

A JOURNEY TO MT RUSHMORE

To Grand Teton, Yellowstone, the Black Hills & Mt Rushmore

2026 Departures

May 19 - 27, 2026

August 30 - September 7, 2026

2027 Departures

June 28 - July 6, 2027

August 30 - September 7, 2027

'Mt Rushmore is eternal. It will stand until the end of time'
Gutzon Borglum



UNCOMMON JOURNEYS

OCEAN LINER VOYAGES & OVERLAND BY TRAIN



All Aboard!

For many years, our guests have asked us to offer a trip to impressive Mt Rushmore in addition to our usual offerings to Grand Teton and Yellowstone each summer and we have finally tailored the perfect holiday that offers, in one leisurely vacation, Grand Teton, Yellowstone, the Black Hills and Mt Rushmore.

Comfort along with wildlife and stunning views, abounds on this trip, with most of our hotel stays being at least two nights long. Our guests enjoy time in Salt Lake City, Grand Teton, Yellowstone, historic Cody and three nights in the Black Hills/Mt Rushmore. Comprehensive sightseeing is featured and highlights include a cruise on lovely Jackson Lake in Grand Teton National Park, complete touring of Yellowstone including Old Faithful, the Upper and Lower Loops and the awe-inspiring Grand Canyon of Yellowstone. In Cody, there is not only a visit to the Buffalo Bill Historic Center, but a hearty cowboy dinner and show. And, of course, visits to Mt Rushmore, Crazy Horse Monument, historic Deadwood and even a ride aboard the Black Hills Central Railroad.

We invite you to join us.



The Black Hills Central Railroad is a heritage railroad that operates in Keystone, South Dakota. The railroad was added to the National Register of Historic Places on February 5, 2003.

HIGHLIGHTS

Overnight stay in Salt Lake City at the splendid Little America Hotel. Here, as everywhere, we have left free time for you to enjoy as you like, at your own pace.

Two-day/one-night stay in Jackson WY in the heart of downtown with complete touring of Grand Teton National Park including a cruise on Jackson Lake.

Two-night stay in West Yellowstone for complete touring of **Yellowstone National Park** over a two day period with **Old Faithful, the Upper & Lower Loops** and the **Grand Canyon of Yellowstone.**

Overnight stay in historic Cody Wyoming with visits to the Buffalo Bill Historic Center and a cowboy dinner and show during our visit.

Three-night stay in historic Deadwood SD. Also included are visits to **Crazy Horse Monument, Custer State Park** with its bison, sheep and elk. We will also ride the **Black Hills Central Railroad** and visit **Mt Rushmore** and the **Wild West tour of Deadwood.**

Many meals including breakfast daily.

Complete sightseeing from start to finish including all transfers, admission fees and excursions.

Fully hosted by a professional tour manager.

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Day 1 | Salt Lake City

Guests arrive in Salt Lake City by air or train and transfer to the splendid Little America Hotel in the heart of downtown to begin our overnight stay. Tonight is our special welcome reception to meet new friends. R

Day 2 | Jackson Hole & Grand Teton

Depart for Jackson Hole and Grand Teton National Park after breakfast. Grand Teton is stunning with its jagged mountains, cobalt blue lakes, abundant wildlife and we will see even more of it tomorrow. We arrive in quaint Jackson this afternoon with all evening at leisure and there is time tonight to visit the fabled Million Dollar Cowboy Bar. B L

Day 3 | Yellowstone

This morning we visit the Chapel of Transfiguration, a log church with amazing views of the Tetons followed by a visit to Jackson Lake for lunch and a boat cruise. We will visit the Colter Bay Visitor Center with its collection of Plains Indian art and exhibits before continuing into Yellowstone. Yellowstone was America's first National Park and has more geothermal activity than any other spot on Earth, with geysers and hundreds of hot springs. B L

Day 4 | Yellowstone

Today is awe inspiring as we tour the upper loop of Yellowstone, visiting Gibbon Falls, Mammoth Hot Springs, Norris Geyser Basin, Tower Falls and the Lam Valley. Tonight is free



to enjoy friendly West Yellowstone with its fine choice of restaurants and curio shops. B

Day 5 | Yellowstone

Another stunning day as we explore the lower loop of Yellowstone with such visual treats as Fountain Paint Pots, Old Faithful, the Upper and Lower Falls, Lake Yellowstone and, of course, the Grand Canyon of Yellowstone. Later we head east to historic Cody for an overnight stay. B D

Day 6 | Deadwood SD

Another fun day with a visit to the Buffalo Bill Historic Center in Cody which includes the Buffalo Bill Museum and the Whitney Gallery of Western Art. The Plains Indian Museum is well worth a visit and features the art and artifacts of the Plains Indians. This afternoon, we drive east and arrive in Deadwood SD for the first of three nights. B

Day 7 | Deadwood SD

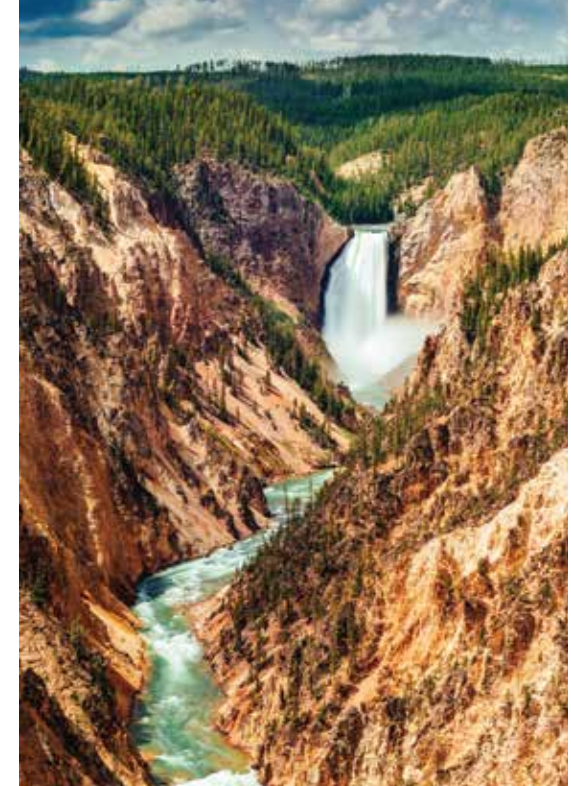
Today begins with a visit to the Black Hills where we will visit Crazy Horse Memorial at the base of Crazy Horse Mountain. Then onto Custer State Park which has a marvelous 19 mile Wildlife Loop Road with bison, longhorn sheep, elk and deer. After a full day we return to Deadwood SD in time for dinner with a fine choice of restaurants around our hotel. B

Day 8 | Deadwood SD

All Aboard! This morning we ride the Black Hills Central Railroad, an 1880's era train that will take us through lovely scenery to the quaint town of Keystone and onwards to Mount Rushmore. Up close, Mount Rushmore is astonishing as is the story of the man who created it, Gutzon Borglum. There is a superb museum with interactive exhibits and like so many other sites on this holiday, you will want your camera ready. After Mount Rushmore, we return to Deadwood for our final evening and farewell dinner. B D

Day 9 | All Aboard!

We depart for Denver at 8:00 am with stops at Union Station and Denver Airport. Guests should not book any flight before 4:00 pm B



Reservations 1.800.323.5893

SPRING & FALL IN THE GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS

Our popular Spring & Fall in the Great Smoky Mountains is a treat with Asheville and the famed Biltmore Estate, the Great Smoky Mountain Railroad, complete touring in the Smokies including Cades Cove, Chattanooga with Ruby Falls and the Incline Railroad, all before two nights in Memphis. With fine hotels, a leisurely pace, great dining and many extras, these holidays always sell out. Reserve early and advantage of a fun post tour-add on package to New Orleans!

ROYAL CANADIAN ROCKIES

A signature trip we operate every fall that begins in Calgary before offering up the three crown jewels of the Canadian Rockies: Banff, Lake Louise and Jasper before a daylight train ride through the Rockies aboard Via Rail Canada. Saving the best for last, we return to California from Vancouver on a rare Pacific coastal voyage aboard Holland America Line, the perfect way to end the perfect Canadian Rockies holiday.

A TRAIN HOLIDAY TO THE COPPER CANYON

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FARES SPRING SUMMER

Double occupancy	\$4,895	\$5,295
Single occupancy	\$6,495	\$6,895

No additional tax or fees apply.

Add the Colorado Rockies by train to your holiday. Many travelers rank the stunning day trip from Denver to Salt Lake City aboard Amtrak's California Zephyr one of the finest train trips in North America. For those wanting to do this epic journey we offer a one-night pre tour program that includes a deluxe hotel stay in Denver as well as coach travel aboard the California Zephyr from Denver to Salt Lake City. Including the Denver hotel stay and train travel the cost is \$295.pp double occupancy or \$445. Single occupancy. Please note that this segment is unescorted and that transfers in Denver to the train station are not included.

HOTELS

Salt Lake City, UT | Little America Hotel

Jackson, WY | 49er Inn

West Yellowstone, MT | The Clubhouse Inn

Cody, WY | The Best Western Premiere

Deadwood, SD | Holiday Inn Resort Deadwood Mountain

Should any of these hotels be unavailable we reserve the right to substitute hotels of equal or better quality.

CONDENSED DEPOSIT AND CONFIRMATION INFORMATION

A 35% deposit of the Total Fare is required to confirm reservations aboard any tour or program. After 5 days, confirmed reservations without deposit will be automatically cancelled by our reservation system. Final Payment is due 120 days prior to the departure date. Payment by American Express, VISA, MasterCard, Discover Card, or check is accepted.

Cancellation penalties do apply and for this reason trip insurance is recommended.

Cancellations after deposit has been made but prior to final payment are subject to a \$750.00 per person penalty: cancellations 120-90 days prior to departure are subject to a 50% penalty of the Total Fare: cancellations 89-60 days prior to departure are subject to a 75% penalty of the Total Fare: cancellations 59-30 days prior to departure are subject to 90% penalty of the Total Fare: cancellations 29 days or less are subject to a 100% penalty of the total fare. For complete Terms & Conditions informaton:

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