

O'Shea Travels presents a special group departure

# Follow Me Back To Ireland 2019

## July 6–16, 2019

**\$3,799** LAND & AIR per person, based on double occupancy (minimum 25 traveling)  
Single Room Supplement \$725

Optional Travel Protection Insurance \$199 per person

**Save \$100.00 when paying by Cash or Check before December 31, 2018!**

**\*\*Musical Guest: Frank Keegan & Billy Coleman**

### Tour Includes:

- Exclusive transport by luxury motorcoach with a driver/guide
- Meet and greet service with one group transfer upon arrival and departure at the airport
- Hotel accommodation based on twin bedded rooms with private bath as listed for 10 nights
- Full breakfasts (10)
- Table d'hôte dinners (6)
- Welcome get-together drink
- Guided tour of Belfast
- Guided walking tour of Derry
- Irish coffee at Foynes Flying Boat Museum & South Pole Inn
- Falconry at Mt. Juliet Estate
- Visits and admission fees to: Glenveagh National Park, Donegal Castle, Slieve League, Triona Design, Creevykeel Court Tomb, Tobernault: Mass Rock & Holy Well, Old Middleton Distillery
- Hotel portorage, service charges and government taxes
- Flight bags, ticket wallets, baggage tags and identifying strap

#### HOTELS – 10 Nights

Everglades Hotel | Derry (2)

Central Hotel | Donegal (2)

Westport Plaza Hotel | Westport (1)

Rose Hotel | Tralee (2)

Mount Juliet Estate | Kilkenny (2)



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# Follow Me Back To Ireland 2019 Tour Itinerary

## Saturday, July 6 DEPART THE UNITED STATES

Depart your hometown and take an overnight flight across the Atlantic to start your vacation.

## Sunday, July 7 DUBLIN ARRIVAL, BELFAST & DERRY

Land at Dublin Airport, complete customs and immigration formalities before meeting your CIE Tours driver/guide, who will welcome you to Ireland. Have breakfast at the Man O'War Pub and Restaurant before driving north to Belfast where you will embark on a guided tour. See the Albert Memorial, the Opera House and Crown Liquor Saloon. In Donegall Square view the imposing City Hall, completed in 1906. The richly decorated interior contains stained glass portraying Belfast's principal industries. Continue to Derry where you will check into your hotel and have some time to relax. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a welcome drink before dinner in the hotel restaurant.

*Dinner & Overnight: Everglades Hotel, Derry*

## Monday, July 8 DERRY WALK

This morning, join a local guide for a walking tour of Derry. Stroll around the ancient city to see the Guildhall, St. Columb's Cathedral, the Diamond and the 16th century walls. In the afternoon, drive to the Inishowen Peninsula and travel the 100-mile route which mainly follows the coastline and provides wonderful views. Stop in Buncrana, the peninsula's largest town. Drive to the rugged promontory of Malin Head, Ireland's most northerly point. This spectacular headland offers distant views of the Scottish islands of Islay and Jura on a clear day. Travel back to your hotel and enjoy a free evening.

*Overnight: Everglades Hotel, Derry*

## Tuesday, July 9 DONEGAL CASTLE

Leave Derry and motor a short distance to visit Glenveagh National Park, which provides shelter for an amazing collection of exotic plants from all over the world. Continue on to visit Donegal Castle, which incorporates the gabled tower of a 15th century house built by the O'Donnell family. Partially restored, the castle reflects a long and turbulent history. Then check into your hotel for dinner and your overnight stay.

*Dinner & Overnight: Central Hotel, Donegal*

## Wednesday, July 10 SLIEVE LEAGUE & TRIONA DESIGNS

After breakfast, travel a short distance to visit Slieve League Sea Cliffs, where the highest point reaches 1,972 feet making them the highest in Europe. The cliffs drop straight down to the wild Atlantic waves below and you will see marvelous vistas. Next, head to Ardara to see demonstrations of spinning, weaving and knitting at Triona Designs. Return to Donegal, where you can sightsee, shop and dine on your own.

*Overnight: Central Hotel, Donegal*

## Thursday, July 11 TOBERNAULT: MASS ROCK & HOLY WELL

Leave Donegal this morning and travel south into Sligo. Visit Creevykeel Court Tomb, which date back to the Neolithic period. Continue to visit Mass Rock and Holy Well at Tobernauld, a unique place to reflect and pray.

St. Patrick is said to have put his hand on the rock as he knelt down and prayed. Travel to Westport so you can check into your hotel. You may wish to relax or freshen up before dinner with your group.

*Dinner & Overnight: Westport Plaza Hotel, Westport*

## Friday, July 12 FOYNES MUSEUM

Leaving Westport, head to Flying Boat Museum, which recalls the early days of air travel. Irish coffee was first created here to warm frozen, weary travelers and you will learn how to make a perfect one and then drink it. Continue your drive into Tralee, where you will check into your hotel for dinner and overnight stay.

*Dinner & Overnight: Rose Hotel, Tralee*

## Saturday, July 13 DINGLE PENINSULA DRIVE

Today, discover the beauties of the Dingle Peninsula, once described by the National Geographic Traveler as "the most beautiful place on earth." Drive along the south shore of the peninsula for plenty of vistas of heathery mountains, sandy stretches of beach, stunning green landscapes and rocky headlands. Pause at strategic locations to admire the views and take photos. Continue on to Sleah Head at the western tip of the peninsula. This excursion will give you excellent views of mountains and coastline and looking over to the Iveragh Peninsula. Next, travel to the village of Annascaul, where you will stop at the South Pole Inn and learn about the Antarctic explorer, Tom Crean. Return to Tralee after dinner to enjoy a free evening.

*Overnight: Rose Hotel, Tralee*

## Sunday, July 14 OLD MIDDLETON & MOUNT JULIET

Depart Tralee and travel through the rugged countryside to Middleton. Visit the Old Middleton Distillery to better learn about the fine whiskey. At the end of your tour, enjoy a sampling of the finished product. Continue to Kilkenny, where you will check into Mount Juliet Estate, your 5\* home for the next two nights. You will have some time on your own before a superb hotel dinner.

*Dinner & Overnight: Mount Juliet Estate, Kilkenny*

## Monday, July 15 FALCONRY

After breakfast, see a falconry demonstration at Mount Juliet Estate. Watch beautiful captive bred birds such as falcons, hawks and owls perform skilled tasks for their handler. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure for you to enjoy all of the activities Mount Juliet has to offer. You may wish to go horseback riding or fishing; play a round of golf or relax in the spa. The group will also have the option of heading to central Kilkenny for time to sightsee or shop. Tonight, join your group for a farewell dinner in the hotel restaurant.

*Dinner & Overnight: Mount Juliet Estate, Kilkenny*

## Tuesday, July 16 RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES

Transfer to Dublin Airport in good time to check in for your flight. You may do some last minute shopping at the duty free stores before boarding your aircraft and flying across the Atlantic Ocean back to the United States.

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**For reservations, please complete the form below and include your non-refundable deposit of \$250 per person. Optional Trip Protection Insurance is additional at \$199 per person and is also due at the time of deposit.**

Full name of passenger (must match passport) \_\_\_\_\_

Nationality \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ Gender:  M  F

Inbound Flight Arrival Details \_\_\_\_\_ Outbound Departure Details \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Room:  1 BED  2 BEDS If sharing a TWIN room, provide name of roommate \_\_\_\_\_ (N/A if no roommate)

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_  I would like the Optional Trip Protection Insurance. \$199 payment is enclosed.

City/State/Zip \_\_\_\_\_  I am enclosing a deposit check for \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Phone \_\_\_\_\_  I am paying via credit card. Please charge \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone \_\_\_\_\_  Visa  Mastercard  American Express  Discover

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