

# National Parks of the West

Featuring Yellowstone, Badlands & Rocky Mountain National Parks



## Highlights Include...

- Roundtrip Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation from North GA
- 13 nights accommodations at highly rated hotels
- Daniel's Tour Guides
- St. Louis Gateway Arch & the Gateway Arch Museum
- Famous Corn Palace and Wall Drug Store & "Dignity" Statue
- Badlands National Park
- The Black Hills of South Dakota, Custer State Park
- Mt. Rushmore and Crazy Horse Memorial
- Black Hills Chuckwagon Dinner Show
- The Big Horn Mountains, Cody, WY
- Buffalo Bill Center of the West
- Cody Nite Rodeo
- 2 Full Days Touring Yellowstone National Park
- Grand Tetons National Park
- Free time in Jackson Hole, WY
- Free time in Estes Park, CO
- Rocky Mountain National Park ... and so much more!



Motorcoach Tour Date:  
**14 Days**  
**August 12 - 25, 2024**

**Cost Per Person: \$4595**  
(Based on Double Occupancy)

(25 meals) 13 breakfasts ~ 3 lunches ~ 5 dinners + 4 Free Drury Inn Kickback Dinners  
\$500 deposit due with reservation ~ Final payment due 6/28/24

\*Optional Trip Cancellation Waiver \$359\*

*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 with the cancellation waiver.

**Fly In Option:**  
Aug 14 - 23, 2024 (10 days/9 Nights)

**Fly In Option is \$3995 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, meet up with the group in Sioux Falls, SD and fly out of Denver, CO. Call us for details.

*Daniel's*  
**DISCOVERY TOURS**

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Discover...

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#### **DAY ONE - Travel to Marion, IL**

Westward we go! We are on a motorcoach journey of a lifetime. Our first day takes us through Tennessee and Kentucky to our overnight stop near Marion, IL. (DI)

#### **DAY TWO - Travel to St. Louis and Kansas City**

Today we enter the West as did thousands of early settlers, by way of St. Louis, MO where you will see the tallest man-made monument in the Western Hemisphere - the 630 foot Gateway Arch, and visit the Gateway Arch Museum. We make our way to Kansas City for an overnight stay. (B, DI)

#### **DAY THREE - Travel to Omaha, NE & Sioux Falls, SD**

Explore historic Omaha and enjoy lunch on your own at the lively Old Market. We continue to follow the Missouri River as we travel to South Dakota to Sioux Falls. See the Big Sioux River as 7,400 gallons of water drop 100 feet over the course of the Falls in the heart of downtown Sioux Falls. (B)

#### **DAY FOUR - Travel to Mitchell SD & the Corn Palace, Wall Drug & Badlands National Park**

- This morning we travel along the prairie with a stop to visit the famous Corn Palace in Mitchell, SD. We can only imagine how difficult it was for the early settlers to make this trip without a modern and comfortable motorcoach. In recent years, travelers have found relief by stopping at Wall Drug Store for a FREE drink of water. We will make that stop for our FREE drink. We travel through Badlands National Park today, which provides a scenic wonderland of irregular ravines, fantastic ridges and variegated color alternation with grayish-white sediment. We overnight the next two nights in Rapid City, SD. (B, D)

#### **DAY FIVE - Tour Black Hills of South Dakota**

Mount Rushmore symbolizes the ideals of freedom, democracy and the American dream in the four 60-foot granite faces. This mountain carving of Presidents George Washington, Thomas Jefferson, Theodore Roosevelt and Abraham Lincoln draws over three million visitors a year, including us today. Visit beautiful Custer State Park and learn about their permanent Bison Herd. Spend some time at the Crazy Horse Memorial. It is more than just a monument; it is a living symbol of the great chief of the Sioux Nation. Enjoy a Chuckwagon style dinner with entertainment tonight, and explore some of the set buildings from the movie, *Dances with Wolves*. (B,D)

#### **DAY SIX - Travel to Cody WY**

Today we travel across the beautiful Big Horn Mountains, through the Shoshone National Forest and arrive into Cody, WY for a visit to the Buffalo Bill Museum. Cody is the RODEO capitol of the world, so you can attend the Cody Rodeo after an included dinner at the famous Irma Hotel! (B,D)

#### **DAY SEVEN - Travel to Yellowstone National Park**

This morning we drive along the scenic Buffalo Bill Hwy on our way to Yellowstone, established in 1872 as the world's first national park. We begin exploring the highlights of this "national treasure" today from geysers to wildlife, the Yellowstone experience is second to none! Enjoy 2 nights in West Yellowstone, MT. You will love exploring this quaint western town in your free time. (B,L)

#### **DAY EIGHT - Yellowstone NP & Old Faithful**

Today, we return to Yellowstone National Park for more exploring, including the famous Old Faithful! Learn about the massive volcanic Caldera, gushing geysers & deep can-

yons. See the Mammoth Hot Spring, the historic Old Faithful Inn & look for bears, bison, elk, wolves and antelope along the way. Enjoy free time in West Yellowstone this evening. (B,L)

#### **DAY NINE - Grand Tetons National Park**

This morning we make our final drive through Yellowstone and depart the South entrance as we drive along the majestic Grand Teton Mountain Range into Grand Teton National Park with a stop at the Visitor Center. This afternoon we will enjoy some free time in downtown Jackson Hole, WY to explore the town square bordered by four elk-antler arches and wooden boardwalks. We overnight in Pinedale, WY this evening with a fun and unique dinner experience included at "Pitchfork Fondue". (B, D)

#### **DAY TEN - Laramie, WY**

Enjoy a late morning, then we drive along the beautiful Wind River Range of the Rocky Mountains in Wyoming as we make our way to Laramie for an overnight stay. (B,L)

#### **DAY ELEVEN - Rocky Mountain National Park**

Visit Rocky Mountain National Park today. Spanning the Continental Divide, the park encompasses protected mountains, forests and alpine tundra. Spend some free time in beautiful Estes Park- Main Street is lined with Victorian lights, trees, mountain flowers and sidewalk benches. We overnight near Denver - the mile high city. (B, DI)

#### **DAY TWELVE - Travel to Topeka, KS**

We make our way back East today as we travel through Kansas and overnight near Topeka. (B,D)

#### **DAY THIRTEEN - Travel to Paducah KY**

We travel to Paducah, KY today for an overnight stay. (B,DI)

#### **DAY FOURTEEN - Return to North Georgia**

We return home today with wonderful memories of our tour of the Great National Parks of the West! (B)

(B=Breakfast, L=Lunch, D=Dinner, DI=Drury Inn Free Dinner)

*Some tour inclusions may be substituted due to situations beyond our control.*

