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Door County & Mackinac Island Tour

plus S.S. Badger Ferry across Lake Michigan
Oct. 4-9, 2020 • 6 Days

Motorcoach Tours across the U.S. & Canada

PRICE INCLUDES:

- Motorcoach Transportation
- Hotel Accommodations
- Utopia Tours Tour Director
- Baggage Handling (1 bag p.p.)
- 5 Breakfasts / 3 Meals
- Door County, WI
 - Sister Bay, WI
 - (2 nights at Open Hearth Lodge)
 - Bjorklunden Chapel
 - Lunch at Al Johnson's Sod-roofed Restaurant
 - Farmers Market
 - Cheese Shop
 - Winery
 - Fish Boil Meal
 - Door County Maritime Museum
- S.S. Badger Carferry
 - 4-hour cruise across Lake Michigan
 - Manitowoc, WI, to Ludington, MI
- Ludington, MI
- Ferry to/from Mackinac Island
- Mackinac Island, MI
 - (1 night at Island House Hotel)
 - Grand Buffet Lunch at Grand Hotel
 - Horse-Drawn Carriage Tour of Mackinac Island
- "Mighty Mac" Bridge
- Marquette, MI
- Duluth, MN



STATES VISITED on this tour:
MN, MI, WI

PRICE PER PERSON

Double Occupancy\$1,075
Triple Occupancy.....\$1,045
Quad Occupancy\$1,015
Single Occupancy\$1,350
DEPOSIT: \$100 p.p. (due upon sign-up)
FINAL PAYMENT DUE: Aug. 21, 2020

**Early Bird Discount \$25 per person
if you pay the deposit by 6/26/20**

**discounts to be deducted from final payment*

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

Door County

- Over 300 miles of shoreline
- Five State Parks
- Ten historic lighthouses
- 75-mile long peninsula
- Many apple & cherry orchards
- More than 40 islands

S.S. Badger Carferry

- Crosses Lake Michigan
- 4-hour / 60-mile Cruise
- Outdoor deck to relax on
- Café & Lounge areas
- Movie & TV Lounges
- Boutique & Gift Shop

Mackinac Island

- No motorized vehicles
- Victorian era image
- Unique rock formations
- Home of the Grand Hotel
- Pronounced "Mack-in-awe"
- "Somewhere In Time" filmed here

Sun., Oct. 4: Sister Bay, WI / Door County We take off on a fall tour to explore Door County, WI, and Mackinac Island, MI. Comfort and meal stops will be made along the way to **Sister Bay, WI**, located in **Door County**, where we stay for **two nights** at the **Open Hearth Lodge**.

Mon., Oct. 5: Sister Bay, WI / Door County (B, L, D) Today we familiarize ourselves with **Door County**, which has over 250 miles of shoreline and is home to orchards, artist colonies, and many interesting sites and attractions. We start with a stop at the **Bjorklunden Chapel** for a **tour of the Stavkirke Church**. In Sister Bay **lunch** is included at **Al Johnson's Sod-roofed Restaurant** with time for shopping. Following lunch we will do some more sightseeing including a stop at a **farmers market, a cheese shop, and a winery**. Enjoy the evening here in the area known as the "Cape Cod of the Midwest" as we take in **Pelletier's** traditional Door County **Fish Boil** in Fish Creek.



Tues., Oct. 6: Ludington, MI (B) This morning we will visit the **Door County Maritime Museum** in Sturgeon Bay to learn the maritime history of the area, and why the canal linking Lake Michigan to Green Bay is so important. Then we travel down to **Manitowoc, WI**. From here we board the **S.S. Badger Carferry** for a leisurely **4-hour cruise across Lake Michigan**. There are facilities for eating, outdoor decks for relaxing on, as well as indoor seating and more. We arrive in **Ludington, MI**, this evening where we will stay for the night.



Wed., Oct. 7: Mackinac Island, MI (B, L) A scenic days drive takes us through Traverse City and along Grand Traverse Bay to Charlevoix, and on to Mackinaw City, MI. From Mackinaw City we board **Shepler's Ferry** as it takes us across the Straits of Mackinac to **Mackinac Island, MI**. Once we disembark in Mackinac (pronounced "mack-in-awe") Island it will be like we have entered

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

a Victorian Village. This image is preserved and enhanced by a small population of residents that maintain the Island. No motorized vehicles are allowed on the island, so you will see many bicycles, horses, and carriages. Be sure to try some of their famous fudge while here. Upon arrival experience the beauty and history of the **Grand Hotel**, where we'll have an **included lunch**. The Grand Hotel features the longest front porch in the world in a beautiful setting. The remainder of the day is on your own to explore downtown and enjoy an evening meal on your own. Our lodging is at the quaint **Island House Hotel**.



Thurs., Oct. 8: Marquette, MI (B) This morning a **horse-drawn carriage tour of the Island** will show us many of the highlights and historical and unique landmarks. Later we will take the **Ferry** back to Mackinaw City and reboard our bus. Then, we cross the **"Mighty Mac Bridge"** and on to **Marquette, MI**, for the night. Marquette is located on the shores of Lake Superior.

Fri., Oct. 9: Home (B) Homeward bound today routing through **Duluth, MN**, for lunch on your own in the Canal Park area. We hope you have enjoyed your tour to Door County and Mackinac Island, and so much more! Thank you for traveling with Utopia Tours.

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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 8/21/20.

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.

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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.

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