

# UTOPIA TOURS

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# Ark Encounter & Creation Museum

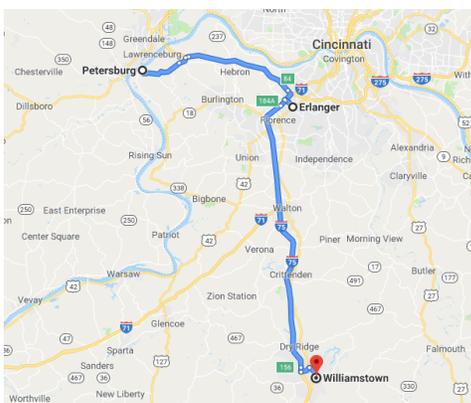
Spend two nights in Erlanger, KY

September 14-18, 2020 • 5 Days

Motorcoach Tours across the U.S. & Canada

## PRICE INCLUDES:

- Motorcoach Transportation
- Hotel Accommodations
- Utopia Tours Tour Director
- Baggage Handling (1 bag p.p.)
- 4 Breakfasts / 3 Meals
- Schaumburg, IL
- Erlanger, KY (2 nights)
- Newport, KY
  - BB Riverboat *Dinner* cruise on Ohio River
- Williamstown, KY
  - Ark Encounter
  - Lunch at cafeteria
- Petersburg, KY
  - Creation Museum
  - Lunch at cafeteria
- Schaumburg, IL



## STATES VISITED on this tour:

MN-WI-IL-IN-KY

## PRICE PER PERSON

Double Occupancy .....\$750  
 Triple Occupancy.....\$720  
 Quad Occupancy .....\$690  
 Single Occupancy .....\$980  
 DEPOSIT: \$100 p.p. (due upon sign-up)  
 FINAL PAYMENT DUE: August 3, 2020

**Early Bird Discount \$15 per person if you pay the deposit by 6/22/20**  
 \*discounts to be deducted from final payment

Trip Cancellation & Interruption Insurance available.  
 Ask us for details or see our website.

**Mon., Sept. 14: Schaumburg, IL** Join Utopia Tours on this fulfilling tour learning about the Amish of Indiana, and seeing Bible stories come to life at the Ark Encounter and Creation Museum. Our first day will take us to **Schaumburg, IL**, making meal and comfort stops along the way.

**Tues., Sept. 15: Erlanger, KY (B, D)** From Schaumburg we travel a few hours to Indianapolis, IN. Here we will visit the Indianapolis Motor Speedway where the Indy 500 is held. Enjoy time here at their Museum. From here we continue on through Indiana to Kentucky. Our **next two nights are in Erlanger, KY**. After checking in to our hotel we will take a short drive to **Newport, KY**, where we'll board the **BB Riverboat for a dinner cruise on the Ohio River**. Take in the skyline, watch the river go by, and enjoy a fantastic buffet meal aboard their Captain's Dinner cruise.

**Wed., Sept. 16: Erlanger, KY (B, L)** A short drive south brings us to **Williamstown, KY**, and **the Ark Encounter**. This life-sized Ark was built according to the dimensions given in the Bible and is the largest timber frame structure in the world. It's partly built by skilled Amish craftsmen, using standing dead timber. The Ark is an architectural and engineering wonder containing three decks of world-class exhibits within this unique attraction that brings to life the biblical accounts of Noah's Ark. It spans 510 feet long, 85 feet wide, and 51 feet high. You will learn about the life of Noah, how he and his family could have fit in the Ark, how they cared for the animals on the Ark, and how his life was before the flood. A must-see, and is enjoyed by young and old alike. We will give you money for an **included lunch on your own time at the cafeteria** here. Later we'll return to our hotel for a night on your own.

**Thurs., Sept. 17: Schaumburg, IL (B, L)** Leaving Erlanger we head west to **Petersburg, KY**, where we will visit the **Creation Museum**. The Museum brings the pages of the Bible to life, casting its characters and animals in dynamic form, and placing them in familiar settings. The museum allows for personal interaction with each of the 160 exhibits. You'll also find a Stargazer's Planetarium, Theater, the Garden of Eden, life-sized dinosaurs, a Petting Zoo, Botanical Gardens, Bookstore, Zip Line, and much more. Lunch is on your own here at the Museum. **Lunch** is included here. Our journey continues back

(B=Breakfast; L=Lunch; D=Dinner included that day)

through Indiana and up to **Schaumburg, IL**, for our last night of the tour.

**Fri., Sept. 18: Home (B)** After having had a couple of great days seeing the Ark of Noah and the Creation Museum, both which bring the stories of the Bible to life in real-life settings, we make our way home today. Coffee and lunch stops will be made along the way. We arrive home later this afternoon. Thank you for traveling with Utopia Tours.

**Utopia Tours & Alex Travel**

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**TO SIGN-UP:**

•Visit us at our office •Call us •Use form on our website •Use form from office

**DEPOSIT:** \$100 p.p. due upon sign-up.  
**FINAL PAYMENT:** Due by 8/3/20.

Payment by cash or check is preferred.  
VISA, MASTERCARD, DISCOVER accepted.

**DISCOUNTS:** U-Save Coupons, Early Bird Discounts, etc., are to be deducted from final payment, not your deposit.

**PICK-UPS AND DROP-OFFS** are in: Fargo / F-M Visitors Center; Fergus Falls / Wal-Mart; Alexandria / Perkins; St Cloud / Country Inn & Suites (on Park Ave). You can leave your car at these locations for the duration of your tour.

Other pick-ups may be available depending on route of tour.

**SEE POLICY SHEET FOR MORE INFO.**

**TOUR INCLUDES:** See "Price Includes" Section. All sightseeing admissions, transportation, transfers, guide fees, a Utopia Tours tour director, events included in tour itinerary, lodging, baggage handling (for one piece of luggage per person), taxes, tips for services included in tour, meals mentioned in "Price Includes" section of itinerary. **NOT INCLUDED:** Tips for meals or services not included in tour price, Tour Director and Tour Driver tips.

**PACKING:** Dress for comfort! Layered clothing is the way to go! **TOUR BUS:** The tour bus will have a restroom in the back of the bus. Most buses have WiFi capabilities (limited in Canada & Alaska). Some buses may have plug-ins for your electronics. **MOTORCOACH SEATING:**

There are no assigned or reserved seats.\* It is common policy on motorcoach tours to rotate seats during tours. For the comfort and courtesy of all passengers, it is required that everyone participate in seat rotation.\* (\*unless we've been contacted by you for medical reasons) **BREAKS:** On driving days, we stop every few hours for coffee and lunch breaks. This is a great time to stretch a little, use restroom facilities, take a smoke break, and mingle with the other passengers. **UTOPIA TOURS** reserves the right to make changes or alterations in the printed itinerary, dates, routings, or included features prior to or during the tour as may be necessary for the smooth and efficient operation of the tour without prior notice and assumes no responsibility for delays and/or expenses due to such modification. We will make every effort to fulfill special meal and rooms requests, but do not assume responsibility or liability if request isn't fulfilled.

**RESPONSIBILITY:** Utopia Tours is not responsible for any loss or damage of personal property or for injuries, expenses or damages whatsoever incurred or claimed by any tour member. Once our activities have ended for the day and we are at our lodging, as well as any time you have exited the bus during the tour day, you are on your own and Utopia Tours is not liable for your activities and/or any accident/incident that may occur. Please use your best judgment when crossing streets/roads and be careful for uneven or slippery sidewalks. Your safety is important to us! **MORE INFORMATION** will be mailed out to you approximately 10 days prior to departure. This letter will include a tour brochure, hotel list, your pick-up and drop-off times/location, luggage tags, and more. Name tags will be in the tour packet you receive when you board the bus.

**CANCELLATIONS & REFUND POLICY...**  
Cancel by..... Refund  
Prior to Final Payment Due Date.....100%  
After final payment due date & up to  
7 business days prior to departure.....75%\*  
\*LESS non-recoverable fees (ex tickets/hotel)  
After 7 business days prior to depart.....0%

**OPTIONAL TRIP CANCELLATION & INTERRUPTION INSURANCE...**We offer Travel Guard insurance. Insurance premium is based on tour cost and your age at time of purchase. You can enroll through our website, [www.utopiatours.com](http://www.utopiatours.com). Purchase your plan within 15 days of paying deposit to qualify for the pre-existing condition waiver on the Silver, Gold & Platinum plans.



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