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## Cherry Blossom Festival & Spring Fling

❖ *Washington DC, Baltimore* ❖ *Philadelphia* ❖ *Lancaster* ❖ *Gettysburg* ❖

April 14 - 21, 2016

8 Days - 7 Nights

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Spring in our Nation's Capital and the Mid-Atlantic states is breathtaking, displaying a riot of pink and white flowering trees and brilliant bulb flowers. See the National Cherry Blossom Parade from premium reserved seats. Celebrate with a 'Pink' cruise and entertainment on the historic Potomac. Visit the famous places and sites renowned throughout the country and around the globe.

### DAY 1 – Arrivals

Arrive at Baltimore Washington International Airport and meet our full time escort. Depart on the motorcoach transfer and check in to our hotel. Enjoy a welcome dinner this evening where the wonderful food is reminiscent of dining in a Tuscan villa 'La Dolce Vita'. **Marriott Tysons Corner, Tysons Corner, VA (D)**

### Day Two – Washington, DC

Breakfast is included at our hotels each morning. This morning, we begin with a photo stop at The White House and White House Visitor Center. Continue to Capitol Hill for a tour of the U.S. Capitol Building, the Library of Congress, and the Supreme Court Building. There will be time for a lite lunch on own while on Capitol Hill. In mid-afternoon, we'll board our Signature Pink Cruise on the Odyssey III Cruise Ship to enjoy a wonderful buffet meal and entertainment. This is a time to proudly wear pink, celebrating our Pink Cruise and the National Cherry Blossom Festival. Return to dockside and continue with a 'Pink Tied Stroll' and photo opportunity among the Japanese cherry trees (pending Mother Nature's bloom time). See the Martin Luther King, Jr. National Memorial, the Franklin D. Roosevelt Memorial, and the Jefferson Memorial. Later, we'll stop for a quick snack on own at Union Station before continuing with an Illuminated Monument Driving Tour of the famous sites in our Nation's Capital. **Marriott Tysons Corner, Tysons Corner, VA (B,L)**

### Day Three – Washington, DC

Today, we arrive for our premium reserved grandstand seating at the National Cherry Blossom Parade. This is the area where the parade units stop and perform for the TV cameras. After the parade, we'll visit the Newseum, the only interactive museum of the news. Later this afternoon, visit the National Archives and see the original Declaration of Independence, Constitution, and the Bill of Rights. Continue with a stop at the National World War II Memorial. Dinner is included at The Boulevard Woodgrill before we return to the hotel for the evening. **Marriott Tysons Corner, Tysons Corner, VA (B,D)**

### Day Four – Washington, DC

Our motorcoach takes us to Arlington National Cemetery today to see the Changing of the Guards at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldiers. Stop at the Marine Corps Memorial (Iwo Jima statue), the United States Air Force Memorial, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, the Lincoln Memorial, and the Korean War Veterans Memorial. After lunch on own on the National Mall, visit your choice of the museums of the Smithsonian Institution. Later, we depart for historic Georgetown to enjoy dinner on the waterfront. After dinner, take a walking tour through the Kennedy Center. **Marriott Tysons Corner, Tysons Corner, VA (B,D)**

### Day Five – Baltimore, Philadelphia

This morning, we check out and depart for Baltimore to tour Fort McHenry and participate in the flag raising ceremony. Stop for free time and lunch on own at the renowned Inner Harbor of Baltimore. This afternoon, take a guided tour of Baltimore and its historic neighborhoods. Visit Camden Yards and see the Babe Ruth Birthplace. Continue to Philadelphia. Stop and enjoy dinner included. Arrive in Philadelphia and check in to our midtown hotel. **Holiday Inn Express Midtown, Philadelphia, PA (B,D)**

### Day Six – Philadelphia

Begin with a tour of the National Constitution Center; and then it's time for lunch on own at The Bourse. After lunch, our Philadelphia guide will take us on a tour of America's most historic square mile. We'll see Carpenter's Hall, Independence Hall (inside tour), the Liberty Bell, Betsy Ross House, Franklin's Grave site, and much more! This evening, enjoy dinner at historic City Tavern, where Benjamin Franklin will join us while dining. **Holiday Inn Express Midtown, Philadelphia, PA (B,D)**

### Day Seven – Lancaster, Gettysburg

This morning, we check out and depart for an Amish Farmlands Excursion in Lancaster County, Pennsylvania. See a film about the Amish Experience and enjoy an Amish buggy ride. Lunch is a bountiful, scrumptious, downhome Amish family style feast. After lunch, continue to Gettysburg and check in to our hotel to rest and freshen up before we depart for dinner. Enjoy dinner in a historic inn built nineteen years before the signing of the Declaration of Independence. Abraham Lincoln will join us while we're dining. **Courtyard, Gettysburg, PA (B,L,D)**

### Day Eight – Gettysburg, Departures

After lunch and checking out, depart for a tour of the Gettysburg Museum. See the film 'A New Birth of Freedom' and the Cyclorama Center. Meet our guide and continue with a tour of Gettysburg Battlefield. Return to the Visitor Center and enjoy lunch on your own in the Refreshment Saloon. This afternoon, we'll visit the Dwight. D. Eisenhower Home and Farm before departing for Baltimore Washington International Airport and your flights home. **(B)**

**\$1,989 per person double; \$2,499 per person single**

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*A limited number of pre-night and post-night rooms are available. Please inquire at time of booking.*

**Tour includes:** 7 nights accommodation, baggage handling, 7 hotel breakfasts, 1 lunch, 1 lunch cruise, 6 dinners, airport transfers, motorcoach transportation, Premium Cherry Blossom Parade seating, admissions, full time escort, and guide service as stated in the itinerary, **except gratuity for Escort, Driver, and Local Guide Service is NOT included. Airport portage is NOT included.**

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