



Nashville City Stay

featuring The Hermitage, Belle Meade and the Grand Ole Opry

Departure Date: July 14, 2026



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See the world's largest collection of Johnny Cash memorabilia and artifacts



DAY 1 Arrive in Tennessee: Arrive in Nashville, Tennessee, today and transfer to your downtown hotel. Meet your Tour Manager and traveling companions at a welcome dinner tonight at 6:00 p.m. **Meal: D**

DAY 2 Nashville Sightseeing and Johnny Cash: Begin your Nashville City Stay with a narrated driving tour of the city to see the many Honkey Tonks, Music Row and even a full-scale replica of the Parthenon. Then, stop at music's "Mother Church" the Ryman Auditorium. Learn the history of this world-renowned concert hall and former home of the Grand Ole Opry. After lunch, you will pay a visit to the Johnny Cash Museum which was opened to honor the life and music of the country superstar often referred to as the "Man in Black." It houses the world's largest collection of Johnny Cash memorabilia and artifacts, including a stone wall taken from his lake house in Hendersonville, Tennessee. **Meals: B, L**

DAY 3 Andrew Jackson's Hermitage and Jack Daniel's Distillery: Step into history this morning at The Hermitage, the home of the nation's 7th president, Andrew Jackson. Learn the history of the man who was general in the U.S. Army, served in both houses of the U.S. Congress and was a Tennessee Superior Court justice. Tour the Jackson-renovated Federal-style mansion filled with family artifacts, stroll the beautiful grounds and see the tomb where he rests. Then head to the Jack Daniel Distillery for a tour of where this legendary whiskey is made. Enjoy an informative narrated tour to see the whiskey-making process, learn the history of the man himself and taste the product. **Meals: B, L**

DAY 4 Country Music Hall of Fame and RCA Studio B: Begin the day at the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum. Called the "Smithsonian of Country Music" because of its collection of artists' artifacts, photographs, recorded sound and vintage video, the museum is highlighted by its core exhibit *Sing Me Back Home: A Journey Through Country Music*. Later, get that Nashville feel at the historic RCA Studio B. Once the recording home of popular music titans such as Elvis Presley, Chet Atkins and the Everly Brothers, it was here the "Nashville Sound" was born in the 1960's and helped establish Nashville as an international recording center. In Franklin, learn the importance of Tennessee area during the American Civil War. You will visit Carnton Plantation and learn how this home was used as a field hospital for wounded Confederate soldiers while the war raged around it. A stop at Carter House shows you a modest brick home, riddled with bullet holes. It was commandeered and used as a Federal command post. **Meals: B, L**

DAY 5 Belle Meade Historic Site and Grand Ole Opry: This morning you visit Belle Meade Historic Site & Winery. What started as a simple log cabin with 250 acres, it grew into a beautiful 1853 Greek Revival Mansion and one of the largest thoroughbred horse farms in the South with over 5400 acres. Walk through the mansion, stroll the grounds and among the outbuildings, outdoor game court and walking trail. The afternoon is free in Nashville to do some shopping, visit a Honky Tonk or simply breath in the "Country" air. After dinner at the Opry Backstage grill, settle in to your reserved seats at the Granddaddy of Country shows, the Grand Ole Opry. **Meals: B, D**



Tour the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum

DAY 6 Travel Home: After breakfast, a group transfer is available to the Nashville International Airport for flights out after 12:00 p.m. **Meal: B**



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Tour Highlights

- 10 Meals: 5 breakfasts, 3 lunches and 2 dinners
- Round trip airport transfers
- Spend five nights in downtown Nashville
- Enjoy a narrated tour of Nashville to see the many Honkey Tonks, Music Row and even a full-scale replica of the Parthenon
- Tour music's "Mother Church" the Ryman Auditorium, the former home of the Grand Ole Opry
- See the impressive Johnny Cash Museum, dedicated to the life and music of the country superstar often referred to as the "Man in Black"
- Tour The Hermitage, the home of Andrew Jackson, the nation's 7th president, U.S. Army general and Superior Court justice
- See where the legendary Jack Daniel's whiskey is made, learn the history and taste the product
- Tour the Country Music Hall of Fame and Museum, often called the "Smithsonian of Country Music" because of its collection of artists' artifacts, recorded sound and vintage videos
- Visit the historic RCA Studio B, once the recording home of popular music titans such as Elvis Presley and the Everly Brothers
- Tour the American Civil War sites of Carnton Plantation, a one-time field hospital and Carter House, once a Federal command post
- Visit Belle Meade Historic Site & Winery for a tour of the 1853 Greek Revival Mansion and stroll the grounds
- Spend some free time in Nashville for shopping or visit a Honkey Tonk
- Farewell dinner at Opry Backstage grill
- Reserved seats at the Granddaddy of Country shows, the Grand Ole Opry

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See the beautiful 1853 Greek Revival Mansion Belle Meade Historic Site & Winery

HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Hilton Garden Inn, Nashville, Tennessee

2026 Departure Date	Per Person Twin	Single Room add
July 14	\$2,599	\$1,099

Add \$800 per person Round Trip Airfare from Syracuse SYR

Please call for airfare pricing from other cities.

\$200.00 per person deposit is required within 5 business days of making your reservation.

If purchasing the TPP, that must be paid at time of deposit.

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group and may not be available until airport check-in. Seat changes can only be attempted at the airport and may not be possible. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend booking air on your own rather than booking air with the group.



TRAVELERS PROTECTION PLAN (TPP)

\$249 land only or \$349 with Mayflower air per person (optional)

This nonrefundable fee waives all cancellation fees when we are notified of cancellation one day before the tour departs. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness, illness or death of a member of your immediate family, TPP guarantees full refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line, and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included **ONLY** if your air tickets were provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours. If you purchase the optional Travelers Protection Plan (TPP), you will be refunded all payments, including deposit amount, less the TPP premium amount.

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- 61 days or more: Deposit Amount
- 60 to 31 days prior: 20% of tour cost
- 30 to 15 days prior: 30% of tour cost
- 14 to 1 day prior: 40% of tour cost
- Day of departure or early departure from tour: 100% of tour cost
- No refund on unused portions of the tour

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