

WONDERFUL WISCONSIN

FEATURING DOOR COUNTY, WISCONSIN
ONE OF THE TOP 10 VACATION
DESTINATIONS IN NORTH AMERICA!



With five state parks, eleven lighthouses and 300 miles of shoreline, this 70-mile long sliver of land that juts out into Lake Michigan combines pristine scenery with charming galleries and shops...we'll be accompanied by a local guide as we take it all in! Small wonder Door County was named one of the **TOP 10 VACATION DESTINATIONS** in North America. While in Door County, we'll stay in the Sturgeon Bay area and enjoy an 'all you can eat fish boil', a tour of Peninsula State Park, tour of Eagle Bluff Lighthouse, tour of the Bjorklunden Boynton Chapel, and a meal at Al Johnson's restaurant...look for the goats on the roof! In addition to visiting Door County, we will explore other parts of Wisconsin...a special visit to Lake Geneva, where we will stay at the Grand Geneva Resort, and take a ride on a US Mail Boat, complete with remarkable scenery and mail delivery—the mail girl must jump from the boat to the dock and back again...the boat never stops! We will also attend the Dancing Horses Theatre while in Lake Geneva. On the way to Door County, we will tour the Wisconsin Maritime Museum and tour the USS Cobia, the nation's most completely restored WWII submarine. Another special stop will be Fond du Lac...we'll visit St. Paul's Cathedral, enjoy a tour and entertainment at Larsen's Clydesdales, make a brief stop at the Rippen Good Cookie Outlet and then continue to Milwaukee for a riding tour, a stop at the Pabst Mansion and an ethnic tasting tour, too! On the way home, we will stop at Reiman Publications for a Taste of Home recipe demonstration with samples, and a visit to their Norman Rockwell exhibit. A preliminary day-by-day itinerary is included as well as information of some of the attractions we will be seeing.



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**Featuring Door County, Wisconsin...
rated one of the top 10 vacation destinations
in North America!**



Saturday, July 7

Depart Lexington SC today for Louisville KY. Overnight at the Drury Inn. You will enjoy adult beverages and light supper, included, starting at 5:30 pm. There is also a Bob Evans and Waffle House adjacent to the property and one block from the hotel is McDonalds and Olive Garden. (Manager's Reception, Light Supper)

Sunday, July 8

After breakfast, included, depart for St. Charles, IL. On the way we will stop at Fair Oaks, IN, to enjoy our tour and lunch, included, at the Fair Oaks Dairy Farm. A tour of this huge dairy operation includes interactive Dairy Museum, the 3D/4D movie, Milking Parlor, Birthing Barn – where 80-100 calves are born daily! See the cow barns (part of the bus tour) and the cheese and ice cream plant. Lunch included here will be shared platters of assorted sandwiches, cookies and iced tea or lemonade. We will arrive later this afternoon at tonight's destination, the Pheasant Run Resort in St. Charles. This full service hotel, the Midwest's largest resort, offers 473 rooms, 3 pools and 6 restaurants and lounges, board games, dominos and cards available through the Concierge/Entertainment Office. Dinner will be on your own. Optional activity: this resort has a live theatre and the show, "Some Enchanted Evening," will be available this evening. (Breakfast, Lunch)



Monday, July 9

Breakfast included, luggage out and check out. Depart for Lake Geneva this morning. Our first activity will be the US Mail Boat Tour – take a ride on the most exciting tour on Lake Geneva – the US Mail boat! An actual delivery to lakeshore homes, the Mail boat gives passengers a front row view to some of the most remarkable scenery in the Midwest. The unique mail delivery will have you on the edge of your seat – the boat never stops and the agile mail girl must jump from the boat to the dock and back again to make her appointed rounds. After the excitement of the tour, you will be hungry, so enjoy lunch on your own in one of the many excellent restaurants in downtown. This afternoon we will tour the Lake Geneva Museum. Walk along "Main Street" in the museum and get a closer look into historic stores, homes, a school room and more. You will also see turn of the century architectural styles, a log cabin with Potawatami tools and arrowhead collection, a blacksmith shop, a fire engine house with 1890 Hose Wagon, a telephone switchboard, a 1920's dental work station, general store and more. Also, this afternoon, you will experience a very different kind of dinner show... at the Dancing Horses Theatre. This dazzling spectacle features an array of horse breeds that perform alongside their trainers in this fantastic cavalcade of equestrian artistry. Visually stunning, and performed in a state-of-the-art theatre, this live show is truly a must see! Before dinner, enjoy a wagon ride through the green pastures to see the Arabian horses, around the pond to see the new ponies and the beautiful grounds. Also included is the Exotic Bird Show...these birds have been featured on Jay Leno and Animal Planet. Tonight we will stay at the beautiful Grand Geneva Resort in Lake Geneva. (Breakfast, Dinner)



Tuesday, July 10

Deluxe Continental Breakfast (with hot items) included. Today we will travel first to Kohler to explore the famous Kohler Design Center—you will be amazed at all the innovative displays! Next, it is on to Manitowoc. Lunch will be available in Manitowoc...you may want to try a specialty German hot dog topped with grilled onions, sauerkraut and melted swiss cheese, choice of side and a beverage! It's Big! After lunch, we will visit the Wisconsin Maritime Museum - with over 60,000 square feet of space, the Museum explores the rich maritime history of Wisconsin through exciting and interactive exhibits. (continued on page 2)

REMEMBER, "EXPECT SOMETHING SPECIAL WHEN YOU TRAVEL WITH CAROLINA TOURS!"

Also included will be a guided tour of USS Cobia, the nation's most completely restored WWII submarine; operate a triple-expansion steam engine; stroll the streets of a historic Great Lakes port; scan the harbor through a periscope; explore some of the spectacular boats made in Wisconsin; land a record setting salmon at the Sportfishing Simulator; and think like a scientist in our Suspect Species Investigation Lab! *The submarine is not fully accessible to wheelchairs, there is a video to watch for those who can't visit.* Late this afternoon, we will check in to the Bridgeport Waterfront Resort, located right on the bay in Sturgeon Bay, Door County!



This hotel, ranked #1 of all hotels in Sturgeon Bay, is located in the center of historic Sturgeon Bay with exceptional access to all of Door County, Wisconsin's quaint shops, award winning restaurants, scenic parks and wide variety of attractions. Bridgeport offers spacious one, two and three bedroom suites—with each guestroom featuring a whirlpool and a fireplace! And, we will be here for 2 nights! Dinner tonight is included and will be an All-You-Can-Eat Fish Boil. Gather around as you listen to the history of this tasty Door County tradition while the fish boiler tends to the flaming fire under the huge iron cauldron. Have your camera ready to capture the dramatic boil-over. Then enjoy freshly caught Lake Michigan white fish, onions and red skin potatoes, all with as much melted butter as you prefer...no skimping here. There will be another entrée selection for those not wanting fish. (Breakfast, Dinner)

Wednesday July 11

After breakfast, included, at the hotel, we'll meet our local step on guide to begin touring this beautiful area today. Your day will start with a tour of Peninsula State Park, featuring its rocky bluff ascending over 150 feet. The park has a rich heritage from Potawatomis and pioneers, to a girls' camp and state game farm. For the Peninsula Park



tour, you will make a few stops along the Niagara Escarpment for views of Green Bay. We will also tour one of Door County's historic lighthouses, "Eagle Bluff Lighthouse". You will see why this is one of the most photographed areas in Door County. There's one set of stairs at the lighthouse which is only 5-6 steps. The guide can assist with anyone needing help. The lighthouse tour is inside and on the main floor. Lunch today will be a special Swedish meatball lunch, included, in Sister Bay, at Al Johnson's Restaurant. Look for the goats on the roof! Menu includes Swedish meatballs served with Swedish lingonberries on the side, mashed potatoes, tossed salad, Swedish limpa bread & assorted Scandinavian crackers, cherry cheese pie for dessert, and choice of coffee or tea. After a

brief stop at a farmer's market in Sister's Bay, we will tour the Bjorklunden Boynton Chapel in Bailey's Harbor. Crafted in ancient Norwegian style, the Bjorklunden Chapel is ornately decorated with hand carved woodwork & 41 hand painted murals. The chapel is modeled after the Garmo stave church at Maihaugen in Lillehammer, Norway. Bjorklunden is a 425 acre estate just south of Bailey's Harbor and was bequeathed to Lawrence University by the Boynton Family. We will travel through Fish Creek with a little time for shopping and browsing the stores in Founder's Square before we return to Sturgeon Bay. The remainder of the evening will be free with restaurants in the vicinity. (Breakfast, Lunch)

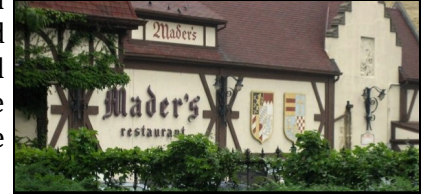
Thursday, July 12

Breakfast, included, at the hotel followed by departure for Milwaukee. We will spend some time in Fond du Lac, located on the shores of Lake Winnebago. While there, we will visit St. Paul's Cathedral. You will especially marvel at their beautiful stained glass windows. Also in Fond du Lac is Larson's Famous Clydesdales. This is one of the few places in the United States where you will see fourteen of the famous Clydesdales, up close and personal. You will enjoy a truly exciting, entertaining and fun guided tour, followed by a short grandstand show. Included in the show is the newest mascot, MacGregor, a great Scottie dog that you will want to take home! Following lunch on your own, we will visit the Rippin Good Cookie Outlet before continuing on to Milwaukee, where we will stay at the Doubletree Downtown for the next 2 nights. Dinner will be available in the vicinity. (Breakfast)



Friday, July 13

Breakfast, not included, we'll spend today experiencing "Europe in Milwaukee." Many people settled in Milwaukee in the mid to late 1800's, making it a true melting pot of different ethnicities and culture. You'll see the major influences the Germans, Irish, Polish and Italian immigrants had on the making of Milwaukee. Bring your appetite today! Our first stop will be at Pabst Mansion. On the National Register of Historic Homes, the Captain Frederick Pabst Mansion is a jewel of a bygone era. Built in 1892, the home has 37 rooms, 12 baths and 14 fireplaces. After the mansion tour, enjoy the Miller Coors Brewery Tour and then an included lunch at a local German favorite in Milwaukee, Mader's - a Milwaukee mainstay that has been voted the MOST FAMOUS GERMAN RESTAURANT in North America! Enjoy lunch; and, in addition to rustic German fare, you'll find a \$3 million collection of Medieval Germanic weaponry and a twenty-foot, hand carved oak table and captain's chairs that once graced Germany's famed Red Baron's castle. Late this afternoon, we will return to our hotel. You will have the remainder of the evening free to pack and have dinner (if you are hungry!) in the vicinity of the hotel. (Lunch)



Saturday, July 14

Have breakfast, not included, put luggage out and depart for Ohio. On the way we will visit Reiman Publications Visitor Center for a 'Taste of Home' recipe demonstration, tour the test kitchen, enjoy samples of the recipe demonstrated and leave with cooking knowledge from Taste of Home, the largest cooking magazine in the world. In addition, view a short video of the unusual history of Reiman Publications, visit the Norman Rockwell exhibit, stop for some chuckles in the world's only Limerick Hall of Fame, then head downstairs to the Taste of Home Outlet Store for some incredible bargains. Discount coupons will be given out to everyone. We will have lunch, not included, in route to Cincinnati, OH, where we will spend the night at the Embassy Suites in Blue Ash. You will enjoy their Manager's Reception, I'm sure, and dinner will be on your own in the hotel or nearby. (No meals)

Sunday, July 15

After breakfast, included, in our hotel we will depart for South Carolina! We will stop for breaks and lunch, not included, in route home. (Breakfast)

JOIN US ON OUR WONDERLAND WISCONSIN TOUR...

***ROUNDTRIP MOTOR COACH TRANSPORTATION**

***8 NIGHTS' ACCOMMODATIONS AND LUGGAGE HANDLING AS NEEDED,
INCLUDING:**

- 1 NIGHT IN LOUISVILLE, KENTUCKY**
- 1 NIGHT IN ST. CHARLES, ILLINOIS**
- 1 NIGHT IN LAKE GENEVA, WISCONSIN**
- 2 NIGHTS IN DOOR COUNTY, WISCONSIN**
- 2 NIGHTS IN MILWAUKEE, WISCONSIN**
- 1 NIGHT IN CINCINNATI, OHIO**

***ADMISSIONS, RESERVATIONS AND TOURS TO INCLUDE FAIR OAKS DAIRY FARM, LAKE CRUISE, US MAIL BOAT TOUR, LAKE GENEVA MUSEUM, DANCING HORSES FARM & SHOW, KOHLER DESIGN CENTER, & WISCONSIN MARITIME MUSEUM & USS COBIA, LARSON'S FAMOUS CLYDESDALES, ST. PAUL'S CATHEDRAL, & RIPPIN GOOD COOKIE OUTLET, *REIMAN PUBLICATIONS**

TOUR OF DOOR COUNTY TO INCLUDE PENINSULA STATE PARK, EAGLE BLUFF LIGHTHOUSE, AL JOHNSON'S, BJORKLUNDEN BOYNTON CHAPEL & FISH CREEK

***TOUR OF MILWAUKEE TO INCLUDE EUROPE IN MILWAUKEE RIDING AND TASTING TOUR, PABST MANSION, & MILLER COORS BREWERY TOUR**

***6 BREAKFASTS 6 LUNCH/DINNERS 2 MANAGERS' RECEPTIONS
*SERVICES OF TOUR DIRECTOR**

