

Direct Travel presents...

Washington, D.C., Niagara Falls & New York City

April 14 – 22, 2023




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9 Days • 11 Meals: 7 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 3 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... U.S. Capitol Building Tour, World War II Memorial, Arlington National Cemetery, White House Visitor Center, Smithsonian Institution, Choice on Tour, Duquesne Incline, Niagara Falls Cruise, Corning Museum of Glass, 9/11 Memorial & Museum

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1 – 3	The Westin Washington, D.C. Center, Washington D.C.
Day 4	DoubleTree by Hilton Hotel & Suites Pittsburgh, Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania
Days 5, 6	Sheraton on the Falls, Niagara Falls
Days 7, 8	Sheraton New York Times Square, New York, New York

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

VIRTUOSO EXCLUSIVE amenity

PER PERSON

\$100 credit toward Economy Air or Premium Economy / \$250 credit toward Business-Class Air

or

\$100 credit toward tour add-ons (anything beyond land package and waiver; including pre/post nights, pre/post tour extensions, optional excursions, etc.)

*These are combinable with any other offer in market.

*If land only and no pre/post or option purchase, the \$100 does not get credited towards anything else.

Day 1: Friday, April 14, 2023 Washington, D.C. - Tour Begins On a journey that takes you through Washington, D.C., Niagara Falls, and New York City, discover the quintessential sites of the East Coast. Your journey begins in the nation’s capital: Washington, D.C. Immerse yourself in the epic story of America.

Day 2: Saturday, April 15, 2023 Washington, D.C. Experience the seat of American democracy with a guided tour of the storied U.S. Capitol Visitor Center. Afterwards, take in the celebrated history of America’s capital on a tour with a local expert. Delight in wonderful views of the White House, National Mall, historic monuments, and famous museums. Along the way, you’ll stop at the moving World War II Memorial, the Vietnam Veterans Memorial, and the Korean War Memorial. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (B, D)

Day 3: Sunday, April 16, 2023 Washington, D.C. - Arlington, Virginia - Washington, D.C. Embark on a narrated tour of Arlington National Cemetery, taking you to the Tomb of the Unknowns and the John F. Kennedy gravesite. Then, get a glimpse into the life of the President when you visit the White House Visitor Center. Explore the history of legendary 1600 Pennsylvania Avenue and see artifacts from the White House collection. Then, **it’s your choice!** Step into the pages of history and uncover some of the treasures of the Smithsonian Institution with a visit to the National Air and Space Museum **-OR-** the National Museum of American History. Tonight you may choose to join an optional twilight tour of D.C. including dinner. (B)

Day 4: Monday, April 17, 2023 Washington, D.C. - Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania Head north towards Pittsburgh, a thriving city that sits at the junction of historic architecture and modern technology. In the early 20th century, Pittsburgh functioned as a booming industrial capital by producing steel. En route to the city, stop for lunch at a charming, historic tavern dating back to the 1700s. After arriving in “Steel City,” scale the side of Mt. Washington with a ride on the Duquesne Incline. Completed in 1877, this funicular and track were recently restored to carry travelers to the top of the lookout point. From the observation deck, marvel at the best view of Pittsburgh while learning about this illustrious city with a local guide. (B, L)

Day 5: Tuesday, April 18, 2023 Pittsburgh - Niagara Falls, Ontario, Canada As you journey to Niagara Falls, travel through the Great Lakes port of Erie, sheltered by Presque Isle Peninsula, a natural bay formed on the southeast shore of Lake Erie. Take in views of the lake on one side and Erie’s wine country, the largest grape-growing region east of the Rockies, on the other. This



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evening, enjoy dinner while admiring an awe-inspiring view of Niagara Falls. (B, D)

Day 6: Wednesday, April 19, 2023 Niagara Falls
 Experience the wonder of Niagara Falls from a different perspective when you embark on a boat cruise to the base of the falls.* Be amazed by the power of the falls as you witness the thundering water from up-close. This afternoon, enjoy some free time to discover the area on your own. (B)

Day 7: Thursday, April 20, 2023 Niagara Falls - Corning, New York, U.S.A. - New York City
 Travel back across the U.S. border to New York. En route to New York City, enjoy a visit to the Corning Museum of Glass. Dedicated to the art, history, and science of glass, this museum was established in 1951 and contains a world-renowned glass-working school. Not only does the museum hold the most comprehensive collection of glass in the world, it's also the site where the technology for the touch screen on the Apple iPhone was developed. After

Experience It! Niagara Falls

Whether you're seeking thrills, romance, natural beauty, or some combination of the three, Niagara Falls delivers all that and more. Considered the second largest waterfall in the world, the falls are a geological phenomenon that formed over 12,000 years ago. While referred to as one unit, Niagara actually consists of three distinct falls – Horseshoe Falls, American Falls, and Bridal Veil Falls. It's said that 3,160 tons of water flow over the falls every second, traveling at a steady rate of 25 mph. Stand in awe and quiet admiration of this natural wonder. For a true sensory experience, cruise the base of the falls and hear the roar of the cascading waters while being enveloped in a cooling mist.

your visit, continue on to New York City, “the city that never sleeps.” (B)

Day 8: Friday, April 21, 2023 New York City
 Welcome to New York, New York! After breakfast at a local diner, embrace the city's energy on a locally guided tour of the “Big Apple.” Find yourself in Greenwich Village, the Wall Street district, Chinatown, and Central Park. You'll see the Empire State Building and many other time-honored landmarks. Reflect at the 9/11 Memorial & Museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost. Tonight, gather for your final taste of New York City with a farewell dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Day 9: Saturday, April 22, 2023 New York City - Tour Ends
 Your tour comes to a close today. Depart with fantastic memories of the Eastern United States and Canada!

IDENTIFICATION

Travel within USA

For travel completed by May 2, 2023, all airlines will ask for identification when you check in. It is recommended that you carry a passport if you have one. A driver's license (with a photo I.D.) is also acceptable for domestic flights.

Effective for travel May 3, 2023 forward, the REAL ID Act standards for identification while travelling will be in effect. This means a standard issued driver's license used as a form of identification will no longer be accepted for domestic air travel within the United States. Instead, a Real ID compliant form of identification must be presented both at the time of booking air travel with Collette and upon checking in at the airport to board any flight. Any fees associated with changing a reservation resulting from a non-compliant identification will be the responsibility of the guest. For more information on Real ID, please visit the Department of Homeland Security website: <https://www.dhs.gov/real-id>

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

*The Niagara Falls boat cruise is available May through October. Departures in April will include the "Journey Behind the Falls" experience. Additionally, if there are weather issues that prevent the cruise from operating on any tour departure, it will be replaced with the "Journey Behind the Falls" experience.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

When reserving a triple room, please note it will have two double beds. Due to fire safety regulations, a rollaway bed cannot be brought into the room.

Effective immediately and through December 31, 2022 tour departures, **we require all guests to be fully vaccinated in order to participate in this tour.** Although destination entry requirements may differ, if you are unvaccinated, you will not be able to join us on this tour. All guests are required to bring proof of vaccination (official vaccination certificate in paper) on tour.

Destination-specific information may change frequently and without prior notice. It is very important that you **frequently check the entry/exit requirements for destination(s) visited on this tour**, to ensure that you are aware of any changes that may be applicable to your travel plans, including right up to your departure.



The overall activity level of this tour is a level 2. This means you like a balanced approach to travel. You feel confident walking at least 30-45 minutes at a time over a variety of terrains – from cobblestone streets to easy pathways; a couple of hills or a few flights of stairs. You're comfortable walking a few city blocks at a time, but need some time to unwind and relax.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$600 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Final payment due by February 13, 2023.

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 GROUP NAME: Direct Travel

DEPARTURE DATE: April 14, 2023

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Salutation: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____ Suffix: _____
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Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 **MUST** be accompanied by an adult.

Washington, D.C.



DC Twilight Tour

\$85 USD

Savor the cuisine of Washington, D.C. during dinner at a local restaurant before heading out for a spectacular twilight tour of our nation's capital. See the dramatic monuments and memorials that this beautiful city is known for illuminated against the darkened sky. Stops will be made at beloved icons such as the Jefferson Memorial, the Martin Luther King Jr. Memorial and the Lincoln Memorial. The experience of seeing these famous landmarks as darkness falls is certain to be the highlight of your visit to Washington, D.C. *Duration: Approximately 4 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)

Salutation: _____ First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____ Nickname: _____
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.) (Please print EXACTLY as it appears on Passport) (Jr., Sr.)

✓	Option	Price Per Person (USD)
✓	DC Twilight Tour	85.00

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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

AIR GATEWAY: Departure airport for this tour: _____

Air Seat Request: () Aisle () Window () Next To Traveling Companion

Collette cannot guarantee your seat preference. If you have not purchased air through Collette and wish to purchase transfers, you must transfer at our pre-scheduled times. Please be advised, when travelling as part of a group, many airlines do not provide seat assignments. Preferred seating may be available for an additional charge.

"Federal law forbids carriage of hazardous materials such as aerosols, fireworks, lithium batteries & flammable liquids aboard the aircraft in your checked or carry-on baggage. A violation can result in 5 years' imprisonment and penalties of \$250,000 or more. Details on prohibited items may be found on TSA's "prohibited items" web page: <http://www.tsa.gov/traveler-information/prohibited-items>."

TRAVEL PROTECTION: () Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection \$299 () No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

ON TOUR ACTIVITIES: Please choose one of the following on tour activities

Please Choose One:

() Smithsonian National Museum of American History

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Direct Travel () Check () Credit Card

Waiver/Insurance Amount: \$ _____ Deposit Amount: \$ _____ Total amount enclosed: \$ _____

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