



# Castles, Flowers & Falls

May 16 - 21, 2023



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### **Tuesday, May 16 (Dinner)**

Today we board our flight bound for **Buffalo, NY**. Upon arrival we'll cross the border into Canada and make our way to **Niagara Falls, Ontario**. We'll check into the beautiful **Hilton Niagara Falls** for two nights, where everyone will have a view of Niagara Falls from their room! The hotel is located in the heart of the resort area. Within an easy walk is the Fallsview Casino, shops, restaurants and the IMAX Theatre, which presents a movie about Niagara Falls. Enjoy dinner tonight at **Corso Italian Restaurant** located in the hotel.



### **Wednesday, May 17 (Breakfast, Dinner)**

We start the day with a delicious breakfast buffet at our hotel and then set out for an exciting day of sightseeing. At **Table Rock Welcome Center** we'll experience fabulous views and feel the thundering water rushing over the brink of Horseshoe Falls. You'll discover a lush oasis at the **Floral Showhouse**, which houses collections of orchids, succulents, and other tropical plant species. With floral shows that reflect the changing seasons, something new is always in bloom. The intricate designs on the face of the **Floral Clock** are created with up to 16,000 plants that are changed twice each year. If the door into the tower is open, step inside to see the clock mechanism and a photo display of past clock faces. We continue our journey to the charming, historic town of **Niagara-on-the-Lake**. This lovely village has been described as the *prettiest town in Canada*. Blocks and blocks of cafés and boutiques line the flower-filled streets. Have lunch as individually desired or indulge in the elaborate ritual of English Afternoon Tea in the Victorian dining rooms at the Prince of Wales Hotel. Next, we'll take an exciting boat ride on the **Hornblower Niagara**, Canada's most memorable experience! Get "caught in the mist" as we cruise up close to the American and Horseshoe Falls. Don't worry about getting "too" wet, ponchos are provided! Back at the hotel

there's time to refresh before our elegant dinner in the revolving restaurant high atop the **Skylon Tower**. Afterwards, enjoy more great views from the tower's observation decks.

### **Thursday, May 18 (Breakfast, Dinner)**

This morning we check out of the hotel and depart for **Rochester, NY**. Our first stop will be at the **George Eastman House** for a guided tour of the restored Colonial Revival-style mansion, once home to the founder of the Eastman Kodak Company. Today the mansion is the world's oldest museum dedicated to photography. After the tour you will be able to walk through the formal gardens of the estate. Next, we're off to experience Rochester's **Lilac Festival**. Every May, 22 acres of Highland Park displays more than 500 varieties of lilac



bushes, from the deepest purple to the purest white, from lightly scented to irresistibly aromatic. Stroll through the park and take in the beauty and scents of spring. Enjoy lunch on your own at one of the many food booths.

After the festival, we continue on to **Auburn, NY** and check into our hotel for three nights. We'll enjoy dinner together at the quaint **Springside Inn**.

### **Friday, May 19 (Breakfast, Dinner)**

Today we'll explore the beautiful **Finger Lakes**. Featured in the New York Times #1 bestselling book, *1,000 Places to See Before You Die*, the Finger Lakes region is described by the author as "World-Class Wines and Small-Town American Charm." The eleven, long, narrow fingers are lakes that were carved by a glacier eons ago. Boutique wineries, dating back as early as 1860, and today numbering over 70, thrive because of the rich soil that is so perfect for grape growing. A **local guide** will be with us for the day showing us the highlights of the area and sharing with us stories about the region's history and its people. By late afternoon we arrive at the **New York Kitchen** where the mission is to educate, engage and excite visitors by showcasing New York's finest in wine, food and agriculture in a setting that proudly highlights the natural beauty, rich history and agricultural bounty of New York State. We will learn about the Kitchen and then be treated to a gourmet dinner prepared especially for our group.



### **Saturday, May 20 (Breakfast, Boxed Lunch, Dinner)**

This morning we set out to enjoy the beauty of the **1000 Islands Region** of New York. On arrival in **Alexandria Bay** we will take a **Two Nations Sightseeing Cruise** on the **St. Lawrence River**. This international tour offers historic and scenic wonders in both the Canadian and American sections of the 1000 Islands. Professional guides unfold a colorful historical tapestry of the river, the islands, and the magnificent homes you'll view along the way. A box lunch will be provided during the cruise. Our group will disembark at **Heart Island** where you will be able to take a self-guided tour of **Boldt Castle**. Built at the turn-of-the-century by George C. Boldt, the millionaire proprietor of the world-famous Waldorf Astoria, as a summer home. Take time to explore the castle and grounds before departing for dinner.

### **Sunday, May 21 (Breakfast)**

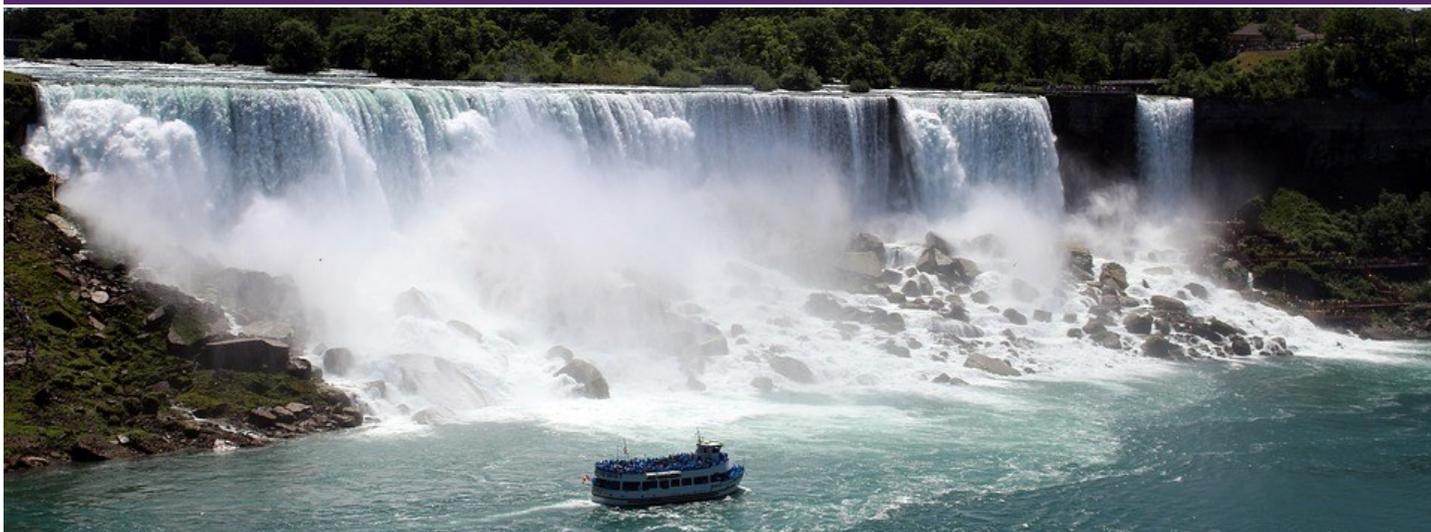
Breakfast is included at the hotel before we depart. On our flight home we'll be reminiscing about our beautiful *Castles, Flowers and Falls* trip!

**Tour cost per person\***

**Double: \$2,798**

**Single: \$3,298**

**\*Prices listed are based on the value of the Canadian Dollar as of April 2022. Your final invoice may reflect a change based on the exchange rate at the time of billing.**





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**TRAVEL DOCUMENTS:** All passengers must carry a **passport** valid for at least six months beyond the return date of the trip.

**CANCELLATION POLICY:** All payments are fully refundable for cancellations received by **February 3, 2023**. Although every effort will be made to refund passenger payments, cancellations received after this date will be subject to the penalties imposed by our suppliers including, but not exclusive to, the airline used to purchase non-refundable air tickets, as well as a \$150 cancellation fee. It is highly suggested that all travelers help protect their vacation investment by purchasing an optional travel protection plan, which is being offered by Nadine. Should the traveler purchase travel protection and need to cancel after **February 3, 2023**, a travel protection claim must be filed.

**TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL:** Easy 1 2 **3** 4 Active

**BALANCE DUE: FEBRUARY 3, 2023**

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## INCLUDED

- ROUND TRIP LOCAL AIRPORT TRANSFERS FROM MUNDELEIN
- ROUND TRIP AIRFARE
- DELUXE MOTOR COACH TRANSPORTATION THROUGHOUT THE TOUR
- FIVE NIGHTS HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS
- FIVE BREAKFASTS, ONE BOX-LUNCH AND FIVE DINNERS
- ALL ACTIVITIES AND ADMISSIONS AS LISTED
- BAGGAGE HANDLING AT HOTELS
- ALL TOUR RELATED TAXES AND GRATUITIES
- SERVICES OF A DESTINATIONS WITH NADINE REPRESENTATIVE
- SERVICES OF A CRUISES AND TOURS WORLDWIDE TOUR MANAGER

**NOT INCLUDED:** Airline baggage check fees  
**TRAVEL PROTECTION:** An optional travel protection plan is available at an additional cost. Please contact Nadine for details and pricing.



## RESERVATIONS

Please complete a reservation form and mail it with your **\$100 per person deposit plus travel protection premium**, if desired, to:

**Destinations with Nadine, Inc.**

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