

Best of the West

YOUR TRAVEL STYLE
Regional

12 DAYS
1 COUNTRY
FROM A\$203
PER DAY*

Essentials highlights

- **LOS ANGELES** See the very best Hollywood has to offer
- **SAN DIEGO** Explore the Gaslamp Quarter, Balboa Park and Old Town
- **GRAND CANYON** Visit this UNESCO World Heritage Site and Natural Wonder of the World with a Local Specialist
- **LAS VEGAS** Explore this entertainment-filled city with its grand hotels and shops
- **YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK** Take in breathtaking views of the valley floor
- **SAN FRANCISCO** Get familiar with Fisherman's Wharf, Union Square and Chinatown
- **SAN FRANCISCO** Iconic Breakfast at renowned Boudin Bakery, a San Francisco institution since 1849



YOUR HOLIDAY ESSENTIALS

● 11 Nights accommodation

● 4 Breakfasts

● City orientation tours

● Start: Los Angeles

● End: San Francisco

● Trip code: SBOW



FROM
A\$2430

*PER PERSON
TWIN SHARE

Day 1 ARRIVE LOS ANGELES 2C

Welcome to the land where it's always 70 degrees and sunny, California. Arriving today, you'll meet up with your Travel Director in the afternoon before getting to know Anaheim, your home for the next two nights. You'll find plenty of dining and entertainment options with Disneyland nearby. Hotel: Clarion Hotel Anaheim Resort

Day 2 LOS ANGELES SIGHTSEEING

This morning's sightseeing tour will show you the glitz of L.A., visiting Beverly Hills, Santa Monica, Sunset Boulevard, and the Hollywood Walk of Fame. With your afternoon free, try out our tasty **Optional Experience** that will have you tasting fresh seafood, meat and poultry from the grasslands of North and South America.

Day 3 LOS ANGELES - SAN DIEGO 1C

Travelling the south coast to laid back San Diego, you'll kick things off with a sightseeing tour visiting the cultural Gaslamp Quarter, the 1,200 acre Balboa Park, and the historic Old Town. This afternoon is about exploring the city your way. You'll have the option of visiting the San Diego Zoo today or you can find plenty of activities to do on your own. (B) Hotel: Comfort Inn & Suites Zoo SeaWorld Area

Day 4 SAN DIEGO - PHOENIX 1C

Today you'll climb 1,219 metres (4,000 ft) as you make your way through the arid Cleveland National Forest, tip toeing the US - Mexico border before crossing the Arizona state line

into the 'Valley of the Sun'. Catching a glimpse of the Colorado River, you'll finish today in exciting Phoenix. (B) Hotel: Hampton Inn & Suites Phoenix Downtown

Day 5 PHOENIX - GRAND CANYON - FLAGSTAFF 1C

You could start today in style with an optional hot air balloon over the Arizona landscape, before visiting magical Sedona. Afterwards, we head into the prehistoric Sonoran Desert, bound for the magnificent UNESCO World Heritage Listed Grand Canyon. After learning in-depth with our Local Specialist, we doubt you'll be able to resist our exhilarating **Optional Experiences** that include helicopter and aircraft flights over the North and South rims. Still flying high, you'll finish up today in laid back Flagstaff. (B) Hotel: Fairfield Inn & Suites Flagstaff East

Day 6 FLAGSTAFF - HISTORIC ROUTE 66 - LAS VEGAS 2C

Get your kicks on Route 66! A symbol of the American dream and still a classic road trip route, you'll be stopping by the iconic outposts of Seligman and Kingman today for photos and a taste of all things Americana, before journeying on to the neon mirage looming on the horizon, the entertainment mecca, the fast and fabulous Las Vegas. (B) Hotel: Rio All-Suites Hotel and Casino

Day 7 LAS VEGAS FREE TIME

With a full day in Sin City, how will you spend it? Visit the casinos, wander 'The Strip', take in an iconic show biz performance, or choose from our list of **Optional Experiences** to experience a different side of Vegas. Cowboy trail riding through the mountains, Hoover Dam experiences from above and below, a visit to the Mob Museum or a singalong at 'Vegas! The Show' are all there for the taking.

Day 8 LAS VEGAS - VISALIA 1C

Leaving Vegas with great memories made, you'll head for the Mojave Desert this morning. Despite being the driest desert in the US, the Mojave boasts some glorious flora and is also home to the iconic Joshua Tree. Admiring the dramatic Sierra Nevada mountain range and continuing into the San Joaquin Valley, you'll finish today in the old town charm of Visalia. Hotel: Wyndham Visalia

Day 9 VISALIA - YOSEMITE NATIONAL PARK - MODESTO 1C

Awe inspiring nature at its finest, today is all about Yosemite. A UNESCO World Heritage site, America's third oldest national park is all emerald green valleys, cascading waterfalls and pine scented forests, framed by iconic Half Dome and the imposing El Capitan. Take your time soaking it all in, before finishing up today in the agricultural hub of Modesto. Hotel: DoubleTree Modesto

Day 10 MODESTO - SAN FRANCISCO 2C

Heading back to the Cali coast today, you'll cross The Bay Bridge into San Francisco, the

'City by the Bay'. This afternoon's sightseeing will see you visit Fisherman's Wharf, the Palace of Fine Arts, the lush Presidio area and Italian influenced North Beach. This evening, why not opt to join in our walking tour of America's oldest Chinatown, followed by a delicious family style Chinese feast. Hotel: Hotel Union Square

Day 11 SAN FRANCISCO FREE TIME

We hope you're hungry as you're off to Boudin Bakery, producers of San Fran's best sourdough since 1849 for an Iconic Breakfast, the rest of today is up to you to explore your way. After the Icons? Our **Optional Experience** to the Golden Gate Bridge followed by a cruise around Alcatraz Island could do the trick. More of a wine connoisseur? Our optional full day exploring Napa and Sonoma wineries will be sure to suit your palette. (IC)

Day 12 DEPART SAN FRANCISCO

With fond memories of sunny San Diego, fun loving Vegas and peaceful Yosemite still fresh in your mind, today your adventure through the Golden West will come to an end. Not ready to go home just yet? Why not extend your stay in San Francisco a little longer and pay those cute Sea Lions down at Fisherman's Wharf an overdue visit.

YOUR TAILORED OPTIONS

HERE ARE SOME OPTIONS THAT YOU CAN PURCHASE ON TOUR TO MAKE YOUR TRIP AS UNIQUE AS YOU ARE:

☐ HELICOPTER FLIGHT

A true once in a lifetime experience, fly over the Grand Canyon in style as you admire both the North and South rim from above.

☐ COWBOY TRAIL RIDE

Experience a different side to Las Vegas on a cowboy trail ride through the mountains, fueling up on a western style breakfast.

☐ GOLDEN GATE BRIDGE WALK AND SAUSALITO

Walk across the iconic Golden Gate Bridge and learn about its construction process, then explore the charming seaside community of Sausalito.

Check online for a range of crafted optional experiences to customise your trip: costsavertour.com/tours/best-of-the-west



Departures when you can go

START	END	START	END	START	END	START	END	START	END
AUGUST		OCTOBER		JUNE		AUGUST		OCTOBER	
Thu 08 ♦ Mon 19		Thu 10 ♦ Mon 21		Thu 11 ♦ Mon 22		Thu 13 ♦ Mon 24		Thu 08 ♦ Mon 19	
SEPTEMBER		MAY 2020		Thu 18 ♦ Mon 29		SEPTEMBER			
Thu 12 ♦ Mon 23		Thu 07 ♦ Mon 18		JULY		Thu 03 ♦ Mon 14			
		Thu 14 ♦ Mon 25		Thu 16 ♦ Mon 27		Thu 10 ♦ Mon 21			

♦ **Crossovers:** These departures will operate as per the 2019 brochure. Itineraries, duration, hotels and inclusions may vary. Please inquire at the time of booking.

IMPORTANT INFO & FINER DETAILS

All prices are per person, twin share.

Single Rooms: On all itineraries single rooms are available to book at a supplement. See costsavertour.com for pricing.

Gratuities: Option to pre-pay gratuities for Travel Director and Driver, A\$187 per person.

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