore, shop and maybe visit a local cafe. Later continue on to "Summit in First" via the **Grindelwald-Männlichen Gondola Cableway**, Europe's longest cable car to an altitude of 7,600 ft. Later return to **Wengen** for an evening at your own pace.



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Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 7: ROSENLAUI - AARE RIVER GORGE - MEIRINGEN

Today travel by Cog Train along the sheer walls of the Swiss Alps back to nearby **Grindelwald**. Then board a famed yellow Postbus and travel through the most remote portions of Switzerland for exploration of the **Rosenloui Glacier Gorge** which features waterfalls, natural whirlpools and fantastic rock formations. Later descend out of



the mountains to the amazing 600 ft. deep Aare River Gorge, carved over thousands of years by the Aare River. Later travel to the village of Meiringen known for being the home of the tasty Meringue and the site of Sherlock Holmes' final case. Enjoy some time on your own to visit the Sherlock Holmes Museum and try a Meringue at a cafe. This afternoon ride the panoramic Express Train along Lake Brienz to Interlaken, then the Cog Train up to your hotel in Wengen. Later enjoy dinner with your fellow travelers.

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Overnight: **Wengen**

DAY 8: WENGEN - LUCERNE - ZURICH

This morning descend on the now familiar Cog Railway and board your motorcoach for the first time in days. Visit one of the most scenic local resident streets in Europe, the Brunngasse in Brienz, which will include a visit to a local Wood Carving Shop. Then travel over Brunig Pass to Lucerne, situated in the geographical heart of Switzerland and poetically described by Alexandre Dumas as "a pearl in the world's most beautiful oyster". Enjoy a Lucerne Walking Tour featuring the famous Lion's Monument, the historic wooden Chapel Bridge and a walk along shores of beautiful Lake Lucerne. Continue to Zurich and check in to your hotel for your final night. This evening join your fellow travelers for a Farewell Dinner.

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Overnight: **Zurich**

DAY 9: ZURICH - HOME

Transfer to the Zurich Airport for your flight home filled with wonderful memories of your Alpine Swiss Villages & Rails Tour.

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PLEASE READ! Activity Level 4 & Altitude Note

Please note, this exciting program is active with daily walking, train rides and other modes of transportation like cable cars, boats, motorcoaches & buses. Program may not be appropriate for wheelchair or other mobility aids. The village of Wengen sits at an altitude of 4,200 ft. Max elevation of included sightseeing is 7,600 ft. Optional excursions are weather permitting and feature high altitudes up to 11,300 ft. (Jungfrauoch). Please check with your doctor if altitude is a potential health concern if considering the optional sightseeing. Order of days is subject to change due to weather.



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HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ 6 Nights - Wengen
- ▶ 1 Night - Zurich
- ▶ Berner Oberland Rail Pass
- ▶ Swiss Rail Excursions & Transportation - Trains, Cogs, Cable Cars, Boats & Buses
- ▶ Bern
- ▶ Interlaken
- ▶ Grindelwald
- ▶ Gimmelwald
- ▶ Murren
- ▶ Lake Brienz Cruise
- ▶ Wood Carving School
- ▶ Meiringen
- ▶ Grindelwald-Männlichen Gondola Cableway
- ▶ Trummelbach Falls
- ▶ Lucerne City Tour
- ▶ Chapel Bridge of Lucerne
- ▶ Aare River Gorge
- ▶ Rosenloui Glacier Gorge

INCLUSIONS

- ▶ Roundtrip Airfare
- ▶ Int'l Air Departure Taxes/Fuel
- ▶ 12 Meals: 7 Breakfasts & 5 Dinners
- ▶ Professional Tour Director
- ▶ Motorcoach Transportation
- ▶ Admissions per Itinerary
- ▶ Comprehensive Sightseeing
- ▶ Baggage Handling at Hotels
- ▶ Hotel Transfers

ACCOMMODATIONS

- ▶ 6 Nights - Arenas Resort Victoria-Lauberhorn, Wengen
- ▶ 1 Night - Dorint Hotel, Zurich

On some dates alternate hotels may be used



TOUR RATES:

Booking Discount*: \$ pp double

Regular Rate: \$ pp double

Single Supplement: +\$

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**ALASKAN
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**AUG. 29- SEP. 7,
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Alaska Cruise and Denali National Park



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7 Day Alaska Cruise

- Ketchikan
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- Icy Straut Point
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- Talkeetna

3 Days Exploring Alaska

- Denali National Park
 - Denali Natural History Tour
- Alaska Train Ride in Private Rail Car

Price Includes

- Transportation to the ship
- Airfare Home
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- 1 Night in Denali Park Village
- 1 Night in Anchorage
- Meals onboard the Ship



Prices are Per Person, Double Occupancy

Inside Cabin

Decks 6-9, 11 (Forward, Mid, Aft)

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Ocean View Cabin (Window)

Decks: 2—3 (Forward, Mid, Aft)

\$5299

Outside Veranda (Balcony)

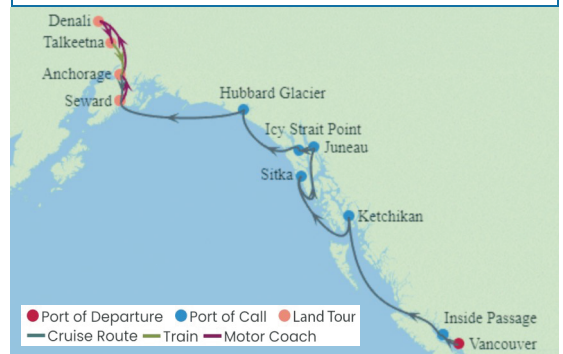
Decks: 7, 9 (Forward, Mid, Aft)

\$6499

Limited Availability Call to Check Prices, Subject to Change

Day	Date	Cruise Ports (14 Days & 13 Nights)	Arrival	Departure
Fri	8/29	Vancouver, British Columbia Depart on Cruise		5:00pm
Sat	8/30	Inside Passage (Cruising)		
Sun	8/31	Ketchikan, Alaska	7:00 am	3:00 pm
Mon	9/1	Sitka, Alaska	7:00 am	3:30 pm
Tues	9/2	Juneau, Alaska	7:00 am	9:30 pm
Wed	9/3	Icy Straut Point, Alaska	7:00 am	5:00 pm
Thurs	9/4	Hubbard Glacier (Cruising)	6:00 am	10:00 am
Fri	9/5	Seward, Alaska Depart Ship Anchorage Overnight at Denali Park Village	6:00 am	
Sat	9/6	Denali National Park Talkeetna Wilderness Express Train Ride Overnight Anchorage		
Sun	9/7	Fly Home		

*Times and ports subject to change



Celebrity Summit



Tour ID: T441



Veranda



Ocean View

Day 1 Today we take a motorcoach to our ship in Vancouver, Canada, where we board the **Celebrity Summit!**

Day 2-7 Sail Alaska's **Inside Passage**, a complex labyrinth of fjords, bays, and lush green islands is home to an abundance of wildlife, including orca, mountain goats, bald eagles, bears, puffins, sea otters, whales and much more. Visit **Ketchikan**, where the rich heritage of Native American culture intertwines with the pristine beauty of the **Tongass National Forest**, including the world's largest collection of totem poles. Arrive in the charming coastal community of **Sitka**, Alaska. Nestled on Baranof Island in the heart of the state's Inside Passage, offers visitors a captivating blend of natural beauty, rich history, and vibrant culture. Explore **Juneau**, Alaska, which sports beautiful vistas, glacier views, a maritime climate, and a thriving local culture that will make you want to visit that state capital and possibly experience a dogsled on a glacier. Walk around Alaska's largest **Native Tlingit Village of Hoonah**, and home to a historic cannery, **Icy Strait Point** also offers travelers the chance to view wildlife like humpback whales, orcas, seals, eagles, and brown bears, or to explore monuments to the region's fishing heritage. Then view the **Hubbard Glacier** is the longest tidewater glacier in the world and is by far one of Alaska's most exciting natural treasures. Enjoy incredible picture-perfect views of this glorious mount of ice from about every angle on your ship.

Day 8 We end our cruise in **Seward**, Alaska, a breathtaking land shaped by glaciers, nestled between mountains and the ocean. We board our motorcoach and visit **Anchorage** before continuing to **Denali Park Village** at the base of **Denali National Park**. (Overnight at Denali Park Village).

Day 9 Begin your day immersed in Alaska's magnificent wilderness on the **Denali Natural History Tour**. Discover the beauty of taiga forests and gaze at miles of rolling tundra while searching for wildlife in their natural habitat. Afterwards, you'll travel by deluxe motor coach to picturesque Talkeetna where you'll board the **Wilderness Express**, a glass-domed railcar, for your journey to **Anchorage**. (Overnight in Anchorage)

Day 10 Today we depart the beauty of Alaska and fly home.

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Travel Documentation :

Passport is required

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TOUR RATES:

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San Antonio Holiday

DAY 1: ARRIVE SAN ANTONIO

Today arrive in San Antonio, the Alamo City, and transfer to your downtown hotel for a four night stay. The city's old-Spanish flavor, multi-cultural heritage, numerous parks and plazas, and the Riverwalk make it one of America's more intriguing cities. The Riverwalk (Paseo Del Rio) is a fabulous loop off the San Antonio River offering tree-lined footpaths, craft shops, galleries, restaurants and nightspots. This evening enjoy a **Welcome Dinner** with your traveling companions.



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Overnight: **San Antonio**

DAY 2: SAN ANTONIO

After breakfast, enjoy a **San Antonio City Tour** featuring many highlights of this great city. Visit the San Jose Mission known as the "Queen of the Missions" and restored to its original design in the 1930s by the WPA (Works Projects Administration). This afternoon go to the IMAX Theatre to see the docudrama "**The Price of Freedom**" which recounts the battle of the Alamo.

Later visit the Shrine of Liberty, the **Alamo** where you will see the chapel, one of the most photographed sites in the nation and wander through this historic landmark. Complete your day with a leisurely **Riverwalk Cruise** and learn more about the history of this San Antonio highlight. This evening enjoy dinner on your own along the Riverwalk.



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Overnight: **San Antonio**

DAY 3: AUSTIN CITY TOUR - CAPITOL - LBJ LIBRARY & MUSEUM

Today is a picturesque day as you coach through the Texas rolling hills to Austin, the capital of Texas. Enjoy an **Austin City Tour** with visits to the **Texas State Capitol** and the **LBJ Library & Museum** on the grounds of the University of Texas along with other famous city sites. This evening enjoy dinner on your own at one of San Antonio's outstanding restaurants.



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Overnight: **San Antonio**

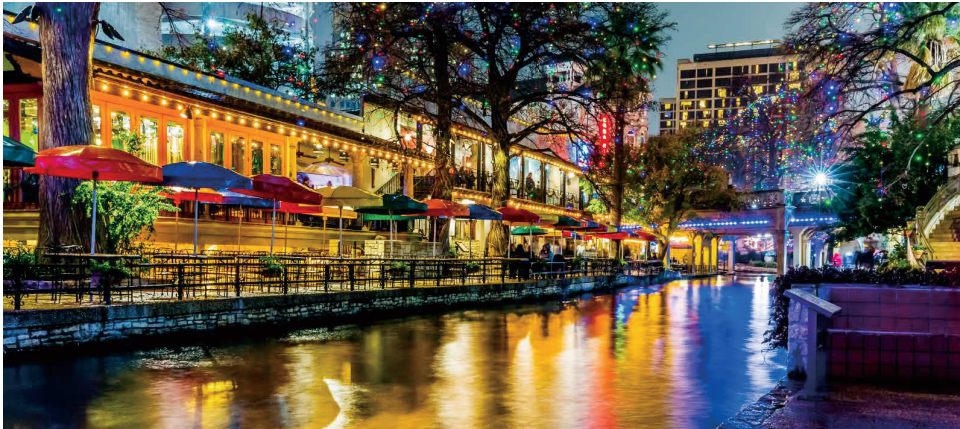
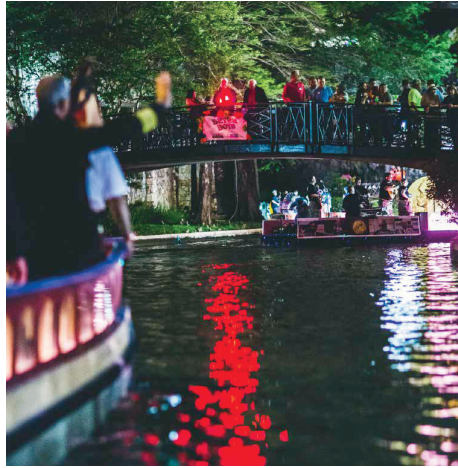
DAY 4: HILL COUNTRY - FREDERICKSBURG - LUMINARIAS

Today travel to the **Hill Country** and take in the scenery. Next visit the German settlement of **Fredericksburg** which retains touches of Old World Heritage. Visit the **National Museum of the Pacific War**, dedicated to men and women who served under Admiral Chester Nimitz in the Pacific during World War II. Enjoy time on your own in this quaint town to wander the shops and grab a bite to eat. Later experience a **Wine Tasting** at a local winery. The Texas Hill Country is home to over 100 wineries & vineyards, and many produce award winning wines. Wine production in the area began with the early European settlers nearly 200 years ago. Return to San Antonio to enjoy a **Farewell Dinner** at a popular local restaurant. After dinner wander the Riverwalk to experience the **Fiesta de las Luminarias**, which features thousands of candles illuminating the Riverwalk.



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Overnight: **San Antonio**



HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ San Antonio City Tour
- ▶ Alamo
- ▶ Riverwalk Cruise
- ▶ IMAX Theatre & San Jose Mission
- ▶ Austin City Tour
- ▶ Texas State Capitol
- ▶ LBJ Library & Museum at UT
- ▶ Hill Country
- ▶ Fredericksburg
- ▶ Nat'l Museum of the Pacific War
- ▶ Wine Tasting in the Hill Country
- ▶ Fiesta de las Luminarias
- ▶ 4 Nights at One Hotel

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- ▶ Baggage Handling at Hotel

ACCOMMODATIONS

- ▶ 4 Nights - Holiday Inn Riverwalk, Drury Inn Riverwalk, Westin Riverwalk or Sheraton Gunther, San Antonio

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DAY 5: FLIGHT HOME

This morning transfer to the airport for your flight home filled with many pleasant memories of your San Antonio Holiday Tour.

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