

WEST COAST WONDERS

Washington, Oregon, California & Nevada Fly Tour

10 Days/9 Nights

July 10-19, 2020

Tour includes 16 Meals!

Day 1: Join **Ionosphere Tours** as we begin our exciting fly/drive tour to the **West Coast!**. During the next **10 days** we will explore some of North America's most beautiful scenery. Late this afternoon we are transported to Charlotte for overnight accommodations near Charlotte Douglas International Airport, due to an early morning flight tomorrow.

Day 2: We depart Charlotte early this morning bound for **Seattle, Washington** where we have accommodations for the next two nights. Following an **included lunch**, we will visit the amazing **Museum of Flight**. The Museum of Flight is the largest independent, non-profit air and space museum in the world! With over 175 aircraft and spacecraft, tens of thousands of artifacts, millions of rare photographs, dozens of exhibits and experiences and a world-class library, the Museum and its people bring mankind's incredible history of flight to life. (L)



DAY 3: This morning we'll catch many highlights as we welcome our **local guide** onboard, for a tour of this "emerald city". Our tour will end at **Pike Place Market**, where we will have lunch on our own and time to browse in this unique public market overlooking the Elliott Bay waterfront. A highlight today will certainly be a ride to the top of The **Space Needle**. At 650 feet high, it has been Seattle's signature structure since it was built as the centerpiece for the 1962 World's Fair. **Dinner will be included** this evening as we overnight again in Seattle. (B,D)



DAY 4: Following breakfast we board our motorcoach and head south into **Oregon**. We'll make a stop for an **included lunch** at **Multnomah Falls Lodge**, which is a wonder in itself. Built in 1925 and named the nation's first National Historic Landmark, the lodge structure includes every type of rock found in the Columbia River Gorge. We'll have an amazing view of Multnomah Falls, dropping 620 spectacular feet, and the tallest of the Columbia River Gorge's many waterfalls. On the lower level, you'll find the Multnomah Falls Visitor Center and Gift Shop. Following lunch, we continue south along the scenic, rugged **Oregon coast**, making our way to tiny **North Bend, Oregon** for our overnight. (B,L)

DAY 5 After breakfast we are on our way, continuing along the coast of Oregon to **Gold Beach**. Here, where the **Rogue River** empties into the Pacific Ocean, we board a **Jet Boat** for our unforgettable **Rogue River Excursion**. In this modern world, this boat is still the only way folks here have of getting their mail! Back



onboard our motorcoach, we cross the state line into northern **California**, destined for majestic **Redwood National Park**. Our route carries us deep into the heart of America's greatest **Redwood Forest**, where the tall trees block the sunlight from the sky above. Dinner and overnight are in the lumber town of **Eureka, California**. (B,D)



DAY 6: Following breakfast this morning we leave Eureka behind, traveling through another magnificent Redwood Preserve, Humboldt **Redwood State Park**, along the awesome **"Avenue of the Giants"**.

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Lunch will be included in the Garberville area. The **San Francisco** skyline is a sight that is sure to take your breath away as we dip toward San Francisco Bay, and enter the incredible span of the **Golden Gate Bridge**. We spend the night in the city by the Bay, **San Francisco, California. (B,L)**



DAY 7: We'll head to the **Fisherman's Wharf** area following breakfast this morning. We'll love San Francisco's breathtaking waterfront, as we cruise under the majestic Golden Gate Bridge and around notorious Alcatraz Island, on a **Golden Gate Bay Cruise**. We'll discover San Francisco's history via an award-winning audio commentary, learning of her history, marveling at her architecture, and hearing tales of the fascinating glory days of this marvelous West Coast city. Following our cruise we'll have some free time for browsing and lunch on our own in the Fisherman's

Wharf area. Some may want to ride on the world famous "**cable cars**". By early afternoon we depart for **Yosemite National Park**. We'll have accommodations in this area tonight and we'll **include dinner. (B,D)**

DAY 8 : A region of unusual beauty, **Yosemite National Park** lies on the western slope of the Sierra Nevada. The park is much greater both in area and beauty than most people realize. After breakfast this morning we will have a **narrated tram tour** of this awesome park that Abraham Lincoln set aside as the nation's first state park in 1864. Twenty-six years later Yosemite became a National Park. Later today we depart for the **Lake Tahoe** area, where we will spend the next two nights in **Carson City**, at a casino hotel. The evening will be free to enjoy on our own, following an **included Dinner** at the hotel. **(B,D)**



DAY 9: Following an **included breakfast** this morning, we'll enjoy a **Luncheon Cruise on beautiful Lake Tahoe**. During the 3-hour cruise we'll learn about the history of Lake Tahoe and past and present tales of what America's largest alpine lake has offered for locals and visitors alike for centuries. Next, we'll spend a little time exploring in the south Lake Tahoe area. The remainder of the day will be free to enjoy our Casino Hotel, and our last overnight stay in on this tour. **(B,L)**

DAY 10 : It's hard to believe, but today our tour of the Pacific Northwest comes to a close. We've got so much to tell our friends back home. We board our plane in **Reno** early this morning and wing our way back to **Charlotte. (B)**

**\$3435 PP Double / \$3270 PP Triple
\$3110 PP Quad / \$4375 Single**

Deposit/Payment Requirements:

\$700.00 Deposit Per Person due with reservation

Plus cost of travel protection, if desired

(travel protection offers insurance benefits & non-insurance services)

cost per person is: \$233 Double - \$233 Triple - \$233 Quad - \$331 Single

Final Payment Due by May 1, 2020

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