Canyonlands of Arizona & Utah



Presented by Wendt Touring September 12-20, 2024...9 days

HIGHLIGHTS INCLUDE:

Flagstaff, Arizona ~ Grand Canyon National Park ~ Scenic South Rim Oak Creek Canyon ~ Sedona, Arizona ~ Bryce Canyon National Park Colorado Rocky Mountains ~ Amtrak's California Zephyr Train Lake Powell Boat Cruise ~ Glen Canyon National Recreation Area Zion National Park ~ Arches National Park ~ Moab, UT ~ Denver, CO

TOUR INCLUDES:

*Round-trip scheduled air *All motorcoach & rail transportation *Eight nights lodging in hotels *12 meals - eight breakfasts & four dinners *Entrance fees & baggage handling *Gratuities for local guides & porters *Professional Tour Manager



TOUR FARE:

\$3,899.00 per person double \$3,799.00 per person triple \$4,999.00 per person single

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Day 1: Home City – Phoenix, Arizona – Flagstaff: Fly to sunny Phoenix and journey north to Flagstaff for a two-night stay. Gather for a welcome dinner at a local restaurant.

Day 2: Oak Creek Canyon - Sedona - Flagstaff: Following breakfast we depart Flagstaff and travel into Oak Creek Canyon, known for its striking white, yellow and red cliffs dotted with pine, cypress and juniper. Stop in Sedona, a trendy retirement area situated amid the red-hued rocks of Oak Creek Canyon. Enjoy free time for lunch, shopping and sightseeing in this beautiful resort community. Later today we return to Flagstaff for the overnight.

Day 3: Grand Canyon Village - South Rim – Page, Arizona – Lake Powell: The Grand Canyon is one of the world's most outstanding spectacles. Measuring 277 miles long, 10 miles wide and nearly one mile deep the Grand Canyon is the largest gorge on the globe. Enjoy the day touring the South Rim. Several stops at observation points are made along the canyon drive with time to enjoy the Grand Canyon Village and Visitor Center. Later we journey to Page, Arizona for dinner and a memorable two-night stay.

Day 4: Lake Powell Cruise - Glen Canyon National Recreation Area: Embark aboard a memorable sightseeing cruise along 186-mile-long Lake Powell. This fabulous excursion will present an everchanging array of scenery as we journey through hidden canyons, into sandy coves and inlets and along towering red cliffs. This area is also home to Glen Canyon Dam, one of the highest in the United States, and is used to generate hydroelectric power to cities throughout the west. Later today we visit Glen Canyon Dam. Dinner and overnight in Page.

Day 5: Page - Zion National Park – Bryce, Utah: Today we leave Page and travel northwest into Utah. By late morning we arrive in beautiful Zion National Park. Huge, sculpted rock formations coexist with hanging gardens surrounded in colorful desert terrain. Journey through Zion Canyon, a spectacular gorge being carved through strangely colored sandstones and shale by the Virgin River. Later today journey north to Bryce for the overnight.

Day 6: Bryce Canyon National Park - Green River, Utah: Today we visit spectacular Bryce Canyon National Park which features some of the world's most colorful rocks, sculpted by erosion into pillars and other fantastic forms. A guided tour throughout the park will provide several photo stops. Continue to Green River for dinner and two-night stay.

Day 7: Arches National Park – Moab – Deadhorse Point State Park – Green River: This morning we explore Arches National Park which contains the largest number of natural stone arches in the country. Following a lunch and shopping break in the historic town of Moab, enjoy a scenic ride through Deadhorse Point State Park. Return to Green River for the night.

Day 8: Amtrak's California Zephyr - Rocky Mountains - Denver, Colorado: Depart aboard Amtrak's California Zephyr for Denver. Enjoy a delightful train ride through the Rocky Mountains and enjoy some of this country's most spectacular views. Later this evening we arrive in Denver for the final overnight.

Day 9: Denver - Journey Home: Today our western adventure comes to an end. Depart Denver aboard a scheduled airline enroute home.