

SOUTHWEST WONDERS 8 Days: March 27 - April 3, 2023



WHAT'S INCLUDED:

- Pick up at your door (Greater Victoria & Vancouver)
- Roundtrip airfare to/from Victoria or Vancouver
- Airline baggage fees for one checked bag
- 14 Meals
- All ground transportation on deluxe charter vehicle
- **Hoover Dam**
- Mohave Museum of History and Art
- Train in Luxury Class to the Grand Canyon

- Tour of the Grand Canyon National Park
- **Bell Rock**
- Airport Mesa
- Tuba City and the Painted Desert
- Monument Valley
- Page and Lake Powell
- Zion National Park
- Luggage handling at hotels
- All mandatory fees and taxes
- Gratuities on included meals
- Services of a professional Tour Director
- **Gratuities for Tour Director & Driver**

HOTELS:

Day 1

Park MGM, Las Vegas, NV

Day 2-3

Grand Canyon Railway & Hotel, Williams, AZ

Day 4

Arabella Hotel, Sedona, AZ

Day 5

Goulding's Lodge, Monument Valley, UT

Day 6-7

Holiday Inn Express, Zion Park, UT

Complimentary home pickup/return - Travel that starts at your door!

Day 1 - Monday, March 27, 2023 - Home to Las Vegas, NV

This morning depart for the glittering lights of Las Vegas where you can indulge to your hearts content – shopping, gambling and entertainment. Check into your hotel on the Strip and get to know your Tour Director and fellow travellers at a welcome dinner. Later, stroll down the Strip and be entertained by the Bellagio Dancing Fountains. Today's dinner is included



Day 2 - Tuesday, March 28, 2023 - Las Vegas - Williams, AZ After breakfast, we leave behind the glitter and glamour and venture into natural and historical wonders as we visit Hoover dam, located in the Black Canyon of the Colorado River on the border between Nevada and Arizona. This afternoon we traverse a preserved portion of the Main Street of America – Route 66. From Chicago to the West Coast the Mother Road crossed eight US states and was one of the original routes of the US highway system. Stopping at the Mohave Museum of History and Art in Kingman we learn about the heritage of Northwestern Arizona. Later arrive in

Williams also known as the "Gateway to the Grand Canyon" and check into an old-world train station inspired hotel in this charming town with a big heart.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner are included.

DAY 3 - WEDNESDAY, MARCH 29, 2023 - WILLIAMS

This morning you will board a historic train with restored cars leaving from the Grand Canyon Railway station to the edge of the Canyon. Enjoy spectacular views from the luxury dome as the terrain changes from desert to prairie, and prairie to pine. Arrive at the South Rim of the Grand Canyon in time for lunch and a short walk right up to the edge of the Canyon. Spend some time touring and exploring in Grand Canyon National Park before return to Williams for the night.

Today's breakfast and lunch are included

Day 4 - Thursday, March 30, 2023 -WILLIAMS - SEDONA

This morning we travel to the resort city of Sedona 4,500 feet above sea level. Known as "Red Rock Country" the Sedona area is famous for its red rock formations and evergreen vegetation. You will discover the natural beauty of the Southwestern United States and more with a visit to Bell Rock and Airport Mesa, and a stop at the Chapel of the Holy Cross built into a tall rock spire. As you soak up the scenery learn about Sedona's history and fascinating geology. This evening rest and relax at a charming hotel nestled amongst Sedona's stunning Red Rock monoliths

Today's breakfast and dinner are included



DAY 5 - FRIDAY, MARCH 31, 2023 - SEDONA - MONUMENT VALLEY

Leaving Sedona behind we travel north through the community of Flag Staff and on to Tuba City in the Painted Desert, a region known for its brilliant and varied colors. In Tuba City, one of the larger centers of the Navajo Nation, stop at the historic Tuba City Trading Post, which dates to 1905. Here you will find authentic Navajo sandpaintings, rugs, jewelry, and pottery. Learn a little more about the Navajo before departing for one of the most photographed places on earth – Monument Valley. Situated on the border of Arizona and Utah the valley showcases sandstone rock formations sculpted by nature and reaching up to 1,000 feet high. Touring the famous 17-mile loop you will see many of the famous monuments such as The East and West Mittens, John Ford's Point and Three Sisters. Tonight, relax and enjoy your own private viewpoint from your room overlooking the valley.

Today's breakfast and dinner are included

DAY 6 - SATURDAY, APRIL 1, 2023 - MONUMENT VALLEY TO ZION

After the sun rises and breakfast at Monument Valley, we continue our journey with a stop in the town of Page. Page was established in 1957 as a temporary work camp for builders of the Glen Canyon Dam. The Dam was long since completed but the people stayed. And it's not hard to see why as you view the spectacular red buttes and mesas set against blue skies and capped by miles of blue shoreline on Lake Powell. Later today we arrive in Springdale, Utah -The gateway to Zion National Park and your home for the next two nights.

Today's breakfast is included



Day 7 - Sunday, April 2, 2023 - Zion

Today we explore Zion National Park's famous canyon. The canyon is a deep and narrow gorge nearly 2,000 feet deep in places. Starting with a visit to the Zion Canyon Visitor Center you will have the opportunity to explore the canyon using the National Park's shuttle system. Enjoy the stunning scenery along the route including views of Angel's Landing, Great White Throne and other park landmarks. At the Temple of Sinawava, the Riverside Walk commences. This one-mile paved trail is a

popular short hike ending at one of the park's most iconic sites, the Zion Narrows. This evening join your Tour Director and new found friends for a farewell dinner at a popular local restaurant.

Today's breakfast and dinner are included

DAY 8 - MONDAY, APRIL 3, 2023 - ZION TO HOME

This morning we drive back to Las Vegas to board a flight back home with incredible photos, memories, and stories of the iconic wonders of the Southwest!

Today's breakfast is included





Tour Policies:

Early Booking: A \$250 early booking discount is offered off the first 10 seats booked and \$100 is offered off the next 10 until Dec 26, 2022.

Deposit and Payment: A \$400 deposit per person is required at booking or booking may be cancelled. Full payment is required by Jan 23, 2023

Airfare: Airfare has been included at our preferred group rate. For airfare, space should be reserved by Dec 26, 2022. After that date airfare at this rate may be limited or tour price with air may be higher. Should you wish to book your own flights, price will be reduced by \$650.

Price Changes: In the event of significant changes in taxes or surcharges by suppliers or local government Mile Zero Tours reserves the right to increase price up until final payment is made.

Cancellation Policy: Full refund less \$50 per person admin fee if cancelled before December 26, 2022, from December 26-January 23, 2023 non-refundable amount increases to \$150. After January 23, 2023 only 35% is refundable and after February 25, 2023 only 15% is refundable. There are no refunds offered after March 13, 2023. We strongly recommend purchasing trip cancellation insurance as Mile Zero Tours cannot issue refunds, no matter the reason, beyond the scope of the abovementioned policy.

Terms of Travel: Please also review our <u>Terms of Travel</u> before booking.

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