



CAREN'S CHARTERS, INC.



February 2018

Iceland March 11-17, 2018

Go to an amazing land where there is lots to discover, and where **Northern Lights** are often seen! Iceland is warmed by the Gulf Stream, and has a temperate climate. It is a Nordic nation, one using Geothermal power, a country of geysers, hot springs, volcanoes and glaciers! Contrasts, beauty, and amazing wonders await! More details listed on carenscharters.com

We're on our way! SOLD OUT!

If you think you would like to join us in Iceland, we are working on another trip for the summer of **2019**. Let us know you are interested, since we do sell out quickly!



CALENDAR

Includes but not limited to:

March 11-17 Iceland

April 5 Wonders of Wildlife

April 17-18 Spring In the Ozarks

June 12 Mansfield

June 21-July 3 Newfoundland and Labrador

Aug. 8 Arrow Rock Lyceum

Sept. 21 Arrow Rock Lyceum

Oct. 14-19 Fall Foliage Tour

Nov 14-16 Branson

Dec 7-9 Festive Festivities

Dec. 14-17 Holiday In NYC

2019 Back to Iceland

2020 Oberammergau

Not all trips included

More to come!

Wonders of Wildlife April 5, 2018

Travel in comfort to Springfield. We'll stop for lunch before our timed entrance to **both sides** of Wonders of Wildlife voted America's **number one attraction**. Fully immersive wildlife galleries transport you to the wildest places on earth, plus showcasing the history of the conservation movement. Experience a world-class aquarium adventure featuring 1.5 million gallons of freshwater and saltwater habitats teeming with 35,000 live fish, mammals, reptiles, amphibians and birds.

DATE: Thursday, April 5 COST: \$123 per person

INCLUDES: deluxe transportation, refreshments, bountiful lunch admissions to BOTH museums

Spring In the Ozarks April 17-18, 2018

Get ready to enjoy the fantastic beauty of the Ozarks and wonders of **SAMSON!**



Day 1: Tuesday, April 17

Morning departure with refreshments served on board our deluxe motor coach. We leave in time for you to have some free time at The Landing before our next stop, a tram ride thru Dogwood Canyon. **Dogwood Canyon** is a nature lover's paradise of 10,000 acres and crystal-clear streams, cascading waterfalls, ancient burial caves, unique hand-built bridges and blue-green pools. The spring-fed streams hold record trout, and the high meadows that reach into Arkansas provide pasture for small resident herds of longhorn cattle, whitetail deer, American bison, and elk. We'll have dinner in a covered area in the canyon! Then, we are off to **Sight and Sound Theatre** for their new production of **SAMSON**. Productions are always magnificent with live animals and innovative staging techniques!

Day 2: Wednesday, April 18

Wake up to another day in the beautiful Ozarks! Enjoy extended continental breakfast at our hotel. New in Branson is the Ferris Wheel that overlooked the Chicago Navy Pier. Just like in Chicago, you get a tremendous view as you ride the very slowly, turning wheel. This is optional! Free time afterwards to shop or have lunch on your own. After lunch, ride the rails when we board the **vintage Branson Scenic train** thru Ozark foothills and tunnels. Experience the luxury of rail travel from yesteryear.



INCLUDES: Deluxe motorcoach transportation and professional driver, escorted tour with Caren's Charters, refreshments en route, one night hotel lodging, admission, tram ride, and visit in Dogwood Canyon, dinner served in the Canyon, extended continental breakfast, reserved seats for **SAMSON** at Sight and Sound Theater, Ferris Wheel ride, Vintage Train ride

COST: **\$299** per person double occ.+ **\$38** pp enhanced Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance
\$350 per person single occ. + **\$38** pp enhanced Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance

DUE NOW: **full amount** or \$100 deposit, which includes the insurance (non-refundable premium)
 REMAINDER DUE: on or before March 16

Did you get our 2018 Trip Alert?

If not and you wish to receive future information, **send us your correct e-mail address**. This is used *only* for Caren's Charters.

Mansfield Tuesday June 12, 2018

Surrounded by trees and serenity, visit the Laura Ingalls Wilder home where she wrote her memoirs about being a little girl growing up during pioneer times. We'll actually see Laura's two homes, plus lots of memorabilia about Laura and her equally famous daughter.

We will also visit the **Baker Seed Company**, an amazing and unique seed farm, see trial gardens and an authentic **pioneer village**. Located on the original Rippee farm, reputed to be the longest lasting homestead in Missouri, the Baker Creek Seed Store now stands where the family's market garden once was. Along with the Store, there is an old-time mercantile, herbal apothecary, a natural bakery, garden museum, a Western jail, a native rock oven, seed warehouses, and **many heritage breeds of historic poultry and livestock**. It is a full day of fun, beauty and glimpse back at pioneer life.

COST: **\$125** per person

INCLUDES: transportation, escorted tour, admissions, refreshments and lunch

Newfoundland and Labrador June 21 - July 3

Abbreviations: B = Breakfast L = Lunch D = Dinner

Day 1: Thursday, June 21

Meet at Kansas City International Airport to begin our adventure. Escorted tour.

Day 2: Friday, June 22

Arrive at the **Deer Lake Regional Airport** where we shall meet our local tour guide and driver. Transfer to our Deer Lake hotel, where we shall spend the first night of our tour.

Day 3: Saturday, June 23 (B,D)

Travel thru **Gros Morne National Park** – to which we will return later - to the fishing community of **Port**

au Choix and **Port au Choix National Historic Site**. For over 5,500 years, this small peninsula on Newfoundland's Great Northern Peninsula has been the crossroads of various native North American and European cultures. The area's rich marine resources, plus forests, wild game and abundant berries, have always drawn people to the shores of Port au Choix.

Day 4: Sunday, June 24 (B,D)

Board the **ferry from St. Barbe** to cross the Strait of Belle Isle to Labrador. Visit the once busy port of **Red Bay National Historic Site** (now a UNESCO World Heritage Site). Right and bowhead whales, once plentiful in the waters of coastal Labrador, attracted whalers from the Basque country (northern Spain and southern France) during the 16th century resulting in a thriving industry based on the production of whale oil for export to Europe.

Day 5: Monday, June 25 (B,D)

Return to Newfoundland and the first world's UNESCO site, **L'Anse aux Meadows National Historic**

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Newfoundland and Labrador Continued

Site. Vikings lived here over a thousand years ago. The reconstructions of three Norse buildings are the focal point of this archaeological site, the earliest known European settlement in the New World. Exhibits highlight the Viking lifestyle, artifacts, and the archaeological discovery of the site. Tonight, evening of food and fun at the **Great Viking Feast at Leifsbudir!**

Day 6: Tuesday, June 26 (B,D)

Morning **whale watching boat tour** (weather permitting) on the scenic coastal waters off St. Anthony - Iceberg Alley. This area has the largest concentration of icebergs in Newfoundland and

is **one of the best locations in North America for whale watching.** It is also inhabited by some of nature's most fascinating **sea caves and bird life** - bald eagles, black guillemots and arctic terns. At the **Grenfell Historic Properties,**

learn about the famous medical missionary, **Sir Wilfred Grenfell,** before traveling to Rocky Harbour in **Gros Morne National Park** where you will spend two nights.

Day 7: Wednesday, June 27 (B, Box L, D)

Today, discover one of the highlights of your tour, **Gros Morne National Park.** The park provides a rare example of the process of continental drift, where deep ocean crust and the rocks of the earth's mantle lie exposed. Most recent glacial action has resulted in some spectacular scenery, with coastal lowland, alpine plateau, fjords, glacial valleys, sheer cliffs, waterfalls and many pristine lakes. Enjoy a **scenic boat tour** (weather permitting) as you learn the geology of the **Tablelands,** look for the bald eagles that frequent the skies above deep waters of the fjord, and hear the history of the small villages nestled on the



shores. It is an unforgettable experience. Some say the scenery is unequaled in eastern Canada.

Day 8: Thursday, June 28 (B,D)

Have your camera ready in **Gros Morne National Park!** Visit the **Lobster Cove Lighthouse** which has marked the marine approach to Rocky Harbour and the entrance of Bonne Bay since 1897. The lighthouse is still run by the Canadian Coast Guard, and wait 'til you see the lightkeeper's house. Then "Come From Away" to **Gander.** Discover how aviation has played a crucial role in the development of Gander at the **North Atlantic Aviation Museum.**

Day 9: Friday, June 29 (B,D)

A scenic drive along the rocky coast of Notre Dame Bay leads to the beautiful outport of **Twillingate** where the sea was the **resident's only road.**

Twillingate embodies **stunning coastline, historical, picturesque**

streets, culturally-rich entertainment

and peaceful country roads. It is one of

Newfoundland's oldest seaports. **Long Point Lighthouse** which overlooks Twillingate Harbor is perched 300 feet above the sea. Before returning to Gander for the evening, we'll explore both the **Twillingate Museum** and the **Prime Berth Fishing Museum.**

Day 10: Saturday, June 30 (B,D)

Visit **Terra Nova National Park,** the most easterly of Canada's beautiful national parks. Prehistoric peoples and European settlers depended on it's abundant natural resources for at least 5,000 years, as do many people in the region today. Keep your camera close at hand for wildlife along the way to **Cape Bonavista Lighthouse Provincial Historic Site.** Later visit the charming town of **Trinity with it's historic buildings,** such

Newfoundland and Labrador Continued

as a typical 20th century rural merchant's house and a counting house. We then continue on to our **Clareville** hotel for the night.

Day 11: Sunday, July 1 (B,D)

Rising spectacularly from the water's edge, St. John's combines a modern city with small town hospitality. During a **city tour**, see the quaint side streets of a thousand colours, the Victorian architecture of the downtown area, the busy modern waterfront, the Cathedral of St. John the Baptist, Confederation building, charming Quidi Vidi village and the panoramic view from **Signal Hill National Historic Site**. We stay in St. John's for two nights.

Day 12: Monday, July 2 (B,D)

Travel to **Bay Bulls** for one of the highlights of our trip, a boat tour on the clear blue water of **Witless Bay Ecological Reserve** (weather permitting). Witless Bay is alive with the rhythm of



beating wings and breaching whales. The reserve contains North America's largest Atlantic puffin colony more than 260,000 pairs of the province's official bird nest here during the late spring and summer. Later visit the **Cape Spear National Historic Site** located at the most easterly point of land in North America. Enjoy some free time before our farewell dinner.

Day 13: Tuesday, July 3 (B)

Transfer to the **St. John's International Airport** where we say farewell to our new friends, our local guide and driver. Our tour ends in Kansas City airport today with many fond memories of our time in Newfoundland & Labrador.

INCLUDES: Airfare to Newfoundland and return, currently tour starts in MCI (Kansas City International), other airports in different cities available, ask for details. Escorted tour, knowledgeable, informative local guide and driver while in Newfoundland, 12 nights' accommodation, motorcoach transportation from arrival in Deer Lake on Day 2 to departure Day 13, 22 meals (10 Dinners; 1 Boxed Lunch; 11 Breakfasts), admissions and fees associated with all sightseeing referenced in itinerary, handling of one suitcase per person

DOES NOT INCLUDE:
Any luggage or extra fees imposed by airlines, meals other than those mentioned in the price includes section above, optional sightseeing admissions, items of a personal nature, travel Insurance (available and recommended). All trip costs are non-refundable,

Passport costs (Must have valid passport, for 6 months after our return date), customary gratuity to escorts, guide and driver

COST: \$5,450 double occupancy + **\$430** per person Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance

\$6,035 per person single occupancy + **\$470** per person Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance

DEPOSIT: \$650 per person - Due Now which includes insurance

\$1500 due April 20, 2018

Remainder due May 10, 2018

The trip is non-refundable, as suppliers are paid in advance and the trip insurance premium is not refundable. Should a passenger have to cancel for proven medical reasons, all trip monies are refunded via the insurance company, minus the premium. Money for lost baggage, trip interruptions and other benefits are included in the insurance.

Arrow Rock August 8, 2018

Always fun! Arrow Rock mixes the old with the new. Join us for a new show in the Lyceum for great quality entertainment and we'll be eating in a new location, just for fun! You'll have your choice of entrée plus salad and dessert when we eat in a converted house turned elegant restaurant right on Main Street.

The 39 Steps – Mystery. Rated PG.

Mix a Hitchcock masterpiece with a juicy spy novel, add a dash of Monty Python and you have the thrilling, riotously funny whodunit for anyone who loves the magic of theatre. This 2-time Tony® and Drama Desk Award-winning treat is packed with nonstop laughs, over 150 zany characters (played by a ridiculously talented cast of 4), an on-stage plane crash, handcuffs, missing fingers and some good old-fashioned romance! A man with a boring life meets a woman with a thick accent who says she's a spy. When he takes her home, she is murdered. Soon, a mysterious organization called "The 39 Steps" is hot on the trail in a nationwide manhunt that climaxes in a death-defying finale! A riotous blend of virtuoso performances and wildly inventive stagecraft, "The 39 Steps" amounts to an unforgettable evening of pure theatrical pleasure!

DATE: Wednesday, August 8 TIME: approx. 9:30am - 6:30pm

COST: \$120 per person

INCLUDES: refreshments, deluxe transportation, marvelous lunch, and reserved seats for the show

Arrow Rock September 21, 2018

Honkey Tonk Angels – Musical. Rated PG.

Relax in the country and see a fantastic show! The creator of *Always...Patsy Cline* combines over 30 classic country tunes with a hilarious story about three gutsy gals who are determined to better their lives and follow their dreams to Nashville. The all-hit song list includes *I'll Fly Away*, *Stand by Your Man*, *9 to 5*, *Coal Miner's Daughter*, *Ode to Billy Jo*, *These Boots Are Made for Walking*, *Rocky Top*, and *I Will Always Love You*. This charming, foot-stompin' musical has played to sold-out audiences across the country.

Lunch will be served in wonderfully historic Huston's. It's warm atmosphere and down home cooking make it an all-time favorite.



DATE: Friday, September 21

TIME: approx. 9:30am - 6:30pm

COST: \$120 per person

INCLUDES: refreshments, deluxe transportation, marvelous lunch, and reserved seats for the show

Fall Foliage "Pumpkin Patch" Tour Oct. 14-19, 2018

Abbreviations: B = Breakfast L = Lunch D = Dinner



Day 1: Sunday, October 14 – (D)

Meet at Kansas City International airport to begin our escorted adventure! Once we arrive on the East Coast, our local guide and driver will meet us and whisk us off to freshen up at our hotel before our evening's events. Dinner at a local restaurant. After dinner is the highlight of your tour; the **Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular**. *"Named a "Top 100 Event" by the American Bus Association, the Jack-O-Lantern Spectacular features expertly carved pumpkins lining the pathways and trails of the Roger Williams Park Zoo. This gourd-geous display of artistry, creativity, and wonderment showcases thousands of professionally designed jack-o-lanterns, all arranged with whimsical and seasonal theatricality. The event consists of more than 5,000 jack-o-lanterns and has earned rave reviews as one of the country's finest displays of holiday artistry."* – Quote excerpted from Rhode Island CVB site.

Day 2: Monday, October 15 (B,L,D)

7:30am Breakfast included this morning. We arrive at a **cranberry bog** this morning and tour an actual **Ocean Spray** co-op cranberry farm. Learn about wet harvests, dry harvests, how the bogs are pollinated, the standards of the industry, and how these are met and **see an actual wet harvest in progress**. Box lunch included as we travel to America's Hometown – **Plymouth**. There will be a photo stop at Plymouth Rock before we visit **Plymouth Plantation**. Plymouth Plantation

offers a fascinating look at the lives of the Native Wampanoag people and the pilgrims who lived in early Plymouth colony. **We have included a traditional Thanksgiving feast!**

Day 3: Tuesday, October 16 – (B,L,D)

Expanded continental breakfast included this morning. Ride **Amtrak's Downeaster Train** from just north of Boston to Maine. Relax and enjoy the scenery on our trip northward! Our motorcoach will be waiting for us along with our local Maine guide when we arrive. We'll be touring the coastal villages of **Kennebunk** and **Kennebunkport**. Drive past the sandy beaches and rocky coastline, past the George Bush estate at Walker's Point. Hear the history of these ship building towns and the legend of the Wedding Cake House - a home with Gothic styling and ornamentations that make it look like a wedding cake dripping with frosting. Some free time for shopping and lunch on your own in the **Dock Square** area of Kennebunkport. Today we will pass through **Ogunquit** and, if time permits, walk along the beach and put your feet in the sand. The Indian translation is "beautiful place by the sea". A **classic downeast lobsterbake dinner with sing-a-long entertainment** is in store for you tonight! Other entree options besides lobster available.



Day 4: Wednesday, October 17 (B,L,D)

Expanded continental breakfast at your leisure at the hotel. You will have time to have a **photo stop** at a **Maine lighthouse** as we travel to New

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Fall Foliage Continued

Hampshire. We meet our local guide for the day at the station in North Conway. In the mid-morning arrive at the **Conway Scenic Railway** for boarding of your train. On the **Notch Train** you'll travel on what was once Maine Central Railroad's famed Mountain Division line with tracks that were laid in the 1870s. Enjoy some of the most dramatic natural scenery in the East as you travel through spectacular **Crawford Notch** - past sheer bluffs, steep ravines, cascading brooks and streams, panoramic mountain vistas, across Frankenstein Trestle and Willey Brook Bridge - en-route to Crawford and Fabyan Stations. A box lunch is included aboard the train.



Travel the scenic **White Mountains** of New Hampshire to visit **Rock's Estate** and then the Conservation Center for the Society for the Protection of New Hampshire Forests. Here you will enjoy a presentation on the moose and bear. "This HANDS-ON experience includes facts and stories about two of the region's most often encountered animals. Exhibits include antlers, pelts and skulls. Moose and bears are regularly spotted in northern New Hampshire, but rarely do people stop to think about what the animals are doing, how much room they need to live, and how we can best live with these animals. This presentation will follow both species in a year of their life cycles to see what they are doing at certain times of the year, as well as how they interact with each other and with humans. Find out how to spot bear signs, like the bite or scratch marks seen on a tree or telephone pole; discuss

fun facts like bear nests and bear hooting. Also learn some of the reasons moose stay in ponds and lakes so often - are they relaxing, swimming or eating?" - Quote excerpted from internet site. Check in at our New Hampshire hotel in the late afternoon. Dinner is included this evening at a local restaurant, Mountain Club on Loon Resort.

Day 5: Thursday, October 18 - (B)

Full breakfast at your leisure at the hotel. Meet our local guide at our hotel for a full day of touring. Ride the **Cog Railway**, the world's first mountain-climbing cog railway, before having **Cog soup** and make your own sandwich lunch. Visit **Fadden's General Store**. "Authentic, old-fashioned general store, family-owned since 1896! On-site maple sugar house, 5-time winner of "Best Maple Syrup in New Hampshire". Groceries, souvenirs, and the area's largest selection of maple syrup and maple sugar products." - Quote excerpted from an internet site. Dinner on your own this evening at the hotel's restaurant.

Day 6: Friday, October 19 - (B)

Full breakfast at your leisure at the hotel. Meet our local guide and travel to Winnepesaukee. Board your lake cruise boat and enjoy a scenic one-way ride on **Lake Winnepesaukee** (one of the largest lakes enclosed in one state) aboard the 230ft **MS Mount Washington**. Your journey on the ship brings you to the port of Wolfeboro, the **oldest summer resort in America**. Lunch on your own and shopping in the delightful lakeside resort town of Wolfeboro before we depart for our airport and home.



Fall Foliage Continued

INCLUDES: Round trip airfare from Kansas City (other cities/airports may be available), 5 nights of accommodations with roundtrip baggage handling. Hotels include The Omni, Meadowmere Resort in Ogunquit, and The Mountain Club on Loon Resort. 5 breakfasts, 3 lunches, 4 dinners, Jack O' Lantern Spectacular, Cranberry Bog Tour, Plymouth Rock, Plymoth Plantation, Amtrak's Downeaster Train to Maine, Photo stop of a Maine Lighthouse, Kennebunkport and Kennebunk Tour, Conway Scenic Railway, Cog Railway, Rock's Estate Bear and Moose Presentation, Fadden's General Store, all touring and Local Step On Guides as listed above, luxury motor coach for tour while on East Coast
 NOT INCLUDED: Any baggage fees imposed by airlines, customary escort, guides, driver gratuities

COST: **\$2,470** double occupancy + **\$193** pp Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance
\$2,634 Single occupancy + **\$225** pp Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance

DEPOSIT: **full amount any time** or \$400 to hold spot, which includes insurance premium.

SECOND PAYMENT: \$1,500 due August 10

FINAL PAYMENT: remainder due September 10

The trip is non-refundable, as suppliers are paid in advance and the trip insurance premium is not refundable. Should a passenger have to cancel for proven medical reasons, all trip monies are refunded via the insurance company, minus the premium. Money for lost baggage, trip interruptions and other benefits are included in the insurance.

Are you a chocolate lover?

We are still working on our chocolate trip for this year. Send us your email address and keep an eye out for updates on the website. Last year's trip is still under the "Tours - Regional" section on the website if you would like to whet your appetite.

Germany 2020

It looks like a trip to Germany is in the works, but there's still a bit of time to plan. The highlight of our trip will be the famous Passion Play performed by Oberammergau.

"In 1633 the Oberammergau villagers promised to perform the suffering, death and resurrection of Christ every tenth year, in so far as no one was to die of the plague anymore. The villagers were answered by God and therefore in 1634 the first Passion Play took place. The promise has been kept until today. In 2020 the 42nd Passion Play will take place in Oberammergau."

- Taken from the Oberammergau Passion Play website

We value your input! Are there other locations in Europe we could include with Germany that would entice you to join us?!

Please send us a current email address to receive our updates.

We're looking forward to having you travel with us!

Festive Festivities December 7-9, 2018

Start your Christmas celebration by experiencing old-world customs, entertainment, and hospitality from Poland, Greece, and Ireland yet close to home. View more than 100 Gingerbread houses before freshening up into our hotel. Continue the day's celebration with **A Madrigal Christmas**

Feast Dinner glittering costumes of the Renaissance, singing and food.

Day two increases the excitement with tours of dazzling trees and a forest of poinsettias, lunch in a Ukrainian café, and a performance of **The Christmas Carol Musical** with special guest, Charles Dickens' grandson.

Day three begins with the Irish Christmas at Father Flanagan's Boy's Town. We follow with shopping time in the picturesque Old Market and lunch on your own. Our celebration is highlighted this afternoon with the full Omaha Symphony's **Omaha Christmas Celebration Show**, featuring **Broadway** stars and dancers. Expected return to Kansas City is approximately 8:00 pm.

INCLUDES: deluxe transportation, professional driver, refreshments, escorted tour, baggage handling, 2 nights hotel, 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 2 special dinners, admissions to tree display, gingerbread, poinsettia garden display, Polish house, Father Flanagan's Boy's Town, city tour of Omaha, tour of Greek Orthodox Church, Ukrainian presentation, reservations and seats for Christmas Carol, Madrigal Feast & Christmas Celebration show.

COST: **\$490** per person double occupancy + **\$40** pp Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance
\$620 per person single occupancy + **\$40** pp Travel Interruption & Cancellation Insurance

Holiday In New York City December 14-17, 2018

Save the date! Seeing the city in holiday mode is beautiful! We are working on a City Center trip, which includes a hotel centrally located in the heart of Times Square! 2 Broadway shows plus The Rockettes, National Geographic Ocean Encounter, tours and lots more fun!



Travel Tips

Future Trips

Which are your favorites? Let me know! We have lots of trips in the planning stages. Watch the website, newsletters, and postcards for new trips! We look forward to seeing you on a tour soon!

Be the First

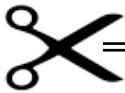
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Write the name of the trip and your phone number on the check. Multiple day trips to be paid in full may be combined in one check. **Don't combine payments for separate overnight trips.**

Trip Name: _____ Date: _____

Name(s): _____ Home Phone: (required) _____ Cell: _____

Street Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

E-mail Address: _____

Will you be celebrating a birthday or anniversary? Yes or No (circle one)

Medical or dietary concerns: _____

Preferred Pickup Point -

Check your preference (Pickup point is not guaranteed, but is chosen dependent upon # of passengers)

___ 133rd St & State Line Rd, KC, MO

___ Belton, MO en route to Branson

___ 9000 Metcalf Ave, Overland Park, KS

___ Independence, MO location

___ KCKS Community College, 7250 State Ave, KC, KS in parking lot on east side of Continuing Education Bldg

\$ _____ Deposit enclosed per person

\$ _____ Insurance per person (overnight trips ONLY) Are you taking travel insurance? YES or NO (circle one)
For maximum coverage, insurance premium must be paid with the initial deposit and is non-refundable

\$ _____ TOTAL amount enclosed

NOTE: A phone number required to confirm reservations.
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Tipping

Meals that are part of the tour include gratuities. Tips are not included in the package price. Caren Hall does accept tips for excellent service and tips are appreciated. Your driver also welcomes your tip. Thank you!

Cancellation Policy - Trip Cancellation Insurance

Trip reservations are non-refundable as suppliers are paid in advance. Any refunds for day trips are based on recoverable costs. Trip cancellation insurance is available and recommended for overnight trips. For maximum coverage, insurance premium must be paid with the initial deposit. In the event that a traveler must cancel their trip, trip costs are refunded via the insurance company for provable medical reasons minus the non-refundable insurance premium. Persons deemed harmful to themselves, others, or trip quality may be removed with transportation home at their own expense. Caren's Charters, Inc. reserves the right to make changes as necessary to preserve the integrity of the trip.

Final Itineraries

For overnight trips, itineraries will be sent out 2-3 weeks following final payment, but prior to the trip.

Reservations Made at Payment

Reservations are made in order of receipt of payment. One check per overnight trip. If tour is sold out, your payment will be returned to you. It is your responsibility to send multiple payments in on time. No invoices will be sent. So mark your calendar.

Passport Required

You must have a current passport for *all trips outside the United States!* Government regulations state that passports must be valid for 6 months after our return date.

Fuel/Tax/Exchange Rates

Cost is based on current fuel/tax/exchange rates. Should there be a significant difference in the rates, there may be a slight cost increase.

If you are no longer traveling, please contact us so we can remove your name from our mailing list.

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