



CHRISTMAS AT THE GALT HOUSE AND THE OPRYLAND HOTEL

featuring Louisville, Memphis and Nashville



7 DAYS • 12 MEALS

Departure Date:
December 4 - 10, 2017





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The Mayflower Way

- ✓ 12 Meals (4 dinners, 2 lunches and 6 breakfasts)
- ✓ Spend 2 night at the beautiful Galt House Hotel in Louisville
- ✓ Enjoy dinner and entertainment at the *Ladies for Liberty Dinner Show* featuring holiday swing and boogie-woogie melodies of this USO-inspired show
- ✓ Stroll through the stunning *KaLightscope Christmas*, with its festive towering luminaries
- ✓ Tour the Muhammad Ali Center, dedicated to telling the life story of this incredible man
- ✓ Visit the Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory, Major League Baseball's official bat
- ✓ Enjoy a delicious dinner and live entertainment at the Derby Dinner Playhouse
- ✓ Have lunch at Patti's 1880's Settlement in Kentucky
- ✓ Spend 2 nights in downtown Memphis, Tennessee, the Music City
- ✓ Take a "Musical Tour" of Memphis with a local musician guide
- ✓ Visit Elvis Presley's *Graceland Mansion*, beautifully decorated for the holidays
- ✓ Enjoy a BBQ dinner in Memphis
- ✓ Visit Tennessee River Freshwater Pearl Farm
- ✓ Spend 2 nights at the fabulous Opryland Resort Hotel, beautifully decorated for the holidays
- ✓ Experience Opryland's traditional *ICE!* Show, featuring hand-carved ice sculptures crafted by international artists
- ✓ Stroll through the Hall of Christmas Trees and shop for Christmas gifts at the Treasures for the Holidays Craft and Art Show
- ✓ Take a Delta River Boat ride through the Opryland Resort
- ✓ Reserved seats to Opryland's *Diamond Rio Christmas Dinner Show*
- ✓ \$35 in Mayflower Money

DAY ONE – Ladies for Liberty Christmas Dinner Show at the Galt House

Welcome to Louisville for the holidays! Arrive at The Galt House and meet your Tour Manager and fellow travelers in the lobby at 6:00 p.m. Get into the spirit of Christmas at the *Ladies for Liberty Christmas Dinner Show*, holiday swing and boogie-woogie melodies in a USO-inspired musical show. (Dinner)

DAY TWO – KaLightscope Christmas and Derby Dinner Playhouse

Begin the day at The Galt House's fabulous holiday luminary experience *KaLightscope Christmas*, to see the stunning luminaries The Lighted Forest, the Candy House, Toyland and The Nativity. The Muhammad Ali Center, an award-winning multi-cultural museum which captures the inspiration derived from



Stroll through the stunning *KaLightscope Christmas* at the Galt House



See *Diamond Rio's Christmas Dinner Show*



the story of Ali's incredible life. At the Louisville Slugger Museum and Factory see the world's largest baseball bat and learn the history of Major League Baseball's official bat. Tonight, a delicious dinner and exciting live entertainment await at the Derby Dinner Playhouse. [\(Breakfast and dinner\)](#)

DAY THREE – Patti's 1880's Settlement and Memphis

Traveling across Kentucky today we come to the "Land Between the Lakes" area. Here, our destination is Patti's 1880's Settlement. What began in 1977 as a hamburger and ice cream parlor, Patti's has grown into an institution famous for its thick pork chops, mile-high meringue pie and flowerpot bread. Enjoy an included lunch and spend time in the gift shop before we depart for Memphis. [\(Breakfast and lunch\)](#)

DAY FOUR – Memphis Musical Tour and Graceland Mansion

This morning we embark on a musical tour of Memphis, the "Home of the Blues." Our guide is a professional Beale Street musician who will play and sing selections of the city's rich musical heritage. See Sun and Stax Studios, Cotton Row the Lorraine Motel and the Peabody Hotel. Later, we visit Elvis Presley's beautiful Graceland Mansion which has been richly decorated for the holidays. See the living rooms, music room and jungle den along with Elvis's gold records, awards and costumes. You will also see the Meditation Garden where Elvis and members of his family have been laid to rest as well as the Automobile Museum with over 15 vehicles owned by the King.

[\(Breakfast and dinner\)](#)

DAY FIVE – Tennessee River Freshwater Pearl Farm and Opryland Resort Hotel

Leaving Memphis we stop at the Tennessee River Freshwater Pearl Farm, the only freshwater pearl-culturing farm operation in North America. Here, we learn about this remarkable iridescent product of nature, the freshwater pearl. Then, we arrive at the world-renowned Opryland Resort Hotel. Here, you will experience southern hospitality at its finest as you stroll through nine acres of lush gardens and flowing waterfalls inside a glass atrium. Take a ride on a Delta River Boat through the Resort and see this remarkable complex from a whole new perspective.

This evening enjoy Opryland at your own pace with dinner on your own at one of the many varied dining venues inside the Resort. [\(Breakfast and lunch\)](#)

DAY SIX – Opryland's ICE! Show and Diamond Rio Christmas Dinner Show

We begin the day with the Opryland's annual ICE! show. This winter holiday attraction is an interactive world of colorful hand-carved ice sculptures created by artists from around the world. Later, take a stroll through the Hall of Christmas Trees, a display of specially decorated trees that benefit various charities and is located in their Winter Wonderland. Also, visit the Treasures for the Holidays Art and Craft Show, featuring a variety of hand-made crafts and gifts ranging from candles and jewelry to clothing, artwork and food. In the evening, we join *Diamond Rio* for their Christmas Dinner Show. [\(Breakfast and dinner\)](#)

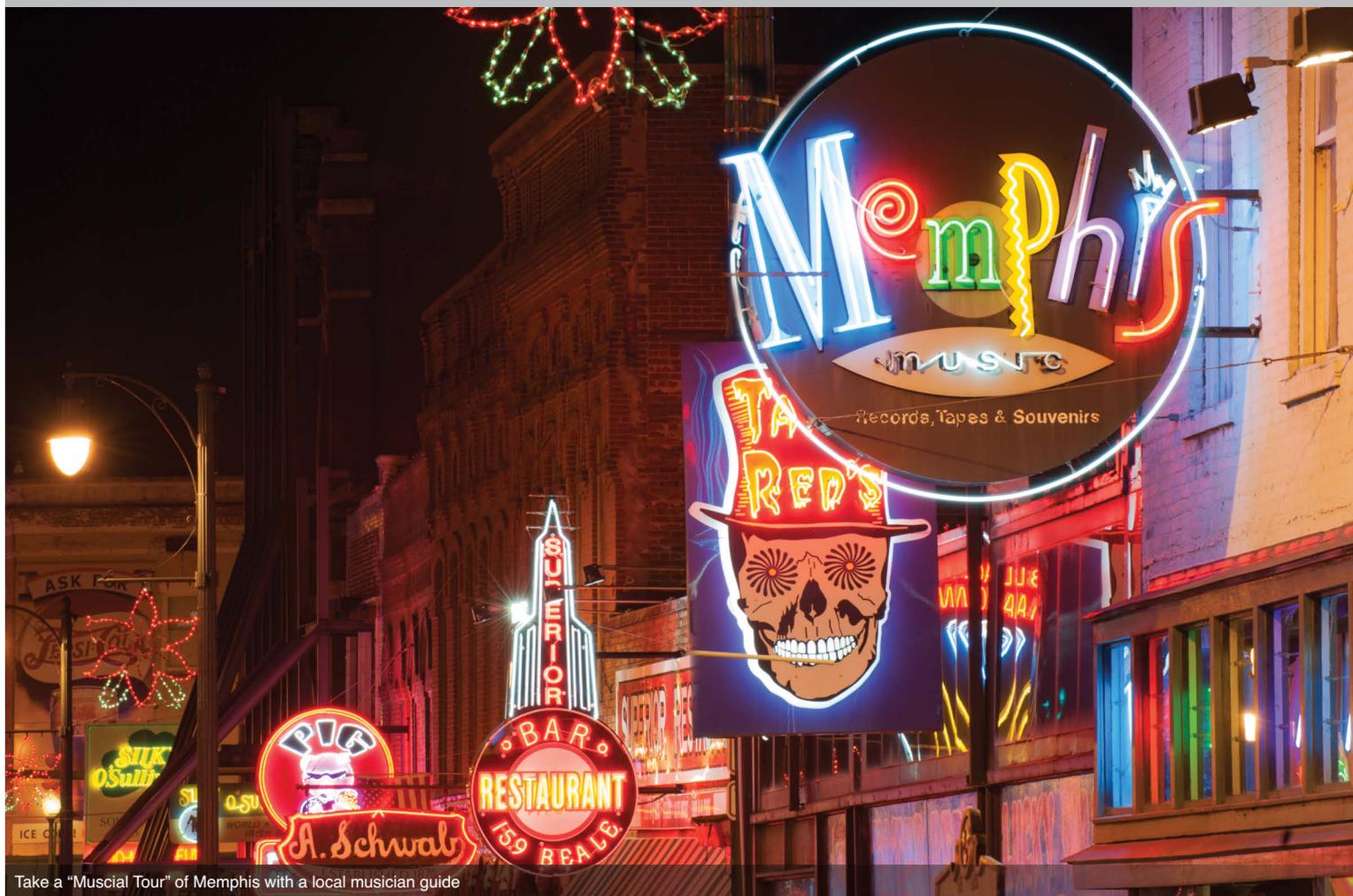
DAY SEVEN – Travel Home

Return home filled with warm holiday memories from our Galt House and Opryland Resort Hotel holiday. [\(Breakfast\)](#)



See hand-carved ice sculptures at Opryland's annual ICE! Show

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Take a "Musical Tour" of Memphis with a local musician guide

2017 DEPARTURE	PER PERSON TWIN ROOM	SINGLE ROOM
December 4	\$3,334	add \$949



Pricing includes airfare from Fresno (FAT) and hometown shuttle transportation from Visalia to Fresno Airport round trip.

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group. Seat changes can only be attempted upon receipt of tickets and documents at which time availability may be limited. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend individual air reservations rather than booking air with the group.

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HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Days One and Two – The Galt House Hotel, Louisville, Kentucky
Days Three and Four – Doubletree Hotel, Memphis, Tennessee
Days Five and Six – The Opryland Hotel, Nashville, Tennessee

TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL

EASY **1 2 3 4 5** ENERGETIC

Travelers Protection Plan (TPP) – \$150

This nonrefundable fee waives all cancellation fees when we are notified of cancellation one day before the tour departs. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness, illness or death of a member of your immediate family, TPP guarantees full refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line, and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included ONLY if your air tickets were provided by Mayflower Tours. If you purchase the optional Travelers Protection Plan (TPP), you will be refunded all payments, including deposit amount, less the TPP premium amount.

Cancellation Charges Without Traveler's Protection Plan (TPP)

- 61 days and more – deposit amount
 - 60 – 31 days – 20% of the tour cost
 - 30 – 15 days – 30% of the tour cost
 - 14 – 1 day prior – 40% of the tour cost
 - Day of departure or early departure from tour – 100% of the tour cost
- No refund on unused portion

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