GROUP DEPARTURES 2024, 2025 AND 2026

DECEMBER 7, 2024-ROYAL CLIPPER (round trip Barbados)

Would you like to climb the mast to the crow's nest 75 feet above the deck or visit the open bridge where you can help sail the vessel? If so, this tall ship adventure is your ticket. Casual and relaxes with top notch dining and less than 250 passengers. Have a tropical drink while you relax in the bowsprit netting while listening to a steel drum band on deck. Visit Grenada, St. Vincent, Bequia, Martinique and St. Lucia. Rate per person for an outside cabin, including current taxes, is \$2,475.00. Our special pricing also includes pre-paid gratuities and an on-board credit of \$200.00 per person.

FEBRUARY 26 to MARCH 4, 2025-ICELAND

Our annual Iceland adventure begins with flights on Icelandair round trip from Newark Liberty Airport to Keflavik. We will begin with a stop at the Viking World Museum for a heavy continental breakfast before heading to the Blue Lagoon for a sunrise cocktail. Our package includes four nights at Midgardur Center Hotel with a buffet breakfast daily, full day Golden Circle tour with a tomato soup lunch at Fridheimar Greenhouse, shared Northern Lights tour, optional tours will be available to the glacier and South shore black sand beaches and Sky Lagoon. Price per person double \$2,100.00 included all current air and government taxes. A few singles are available at a surcharge of \$650.00. Insurance is recommended and a valid passport is required.

MARCH 24-30, 2025, SOUTHERN CHARM (with Collette Vacations)

Explore warm southern hospitality in America's southeast. Come to know its rich history and deep traditions on this tour highlighted by stays in Charleston, Savannah and Jekyll Island. Included are round trip transfers from Home Town Travel to Newark airport, six breakfasts and three dinners, professional escort for the duration of the trip, all accommodations and entrance fees. The rate per person, based on double occupancy is \$3,799.00. Cancel for any reason insurance is optional at the rate of \$429.00

MAY 18 to 25, 2025, BERMUDA CRUISE ABOARD THE CELEBRITY SILHOUETTE

Start next summer off right; especially if you missed this year's Bermuda group. Enjoy all that Bermuda has to offer while enjoying your beverage package and wi-fi relaxing on your balcony as you sail from Cape Liberty (Bayonne, NJ) passing the Statue of Liberty enroute to the beautiful pink sand beaches this beautiful island has to offer. Your special group rate includes your balcony accommodation, all current port and government taxes, beverage package and wi-fi for \$1,859.00 per person double.

NOVEMBER 5-16, 2025, OLD WORLD SICILY AND MALTA (with Collette Vacations). This is a small group departure for Home Town Travel with a maximum of 24 passengers on this adventure. These legendary isles are nestled amongst the deep blue water of the Mediterranean. Discover how ancient traditions blend into modern society as you travel along timeless Italian Maltese and Sicilian towns. This eleven-night tour begins with a four-night stay in Malta with a ferry to Sicily where you will stay three nights in Ragusa and three nights in Taormina. This package includes round trip transportation to Newark airport from our office, round trip air from Newark airport with an overnight flight to Malta, 10 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 4 dinners, professional escort throughout the trip and all accommodations and entrance fees. The rate per person based on double occupancy is \$5,399.00. Cancel for any reason insurance is optional and at a rate of \$549.00. Please call for more information.

NOVEMBER 25, 2025-ICONIC CHRISTMAS MARKETS ABOARD AMA REINA (Nuremburg to Budapest)

Travel back through centuries as you walk along cobblestone streets through grand cities and historic towns bedecked with twinkling Christmas trees and lined with wooden huts gleaming with handcrafted treasures. Nuremberg's festive Christkindlemarkt, the largest and oldest Christmas market in Germany, Regensburg's Artisan Christmas Market, one of Bavaria's most beautiful and romantic, Vienna with its impressive Christmas Market and Budapest where most products are handmade. Revel in a feast for the senses: sparkling lights, festive sounds of children dressed as angels singing carols and the enticing smells of hot-mulled wine, roasted chestnuts, sausages, and sweet treats of every kind. Rates start at \$3,699.00 per person double occupancy. Air fare and pre and post stays are optional and will be available in January 2025.

MARCH 13-26,2026—TWELVE NIGHT VIETNAM & THAILAND CRUISE ABOARD THE CELEBRITY SOLSTICE

This bucket list trip starts in Hong Kong and visits Hanoi (Halong Bay), Hue/Danang, Ho Chi Minh (Phu My), Bangkok/Laemchabang and Ko Samui Thailand, and disembarking in Singapore. Pre and post land packages will be available. Cruise includes balcony accommodations (V1), all current port and government taxes, beverage package, gratuities, and Wi-Fi. SAVE OVER \$1,500 PER CABIN. Rate per person based on double \$3,350.00. A deposit of \$900/cabin is required to reserve your cabin. Final payment is not due until December 1, 2025.

REMEMBER-IF YOU FIND SOMETHING THAT INTERESTS YOU, BOOK EARLY SO YOU WILL NOT TO BE DISAPPOINTED.

OUR SPECIAL RATES TEND TO SELL OUT AND PRICES ARE NOT GUARANTEED UNTIL DEPOSITED.



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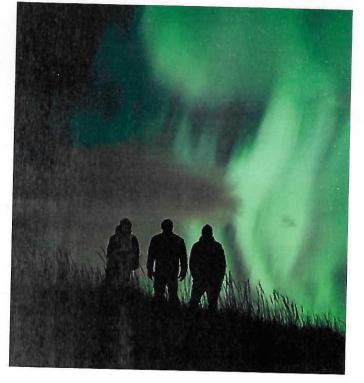


Most Fun States to Visit in America

Overall Rank ÷	State	Total Score ÷	Entertainment & Recreation Rank ÷	Nightlife Rank ¢
1	Florida	65.51	2	3
2	California	65.14	1	5
3	Nevada	59.12	4	1
4	New York	58.01	3	2
5	Colorado	52.89	5	9
6	Illinois	52.65	7	6
7	Texas	52.08	6	11
8	Washington	49.62	8	10
9	Minnesota	46.72	10	8
10	Louisiana	46.32	12	4



Inspired by Iceland



Dreaming of witnessing the Northern Lights? Your chance has arrived! From September to April, Iceland offers the opportunity to experience one of nature's most breathtaking displays—the Aurora Borealis, commonly known as the Northern Lights. On clear winter nights, guided tours take you on an unforgettable adventure to witness this awe-inspiring phenomenon. Don't miss out on the journey of a lifetime—book your Icelandic Northern Lights tour today!

Black Bean Burger

A stash of frozen veggie burgers is a lifesaver on busy weeknights, but did you know how easy they are to make from scratch? Just mix two cans of black beans with seasoning, breadcrumbs, grated onion and an egg, then form into patties and cook. Add your favorite toppings, and voilà — dinner is served.

2 cups black beans, drained and mashed with a fork
1 cup seasoned breadcrumbs
1/4 cup grated onions
1/2 teaspoon chili powder
1 egg
Salt and freshly ground black pepper
Canola oil, for oiling grill pan
1 to 2 kaiser rolls
Arugula, for serving
Sliced tomatoes, for serving



Mix together the beans, breadcrumbs, onions, chili powder, egg and some salt and pepper in a medium bowl. Form the mixture into 1 big (or 2 smaller) patties.

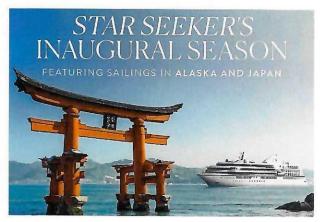
Preheat a grill pan over medium-high heat and add some canola oil. Cook the burger 4 minutes per side. Serve on a kaiser roll with arugula, tomato slices and mayo.



Windstar is excited to unveil the voyages for Star Seeker's inaugural season — beginning January 2026!

The first of their two new all-suite yachts, Star Seeker will first set sail in the Caribbean before crossing the Panama Canal toward two of our most highly anticipated return destinations ever: Alaska and Japan.

Featuring new dining options, upgraded amenities and 112 spacious suites — with nearly all featuring a full private veranda or infinity-window view — Star Seeker is a fresh take on our beloved all-suite Star Class that remains unmistakably Windstar.



Be among the first to experience Star Seeker on one of their highly anticipated 2026 inaugural season voyages! Book by October 31, 2024, and your will enjoy a complimentary All-Inclusive experience — with Wi-Fi, unlimited wine, beer and cocktails, and all gratuities — plus up to \$200 onboard credit per stateroom.



Infinity Suite



DECK | CABIN TYPE: Suite | 280 SQ FT

This 280-square-foot suite features a wide floor-to-ceiling infinity window that allows for stunning ocean views. You can even open the top half to enjoy the cool ocean breeze. Your suite features an inviting queen bed (convertible into two twin beds if desired), a walk-in mosaic glass shower and a comfortable living area where you can lounge and enjoy the view.



You are Going to Need Reef Safe Sunscreen

In 2018, Hawaii was the first US state to ban certain reef-harming chemicals in sunscreens. This law started in 2021 and forbade oxybenzone and octinoxate, two usual UV-blocking ingredients in many sunblocks. These substances cause coral bleaching and damage marine life. "Reef-safe" tagged sunscreens don't use these damaging elements.

GRACELAND ANNOUNCES NEW

"Presley for a Day Tour" Experience

Elvis Presley's Graceland in Memphis has just announced an all -new, highly exclusive tour whose proceeds will contribute to the estate's ongoing commitment to preserve, protect and enhance the grounds at the home that Elvis loved.

Launching September 6, the new "Presley for a Day Tour" will be limited to only eight guests per day and provide access to some of the Presley family's most beloved places on the Graceland grounds for the first time since it opened to the public. Guests will have the opportunity to enjoy access to the family's favorite activities with golf cart rides around the grounds, a horse photo op and guided walk through the home's front pasture; plus, they can enjoy a high-end dinner at the newly renovated Moriah's House, which offers views of Graceland's landscape from the back pasture.



The "Presley for a Day Tour" is a seven-hour experience for a group of up to four people (two tour groups per day available) that includes:

Personalized Concierge Service: Concierge will work with guests to plan out their experience before arrival.

Personal Tour Guide: Guests will have their own personal tour guide throughout their entire experience.

Guided Tours: Tours of Elvis Presley's Memphis entertainment complex and Elvis' Airplanes with their dedicated guide, plus exclusive photo opportunities and special white-glove artifact experiences.

Golf Cart Transportation: Guests will be chauffeured around the Graceland property on a golf cart by their guide and treated to an outdoor tour of the mansion grounds.

Graceland Stable Tour & Horse Experience: Tour of the Graceland Stables before a guided walk on a horse through Graceland's front pasture and a photo op with a horse with Graceland Mansion as a backdrop.

Access to Moriah's House: Located in the Graceland pasture, guests will have access to this newly restored space to relax and enjoy dinner while taking in beautiful views of Graceland Mansion and surrounding grounds. Named after Lisa Marie's pony who once was housed here, Moriah's House has been designed exclusively for this premier tour.

Elevated Dining Experience: A high-end meal at Moriah's House while enjoying views of Graceland from the enclosed deck. From Southern BBQ favorites to gourmet delights, this exclusive dining experience will be tailored to guest preferences.

Graceland Archives Experience: Get a glimpse into the archival work that goes on behind-the-scenes at Graceland. Whether it be conservation work on one of Elvis' dazzling jumpsuits or cataloging one of the more than 90,000 photos, guests will get an inside look at what it takes to preserve all the king's things.

After-Hours Graceland Mansion Tour: After their meal, guests enjoy a guided after-hours tour of Elvis' beloved Graceland Mansion with exclusive photo ops and white glove experiences.

Exclusive Swag Bag: Valued at more than \$450, each guest will receive a bag of items exclusive to "Presley for a Day Tour" guests.

Additionally, every guest on the Presley for a Day Tour will sign a Benefactor of Graceland Guest Book, memorializing their support of Elvis Presley's Graceland and its grounds.

The "Presley for a Day Tour" is \$6,000 for a group of up to four people. A portion of proceeds for each tour will go to support local Memphis charities through the Elvis Presley Charitable Foundation, with additional proceeds supporting Graceland's ongoing commitment to the beautification, preservation, and enhancement of Elvis Presley's home and grounds.

In addition to spending the day like a Presley at Graceland, guests will also be invited to "Stay Like a Presley" at Graceland's AAA resort hotel, The Guest House at Graceland. A specialty suite package offering personalized service, including breakfast-in room service any time of day, charcuterie and champagne upon arrival, turndown service with banana cupcakes with peanut butter frosting, plus a private midnight movie screening in the Guest House Theater.

The "Presley for a Day Tour" is just the first of many new events, tours, expansions and more that will be announced over the next three years as Graceland prepares for 2027, which will mark the 50th anniversary of Elvis' passing. The culmination of Graceland's "On the Road to 50" will be Elvis Week 2027, when Graceland hosts the largest gathering of Elvis fans from around the globe as they converge on Memphis to honor the life and career of the "King of Rock 'n' Roll" 50 years after his passing.



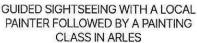
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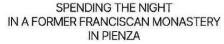


"GLAMPING" IN LUXURIOUS TENTS WITH YELLOWSTONE AS THE BACKDROP



GUIDED SIGHTSEEING WITH A LOCAL PAINTER FOLLOWED BY A PAINTING





Paris & Provence

Enchanting Italy

ICELAND—THE LAND OF FIRE AND ICE FEBRUARY 26 TO MARCH 3, 2025



Our annual iceland adventure begins with our flights from Newark Liberty to Reykjavik on Icelandair. On arrival we will start our holiday with a heavy continental breakfast at viking world museum before heading over to the blue lagoon for a sunrise cocktail and a mud facial before a short city overview tour enroute to our hotel, centerhotel midgardur where we will spend the next four nights. Our package will include hotel accommodations including all current government taxes, a buffet breakfast daily, full day private golden circle tour including a stop at the kerid crater and admission to skalholt along with a tomato soup lunch at the fridheimar greenhouse with a visit to the stables to marvel at the icelandic horses and their abilities. We will venture out in a shared northern lights tour hunting for the elusive northern lights. Although never guaranteed, we will try two evenings. There will be optional tours to the Sky Lagoon, into the Glacier and South Shore (with black sand beaches and a stop at vik).

Miðgarður by center hotels is positioned at one end of the city's main shopping street and ideally located in short walk-ing distance from all the main attractions in the city center. The hotel offers 170 comfortable and modern rooms, a lively restaurant, bar, meeting rooms and a spa. The lobby lounge is your casual place to hang out and offers minimalist lighting and plants that creates a soft and cozy ambiance. The modern u-shaped design of the hotel features a tastefully decorated secluded garden, accessible for guests both from the lobby as well as from the restaurant. The garden includes an outdoor hot tub which is a part of the exquisite spa located on the bottom level of the hotel. Get a taste of traditional icelandic cooking mixed with international flair at the restaurant; jörgensen kitchen & bar, located at the hotel. Guests and locals are offered a variety of dishes prepared with fresh, local, and organic ingredients throughout breakfast, lunch, and dinner. The restaurant has a cool and modern vibe but at the same time is cozy and comfortable.

PRICE: \$2,100.00 PER PERSON DOUBLE (SINGLES +\$650.00 ADDITIONAL)*

A passport with six months validity is required and insurance (\$157.00-191.00) is suggested and must be taken out with deposit. Our package includes round trip airfare from Newark Liberty (Inc. all current taxes and fees), four night hotel accommodations, four full breakfasts and one continental breakfast on arrival, admission to the blue lagoon with cocktail, golden circle tour, northern lights excursion, transfers on all included features, one lunch,

*PRICE IS BASED ON MINIMUM PARTICIPATION

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