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\$249
AIRFARE
 When booked by May 31, 2020

8 DAY HOLIDAY

Holland Tulip Festival

featuring Mackinac Island's Grand Hotel

Tour Dates: May 6 - 13, 2021

8 Days • 11 Meals

- ✓ 11 Meals (7 breakfasts and 4 dinners)
- ✓ Round trip airport transfers
- ✓ Spend 1 night in downtown Chicago with a guided sightseeing tour of the "Windy City"
- ✓ Attend the annual Tulip Festival in Holland, Michigan, steeped in the area's rich Dutch heritage
- ✓ Visit Veldheer-DeKlomp Tulip Gardens, ablaze with acres of brilliant color in a Dutch setting
- ✓ Attend the Dutch Musiekparade (Music Parade) featuring local and national marching bands, floats and Dutch Dancers
- ✓ Spend 2 nights at The Grand Hotel, the crown jewel of Mackinac Island
- ✓ Explore the charm of a bygone era on Mackinac Island and learn of its history during a private lecture with a local historian
- ✓ Tour Mackinac Island via a horse-drawn carriage en route to the hotel
- ✓ Take the River Rouge Ford Factory Tour to see the F150 pickup truck being built
- ✓ Have the choice of visiting either the Henry Ford Museum or Greenfield Village
- ✓ \$40 in Mayflower Money



DAY 1 – Arrive in Chicago

Chicago is America's third largest city and boasts a friendly, Midwest atmosphere. You may wish to arrive early and visit one of Chicago's great museums or stroll along the "Magnificent Mile." Meet your Tour Manager in the hotel lobby at 6:00 p.m. for suggestions on dining this evening.

DAY 2 – Chicago Sightseeing and Travel to Michigan

After breakfast, you'll begin the day with a panoramic tour of downtown Chicago with a local guide. Later, depart for Michigan and arrive in Holland at the height of their annual Tulip Festival. You'll



The magnificent Grand Hotel on Mackinac Island

visit Veldheer-DeKlomp Tulip Gardens, Holland's only tulip farm ablaze with acres of tulips in brilliant color in a Dutch setting of windmills, drawbridges and canals. You may also wish to shop for Delftware, the famous Dutch pottery or be fitted for a pair of wooden shoes. **Meals: B, D**

DAY 3 – Holland Tulip Festival

This morning, you'll return to Holland and visit famous Windmill Island to see "De Zwaan," a 240-year-old working windmill. Also visit a miniature Netherlands Village, a candle-making shop and an antique carousel with hand carved wooden horses and beautiful paintings. You will have time available to explore Holland on your own. This afternoon enjoy reserved seating at the Muziekparade (Music Parade), where local and national marching bands, floats, giant helium balloons, Dutch dancers and more participate to the delight of young and old alike. **Meal: B**

DAY 4 – Arrive on Mackinac Island

Today, take the ferry to Mackinac Island, a picturesque spot in Lake Huron that still preserves the charm of a bygone era. No automobiles are permitted and nothing intrudes on the serenity and natural beauty of the Island. Upon arrival, tour via horse-drawn carriage. Take a step back in time as you enjoy the atmosphere of this unique treasure. At the end of the tour, the carriage brings you to the crown jewel of Mackinac Island, the Grand Hotel. The world's largest summer hotel, it was built in 1897 and is your home for the next two nights. **Meals: B, D**

DAY 5 – Explore Mackinac Island and Private Lecture

You will have the entire day at leisure on Mackinac Island. Browse the many shops, visit historic Fort Mackinac or rent bikes and pedal along the coast of Lake Huron. "The Grand" is a venerable is-

land institution and the perfect place to enjoy a stroll in the beautifully landscaped gardens or afternoon tea. Don't forget to sample some world-famous Mackinac Island fudge! During the day enjoy a private lecture with a local historian to learn the history of the island. **Meals: B, D**

DAY 6 – Traveling in The Great Lakes State

Leave Mackinac Island today and travel through the Great Lakes State. Michigan has the unique distinction of being surrounded by four of the five Great Lakes. Your destination is Dearborn, the heartland of the Ford Motor Company. **Meal: B**

DAY 7 – Ford River Rouge Factory Tour and The Henry Ford Museum

This morning, go behind the scenes at the world's largest automotive complex as you watch the Ford F150 pickup truck being built on a Ford Motor Company factory tour. This afternoon you have the choice of visiting the Henry Ford Museum, often called "the attic" or Greenfield Village, also known as "America's Hometown." Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner hosted by your Tour Manager. **Meals: B, D**

DAY 8 – Journey Home

Your journey ends with a group transfer to Detroit Metropolitan Airport for flights out after 10:00 a.m. or Chicago's O'Hare Airport for flights after out 5:00 p.m. **Meal: B**

2021 DEPARTURE	PER PERSON TWIN ROOM	SINGLE ROOM
May 6	\$2,749	add \$1,099

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Reservations booked by May 31, 2020 please add \$249 per person for roundtrip airfare out of Richmond!

Beginning on June 1, 2020 please add \$825 per person for roundtrip airfare out of Richmond.

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Day One – Palmer House Hilton, Chicago, Illinois

Days Two and Three – DoubleTree Hotel, Grand Rapids, Michigan

Days Four and Five – The Grand Hotel, Mackinac Island, Michigan

Days Six and Seven – DoubleTree Hotel, Dearborn, Michigan

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group. Seat changes can only be attempted upon receipt of tickets and documents at which time availability may be limited. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend individual air reservations rather than booking air with the group.



Real ID or passport required to fly within the United States beginning October 1, 2020. For more details contact a travel specialist.

TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL



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