

Nashville, Branson and Memphis



AN OLD TIME CHRISTMAS - ALL COACH
November 15 - December 02, 2024

HIGHLIGHTS

Churchill Downs Track & Museum
Louisville Slugger Museum & Factory
Tour
Dollywood Theme Park
Dixie Stampede Dinner Show
Private Live Performance in Nashville
Country Music Hall of Fame & RCA
Studio B Tour
Grand Ole Opry
Elvis Presley's Graceland Platinum Tour

Branson City Tour
The Amazing Texas Tenors Matinee Show
Clay Cooper's Country Music Evening Show
"Miracle of Christmas" at Sight & Sound
Theatre
Down Home Country Morning Show
Presley's Country Jubilee Evening Show
Showboat Branson Belle
Haygood's Evening Show
The beautiful Smoky & Ozark Mountains

INCLUDES

17 Nights' Accommodation
Multi Night Stays in Gatlinburg,
Nashville & Branson
Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
Baggage Handling – 1 per person
All Breakfasts (many continentals)
& All Dinners

Day 1 – Saskatchewan to Winnipeg/Fargo

North coach passengers will travel Highway 16 east picking up along the way en route to Winnipeg. The south coach will travel south crossing into North Dakota and spend the night in Fargo.

Day 2 – Winnipeg/Fargo to Minneapolis/Eau Claire

Travel day heading south.

Day 3 – All Coaches to Bloomington, IL

From country to city on today's drive.

Day 4 – Bloomington to Louisville, KY

The highlight of the day will be the **Louisville Slugger Museum & Factory Tour**. The museum celebrates the

extraordinary role Louisville Slugger baseball bats have played in the sport's past, present and future. From the forest to the field, you'll follow the time that's turned into hard-hitting history.

Day 5 – Louisville to Gatlinburg, TN

First stop will be at **Churchill Downs** for a visit to the **Kentucky Derby Museum**. From there, pass through the Lexington Bluegrass Region and the Smoky Mountains on the way to Gatlinburg, your home for the next two nights. This evening, visit **Dolly Parton's Stampede Dinner & Show** for a unique experience.



Kentucky Derby Museum



Grand Ole Opry



The Presley's Country Christmas Jubilee Show

Day 6 – Gatlinburg

A fun-filled afternoon at **Dollywood**, where there's music, shows, crafts, displays, and Chasing Rainbows, Dolly's very own museum. After dinner stay awhile to enjoy the 4 million or so lights throughout the park.

Day 7 – Gatlinburg to Nashville

Upon arrival into Nashville, the Music City, will be the **Nashville Visitor's Center** where we will be personally greeted and given an overview of Nashville. The remainder of the afternoon is yours to explore on own in downtown Nashville. This evening, enjoy a **private dinner and live music** by local singer/songwriter **James Dean Hicks** who is an amazing and sought after Nashville songwriter. His songs have been recorded by the biggest artists in the world including Blake Shelton, Kenney Chesney, Reba McEntyre and Alison Krauss.

Day 8 – Nashville

A free morning to relax or maybe head back downtown to see more sights. After lunch, it's off to the **Opryland Hotel** for a self guided tour. You've seen your favourite country artists perform here on TV or heard them on the radio and tonight you will see them live at the **Grand Ole Opry**. This will be an evening to remember!

Day 9 – Nashville

Today starts with a tour of the famous **RCA Studio B** which is the oldest surviving recording studio in Nashville and one of the most famous studios in the world. Then it's over to visit the **Country Music Hall of Fame**. This museum is home to thousands of priceless artifacts, images, and sounds that have inspired young and old from around the globe.

Day 10 – Nashville to Memphis

This morning, it's off to the Land of the Blues, Memphis and a fabulous **Elvis Experience Tour & Airplanes at Graceland**, legendary home of The King, the late, great Elvis Presley.

Day 11 – Memphis to Branson, MO

Today we travel through the beautiful **Ozark Mountains** to your home for the next four nights, Branson. First up **The Presley's Country Christmas Jubilee Evening Show**. The Presley's Country Jubilee Show is the perfect country gospel variety show. The show features the popular Presley family, a troupe of local musical legends who have performed in the Ozarks for four generations. Combining hilarious comedy and classic country music, Presley's Country Jubilee is a must-see endeavor!

Day 12 – Branson

This morning, we will take in some of the local sights of Branson. Enjoy a free afternoon to relax or take in an optional show. We will close out the evening with the **"Miracle of Christmas"** at the **Sight & Sound Theatre**. The Miracle of Christmas story starts with Joseph and Mary of Nazareth during their trials they go through leading up to the birth of Jesus of Bethlehem. See how the Nazareth townspeople betray them and the Roman rule of Herod and his soldiers as they threaten to destroy their way of living. The play comes to life as it is partnered with trained live animals that are housed on-site. Filled with beautiful costumes throughout the entire cast as the shepherds and kings travel on camels to present gifts to Jesus.

Day 13 – Branson

This morning will be **The Down Home Country Morning Show**. This wonderful country morning show will have you singing and dancing along to all your favorite hits. The show features a mixture of all the best and most spirited genres: Classic Country, Gospel music, and Western Swing all expertly performed in one show. After lunch the show will be "Deep in the Heart of Christmas" with the **Amazing Texas Tenors Matinee Show**. The breathtaking vocals you will experience at the Texas Tenors show create an amazing time in the Ozarks! Their musical style incorporates pop, classical, and more.



"Miracle of Christmas" Production



Clay Cooper's Country Christmas Music Express Show



Showboat Branson Belle

This evening's show will be **Clay Cooper's Country Christmas Music Express**. A live band and live music on the stage helps to create one of the most unforgettable shows of the year. A troupe of 24 seasoned entertainers brings a high-energy variety show that will have the whole audience tapping their toes, laughing and singing along to the music. Featured performers include a group of 11 dancers; and Colt and Caden Cooper, Clay's sons, who are beginning to follow in their father's footsteps. This show features rock n roll, classic country rock, and other live music backed by a talented band who truly take pride in performing awesome Clay Cooper songs for Branson.

Day 14 – Branson

The last morning in Branson is at leisure to catch up on some rest, go shopping, or take in an optional show. This afternoon, enjoy a fabulous **Christmas Dinner Cruise** on the **Showboat Branson Belle**. This classic showboat-style activity transports guests to the days of paddleboats along the Mississippi River right on Table Rock Lake. A great Branson dinner cruise allows guests to relax and unwind while enjoying amazing sightseeing opportunities along the sparkling Table Rock Lake. As well as offering panoramic views of picturesque scenery, these cruises also feature energetic entertainment that will impress and delight and delicious meals that will make your mouth water. We will close out the evening with **The Haygood's Evening Show**. This family-friendly presentation features a variety of spirited music that will have the whole crowd toe-tapping to the beat. It is entirely live, featuring a multitude of 20 instruments each played by a member of this six-piece group full of talent. It also features state-of-the-art light and sound, stunning visual elements, beautiful costumes, intricately woven harmonies, dancing, and tons of energy. Whether fans like to jam out to country music, country rock vibes, or revel in watching them performing their amazing choreography or seeing the special effects, there is something to be enjoyed by everyone each night.

Day 15 – Branson to St. Joseph

After all the non-stop excitement, it will be nice to sit back and relax on the journey back home. Once we arrive in St Joseph, there's a guided tour of the **Pony Express Museum**, a transport museum documenting the history of the Pony Express, the first fast mail line across the North American continent from the Missouri River to the Pacific Coast.

Day 16 – St Joseph to Watertown, SD

After a day of travelling, the stop overnight is in Watertown, South Dakota. This evening, join your fellow travellers, tour director and bus driver for a **WestWorld Tours Farewell Dinner** and show (you may even find yourself assisting with the entertainment).

Day 17 - Watertown to Minot, ND/Winnipeg, MB

After a duty free stop the North Coach heads for Winnipeg and the South Coach will continue to Minot.

Day 18 - Winnipeg/Minot to Saskatchewan

This is the last day of the tour as both coaches make their way to Saskatchewan.

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All prices are per person and include all taxes and fees.

Not included in price:

- Gratuities for Tour Directors and Driver
- Meals and activities not specified in the itinerary
- Any personal expenses
- Travel Insurance
- Pre or post tour accommodation



WestWorld Tours & Women Xplorers have partnered with **Trees4Travel**. Two trees will be planted for each passenger to help reduce the carbon emissions produced by this tour.