

HEARTLAND OF AMERICA TOUR

The Story of Famous Route 66

Tour Includes:

Modern Motorcoach Transportation
5 Nights Lodging
5 Breakfast - 1 Lunch - 4 Dinners
America's Famous Route 66
Route 66 Guide for 4 Days
Goshen Coffee
Legendary Mustang Sanctuary
Doc's Soda Fountain
Soulsby Service Station
Henry's Rabbit Ranch
Pink Elephant Antique Mall
Kruta Bakery
Willoughby Heritage Farm
Cahokia Mounds Historic Site
National Great Rivers Museum
Melvin Price Locks & Dam
Robert Wadlow Statue
Alton Living History Tour
Live Interactive Theatre Dinner
Lewis & Clark Confluence Tower
Lewis & Clark Historic Site
Great Rivers National Byway
Grafton Sky Tour
Mississippi River Cruise
Luggage & Handling
Tax & Tips on Included Meals



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September 12-17, 2022

Cost Per Person:

\$1,399.00 - Double

\$1,899.00 - Single

\$1,249.00 - Triple

Deposit: \$100 at time of registration
Balance: Due by July 12th, 2022

Cancellation Protection:

Cancellation Protection: \$90 per person due with your deposit and protects all monies (except the \$90) in the event of cancellation for any reason, anytime prior to departure.

Cancellation Without Protection:

Cancel 60 Days Prior - Full Refund

Cancel 59- 30 days prior - \$350 Charge

Cancel Within 30 Days - 50% Refund

Cancellation Protection is Recommended

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AS OF JANUARY 1, 2022, YOU WILL BE REQUIRED TO BE FULLY VACCINATED IN ORDER TO TRAVEL WITH

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Sample Itinerary

Day 1: Route 66 is the most famous road in America. Generations of travelers have romanticized this highway as a symbol of unlimited mobility and freedom of the road. Its iconic status is enhanced by the unprecedented volume of music, books, films, and other art forms that depict it as essence of America's highway culture. Join us on a **Nostalgic Trip Through Americana** as we highlight Lewis & Clark, historic sites, iconic Route 66 landmarks, and the unusual, weird, unique and odd **Roadside America Attractions**. Travel to **Collinsville, Illinois**, 12 miles east of St. Louis. Unpack and stay for (5) nights as we embark on interesting days trips, all from one location.

Day 2: Tour Goshen Coffee and see a demonstration of their custom-built fluid bed roaster— a unique process that few roasters use, and sample one of their nine coffee varieties. Learn how this small, family-owned company roasts nearly 100,000 pounds of coffee every year. Next take a **guided tour** of the **Legendary Mustang Sanctuary** and learn how they preserve the legacy of these amazing animals. The Sanctuary obtains wild mustangs and burros and gentles them by healing the sick, restoring their natural spirit, and winning their trust. Then they begin the training process. **Lunch is included at Doc's Soda Fountain**, a **Route 66 MUST SEE**. Started in 1884 as Deck's Drug Store, it was recently **named one of the best soda fountains in the U.S. by Country Living Magazine**. Next, visit **Soulsby Service Station** one of the oldest and most original service stations on Route 66. Built in 1926, it has been refurbished to look the same as it did in its Route 66 heyday. Continue to the iconic **Henry's Rabbit Ranch**, home of the hopping kind and the VW kind. Explore the classic filling station with highway and trucking memorabilia and pick up a Route 66 collectible. Our last stop **Pink Elephant Antique Mall** and search for Route 66 treasures. An oversize pink elephant statue looms large. **Dinner included** and social time at **The Outlet**. Check it out at www.edisonsfun.com. What a fun day!!!!

Day 3: Visit Kruta Bakery and learn how they perfect their signature baked treats, and pick up a few goodies to take back to the coach. Next tour **Willoughby Heritage Farm** complete with tractors, barns, a 1930's Craftsman-style Farm House. The 30 acres of wildlife preserve features vistas overlooking the bluff line prairie and woodlands of the American Bottom, the flood plain of the Mississippi River. After lunch we'll make a photo stop at the **World's Largest Catsup Bottle**, and another **iconic Route 66 attraction**. Our last stop is at **Cahokia Mounds State Historic Site**, and discover Ancient America. A civilization was born over 1,000 years ago on the Mississippi plains. Stroll through parts of the 2,200 acres of this **UNESCO World Heritage Site** and Historical Landmark. Climb the steps to the top of **Monks Mound**, the largest man-made mound north of Mexico. www.cahokiamounds.org (Watch the video). An **included dinner** concludes our day.

Day 4: Visit the National Great Rivers Museum dedicated to telling the story of life on the Mississippi. Take a tour of the **Melvin Price Locks & Dam**, one of the largest lock structures on the river. Our next stop is at the **Robert Wadlow Statue**. As we visit the life-size statue of the "Gentle Giant". Take a photo with the **World's Tallest Man** at 8ft, 11inches. This afternoon visit the **Jacoby Arts Centre**, the 140,000 square-foot center dedicated to giving artists a place to pursue their art and showcase their masterpieces. Next join us on the **Alton Living History Tour**. From the final of the **Lincoln-Douglas debates** that set the stage for Lincoln's future presidency to the ruins of the infamous **Alton Prison**, retrace the steps of Abraham Lincoln and the legacy of the Civil War in Alton. Conclude with **dinner at Lincoln's Table** which showcases the many who dined with Lincoln and Mary Todd. Actors from the local theatre are our hosts and portray **Lincoln, Mary Todd, Robert Todd and Lizbeth Keckly**, Mary's longtime servant.

Day 5: Our day starts at the Lewis & Clark Confluence Tower with tower platform views of the Mississippi at 50 & 100 ft. The indoor visitor center has interactive exhibits of the history and communities along the **Meeting of the Great Rivers National Scenic Byway**. Next visit the **Lewis & Clark Historic Site** and walk in their footsteps as they plan their journey to explore the western U.S. in 1804. Next, experience the rolling waters of the Mighty Mississippi River during a scenic drive on the **Meeting of the Great Rivers National Byway, recognized in national magazines as one of the most scenic drives in the Midwest**. Mid day we're at **Grafton Winery**, an 11,000 square-foot beauty overlooking the lake and 4-acre vineyards. A **production tour, tasting and lunch is included**. This afternoon enjoy a **scenic boat cruise on the Mississippi River**. Next soar over the **Mississippi Bluffs** on the **Grafton Sky Aerial Tram**. At the top enjoy breathtaking views overlooking the confluence of the **Illinois and Mississippi Rivers**. **Dinner included**.

Day 6— Homeward bound!



Each and every passenger must complete and acknowledge the Terms & Conditions of services being provided and return signed confirmation when making your deposit.

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Proof of Medical Insurance: It is strongly recommended you have medical coverage before tour departure. Shoreline Tours accepts no responsibility for medical costs while on tour. It is your responsibility to protect yourself from any medical costs while on tour.

I have medical coverage: yes ____ no _____. I have been offered and decline any additional medical coverage: YES ____ NO ____

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NAME _____ PHONE _____

ADDRESS _____ APT# _____

CITY _____ STATE _____ ZIP _____

ROOMMATE(S) _____

SPECIAL REQUESTS _____

DO YOU WISH TO PURCHASE THE OPTIONAL CANCELLATION PROTECTION? ____yes____no

(If yes, please enclose the \$90.00 per person with your deposit.)

AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$ _____ FOR _____ PASSENGERS.