



Mackinac Island

Lilacs Tour

SAVE BIG!
Book by Feb. 14, 2025 to
Save \$75. Also, Pay by
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TOUR INCLUDES

- Frederik Meijer Garden
- Spend the Night at the Grand Hotel
- Mackinac Island Carriage Tour
- Ford F-150 Truck Factory Tour
- Henry Ford Museum & Greenfield Village
- Kalamazoo Air Zoo
- Celebration Dinner Cruise
- Isabel Bloom

12 Meals: 7 Breakfasts (B); 1 Lunch (L); 4 Dinners (D)

HOTELS

- Joliet, IL—Wingate by Wyndham
- Mackinaw City, MI—Baymont Inn & Suites
- Mackinac Island, MI—Grand Hotel
- Frankenmuth, MI—Fairfield by Marriot
- Allen Park, MI—Best Western
- Kalamazoo, MI—Four Points by Sheraton Kalamazoo
- Bettendorf, IA—Cambria Hotel

PICK-UP:

Flying J
7005 N Chestnut St
Avoca, IA 51521

RATES

\$2,894 Double, pp
\$3,624 Single
\$2,704 Triple, pp

8 DAYS — JUNE 6 - 13, 2025

Day 1—TRAVEL DAY (D)

Get ready for a summertime adventure to the beautiful state of Michigan. It's a perfect time to visit Mackinac Island, especially when the lilacs are in full bloom. Overnight Joliet, IL

Day 2—FREDERIK MEIJER GARDEN & SCULPTURE (B)

At Frederik Meijer Garden, experience masterpieces of art and nature that will delight your senses at one of the nation's premier horticultural display gardens & sculpture parks. Overnight Mackinaw City, MI

Day 3—MACKINAC ISLAND CARRIAGE TOUR/ GRAND HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS (B, L, D)

Ferry to Mackinac Island this morning for a full day to explore and soak in its charm and beauty. Upon arrival, take a horse-and-carriage tour of the island. Check in at the Grand Hotel, enjoy lunch, and explore the historic grounds. A four-course dinner in the beautiful dining room is included (jacket & tie required for men, cocktail dress/pantsuit suggested for women). This evening, enjoy a little dancing if you wish! Overnight Mackinac Island, MI

Day 4—ISLAND OPTIONS/FRANKENMUTH (B, D)

Make your way downtown for lunch and shopping before taking the ferry back to the mainland. This afternoon, travel to Frankenmuth, Michigan's "Little Bavaria." Overnight Frankenmuth, MI

Day 5—PRETZEL MAKING DEMO/BRONNER'S CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND/FORD ROUGE FACTORY TOUR (B)

This morning you'll be immersed in the German culture when you try your hand at making a Bavarian pretzel. Also, see first-hand how that delicious strudel is made. Visit the incredible Bronner's CHRISTmas Wonderland. The Ford Rouge Factory Tour will give you a new appreciation of the complexities of auto manufacturing. Overnight Allen Park, MI

Day 6—HENRY FORD MUSEUM/GREENFIELD VILLAGE (B)

Today, visit the Henry Ford Museum and Greenfield Village. Each tells the story of our country's evolution to where we are today in very different ways and will be one of the highlights of your tour. Overnight Kalamazoo, MI

Day 7—KALAMAZOO AIR ZOO/CELEBRATION BELLE RIVERBOAT DINNER CRUISE (B, D)

This morning, visit the Kalamazoo Air Zoo. Continue to the Quad Cities for an evening of dining and entertainment on the *Celebration Belle* ... a relaxing and fun ending to our trip.

Day 8—ISABEL BLOOM/TRAVEL HOME (B)

Today you will tour the Isabel Bloom studio in Iowa. It offers a fascinating look at the creation of her charming sculptures. After exploring the studio, it's homeward bound after a beautiful tour in Michigan with the unforgettable memory of your stay at the Grand Hotel!

FOR RESERVATIONS, CONTACT

LaVonne Robinson 712-544-2626

A \$100 deposit is required to save your seat.

Final payment is due Tuesday, April 15, 2025.

CANCELLATION SCHEDULE PLEASE READ CAREFULLY - All cancellation fees are based on 'per person.'

Cancel April 15, 2025 or earlier = Full Refund

Cancel April 16—April 30, 2025 = 40% of tour price is non-refundable

Cancel May 1—May 15, 2025 = 70% of the tour price is non-refundable

Cancel May 16—June 6, 2025 = No Refund

TRAVEL INSURANCE

We recommend travel insurance to protect your payments from cancellation fees. Your trip investment is worth protecting, and travel insurance is the best way to safeguard against unexpected events that can prevent you from traveling and being assessed significant cancellation, interruption, medical, or other fees. Contact Allied for travel insurance information.

FINAL DOCUMENTS

Approximately two weeks prior to your departure date, you will receive your final documents. Departure times, a hotel list, detailed tour itinerary, medical form, and luggage tags will be included.

CHANGES IN TOUR PRICE

Tour prices in this publication are effective as of October 1, 2024, and are subject to fluctuation due to the U.S. dollar exchange rates and energy rates. Our best effort has been made to publish this information as accurately as possible. The right is reserved to change tour rates as deemed necessary by current currency, fuel price fluctuations, taxes, typographical errors, or other reasons, etc. Submitting your deposit is an acknowledgment of your agreement to these terms.

CHANGES IN ITINERARY

The events, attractions, restaurants, and hotels scheduled in your tour are subject to change. Every effort will be made to preserve the original quality of attractions and hotels when circumstances necessitate a substitution.

BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE

Portage for one suitcase (per person) is included in the tour price. Due to limited motorcoach capacity, your single bag should have dimensions not exceeding 30" x 21" x 11" and weigh no more than 50 lbs. Small carry-on bags are allowed and are your responsibility.

SINGLE TRAVELERS

Single travelers are guaranteed one seat on the motorcoach and may be seated next to another traveler if the tour is full.

TRAVELER CONDUCT & SPECIAL NEEDS

Tours are fun, but the enjoyment of the tour is based on everyone being friendly and cooperative. Allied reserves the right to accept or decline any passenger on any tour if Allied Tour determines a passenger would be detrimental to the tour. Once a tour departs, any passenger disruptive to the group may be required to leave the tour. Expenses to return home would be the responsibility of the passenger. No refunds will be issued for unused portions of the tour. Passengers will be required to abide by local mandates to participate in activities, meals, etc. Please notify us of any special needs at the time of reservation. We will make all reasonable efforts to assist with your travel arrangements. However, it is strongly recommended that a traveling companion come along to help with any special needs of anyone with a disability. Allied Tour Directors have responsibilities for the entire group and can't provide one-on-one care. This includes boarding of motor coaches, airplanes, cruise ships, etc., and traversing hotels, restaurants, attractions, or other personal needs, etc. Contact Allied if you have any questions.

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