



# California Dreaming (#15369)

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### **Overview**

Enjoy this scenic tour through the land of sun and fun! You'll start with the glitz and glamour of Los Angeles and Las Vegas, pass through the quietly beautiful Mojave Desert, see the majestic sights of Yosemite National Park and finally end with the marvelous city of San Francisco!

# **Trip Highlights**

Los Angeles - Las Vegas - Mammoth Lakes or Fresno - Yosemite Gateway - San Francisco

# **Detailed Itinerary**

**Day 01** 

Day 01: Arrival Los Angeles

Transfer via shuttle bus to your hotel. Enjoy an evening at leisure



**Day 02** 

#### Day 02: Los Angeles - Mojave Desert - Las Vegas

Meet your Tour Director and depart for Las Vegas, the glittering "Entertainment Capital of the World," for non-stop fun, gambling and world-class entertainment.

**Day 03** 

# Day 3: Las Vegas - Death Valley - Mammoth Lakes\*\* (If Tioga pass closed routing will be done via Fresno)

Having enjoyed glamorous Las Vegas, it will be a sharp contrast this afternoon to enter the quiet and extreme environment of Death Valley. Stop at Zabriskie Point and Furnace Creek Ranch/Visitors Centre before continuing across the valley and ascending the Sierra Nevada Mountains to the alpine resort town of Mammoth Lakes\*\*. The area gained prominence as a gold mining town in the 19th century and today is renowned for the superior skiing terrain and staggeringly beautiful mountain vistas.

**Day 04** 

#### Day 4: Mammoth/Fresno - Yosemite - Modesto

Your journey today brings you to the Tioga Pass\*\* into the scenic wonderland of Yosemite National Park. Here, you will experience the valley floor and its splendours including the glacial shaped granite formations of El Capitan, Half Dome, the magnificent Bridal Falls and Yosemite Falls. Overnight in Modesto.

**Day 05** 

#### Day 5: Modesto - San Francisco

Depart early this morning to arrive in San Francisco, one of the most beloved cities in America. Enjoy a comprehensive sightseeing tour before arriving at your hotel. This evening take a memorable City by Night Tour (optional).

**Day 06** 

#### Day 6: San Francisco (Napa Valley Optional)





Day at leisure! Your Tour Director is on hand to assist with making your plans for the day: perhaps a cable car ride to Fisherman's Wharf where one may enjoy a "Taste of San Francisco": local seafood, famous sourdough breads or decadent Ghirardelli's Chocolate. Or take a stroll by Sea Lions' Marina to watch them frolic. Be sure to gaze across the bay to Alcatraz Island where "Americas Most Wanted" such as Al Capone and "Machine Gun" Kelly were incarcerated. Or visit Union Square for a shopping stop at Macy's Department Store. You also may choose to embark on a wine tasting tour to Napa Valley, world renowned for its fine wineries and beautiful scenery (optional).

**Day 07** 

## Day 07: San Francisco - Departure

Your tour ends on check out from your hotel. Your Tour Director is able to assist with transfers to San Francisco International Airport if needed.

#### **Inclusions**

- + Enjoy leisure time for shopping, gambling, eating, or all of the above in glitzy Las Vegas.
- + Traverse the lowest and driest spot within the western hemisphere: Death Valley National Park.
- + Explore the magnificent falls during a visit to majestic Yosemite National Park (weather permitting).
- + Take in the sites of the City by the Bay, San Francisco, including the Golden Gate Bridge, Union Square and Fisherman's Wharf.

### **Exclusions**

International airfares

Optional activities

Other meals, drinks, tips and other personal expenses or services not specified on the program

Personal equipment

Travel insurance

Gratuities

Voluntary tips for guides or drivers

Travel and medical insurance

Any items not mentioned as included





#### **Note**

Hotels Used

Los Angeles - Hilton Los Angeles Airport

Las Vegas - Luxor Las Vegas - Pyramid Rooms

Mammoth Lakes or Fresno - Mammoth Mountain Inn or Hampton Inn Fresno Airport\*

Yosemite Gateway - Doubletree by Hilton Modesto

San Francisco - Hilton San Francisco Union Square

\*Complimentary breakfast offered by a hotel may be discontinued at any time with or without notice.

ALL DEPARTURE DATES ARE GUARANTEED TO OPERATE.

Please note that the prices are starting from and that upon sending a new request with specific date we will send the applicable rate and availability.

EXPERIENCE MORE (OPTIONALS) Available on request

- + Hop on board a cable car during an extensive night tour of San Francisco and enjoy the "City by the Bay".
- + Enjoy city views and up-close experience of the Golden Gate Bridge during the 1 hr. SFO Bay Cruise.

#### **Important Note:**

\*\*Winter Routing The Tioga Pass may be closed due to weather or road conditions, in which case you will overnight in Fresno or Visalia and a visit to Mammoth Lakes will not be possible (winter routing applies to all departures between October and May under normal snow conditions).

# **Program Touring / Guide**

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# **Fixed Departure**

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