

America's National Parks



8 days

Featuring...

7 nights

Mt. Rushmore ~ Yellowstone ~ Grand Tetons

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

Salt Lake City, Utah ~ Mormon Square ~ Grand Tetons ~ Black Hills
Snake River Float Trip ~ Yellowstone National Park ~ Mount Rushmore
Crazy Horse Monument ~ Deadwood, SD ~ Badlands National Park

TOUR INCLUDES

- Round-trip scheduled air transportation
- Deluxe motorcoach transportation
- Seven nights lodging
- Ten meals - five breakfasts, one lunch and four dinners
- All sightseeing and entrance fees
- Gratuities for city guides and drivers
- Baggage handling
- Professional Tour Manager

TOUR FARE

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Day 1: Home City ~ Denver ~ Rapid City, South Dakota: Today we begin our journey by flying scheduled air to Denver, Colorado. Upon arrival in Denver, motorcoach north through the Rocky Mountains to Rapid City, South Dakota. Later today we arrive at our hotel for a two-night stay.

Day 2: Badlands National Park ~ Mount Rushmore ~ Black Hills: This morning we visit Badlands National Park, a unique area containing spectacular examples of weathering and erosion. Stop in and stroll through Wall Drug before traveling into the Black Hills area. This afternoon we visit Mount Rushmore National Memorial. Carved on the granite wall over 1,000 feet up are the busts of four great American presidents – Washington, Jefferson, Lincoln and Roosevelt. Later in the day we return to Rapid City for the night.

Day 3: Rapid City ~ Crazy Horse Monument ~ Deadwood, South Dakota ~ Sheridan, Wyoming: Today we leave Rapid City and visit the impressive Crazy Horse Monument. This massive sculpture, recognized as the largest statue in the world, represents North American Indians of all tribes. Continue west to Deadwood, located on the floor of Deadwood Gulch. Loaded with reminders of its lively past as a gold-rush boom town, Deadwood was a haven for gunfighters and gamblers like Wild Bill Hickok, Calamity Jane, Wyatt Earp and Doc Holliday. Enjoy free time to stroll down historic Main Street and visit the gaming halls, restaurants, saloons and quaint shops. Later this afternoon we arrive in Sheridan for the night.

Day 4: Sheridan ~ Buffalo Bill Museum ~ Yellowstone National Park: Leaving Sheridan we travel west across northern Wyoming to Cody, founded by Col. William “Buffalo Bill” F. Cody in 1896. Visit the Buffalo Bill Historical Center which features four museums depicting the art, artifacts, crafts, cultures, traditions and history of the American West. Later today we arrive in Yellowstone National Park for a delightful two-night stay.

Day 5: Yellowstone National Park Sights: Today we explore Yellowstone National Park, the world’s first national park. Established in 1872, Yellowstone features towering mountains, cascading waterfalls, abundant wildlife and the world’s largest thermal basins. Our guided tour of the grand loop will incorporate the major sites and attractions of this wonderful park. Enjoy stops at the Visitors Center, Old Faithful Geyser and the Grand Canyon of the Yellowstone.

Day 6: Grand Tetons National Park ~ Snake River Float Trip ~ Jackson, Wyoming: Today we motor south into magnificent Grand Teton National Park and embark on an exciting 10-mile float trip down the Snake River. Enjoy breathtaking scenery as our experienced guide navigates the comfortable and safe rubber raft down the calm, winding river. Later today we arrive in the Jackson area for the night. Dinner tonight is at the Bar J Chuckwagon, a traditional Western meal followed by an evening of family entertainment.

Day 7: Jackson ~ Salt Lake City Utah: This morning we journey south into the state of Utah to lovely Salt Lake City for our final overnight. Located in a spectacular setting at the foot of the Wasatch Mountains, Salt Lake City is the cultural, ecclesiastical and political capital of Utah. An afternoon tour of Salt Lake will focus on Mormon Square and the State Capitol.

Day 8: Salt Lake City ~ Journey Home: Today we depart Salt Lake City and begin our journey home.