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# Western Wonders

**Tour Date: June 23 - July 2, 2025**

## **NATIONAL PARKS & NATIONAL MOUNUMENTS**

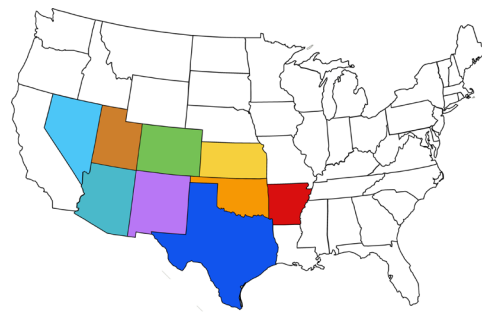
- Rocky Mountains National Park with Local Tour Guide
- Arches National Park with Local Tour Guide
- Great Basin National Park Lehman Caves Visitor Center
- Four Corners Monument
- Colorado National Monument
- El Morro National Monument

## **LANDMARKS & SPECIAL ATTRACTIONS**

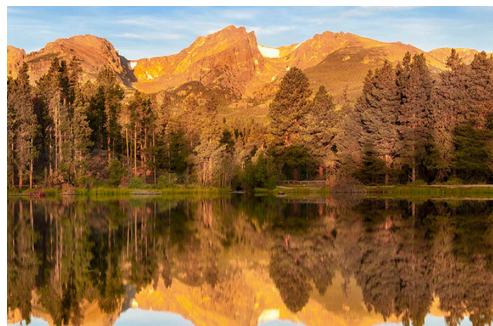
- Canyonlands by Night Colorado River Boat Ride
- Nevada Northern Railroad "Star Train"
- Dead Horse Point State Park with Local Tour Guide
- Bluff Fort Historic Site
- The Buffalo Bill Museum and Grave
- Red Rocks Park and Amphitheatre
- Photo-Ops at Wilson Arch

## **TOUR ALSO INCLUDES:**

- 9 Nights Hotel Accommodations
- 18 Meals Listed in Tour Day-to-Day Details  
B (9 Breakfasts), L (4 Lunches) & D (5 Dinners)
- Tour Guides, Motorcoach Driver & Tour Director Gratuities
- Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- Tour Directors: Frank & Marsha Scherer



- Oklahoma
- Texas
- New Mexico
- Arizona
- Utah
- Nevada
- Colorado
- Kansas



**FEATURING STARLIT SKIES AND MAJESTIC MOUNTAINS**



Join the Travel Masters NWA on a spectacular motorcoach tour showcasing the breathtaking beauty of some of America's most iconic landscapes and starry night adventures. Our journey will take us to the **Rocky Mountain National Park**, where a local guide will introduce us to its majestic peaks and alpine vistas. We will also visit **Arches National Park**, famed for its stunning natural sandstone arches and unique desert charm, with insights from an expert guide. Stand at the historic **Four Corners Monument**, the only place where four states meet, and marvel at the dramatic canyons and rugged cliffs of **Colorado National Monument**. We will also visit **Dead Horse Point State Park**, where we will enjoy sweeping views of the Colorado River and surrounding mesas!

## The tour highlights two unforgettable starry night experiences:

The serene **Canyonlands by Night Colorado River Boat Ride** – First we will be served a cowboy-style Dutch oven dinner in a dining room overlooking the Colorado River. After dinner, we board their flat-bottomed boat where we head upriver with a knowledgeable and entertaining guide who will highlight interesting things and ignite your imagination. Once darkness settles in, the formal part of the evening begins with 40,000 watts of natural light illuminating the canyon wall. Lights, shadows, music, and narration make the stories of the canyon's formation, creation, and history come to life on the walls above the river – as learned from the area's early settlers. The Canyonlands by Night Light Show is a not-to-be-missed this unique experience will be a highlight of this great tour! Our next enchanting celestial experience will be the **Nevada Northern Railroad "Star Train"** One thing we know is we are in for a treat with their breathtakingly beautiful night sky in Nevada. Tonight's a special night as this area has one of the darkest skies in the lower 48 states which provides the setting for their wonderful night skies. We will hear "All Aboard" as we step onto Train for tonight's adventure! The Nevada Northern Railway's Star Train pulls out of Ely with the Dark Rangers of **Great Basin National Park** aboard. These rangers love the night sky as much as we all do, but they probably know a whole lot more about stars than all of us put together. They will guide us on our journey to find interesting things up in the Heavens. They will stop the train away from town to take full advantage of the dark night skies. The train returns around 10:30 pm for us to return to our hotel for a good night's sleep dreaming of all the stars we have seen! This tour is the perfect blend of natural wonders, cultural landmarks, and celestial beauty. Don't miss the chance to create memories that will last a lifetime!

**DAY 1:** Today is a travel day to get us well on our way to see the Starlit Skies & Majestic Mountains! As everyone knows, part of the fun of our tours are the great times we have on the road heading to our destinations. We'll be getting to know fellow travelers, so sit back, relax and enjoy the scenery looking out the large windows of our spacious motor coach. **Overnight: Amarillo, Texas (D)**

**Day 2:** Welcome to New Mexico – the "Land of Enchantment"! Our first stop is the vibrant Sawmill Market in Albuquerque, where you'll have the opportunity to enjoy lunch (on your own). This bustling food hall offers a diverse array of culinary delights, from authentic local dishes to global flavors, ensuring there's something for everyone to savor in this unique community gathering spot. Be sure to have your National Parks Passport Book handy as we visit **El Morro National Monument**, the first of many incredible parks and monuments on this tour. Step back in time and imagine the relief of discovering a reliable waterhole after days of dusty travel. Nestled at the base of a sandstone bluff, this oasis made El Morro a favored campsite for centuries. Here, ancestral Puebloans, Spanish explorers, and American travelers left their marks — over 2,000 inscriptions, dates, messages, and petroglyphs are etched into the rock, telling stories of those who passed through this historic landmark. **Overnight: Gallup, New Mexico (B)**

**Day 3:** Good Morning, Adventurers! Today, we're off to explore the **Four Corners Monument**, a truly unique landmark where you can stand in Arizona, Utah, Colorado, and New Mexico all at once. This iconic site features a bronze disc set into an elevated monument,

surrounded by the flags of the four states and the tribal nations that originally inhabited the area. Our next stop is the **Bluff Fort Historic Site**, a fascinating glimpse into pioneer history. Be sure to check out their ice cream and cookies while you're there! Before reaching Moab, we'll make a stop at Wilson Arch for a photo-op. This impressive sandstone formation spans 91 feet and stands 46 feet tall, showcasing the beauty of Entrada Sandstone. Finally, we'll arrive in Moab, our home for the next two nights. Enjoy some free time for shopping and an early dinner (on your own) in this charming town before settling in at our hotel for the evening. **Overnight: Moab, UT (Night 1 of 2-Night Stay) (B, L)**

**Day 4:** It's time for a new adventure today – **Arches National Park & Dead Horse Point State Park** with a our local step-on guide. At Dead Horse Point we'll enjoy a picnic and great views of the Colorado River! At Arches, we will discover a landscape of contrasting colors, landforms and textures unlike any other in the world. The park has over 2,000 natural stone arches in addition to hundreds of soaring pinnacles and giant balanced rocks. Tonight we are in for a real treat, Canyonlands by Night dinner and tour. Prior to boarding the boat for the boat ride and world-famous Sound and Light display, we will enjoy a delicious cowboy-style, dutch-oven meal. Next, we will step aboard our boat, where nothing is quite as beautiful as a stunning night view of the serene Colorado River, the surrounding dusty Canyonlands, and the shimmering stars above, all set to music. Hope you are as excited as we are, it's sure to be a great evening! **Overnight: Moab, UT (Night 2 of 2) (B, L, D)**





**Day 5:** Today, we're headed to the charming town of Ely, Nevada, for an unforgettable evening aboard the Star Train! Before our celestial adventure begins, you'll have the chance to enjoy an early dinner at Margarita's (on your own). As the sun sets, the Nevada Northern Railway's Star Train departs, taking us into one of the darkest skies in the lower 48 states – a truly breathtaking setting for stargazing. Onboard, the Dark Rangers from Great Basin National Park will join us. Their passion for the night sky is infectious, and their knowledge of the stars is unparalleled. During our journey, the train will stop far from town to fully immerse us in the beauty of the dark skies. The Rangers will guide us on a magical tour of celestial constellations, sharing fascinating insights and stories about the heavens above. As the train brings us back to Ely, we'll carry with us memories of the stars and constellations we've admired. Then it's off to the hotel for a restful night, dreaming of the wonders we've witnessed in the vast night sky! **Overnight: Ely, Nevada (B, D)**

**Day 6:** Today, we'll explore the natural beauty of **Great Basin National Park** – keep your eyes peeled for wildlife! On our last visit to Nevada, we spotted wild turkeys and sheep multiple times. At the Lehman Caves Visitor Center, you'll have free time to watch an informative film about the area, browse the gift shop, or take a leisurely walk to soak in the surroundings. This afternoon, we'll journey across Nevada, enjoying its stunning scenic vistas along the way, before crossing into Colorado, our host state for the next three nights. We'll wrap up our day of travel with a delicious dinner in Fruita, Colorado, the perfect way to relax and recharge for our adventures ahead. **Overnight: Grand Junction, Colorado (B, L, D)**

**Day 7:** Look what we found – another fabulous National Monument to visit – the **Colorado National Monument!** A breathtaking expanse of rugged canyons, towering red rock monoliths, and dramatic cliffs. This national treasure offers panoramic vistas and diverse wildlife, making it a haven for nature lovers. We will explore the 23-mile Rim Rock Drive, which provides stunning views of the surrounding mesas and valleys. The monument showcases the natural beauty of the Colorado Plateau, with formations like Independence Monument and Balanced Rock serving as iconic landmarks and awe-inspiring landscapes. This afternoon our landscape changes to a stunning blend of towering Rocky Mountain peaks and lush alpine forests – we are headed towards Rocky Mountain National Park! **Overnight: Fraser, Colorado (Night 1 or 2-Night Stay) (B)**

**Day 8:** Today is our visit to **Rocky Mountain National Park!** We have a full day of touring with a local guide full of knowledge about the Park. With breathtaking scenery, ample wildlife viewing, and opportunities to connect with the past. Our professional guide will provide us with an overview of the park's history, flora, fauna, and geology while we view passing landscapes from the comfort of our motorcoach. We will have opportunities for taking pictures and view wildlife at the many vistas stops along the way. We will enjoy a picnic lunch to maximize our touring time! What a great day. A true "Rocky Mountain High"! **Overnight: Fraser, Colorado (Night 2 of 2) (B, L).**

**Day 9:** Today, we begin our journey home, but there's still more to explore and plenty of Colorado's stunning scenery to enjoy. Our day starts with a visit to two iconic destinations. First, we'll stop at the **Buffalo Bill Museum & Grave**, where you'll uncover the life and legacy of the legendary showman Buffalo Bill Cody. Explore fascinating exhibits featuring his Wild West shows, personal artifacts, and his final resting place, which boasts breathtaking views of the Rockies. Next, we head to **Red Rocks Park & Amphitheatre**, a world-renowned outdoor venue where towering red sandstone formations create a striking landscape and provide exceptional acoustics for concerts and events. Together, these sites offer the perfect combination of history, natural beauty, and unforgettable views. This evening, we are headed to Colby, Kansas, where a warm welcome awaits us at David & Linda's farm. Enjoy a mouthwatering Chuckwagon Dinner featuring ribs, brisket, fried potatoes, salad, and a delectable Dutch oven peach cobbler. It's the perfect way to end a day! **Overnight: Colby, Kansas (B, D).**

**Day 10:** Mount Up! It's time to saddle up and head toward home, but the memories we've made will keep us smiling for a long time to come. Today, we'll reminisce and share stories about our favorite moments from this unforgettable journey. Was it one of our Starry Night Adventures, like the magical Star Train or the serene evening cruise on the Colorado River? Perhaps it was the awe-inspiring beauty of Rocky Mountain National Park, or the striking landscapes of Moab and Arches National Park. Every stop on our Western Wonders itinerary has given us something incredible to remember—and maybe even a little inspiration for our next adventure together. What do you think? Let's start planning! **(B)**



**Tour Name: Western Wonders**  
**Tour Date: June 23 - July 2, 2025**  
**Price (Per Person):** \$2550 Double  
 \$2450 Triple/Quad • \$3350 Single

**SAVE \$75 PER PERSON**  
**WHEN PAYING BY CASH OR CHECK**

**Deposit:** \$300 Deposit due with Reservation

**Final Payment:** Due in Full by Monday, May 12, 2025  
 (Discount will be applied to Final Payment)

**Travel Protection Plan:** \$280 Double • \$224 Triple/Quad  
 \$332 Single

**Departure Locations:** Siloam Springs Regional Hospital  
 Arvest Ballpark - Springdale, AR

**Mail Payment to:** Travel Masters NWA  
 P.O. Box 1432, Siloam Springs, AR 72761

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# RESERVATION FORM

MAIL RESERVATION & PAYMENT TO: Travel Masters NWA • P.O. Box 1432 • Siloam Springs, AR 72761

Tour Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Tour Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (as on Passport/Driver's License)

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Mobile Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Name Tag Name: \_\_\_\_\_ (if different from your first name you listed above)

Roommate's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please check room preferences (Note: We will request, can't guarantee):  Two Beds  King  Handicapped  Near Elevator

Please list any special needs or requests: \_\_\_\_\_

Will you be celebrating a birthday, anniversary, or any other special occasion while on this tour? \_\_\_\_\_

**DEPARTURE LOCATION:**  Siloam Springs, AR  Springdale, AR

Do You Want Travel Protection Plan?  Yes  No **NOTE:** Tour Travel Protection Plan is encouraged at Time of Deposit  
*Plan Information is available at: [www.TravelMastersNWA.com](http://www.TravelMastersNWA.com) Click on Travel Protection Plan (Lite Coverage inside USA, Deluxe outside USA)*

Tour Price (per person)  Single  Double  Triple/Quad Deposit Amount: \_\_\_\_\_ Travel Protection Plan Amount: \_\_\_\_\_

Total Amount Enclosed: \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Number of people on this reservation: \_\_\_\_\_

Check Enclosed (Made Payable to Travel Masters NWA)

Please Bill my Credit Card in the Amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_        

Credit Card Number : \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_ Verification Code: \_\_\_\_\_

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**DEPOSITS & PAYMENTS-MULTI DAY TOURS:** \$50 deposit on tours 2-3 days or less; \$100 deposit tours 4-7 days; \$200 deposit on tours 8 days or more. Call number below for deposit information on Cruises and International Tours. **ONE DAY TOURS:** Full payment due with reservation unless otherwise noted.

**INDIVIDUAL CANCELLATIONS & REFUNDS:** Notice of individual cancellations should be made in writing. Individual cancellations are subject to the following penalties:

**MULTI DAY TOURS:** Cancellations made more than 45 days prior to tour departure are subject to a \$25 cancellation fee, plus any expenses incurred by Travel Masters NWA on behalf of the client. Cancellations made forty-five to thirty-one (45-31) days prior to departure will be subject to a 50% cancellation fee plus any expenses incurred by Travel Masters NWA on behalf of the client. NO refunds will be issued on cancellations made thirty to zero (30 - 0) days prior to tour date.

**ONE DAY TOURS:** Cancellations made more than 30 days prior to tour departure are fully refundable. Cancellations made thirty to fifteen (30-15) days prior to departure will be subject to a 50% cancellation fee, plus any expenses incurred by Travel Masters NWA on behalf of the client. NO refunds will be issued on cancellations made fourteen to zero (14 - 0) days prior to tour date.

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I have read the above cancellation and refund policy and have a full understanding of the policy.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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