

St. Louis, Memphis & Branson



June 10-17, 2021

8 Days & 7 Nights

Sightseeing Highlights

St. Louis City Tour
Museum Gateway Arch & Tram
4 Branson Shows
 Sight & Sound Show
 Show Boat Branson Bell
 2 Shows To Be Announced
Titanic Museum
Branson Landing & Historic Downtown Branson
William J. Clinton Presidential Library
Memphis City Tour
Peabody Hotel- March of the Ducks
Beale Street
Elvis Presley Home - Graceland

Itinerary

Day 1 June 10 (Mon) St. Louis, MO

Today we begin our exciting tour by flying into St. Louis, MO known as the "The Gateway to the West." Transfer to our hotel in St. Louis for the next two nights.

Day 2 June 11 (Tues) St. Louis, MO

This morning enjoy discovering St. Louis with a local guide to give you the colorful history while showing you the sights of this city. We then spend time at the former train station depot called Union Station. This 1894 historic landmark has been changed to a shopping complex with a unique marketplace of shops, restaurants and cafes. Visit the **Museum at the Gateway Arch** with its innovative and interactive displays highlighting America's pioneering historic

\$2,999.00 Per Person, Double Occupancy
\$3,599.00 Single Occupancy



Visit Graceland: Elvis Presley's Home!

Tour Price Includes:

Round Trip Airfare
Transfers to Airport from center
Deluxe motorcoach transportation
Professional Tour Director
Luggage Handling
Meals: 7 Breakfasts,
 1 Lunch,
 3 Dinners

Hotel Accommodations:

- St. Louis, MO - 2 Nights
 Holiday Inn or similar
- Branson, MO - 3 Nights
 Radisson Branson Hotel
- Memphis, TN - 2 Nights
 Hampton Inn Hotel Beale Street

Moderately Active: Faster Pace, Substantial distances covered, extensive walking, and stair climbing.

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trails. Take The Gateway Arch tram to the top of the 620 foot monument, dedicated to President Thomas Jefferson, with a breathtaking view of the city. Watch the "Monument to the Dream," a documentary that tells the story of the Arch from conception to construction. Look forward to a Welcome Dinner this evening. B, D

Day 3 June 12 (Wed) Today we travel to Branson, MO known as "The Live Music Show Capital of the World". Our time in Branson will take in several shows with music and dance along with attractions. Three nights stay in Branson. B, D

Day 4 June 13 (Thurs) Today enjoy two Branson shows, including the **Sight and Sound Theater** company which has been referred to as the 'Christian Broadway'. You will experience the Bible's most epic stories as they come to life on a panoramic stage! We then spend some time exploring **Historic Downtown Branson** with its wonderful flavor of an "old time" Main Street with preserved building facades, brick sidewalks and Victorian lamp posts. Branson Landing with its lakefront of Lake Taneycomo offers a scenic area to stroll and explore the 100 specialty shops and restaurants. B

Day 5 June 14 (Fri) Titanic Museum is a tribute to the ship and its passengers as you explore the cabins, parlors, grand staircase and historical exhibits. Then **Showboat Branson Belle** an 1890's paddle wheeler cruises on Table Rock Lake with lunch and musical entertainment for you to enjoy. B, L

Day 6 June 15 (Sat) Today we travel to Little Rock, Arkansas to visit the **William J. Clinton Presidential Library & Museum**. The Clinton Presidential Center offers a unique perspective of the work – past, present, and future – of the 42nd President of the United States. We arrive in Memphis, TN given the title of the "Home of the Blues and the Birthplace of Rock & Roll". Our hotel is located in the heart of the **Beale Street Entertainment District** which is walking distance from our hotel. You can discover - on your own, the live music and great restaurants of Memphis. B

Day 7 June 16 (Sun) This morning we become acquainted with the city of Memphis, TN. with a visit to the **Peabody Hotel**. (Stop to see the March of the World Famous Ducks). Next we visit **St. Jude Children's Hospital** (Stop at the Danny Thomas pavilion) to enjoy the historic sites and stories. We spend time visiting **Graceland—The home of Elvis Presley** which includes an-audio self-guided tour of the Mansion. Visit Elvis Presley's Memphis Entertainment Complex with a new Orientation film, The Presley Automobile Museum, the Entertainer Career Museum, and the Elvis Discovery Exhibits. This evening enjoy our farewell dinner. B, D

Day 8 June 17 (Mon) This morning we'll have breakfast before departing the hotel for our flight home. In returning from this tour, may you keep the memories of the music in your hearts and souls. B

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