



LEBCO – PASR Presents:

“MASSACHUSETTS!”

Monday, October 13 – Friday, October 17, 2025

Departing Lebanon Lowe's at 5:30 AM on October 13 ~ **Returning** Approximately 9:35 PM on October 17, 2025
Departing Palmyra Walmart at 6:05 AM on October 13 ~ **Returning** Approximately 9:00 PM on October 17, 2025

DAY ONE: Monday, October 13, 2025:

Welcome to Massachusetts!

Your first stop will be for an included lunch at a railroad theme restaurant in central Massachusetts. ***The Steaming Tender Restaurant*** is located inside the original Palmer Union Station - where 7 railroads once merged, you'll enjoy a fabulous meal surrounded with memorabilia!

Travel a short distance to ***Old Sturbridge Village*** and enjoy the largest outdoor history museum in the Northeast, where you'll journey through time to a rural New England town of the 1830s. See more than 40 authentic buildings, each carefully researched, restored, and brought to the museum site from towns throughout New England. These include homes, meetinghouses, a district school, country store, bank, law office, printing office, carding mill, sawmill, gristmill, pottery, blacksmith shop, shoe shop, and cooper shop. Authentically costumed staff carry out the daily activities of an early 19th-century community. Wander country roads and visit with a farmer plowing fields, listen to the blacksmith's rhythmic hammering, or smell the aroma of bread baking in a fireplace oven.

Check in to the ***Comfort Inn in Sturbridge, Massachusetts*** for your overnight stay. Hotel has an onsite lounge.

Tonight's Included American Heritage dinner will be served in colonial style at the historic ***Publick House Restaurant*** in Sturbridge.

DAY TWO: Tuesday, October 14, 2025:

Enjoy an ***included breakfast buffet*** this morning at the hotel before departing for your next destination.

Travel to Sutton MA where you'll tour the ***Vaillancourt Folk Art studio***. Whether you are looking for Chalkware Rabbits, Chalkware Santas or other holiday collections, Vaillancourt Folk Art has been recognized around the nation for their highly detailed, hand-painted figurines, ornaments, and other collectibles. Operating in their Sutton, Massachusetts studios since 1984, Vaillancourt Folk Art is the original company to produce Chalkware figurines using antique chocolate molds. Available around the country in department stores, museum stores, catalogs and small mom-and-pop shops, Vaillancourt Folk Art operates with the goal to start your family's tradition by creating that one special gift that will be handed down for generations. This is a fascinating stop! Every ornament is hand painted, and you see the painting and process done on your tour.

Next you will travel to Boston's ***Quincy Market*** for free time or shopping and lunch on own.

Depart and travel to ***The Marriott Boston/Quincy*** for your ***four-night stay***. Located in the South Shore area in Quincy and close to Boston. Their contemporary renovated rooms



offer plush pillowtop beds and a mini fridge. Hotel offers an onsite Restaurant and Lounge as well as an indoor heated pool.

Prior to dinner you will visit the new ***View Boston Observatory*** atop downtown Boston's Prudential Tower. This 52nd story observatory affords a 360-degree view of Boston, and it is said that on clear days you can see the mountains of New Hampshire and Cape Cod, some 50 miles away. There is also a wonderful immersive 7-minute theater presentation and imaginative selfie experiences - get "The Big Picture" while you're there and see what Boston looks like with snow!



Dinner included this evening at a Local Favorite.

DAY THREE: Wednesday, October 15, 2025:

Enjoy an ***included breakfast buffet*** this morning at the hotel before making your way to the coast of Massachusetts where the first harvest meal was enjoyed ~ Plymouth, Massachusetts.

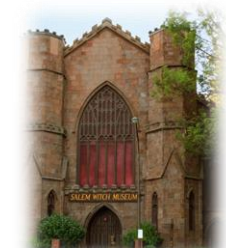


You will step back to 1620 when you tour the historic ***Plimoth Plantation***, a 17th century English village. See how everyday tasks were performed, including how a timber frame house was built. Talk with Pilgrims in 1627 Village and experience their day-to-day lives. Visit a Wampanoag Indian Homesite and see how this people lived in the 17th century and how they live today. In the Crafts Center, you will see how many 17th-century goods were hand-crafted and you'll be able to purchase many of these reproductions! At the exhibition barn, you'll learn about the heritage breed animals of Plimoth Plantation and even see some direct descendants of the original 17th-century stock! Aboard the Mayflower II, you'll see how the Pilgrims traveled from England to the New World.



This afternoon you will ***dine with a pilgrim*** at a ***traditional turkey buffet lunch*** included at the Plantation.

Next, you'll be off to visit ***a Cranberry Bog*** for an authentic Cranberry bog experience where you'll learn about harvesting cranberries. Your guide will discuss the yearly cycle of cranberry growing, discuss the methods of harvesting and give you some insight on being a wet harvest cranberry farmer. The tour also includes a dry sorting demonstration on their 1923 cranberry separator. Wet Harvesting may be taking place during the visit but this will not be guaranteed.



Return to the hotel to relax and freshen up for dinner.

Dinner included this evening at a local favorite.

DAY FOUR: Thursday, October 16, 2025:

Enjoy an ***included breakfast buffet*** this morning at the hotel before making your way to Salem.

Visit the ***Salem Witch Museum***, a multi-media presentation about the witch trials of 1692, examining the practice of witchcraft and the phenomenon of witch hunting. Secondary room showcases a timeline of 'witch hunting' through the Centuries, and some historical artifacts. You will experience the true happenings of the Witch Hunt through our exhibits and narration



Free time along the Salem waterfront and Pickering wharf to explore at your own pace and grab lunch on your own.

Next it is time to watch the performance of ***"Cry Innocent"***. The year is 1692. Bridget Bishop has been accused of witchcraft and the audience sits on the Puritan jury. They hear the historical testimonies, cross-examine the witnesses and decide the verdict. The actors respond in character to all comments and questions, revealing much about the Puritan mind. Play your part in history!



This afternoon, you'll tour ***The House of Seven Gables*** complex, a collection of period buildings including the oldest surviving mansion in America built in 1668 and Nathaniel Hawthorne's 1804 birthplace (author of *The Scarlet Letter*), plus seaside gardens and a spectacular panorama of Salem Harbor. The House of the Seven Gables is the most famous sight in the waterfront area, a rambling old mansion by the sea that served as inspiration for Hawthorne's novel of the same name.



Return to the hotel to relax and freshen up before your ***included dinner at the hotel.***

DAY FIVE: October 17, 2025:

Enjoy an ***included breakfast buffet*** this morning at the hotel before meeting your 18th century costumed guide for a ***driving tour of The Freedom Trail.*** Famous patriots such as James Otis, Abigail Adams and William Dawes lead visitors through the story of America's founding and the birth of our country's freedom. A standard tour covers the following sites: Boston Common, New State House, Park Street Church, Kings Chapel, the first public school site, the Old Corner Bookstore, Old South Meeting House, Old State House, Boston Massacre Site and Faneuil Hall. The tour includes 3 stops including Granary Burying Ground (Interior of the burying ground to see the graves of Paul Revere, John Hancock, Samuel Adams, the Boston Massacre victims, and many more), The North End to include Paul Revere's House and Old North Church and Bunker Hill Monument and Charlestown Navy Yard.



Travel a short distance to ***Time Out Market*** for lunch on own. Boston's innovative eating-and-drinking destination features the city's top chefs, most-talked-about restaurants and buzziest bars—plus the latest in arts and culture—all together in the heart of The Fenway. Bringing the best of the city's restaurants under one roof! A meal at Time Out Market Boston means you're truly digging your fork into the city's most delicious dishes, cooked by some of the most decorated chefs in all of New England.



On your travels home you will make a stop in ***Lexington*** to visit the ***North Bridge*** and the ***Minuteman Statue.***

Price per person:

Single: \$2498.00 **Double:** \$1971.00 **Triple:** \$1831.00 **Quad:** \$1737.00

Package Includes: Motorcoach Transportation; One nights' accommodations at Comfort Inn, Sturbridge, MA; Three nights' accommodations at Marriott Boston / Quincy, Quincy, MA; Two lunches including One Turkey Buffet "with a pilgrim"; Four Dinners; Admission to Old Sturbridge Village; Admission to Vaillancourt Folk Art with a gift for each guest; Admission to View Boston in the Prudential Center; Admission to Plimoth Plantation Museum; Cranberry Bog Tour; Admission to the Salem Witch Museum; Performance of Cry Innocent; Admission to the House of Seven Gables; Guided Tour of the Freedom Trail including The North Church and Paul Revere's House; Photo Stops at The North Bridge and the Minute Man Statue; Taxes and Gratuities including one local guide gratuity; Luggage service; and, Driver Gratuity.

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Final Payment due: XXXXXXXXXXXXXXXX

Cell Phone: 717-992-9181 (for morning of trip, only.)

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Reservation Form: Massachusetts ~ October 13- 17, 2025

Name(s): _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Home Phone: _____ Cell Phone: _____

of Seats: _____ Amount Enclosed: _____

Food Allergies: _____

Departing from: ☐ Palmyra ☐ Lebanon