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TRIP START DATES

2022	2023
APR   24	APR   23
MAY   01, 08, 15, 22, 29	MAY   07, 14, 21, 28
JUN   12, 19, 26	JUN   11, 18, 25
SEP   04, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27	SEP   10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26
OCT   02, 16	OCT   01, 15



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REGIONAL JOURNEY  
ACTIVITY LEVEL: DYNAMIC

10 DAYS  
1 COUNTRY  
15 MEALS  
11 INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

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GUEST REVIEW ★★★★★

MAKE TRAVEL MATTER®

**Monument Valley:** Take a journey through Monument Valley Navajo Tribal park, meeting Navajo Local Experts on a guided journey across tribal land. Learn about Navajo history, culture and heritage, plus the careful balance maintained here between the tribes and the land.

INSIGHT CHOICE

**Grand Canyon:** Choose a scenic hike along the Grand Canyon with your Travel Director. Alternatively, join a Local Expert to learn about the canyon's unique geology.

AUTHENTIC DINING

Welcome Dinner in Las Vegas • Dinner with wine at the Grand Canyon • Navajo cookout  
Highlight Lunch in Monument Valley • Dine-Around evening Moab • Celebration Dinner at Bryce Canyon National Park.

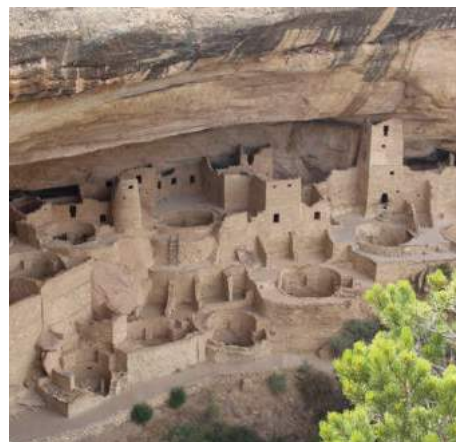
TOP RATED HIGHLIGHTS

Ride a private Zion Canyon shuttle with live commentary • Experience the majestic scale of the Grand Canyon National Park • Hike Bryce Canyon National Park to the great monolithic hoodoos • Cut through the famed Checkerboard Mesa in Zion National Park • See the magical landscape of the Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park • See the ancient pueblo cliff dwellings known as the Cliff Palace • Photograph the iconic Delicate Arch in Arches National Park • Experience the Ute Reservation and the breathtaking scenery along the Trail of the Ancients • Drive the All-American Road Scenic Byway 12 through Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument • Journey along the Zion National Park Scenic Byway and through the Virgin River Gorge.

# WONDERS OF THE AMERICAN WEST

*"In my opinion, the most memorable part of the trip is the Celebration Dinner, experienced at an outside venue set up next to the rim of Bryce Canyon at sunset."*

– Carol, Travel Director



MESA VERDE



ARCHES NATIONAL PARK



### DAY 1 ARRIVE IN LAS VEGAS

Welcome to glittering Las Vegas. On arrival at Las Vegas International Airport, your transfer will take you to your hotel.

*At 18:00, join your Travel Director and companions for a Welcome Dinner with wine at the award-winning Bacchanal Buffet.* (DW)

**Caesars Palace, Las Vegas.**

### DAY 2 THE WONDERS OF THE GRAND CANYON

In the morning, depart for the South Rim of Grand Canyon National Park and the historic Grand Canyon Lodge. Explore the Grand Canyon with Insight Choice. Choose to hike along the scenic Rim Trail with your Travel Director. Alternatively, join a Local Expert, Canyon Tim, for a discussion about the canyon's geology and the local flora and fauna.

*Following an evening wine reception, enjoy dinner at your lodge as the sun sets over the most spectacular scenery in the world.* (B) (DW)

**National Park Lodges.**

### DAY 3 GRAND CANYON AND LAKE POWELL

Wake up to the backdrop of the Grand Canyon and enjoy some peace and tranquility before the day trippers arrive. Depart for the majesty of Lake Powell. Stop at Glen Canyon Dam to learn about its impact on the Colorado River before arriving at your lakefront resort.

Check in to your room and enjoy the evening at leisure. Watch the sunset as you dine or relax by the pool. (B)

**Lake Powell Resorts and Marinas.**

### DAY 4 A LEISURELY DAY AT LAKE POWELL

**Relaxed Start.** Spend the day doing entirely as you please. Perhaps join an optional float trip (signed liability waiver required) down one of the most scenic stretches of the Colorado River, or take a leisurely optional cruise through the scenic Antelope Canyon and its steep, sandstone walls. (B)

### DAY 5 MONUMENT VALLEY AND THE NAVAJO NATION

In the morning, head to the Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park and board all-terrain vehicles for a tour of the valley floor, led by Navajo Local Experts. Join a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER® Experience in Monument Valley Tribal Park, with a guided journey across the protected lands of the tribes and their heritage.

*For today's Highlight Lunch, pause to enjoy a traditional Navajo cookout in the great outdoors, set against an unrivaled backdrop.*

Make your way to Mesa Verde National Park, where the day draws to a close. Your lodge inside the park offers sweeping vistas that reach into three states. (B) (L) (DW)

**Far View Lodge, Mesa Verde.**

### DAY 6 MESA VERDE AND MOAB

Enjoy an in-depth visit to the fascinating Mesa Verde National Park. View the ancient pueblo dwellings known as Cliff Palace. Settle in for a relaxing stay at your modern hotel with Western flair, superbly located just a block away from Main Street.

*Enjoy a Dine-Around evening and choose from a hand-picked selection of restaurants.* (B) (DW)

**Homewood Suites, Moab.**

### DAY 7 DELVE INTO CANYONLANDS AND ARCHES NATIONAL PARKS

In the morning, visit Arches National Park, housing the greatest concentration of natural arches in the world. Stop and take a short hike to the Delicate Arch Viewpoint to view the iconic arch.

Then it's on to Canyonlands National Park for a drive onto the Island in the Sky - a mesa resting 1,000 feet (305 metres) above the surrounding countryside, offering spectacular views over the dramatic sandstone formations.

Back at the hotel, your evening is at leisure.

Perhaps enjoy the outdoors or relax in this beautiful natural setting. (B)

### DAY 8 CAPITOL REEF AND BRYCE CANYON NATIONAL PARKS

Magnificent scenery awaits at Capitol Reef National Park, best known for its Waterpocket Fold, a 100-mile-long (160 kilometre) warp in the earth's crust. Journey along scenic Byway 12 - one of the most beautiful roads in the world, winding through the Grand Staircase-Escalante National Monument.

Head to the sandstone cliffs of Bryce Canyon National Park in Southern Utah. Here you will be met by pine trees and red rock pillars. Take a leisurely walk along Sunset Point to view the great amphitheatres of the odd-shaped monoliths, known as hoodoos. (B)

**The Lodge at Bryce Canyon.**

### DAY 9 WHIMSICAL BRYCE CANYON NATIONAL PARK

**Relaxed Start.** Start the day travelling through Bryce Canyon National Park, also known as the great natural amphitheatre. The whimsical eroded rock formations that characterize this National Park feature some of Utah's most unusual shapes. With your Travel Director, learn how wind, erosion and iron oxidation created the spellbinding hoodoos.

*In the evening, join your fellow travellers for a memorable Celebration Dinner set overlooking the park's orange and red rock formations.* (B) (D)

### DAY 10 ZION NATIONAL PARK, BACK TO LAS VEGAS

Enjoy a last look at Bryce Canyon, glowing in the early morning light.

Head on to Zion National Park - one of the most scenic canyons in the United States. Here, join a guided tour by a private Zion Canyon Shuttle, with live commentary, and views of the park's best sites. Your journey ends with a departure transfer to Las Vegas International Airport, arriving at 16:00. (B)

For activities marked with ● in the day-by-day itinerary, participation is at your own risk and a signed liability waiver will be required.

### KEY

✈ Join/Leave Options

UNESCO Heritage Site

1 Central Hotels + Nights

2 Scenic Hotels + Nights

● Place Visited

### CHOOSE YOUR GROUP SIZE

This trip operates both classic and small group departures. You can also book your own private group with as few as 12 travellers.



**TOP RATED HIGHLIGHT** Capitol Reef Park. (Day 8, Capitol Reef National Park)



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