



Polish Hillbillies Travel presents...

An Elvis Blue Christmas Plus Reindeer Games in Louisville

5 Days December 3-7, 2024

Join us in Memphis, TN and we will rock into the holidays with Elvis. Come see "The Lights at Graceland," enjoy the Presley home at Night, as it would have looked on Christmas Eve when the family lived there. Enjoy an Elvis Blue Christmas Dinner Show and a "Merry, Merry Mojo Tour" of Memphis with a local musician guide. This tour also includes two nights lodging at the Historic Brown Hotel in Louisville and Reindeer Games at the Kentucky Derby Museum.

Tour Highlights:

Memphis, TN

- Two Signature Elvis Events
 - Elvis Blue Christmas Dinner Show
 - Graceland at Christmas Private Evening Tour
- Two Nights Lodging Guest House at Graceland
- Merry Merry Mojo Tour including
 - Sun Studios & Memphis Rock n' Soul Museum

Louisville, KY

- Reindeer Games at Kentucky Derby Museum
- Two Nights at The Brown Hotel
- One Hot Brown and Derby Pie Dinner
- Mint Julep Lesson
- Carnegie Legends Museum

- Five Breakfasts
- Three Dinners
- All Taxes and Tips on the Above Services
- Luggage Handling (as available)
- Transportation via deluxe Motorcoach
- Departures from Bay City Meijer (Wilder Rd, Bay City MI)
& Saginaw Meijer (Tittabawassee Rd, Saginaw, Mi)

Per Person Prices:

\$1,430 DOUBLE

\$1,330 TRIPLE...\$1,280 QUAD...\$1,730 SINGLE

Requires \$100pp non-refundable deposit
Balance due 30 days prior

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Day 1 – Louisville, KY - Overnight at the Luxurious Brown Hotel - Hot Brown Dinner & Derby Pie - Mint Julep Lesson –

Enjoy breakfast this morning before a full day of travel to Louisville, KY. Check into the the Historic Brown Hotel for the night. A Legend, the Brown Hotel is beloved by generations of guests for its Georgian-Revival elegance and timeless Southern charm. The hotel also features fine dining as well as Brown Hotel Lobby Bar voted one of the Top 15 Bars in the World with live music nightly.

Tonight's "Hot Brown" dinner will be memorable. A dish that was invented here, in 1926, it is a culinary requisite on any visit to Louisville. It has been featured in the New York Times, the Wall Street Journal, the Los Angeles Time and dozens of other media outlets (and cookbook pages) since its' baked-to-perfection debut. Dinner is also accompanied by a slice of Kentucky Derby Pie. This evening also includes a lesson on how to make Louisville's signature cocktail the Mint Julep with a cocktail to sample. **(B,D)**

Day 2 - Carnegie Legends Museum – Memphis, TN- Graceland Hotel – Elvis Blue Christmas Holiday Concert -

After breakfast, depart for Memphis, TN, but first a stop is made at the Carnegie Legends Museum in Jackson, TN. Here in the alleys and honkytonks of Jackson a rich mixture of country music and blues, fueled by moonshine, created the setting where the first rock music (Rockabilly) was heard on planet earth. It was written and played here by Carl Perkins and others even before it was recorded it in Memphis.

Arrive this afternoon in Memphis where you check into the Guest House Hotel at Graceland for a two-night stay. Hotel has two full service restaurants, lounges, spa, shuttles (on your own) to downtown Memphis/Beale Street. There is nightly entertainment in the lobby lounge and free movies.

This evening, you join other tour groups for a plated Southern Meal, typical of Memphis & The Mississippi Delta complete with dessert at the Blue Christmas Holiday Dinner Show. Cash bar available. This feature event is an Elvis Holiday Tribute show with an Elvis Tribute Artist; live band, back-up singers, full stage lighting and sound! You'll hear such great songs as "Merry Christmas Baby", "White Christmas", "I'll Be Home For Christmas", and many other traditional Holiday Songs all performed in the classic Elvis-style including his title song "Blue Christmas". Plus, you can be sure a few of his greatest hits will be featured too. **(B,D)**

Day 3 - Merry Merry Mojo Tour – Graceland Private Evening Tour with BBQ Dinner –

Today, enjoy the Merry, Merry Mojo tour featuring a musician tour guide showing you the sights of the city while history sings. As you rock on down the road you will also visit Sun Studio's, the Birthplace of Rock n' Roll and walk the halls where Elvis, Jerry Lee, Johnny, Carl Perkins and a hundred others made music.

Also included is the Memphis Rock n' Soul Museum, a Smithsonian Institution, featuring the history Memphis Music.

It tells of the musical pioneers and legends of all racial and socio-economic backgrounds who, for the love of music, overcame obstacles to create the sounds that changed the world.

Tonight is the highlight of your tour. Typically, Graceland Mansion closes at 4:00pm, but by special arrangement, it is available exclusively to groups this evening for an experience not available to the General Public. The highlight of this evening is, of course, your visit to the Mansion. Holiday decorations just aren't the Same in daylight as they are at night.

You will see traditional lights and decorations including hundreds of blue lights along the driveway, a life-size Nativity scene and Santa on his sleigh. the interior is decked out in Christmas decor and includes his traditional red velvet drapes and the Presley family Christmas artifacts - just as they were displayed by Elvis.

The evening also includes a buffet dinner in the new Elvis Presley Memphis Complex. It's a Memphis Barbecue with buffets and tables in set locations. While here you will be able to tour the Presley Motors Automobile Museum where you are surrounded by an awesome collection of hot cars, motorcycles and toys. Plus, the Elvis the Entertainer Career Museum with artifacts: photos, Gold Records, Costumes. You also have time to see the Elvis Discovery Exhibits showcasing the influences, and important things in his life. **(B,D)**

Day 4 – Louisville, KY – “Reindeer Races” at Kentucky Derby Museum –

Overnight at the Luxurious Brown Hotel – Travel today returns you to Louisville, KY where this afternoon, you join in all the Reindeer Games at the Kentucky Derby Museum. It's a laugh-filled festive afternoon of Reindeer Racing. Everyone receives \$5,000 worth of \$ \$ Horsey Bucks \$\$ and a Reindeer Racing Program. You will notice immediately that all the Thoroughbred horses have been given Reindeer Names.

The emcee will provide you with handicapping tips so you can pick a winner. Then armed with insider advice, a racing program and a fist full of Holiday Money you make your bets just before the bell sounds. It's contagious excitement, you'll be cheering and laughing with your travelers as they yell "On Donner, On Blitzen . . . ho ho ho." The top three money winners (Win - Place - Show) receive silly prizes. Oh and everyone who wants, receives their own set of reindeer antlers to wear and keep for luck!

Return to the Brown Hotel for another overnight stay. Dinner is on your own this evening. **(B)**

Day 5 – Lights Under Louisville – Depart for Home –

This morning, before leaving Louisville, your bus will drive into the Mega Cavern for Lights Under Louisville Display. Every year the Cavern is transformed into an underground holiday light spectacular for the Christmas season. Sit back and enjoy a 30-minute. What better way to get in the holiday spirit than to witness more than 4,000,000 points of lights on over 900 displays! Following the tour, depart for home. **(B)**