



Tuesday, Dec 1: Minnesota to Davenport, IA (D)

We're hittin' the road with comfort stops along the way to experience the sights and sounds of a Classic Country Christmas! Our first overnight will be in Davenport, IA where we will have a pizza party to share in the company of our new friends.

Wednesday, Dec 2: Davenport, IA to Nashville, TN (B)

Breakfast starts our day before we head to Nashville with comfort stops along the way. We will arrive at the majestic and luxurious Gaylord Opryland Hotel where we will be surrounded by 9 acres of indoor gardens, a winding river, pathways and sparkling waterfalls where you can unwind, explore, shop, dine and be entertained to your heart's content for the next 4 nights!

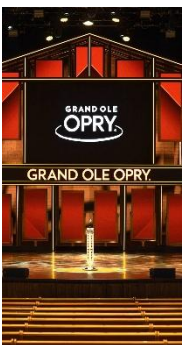
Thursday, Dec 3: Nashville, TN (B,D)

Today following breakfast, we will experience a unique tour with our singing step on guides, who will take us through historic downtown, Music Row, Honky Tonk Row, Bicentennial Park, the State Capitol, Centennial Park, the Parthenon, plus so much more! We will have lunch on our own with time to shop and explore! This afternoon we will tour the Johnny Cash Museum before heading back to our Hotel for dinner and a fabulous Christmas Show!



Friday, Dec 4: Nashville, TN (B, D)

We start our day with breakfast at our hotel before we visit the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum. Rhinestone costumes, seasoned instruments and tear-stained lyric sheets are just some of the priceless artifacts you will find inside this incredible music museum. Enjoy lunch on your own before getting ready for our afternoon at the Grand Ole Opry backstage tour. There's nothing like a backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry House; it's a must-see for everyone in Music City! Walk in the footsteps of country music's superstars and get an exclusive look at what happens behind the scenes of the show that made country music famous! Hear stories about the Opry and country music greats, past and present - from Minnie Pearl to Carrie Underwood, and see photos from the Opry's biggest moments in history, and much more. Tonight's evening entertainment is under the stars and on the water for dinner and show aboard the General Jackson Showboat. Here you will experience some of Nashville's premiere country musicians and singers, beautiful Christmas scenery, and the colorful costumes that accentuate and set the stage for these exceptional country voices and bona-fide country pickers.



Saturday, Dec 5: Nashville, TN (B)

Today we're off to Nashville's premier historic site, The Hermitage, was once home to our 7th U.S. President, Andrew Jackson, from 1804 until his death in 1845. Remodeled by Jackson after a fire destroyed much of

it in 1837, the mansion, in which more than 80 percent of the object are original to Jackson's lifetime. On the acres surrounding the mansion are the humble log homes where the enslaved community lived and where the Jackson family first settled. After our visit, we will have time to relax at our hotel and take a ride of the Delta Flatboats. This evening, we are off to the Grand Ole Opry to see the show!

Sunday, Dec 6: Nashville, TN to Rockford, IL (B,D)

After breakfast we leave Nashville behind, as we head to Rockford, IL with comfort stops along the way. Tonight we will enjoy our farewell dinner together.

Monday, Dec 7: Rockford, IL to Home (B)

Enjoy breakfast before we head home with memories of our fabulous Country Christmas in Nashville. A perfect time to chat with your friends about all the fun things you've done, the great sights you've seen, and where your next trip will take you! One final stop brings us to a cheese shop to get those last-minute Christmas stocking gifts before we get home!



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