# **Discover The Grand Canyon**

Featuring Zion and Bryce Canyon National Parks





## Highlights Include:

**National Parks** 

## Grand Canyon, Zion, Bryce Canyon, Petrified Forest

- Red Rock Country of Sedona, AZ
- Montezuma Castle Cliff Dwellings National Monument
- 3 Night Stay in Flagstaff, AZ
- 3 Night Stay in Southern Utah
- Historic Route 66, The Painted Desert
- Albuquerque & Santa Fe, NM
- Lake Powell
- Fort Worth, TX Historic Stockyards
- Amarillo, TX Cadillac Ranch & The Big Texan Steak House
- Round Trip Luxury Motorcoach Transportation from N Georgia

**Motorcoach Tour Date:** September 5 - 18, 2023 (14 Days/13 Nights)

## Cost Per Person: \$4575

(Based on Double Occupancy)

(21 meals) 13 breakfasts  $\sim$  2 lunches  $\sim$  6 dinners \$500 deposit due with reservation  $\sim$  Final payment due 7/21/23

We reserve the right to make substitutions for activities in our itinerary that may change due to reasons beyond our control

### \*Optional Trip Cancellation Waiver \$285\*

Covers cancellation in case of traveler illness or death in family Your deposit is fully refundable up to 45 days prior to departure, cancellations between 31-45 days prior to departure receive a refund less the deposit. After 30 days prior to departure there is no refund without cancellation waiver.

## Fly In Option:

Sept 8 - 16, 2023 (9 days/8 Nights) \$4075 per person (based on double occupancy).

Our Fly In Option allows you to join this tour along the route rather than drive with the group from the departure point in North Georgia. Purchase your own air & hotel transfers in and out of Albuquerque, NM & meet the group at the Albuquerque Drury Inn & Suites to begin your tour. Call us for details.

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#### **DAY ONE - Travel to Arkansas**

We begin our Southwest Adventure as we depart N GA by Motorcoach & travel through Alabama and Mississippi into Louisiana for our overnight stop near Monroe, LA.

#### DAY TWO - Fort Worth, TX & Historic Stockyards

As we continue west we soon enter Texas and arrive at Longhorns parade through town in the afternoon before sights! We return to our hotel in Kanab this evening. (B,L) we settle in for an overnight stay nearby. (B)

#### DAY THREE - Amarillo, TX

We will explore more of Texas today with a stop at Cadillac Ranch - 10 Cadillacs half buried nose-down with layers of spray paint, plus dinner at the famous big Texan Steak House are iconic stops along today's route. (B,D)

## DAY FOUR - Santa Fe & Albuquerque, NM

This morning we arrive at Santa Fe, the second oldest city in the US. Enjoy a Trolley Tour before setting off on your own to explore the historic Plaza. Famous for its Pueblostyle architecture and well-known for its Arts, Santa Fe is night stay at Drury Inn & Suites in Albuquerque. (B) a wonderful place to spend the day exploring. Make sure selection of jewelry and accessories from the Artisans. We overnight in Albuquerque at Drury Inn. (B)

## DAY FIVE - Petrified Forest, Painted Desert, Flagstaff AZ along Historic Route 66

Today we travel along a portion of Historic Route 66. Iconic of the "Old West", it's also known as "Will Rogers Hwy". Stops today include the Petrified Forest and Painted Desert before arriving in Flagstaff, AZ where we settle in for a 3-night stay at Springhill Suites. (B,D)

#### DAY SIX - Montezuma Castle & Sedona Valley

Today we will learn about the history of this region with a visit to the Montezuma Castle National Monument, home of the cliff dwellings of the ancient Sinagua Indians. A tour highlight includes a drive through the beautiful red cliffs of the Sedona Valley. We will enjoy an early dinner in this beautiful valley before heading back to our suites in Flagstaff. (B,D)

#### DAY SEVEN - Grand Canyon's South Rim

A local guide joins us on our motorcoach today to show us the wonders of the South Rim of the Grand Canyon. We approach the canyon from the east, and make several stops at overlooks before arriving at Grand Canyon Village. Take some time to sit and gaze out over one of the seven natural wonders of the world. With its layers of red rock exposed by millions of years of erosion and the Colorado River flowing one mile below the canyon rim, the site takes your breath away! We return to our suites in Flagstaff this evening. (B,D)

### DAY EIGHT - Cameron Village & Lake Powell

This region is the ancestral homeland of 11 Associated Tribes. This morning we drive through the Navajo Reservation and make a stop in the Navajo village of Cameron. On to northern Arizona and the Glen Canyon National Recreation Area with a stop at Lake Powell, part of the Colorado River. We enter southern Utah for a 3 night stay in Kanab, where the scenery has lured filmmakers for nearly 80 years. The buildings all over town have plenty

of movie posters and autographed photos to support Kanab's self-proclaimed title, "Little Hollywood." (B,D)

## **DAY NINE - Bryce Canyon National Park**

It's an easy drive to Bryce Canyon this morning. Famous for its weird and wonderful hoodoos - bulbous rock pillars - we will drive the park's scenic road for access to some the Historic Stockyards of Fort Worth. Enjoy some free stunning overlooks with fantastic views over the rock time exploring this bustling Cow Town, see the famous formations. Our local guide will make sure we see all the

### **DAY TEN - Zion National Park**

Zion NP has it all...cliffs, slot canyons and dizzying views. We explore the park today and see it just as the native people and pioneers saw it - massive sandstone cliffs with hues of pink and red along the steep canyons. This dramatic landscape is breathtaking! We return to Kanab tonight after a full day of exploring Zion National Park and Springfield, Utah. (B,L)

#### DAY ELEVEN - Albuquerque, NM

We drive east through Navajo Nation today to our over-

## DAY TWELVE - Travel to Oklahoma City, OK

to visit the Native American Market for an unmatched We will see more of Route 66 today as we make our way toward Oklahoma City. We will point out some of the iconic landmarks that can still be seen along our route. We overnight near Oklahoma City. (B,D)

#### **DAY THIRTEEN - Travel to Arkansas**

We travel through Creek Nation and make a lunch stop in the town that was once known as the Gateway to the West and was one of the earliest frontier forts - Fort Smith, AR. We overnight in Forrest City, Arkansas. (B)

## **DAY FOURTEEN - Travel home**

Today we return to north Georgia late in the afternoon with great memories of our Southwest Adventure! (B)

B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner



