

WHAT IS INCLUDED IN THE TRIP

- Accommodations for three nights/four days in Hotel Grand Victorian in Branson
- 9 meals are included: 4 Breakfasts (including coach breakfast snack on day 1), 3 Lunches, 2 dinners
- Reserved seating at the *Andy Williams Christmas Extravaganza*, *Legends in Concert* and *Pierce Arrow Show*
- Entrance to *Silver Dollar City* and Christmas Shows
- Entrance fees, tours or visits in Branson area including Curling Vine Winery, historic downtown Branson and Branson Landing
- Tour escort accompanying the trip from beginning to end showing points of interest
- Gratuities for included group meals

WHAT IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE TRIP

- One lunch and one dinner while in Branson
- Optional *Miracle of Christmas at Sight & Sound Theater*, approximate cost \$55.00, subject to theater price confirmation and availability
- Additional or optional shows currently playing in Branson. Transportation to/from the optional show may require guest to arrange cab or local transportation if Golden Frontier coach is engaged in a group program
- Wine, liquor, beer, telephone calls, items of a personal nature, gratuities at end of tour.

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GOLDEN FRONTIER

It's a *BRANSON* Christmas!

All New Shows for 2017!

December 12 to 15, 2017
Four day trip via coach
including
Andy Williams Christmas Show
Legends in Concert
Pierce Arrow Show
Silver Dollar City
\$748.00

2017 GOLDEN FRONTIER APPLICATION

CHRISTMAS TIME IN BRANSON December 12 to 15, 2017

This application and fee is to be sent to Golden Frontier Office, 4100 North Illinois Street, Swansea, IL 62226. **\$75.00 per person registration fee** must accompany this application. Please make your check payable to **GOLDEN FRONTIER**. Cancellations and requests for refunds must be submitted in writing to Golden Frontier and will be issued in agreement with the cancellation policies of this brochure. **Your registration indicates acceptance of all terms and conditions of this brochure.** Confirmation will be sent upon receipt of your deposit and application.

Name(s) _____
Address _____
City, State, Zip + 4 _____
Home phone (____) _____
Cell phone (____) _____
E-mail: _____

() Single accommodations requested for an extra \$108.00.

() Add optional show: *The Miracle of Christmas*, approximate cost \$55.00, subject to theater price confirmation and availability

() I'm traveling alone, but willing to share (same gender) a room
We are traveling with friends/My roommate is: _____

My choice of departure location _____
Departs from St. Louis, Mo.; and Ill. O'Fallon, Springfield, Carlinville, Staunton

() Three-to-a-room discount requested; mail applications together.

() I have special dietary needs and explain on an attached sheet.

Nick name to use on name tags: _____

() Deposit check enclosed and bill my balance of payment, or

X

I authorize charge to my card as indicated. Please charge to my credit card:
[] MasterCard [] VISA [] Discover

16 digit card no. _____ Exp. Date _____

3 digit security code on reverse of card _____

Christmas Time in Branson

December 12 to 15, 2017

Welcome to Branson, Missouri! Live music shows, a historic town and shopping at hundreds of boutique and upscale specialty shops. We invite you to enjoy genuine Ozark hospitality at Christmas time. This is the ideal time to visit Branson combined with special Christmas seasonal decorations.

Our Golden Frontier trip will stay right in the heart of the Branson strip for three nights. A hot breakfast is served each morning in the hotel's breakfast room. With just over a half-day drive from home, we will have the added convenience of just one hotel to call home on this trip.

Holy Mass will be offered each day of the trip. There will be time for Christmas shopping for your special someone and independent activities.



Miracle of Christmas

An Optional Show at Sight & Sound Theater

"Miracle of Christmas" is a touching story of kings, angels and a simple, faithful couple used by God. Follow the journey of Mary and Joseph and witness the miraculous birth of the Savior, Jesus Christ. This original musical production features over 45 actors, live animals, elaborate sets and costumes.

Pierce Arrow Show specializes in award winning and masterful comedy, beautiful harmonies and sensational music sung by the famous Pierce Arrow quartet. It's a non-stop, supercharged, high octane level of energy Branson show that's a one-of-a-kind experience. The Pierce Arrow show delivers an unforgettable experience and first-rate entertainment.



Andy Williams Show

BACK BY POPULAR DEMAND... The Legacy continues and stars The Osmonds and The Lennon Sisters, plus all the features that made Andy's show so great...variety, singers, dancers, reindeer, and the Moon River Orchestra...all performing your favorite holiday songs and more! Plus a tribute to Andy, the man who started it all!



Legends in Concert is a world famous live tribute show features an amazing cast of all-star entertainers assembled on one stage. See tribute performances by The Blues Brothers™, Michael Jackson, Alan Jackson, Elvis Presley and Barbra Streisand. These tribute performers sing live with pitch perfect vocals, exact choreography steps, and incredible similar appearances to the legend stars they portray.

Silver Dollar City

The 1880's park is all decked out for Christmas amidst the glow of over 5 million dazzling lights, 1,000 decorated Christmas Trees, special Christmas shows and a 5-Story Special Effects Christmas Tree. Come home for the holidays to an Old Time Christmas.



FEE. \$748.00 is the fee for the entire Branson trip, including the registration fee, specified meals, motor coach, entrance fees, lodging, escort,...everything! A \$75.00 registration fee must be paid with the application. Three people registering together and sharing a two bedded room receive a \$10.00 discount per person. Single accommodations are available for an additional \$108.00 per person. Balance of fee is required 35 days prior to departure. Fees not received by due date may force your reservation to be cancelled for non payment. You will receive a bill for final payment. Registration should be made 120 or more days prior to departure. Reservations made 120 days or less prior to departure are subject to availability of hotel space.

DEPARTURE LOCATIONS AND TIMES

6:30 a.m. Springfield, IL; Comfort Inn & Suites, 3675 So. 6th
7:00 a.m. Carlinville, IL, Magnuson Grand Hotel, I-55, exit 60
7:20 a.m. Staunton, IL, Super 8
8:35 a.m. St. Louis Holiday Inn, I-44, exit 286 & Hampton
8:00 a.m. O'Fallon IL, Quality Inn
By request: Fenton, Mo. or further along I-44 route

Parking your car during the trip at the point of pickup is at the sole discretion of the motel. Neither Golden Frontier nor the motel assume any risk for your parked car. Minimum groups of twenty from one area may request a pickup and return at their choice location at no additional cost.

ROOM ARRANGEMENTS are normally two people sharing a room. Singles may sign up and travel at the double rate if you agree to Golden Frontier attempting to find a room mate (same sex) to share. If we do not find a room mate to share, you still travel at the double rate. If you do not wish to share a room, single accommodations are available. Unless single rate is requested accommodations will be shared. A special room rate for three can be arranged with discount. Triples should mail applications in the same envelope. Triples share standard two bedded room without added roll away bed.

LUGGAGE is limited to one bag per person. You may also bring a small carry on bag which you can place in the overhead rack of the coach. Golden Frontier cannot be responsible for lost, stolen, or damaged articles.

CASUAL CLOTHING is always acceptable. No formal or dressy wear is necessary on this trip. While we make every effort to get as close as possible to all sights, some walking is unavoidable. Comfortable walking shoes are advised.

THE WEATHER is normally comfortable with daytime highs in the low 40's and overnight lows in mid-30's.

PURPOSE. Golden Frontier is sponsored by Catholic Shrine Pilgrimage, Inc., a not for profit religious organization. These programs are arranged to give the people of this area an opportunity to visit historic shrines of North America amid friendly companionship. These trips are arranged for adults, with seniors in mind. A priest chaplain normally accompanies each trip.

RESPONSIBILITY. This tour is under the operation of Golden Frontier who shall be responsible for supplying services and accommodations as outlined in this brochure, except as to the extent such cannot be supplied due to delays or causes beyond the control of Golden Frontier. In the absence of negligence on the part of the tour operator, the tour member waives any claim against Golden Frontier from any damage, loss of property, injury, death, due to any act of negligence of any hotel or person rendering any services or accommodations. Due to the unique schedule characteristics of Branson's Christmas theme shows, Golden Frontier reserves the right to make equal substitutions if the need arises. Golden Frontier reserves the right to cancel any trip due to adverse weather conditions or lack of sufficient reservations. In this event a full refund of all tour member's payments made will be given. Participants agree to the use of their photo or image which may be taken on this trip in future Golden Frontier publications and presentations without compensation by or claim to CSP.

OPTIONAL TRIP CANCELLATION AND BAGGAGE INSURANCE is available for those who desire. Insurance can cover cancellation of your reservation prior to departure, leaving the tour after departure, baggage loss, accidents, and some medical coverages. A brochure and application for insurance will be sent to all applicants or is available by calling the Golden Frontier office.

REFUNDS AND CANCELLATIONS. All cancellations must be in writing. Guests canceling 60 or more days prior to departure receive a refund of the monies paid. Guests canceling less than 60 but more than 35 days prior to departure forfeit the registration fee. Guests canceling 35 days or less prior to departure, no shows, or guests leaving the tour after departure receive a refund of only those fees recoverable by Golden Frontier from various suppliers. Guests canceling 60 days or less prior to departure and providing a replacement traveler receive a refund of fees. **NOTE:** There are no refunds for unused tour features.

SPECIAL DIETS can normally be accommodated with adequate advance notice. Please notify our office of any special dietary needs. Please attach written explanation to application.