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SEPT. 25 - OCT. 3, 2024

with optional pre-tour DENVER TO MOAB ABOARD ROCKY MOUNTAINEER



1 Discovery of America's Natural Wonders



# BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE

30-day refund guarantee



### Dear World Affairs Council Travelers,

Join friends on a journey to the exceptional national parks and monuments of the Southwest. Travel to Grand Canyon National Park for awe-inspiring views from the park's rim. Admire the beauty of light striking Antelope Canyon's narrow sandstone walls. Share a peaceful evening with Navajo storytellers, and ponder cultures past and present at a petroglyph site during a river raft ride down Glen Canyon.

Continue to Utah where you'll spend enjoyable time at Bryce Canyon and Zion National Parks—viewing rock formations and otherworldly landscapes that must be seen to be believed.

With the guidance of an expert Orbridge Expedition Leader and the comforts of a private motor coach, there is no better way to visit our national parks.

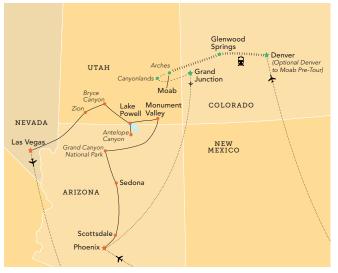
PLUS: Kick off your adventure in the Southwest by joining the optional pre-tour, Denver to Moab aboard the *Rocky Mountaineer*. Enjoy nature's wondrous scenery in comfort and style during two days of rail travel in premium SilverLeaf class. After arriving in Moab, delight in guided touring at Arches National Park and Canyonlands National Park for two additional areas to explore.

We share this program with other educational study groups. Availability is limited and with significant savings of more than \$1,000 per couple, we anticipate this program will fill quickly, so be certain to reserve your spot today! Family and friends interested? We'll send them a brochure or have them call us! To reserve, call 1-800-942-5004, or locally 215-561-4700 ext. 209 or ext. 231, email us at travel@wacphila.org, visit us online at www.wacphila.org, or return this reservation form.

Best regards,

Andrew Haught Director of Travel World Affairs Council of Philadelphia

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### Your 9-Day Itinerary (subject to change)

- Day 1: Arrive in Phoenix, AZ / Scottsdale (D) Desert Botanical Gardens, welcome dinner Overnight: Scottsdale Marriott at McDowell Mountains
- Day 2: Scottsdale / Sedona / Grand Canyon National Park (B) Lunch at leisure in Sedona, Grand Canyon rim Overnight: Kachina Lodge
- Day 3: Grand Canyon National Park (B) Park touring, optional helicopter flightseeing Overnight: Kachina Lodge
- Day 4: Grand Canyon National Park / Monument Valley, UT (B,D) Park touring, Monument Valley Tour Overnight: Goulding's Lodge
- Day 5: Monument Valley / Lake Powell, AZ (B,D) Navajo National Monument, Antelope Canyon tour, Glen Canyon Dam, leisure time Overnight: Lake Powell Resort

- Day 6: Lake Powell / Bryce Canyon National Park, UT (B,L,D) Glen Canyon float trip, park exploration Overnight: The Lodge at Bryce Canyon
- Day 7: Bryce Canyon National Park / Zion National Park (B) Zion park trails and exploration Overnight: Zion Park Lodge
- Day 8: Zion National Park / Las Vegas, NV (B,R) Morning hike, leisure time in Las Vegas, farewell reception Overnight: The Westin Las Vegas Hotel & Spa

### Day 9: Depart Las Vegas (B)

(B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner, R = Reception)

Activity Level: Guests should be able to enjoy a mile of outdoor walking at a moderate pace, be sure-footed on uneven ground, get in and out of a motor coach, and manage stairs without assistance.





## Uncover

- Explore the Southwest's natural wonders with a knowledgeable Orbridge Expedition Leader.
- Spend additional time in Grand Canyon National Park or choose to join an optional helicopter flightseeing excursion over the Grand Canyon (additional fee).
- Discover the sunbaked natural structures and sacred lands of Monument Valley.
- Witness the towering red rock cliffs lining the Colorado River during a rafting excursion in Glen Canyon.
- Behold the radiant colors and fluid-like patterns inside the walls of Antelope Canyon.
- Observe the monolithic hoodoos in Bryce Canyon National Park.

# Engage

- Visit a traditional Navajo hogan, and set out on a four-wheel drive tour through Monument Valley.
- Follow the paths of Ancestral Puebloans and pioneers at Zion National Park.

# Repose

 Stay at lodges inside Grand Canyon National Park and other properties carefully selected for their rich histories, beautiful locations, and superb service and accommodations.

# What's Included

- 8 nights accommodations
- A welcome and farewell reception, 8 breakfasts, 1 lunch, and 4 dinners
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Expedition Leader as well as expert local guides
- Admission and park fees throughout
- All activities as described in the 9-day itinerary, unless noted otherwise
- Private deluxe motor coach with air conditioning and comfortable seating
- Luggage porterage
- Gratuities to Orbridge Expedition Leader, local guides, drivers, and porters
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times



# Your Expedition Leader:

The company and keen eyes of an expert Orbridge Expedition Leader will make all the difference in your educational experience. Enriched by their wealth of expertise, you'll bring home a deeper understanding of the flora, fauna, natural history, and cultural narrative of the diverse parks of the American Southwest.

# Accommodations (subject to change)

### SCOTTSDALE MARRIOTT AT MCDOWELL MOUNTAINS

Delight in the well-appointed comforts of this modern hotel, featuring breathtaking mountain views. Cool off in the outdoor pool, take advantage of the fitness center, or relax outside on the picturesque patio.

### KACHINA LODGE

Contemporary Kachina Lodge sits on the rim of the Grand Canyon. Guest rooms feature a comfortable, modern ambiance, and the property is within walking distance to restaurants and gift shops.

### GOULDING'S LODGE

Relax and savor the spectacular views of Monument Valley at Goulding's Lodge, a famous locale for Old West movies. Stop by the Trading Post Museum to view the artifacts, artwork, and film memorabilia.

### LAKE POWELL RESORT.....

Located in Page, Arizona, the Lake Powell Resort offers comfortable lodging and first-rate dining. The property's lake view rooms with Native American flair are an ideal retreat after a day full of adventurous fun. Sit back and take in views of Wahweap Bay, Lone Rock, Castle Rock, and breathtaking sunsets.

## THE LODGE AT BRYCE CANYON.

Situated just steps away from the rim of Bryce Canyon National Park, this property's recently remodeled rooms provide contemporary comforts in combination with an authentic western park experience. Wi-Fi is complimentary in the main lodge.

### ZION PARK LODGE

The only in-park lodging at Zion National Park, the Zion Park Lodge is serenely nestled among towering red rock cliffs. Each guest room provides a warm, comfortable atmosphere, ensuring a memorable stay.

# THE WESTIN LAS VEGAS HOTEL & SPA...

Welcome to the City of Lights! This stylish hotel—just off the Las Vegas Strip—features a 100% non-smoking environment, modern guest rooms, outdoor heated pool, fitness studio, lobby lounge, and 24-hour bistro.



















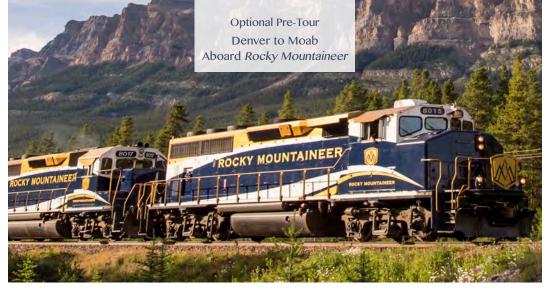












Travel by rail between the mile-high city of Denver to the red rock formations of Moab by joining a luxury train journey to America's Southwest—a region steeped in history and full of opportunities to explore. Oversized windows and glass-domed coaches allow you to relax and soak in the magnificent scenery that includes colorful deserts, bewitching hoodoos, and natural archways.

# Pre-Tour Itinerary (subject to change)

- Day +1: Arrive in Denver, CO Leisure time at the hotel Overnight: Magnolia Denver Hotel
- Day +2: Denver / Rocky Mountaineer / Glenwood Springs (B,L) Ruby Canyon, Mount Logan, cross the Continental Divide, Byers Canyon, Gore Canyon, evening at leisure Overnight: Glenwood Springs Lodging
- Day +3: Glenwood Springs / Rocky Mountaineer / Moab, UT / Canyonlands National Park (B) Parachute Creek, Mount Logan, Colorado River Overnight: Red Cliffs Lodge
- Day +4: Moab / Arches National Park / Moab (B) Park exploration, guided touring Overnight: Red Cliffs Lodge
- Day +5: Moab / Grand Junction / Flight to Phoenix, AZ / Main Program Begins (B)

# What's Included

- 1 night accommodations at Magnolia Denver Hotel (or similar) in Denver
- 1 night accommodations in Glenwood Springs (hotel determined by *Rocky Mountaineer*)
- 2 nights accommodations at Red Cliffs Lodge (or similar)
- 4 breakfasts and 1 lunch
- *Rocky Mountaineer* rail transport with SilverLeaf or SilverLeaf Plus Service
- Guiding services of a local guide
- Admission to Arches, and Canyonlands National Parks, included guided touring
- Private transportation for included park activities
- Gratuities to *Rocky Mountaineer* staff, local guides, drivers, and porters
- Internal airfare from Grand Junction to Phoenix
- Airport transfers for guests arriving during the suggested times

### SilverLeaf Service Includes:

- Custom-designed single-level dome car, featuring oversized windows
- Reclining, comfortable pre-assigned seating with ample leg room
- Exclusive access to a small, private outdoor viewing area
- Unlimited beverages (including beer, wine, and spirits)
- À la carte meal service with gourmet meals that feature locally sourced ingredients prepared by an onboard culinary team

## SilverLeaf Plus Service Includes:

Includes all the benefits of SilverLeaf Service plus exclusive access to the newly renovated lounge car. Featuring signature cocktails, the lounge car offers additional space indoors to relax and soak in the scenery, as well as a small outdoor viewing area. Also, enjoy an elevated dining experience with an additional course during select meals, and premium alcoholic beverages.

Southwest National Parks	Category	Standard Rate	Special Rate*	
	Double	\$5,499	\$4,995	
SEPTEMBER 25 - OCTOBER 3, 2024	Single	\$7,199	\$6,695	
Pre-Tour: September 21-25, 2024	Denver	to Moab Pre-To	our*	
Denver to Moab Aboard Rocky Mountaineer	Category	Standard Rate	Special Rate*	
	SilverLeaf	\$3,899	\$3,695	
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