

New Orleans, Baton Rouge & the Bayou

*Presented by
Wendt Touring
April 26-May 3, 2022...8 days*



HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

Natchez Mississippi River Cruise ~ French Quarter ~ Bourbon Street
St. Louis Cathedral ~ Court of Two Sisters Restaurant ~ Jackson Square
Houmas House Plantation & Gardens ~ Riverwalk ~ Bayou Airboat Ride
New Orleans School of Cooking ~ Gulf of Mexico ~ Louisiana State Capitol
Tabasco Factory Tour

TOUR INCLUDES:

- *Motorcoach transportation
- *Seven nights lodging
- *Eight meals –4B & 4D
- *All sightseeing & admissions
- *Baggage handling
- *Gratuities for driver, guides & porters
- *Escorted

TOUR FARE:

\$1799.00 per person double
\$1729.00 per person triple
\$2499.00 per person single

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Day 1: Home City ~ Nashville Tennessee: Travel south aboard a deluxe motorcoach into the Bluegrass State – Kentucky. Most of the world’s bourbon is distilled, aged and bottled in Kentucky. Visit historic Jim Beam distillery located on the Kentucky Bourbon Trail. Later arrive in Nashville, commonly referred to as “Music City” USA. Enjoy the evening at leisure in downtown Nashville.

Day 2: Nashville ~ New Orleans: Today we continue our journey to New Orleans. Later today we arrive in New Orleans for a memorable three-night stay. Enjoy first-class lodging in downtown near the historic French Quarter. New Orleans is a melting pot of peoples and cultures – which is celebrated throughout this magical and eclectic city. Tonight’s special dinner is at the Court of Two Sisters Restaurant (located on Governors Row) featuring a sumptuous display of gourmet dishes. Creativity, ingenuity and freshness abound.

Day 3: New Orleans Sightseeing Tour ~ Historic French Quarter ~ Mississippi River Cruise ~ New Orleans School of Cooking: Highlights of today’s sightseeing tour include St. Louis Cathedral, Jackson Square, The Superdome, Bourbon Street, Canal Street, Napoleon House, The French Quarter, The Riverwalk, and the Historic Garden District. Following our tour enjoy free time for lunch and shopping in the French Quarter. Perhaps the best and easiest way to experience the sounds, scents and beauty of the city is by boat. This afternoon we embark along the Mississippi River aboard the authentic stern-wheel steamboat Natchez! On board enjoy spectacular views and interesting commentary. This evening we gather for dinner at the New Orleans School of Cooking. Overnight in New Orleans.

Day 4: New Orleans at leisure: Today is free to explore New Orleans on your own. Quaint shops, little eateries and strolling Dixieland bands are all nearby. The hotel is centrally located and provides access to the best New Orleans has to offer. Ride the St. Charles Avenue streetcar, stop at Café du Monde for a beignet, visit the award-winning National World War II Museum or enjoy jazz music at Preservation Hall. The possibilities are endless.

Day 5: New Orleans ~ Houmas House Plantation & Gardens ~ Baton Rouge, Louisiana: This morning we depart New Orleans for Baton Rouge. En route stop at Houmas House Plantation & Gardens. Experience the life of a wealthy Sugar Baron in the 1800s and explore 38 acres of lush gardens. Later today we arrive in Baton Rouge for a memorable two-night stay. Founded in 1699 on the eastern bank of the Mississippi River, Baton Rouge is the capital city of Louisiana. Gather this evening for dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 6: Baton Rouge Sights ~ Louisiana Old State Capitol ~ Bayou Airboat Ride ~ Tabasco Factory Tour: This morning we depart on a guided tour through this historic antebellum city. Highlights include the State Capitol Building, Louisiana State University and downtown area. Visit Louisiana’s Old State Capitol, a gothic architectural treasure which is now a museum on the state’s political history. Later this afternoon we embark on a guided airboat ride through the Bayou country of the deep south. Our day concludes with a guided tour of a local tabasco factory. Enjoy the evening at leisure in Baton Rouge.

Day 7: Baton Rouge ~ Central Tennessee: Today we leave Baton Rouge and begin our journey home. Travel north through Louisiana, Mississippi and into Tennessee. Rest and meal stops will be made periodically. Our final overnight will be in central Tennessee.

Day 8: Journey Home: As we journey home, enjoy the attractive countryside of Kentucky and Ohio. Early evening return.

Payment Policy: A \$200.00 per person deposit is due to secure your reservation with the balance due by February 1, 2022. Make checks payable to Wendt Touring.

Refund Policy: Full refund on cancellations made by February 1, 2022. Travel insurance is available for \$125.00 per person double or triple and \$155.00 per person single. All tour monies are protected from cancellations after February 1, 2022 resulting from valid emergency medical situations as outlined in insurance policy. ***Insurance premium is due with initial trip deposit.***