



Christmas in the Country featuring *Florissante the Mansion*

Tuesday, December 6, 2022

9:00am Depart Rome – Freedom Plaza

9:30am Depart Utica – DOT Commuter Park & Ride, Harbor Lock Rd. E

Get into the holiday spirit with a visit to **Florissante, the Mansion** in Lyons Falls, New York. The home of Lyman R. Lyon was originally built in 1829 but destroyed by fire in 1884. One of Lyon's daughters had the place rebuilt a few years later and named it Florissante. Every room is decked out for the season and as you explore, you'll find many themes and beautiful decorations. Teddy bears, elves, penguins, Santa, manger scenes and a whole lot more. The mansion is still an active B&B.

Food and holidays just go together so enjoy a delicious feast with an included **luncheon buffet** at **Awesome Country Farmhouse**. There will be plenty of time for holiday shopping in the store. You're sure to find gifts for everyone, including yourself!

What's a festive celebration without wine?! Enjoy a **tasting** at **Prospect Falls Winery** and maybe purchase a bottle or two for yourself or as a gift.

One more **surprise** before we return home, but it's a Christmas secret and we can't tell you! Ho, Ho, Ho

5:30pm Approximate return to Utica

6:00pm Approximate return to Rome

**Itinerary times are approximate, Tours By Design is not responsible for delays.
We reserve the right to adjust the itinerary as needed.*

COST PER PERSON: \$89.00

TOUR INCLUDES: Motorcoach transportation, tour escort, admission/tour at Florissante, lunch, wine tasting and mystery stop. **Not Included:** Optional gratuity for driver and escort.

RESERVATION & PAYMENT: Full payment by check or money order within two weeks of reservation (\$25.00 fee for returned checks). All cancellations are subject to \$5.00 service fee and refunds are not available after November 22. *Tours By Design reserves the right to cancel a tour due to low registration. Customers will receive a full refund of amount paid if trip is canceled by Tours By Design.*

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