

CANYON COUNTRY

featuring Arizona & Utah

7TH - 18TH OCTOBER 2020

COST INCLUDING AIRFARE

\$6,199 *TWIN, PER PERSON | **\$7,469** *SINGLE PER PERSON | **\$6,099** *TRIPLE PER PERSON

SIGHTSEEING AND MORE

- Scottsdale: Begin your tour with a welcome dinner.
- Sedona: Admire Oak Creek Canyon and venture through Kaibab National Forest.
- Grand Canyon: Explore the canyon and stop at its trading post.
- Lake Powell: Enjoy a breakfast cruise along the lake.
- Bryce Canyon National Park: See the famous hoodoos.
- Zion National Park: Explore by open-air tram.
- Choice on tour: Visit the Human History Museum or explore the park independently.
- Knowledgeable and experienced tour guide

HOTELS

Courtyard by Marriott, Scottsdale, Arizona | Maswik Lodge (Xanterra), Grand Canyon National Park | Lake Powell Resort, Page, Arizona | Hampton Inn & Suites, Zion National Park, Springdale, Utah | Golden Nugget, Las Vegas, Nevada

TRANSPORTATION

Motorcoach, airplane.

HEADSETS

Throughout the tour.

FREE WI-FI

Available on your motorcoach and in most hotel lobbies.

MEALS

6 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners including one over the blue waters of Lake Powell.



HOST
Peter Homan

CANYON COUNTRY ITINERARY



Day 1: Wednesday, 7 October 2020 Depart Australia

Day 2: Thursday, 8 October 2020 **Arrive Scottsdale** Enjoy your day of leisure.

Day 3: Friday, 9 October 2020 **Scottsdale, Arizona - Tour Begins** Your tour begins today! Explore the most famous canyons of the American West on a journey featuring three national parks. Begin in colourful Scottsdale where you will join your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 4: Saturday, 10 October 2020 **Scottsdale - Sedona - Grand Canyon** Stunning Sedona awaits. Soak in the imaginative atmosphere and colourful vistas while browsing the arts and crafts shops of the marketplace. Admire Oak Creek Canyon, where the rock formations seem to change hue with every turn in the road. Later, travel through the spectacular Kaibab National Forest before reaching the South Rim of the Grand Canyon. (B, D)

Day 5: Sunday, 11 October 2020 **Grand Canyon - Lake Powell** "Grand" is not a strong enough word for today. This morning, take the time to explore the Grand Canyon. Theodore Roosevelt once said, "This is one of the great sights which every American, if he can travel at all, must see." Behold those same breathtaking views as we travel along East Rim Drive. Later, a short ride brings you to Cameron Trading Post. For nearly a century, the post has acted as a haven for travellers, traders and explorers. Continue north through mesa-studded desert before arriving at your home for the next two evenings – a lovely hotel overlooking the stunning blue waters of Lake Powell. Later we will enjoy dinner at Lake Powell and some time at leisure. (B, D)

Day 6: Monday, 12 October 2020 **Lake Powell - Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park or Canyon Cruise** Begin your day with an invigorating breakfast cruise along lovely Lake Powell. Then, **it's your choice!** Travel through the territory of the Navajo nation and arrive in Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park, a sacred Navajo land featuring iconic sandstone spires; enjoy a fascinating tour, narrated by a Navajo tribe member and a stop at a Hogan, a traditional Navajo hut **-OR-** you may take a canyon adventure cruise through the wondrous geologic formations of the Navajo and Antelope canyons. (B)

Day 7: Tuesday, 13 October 2020 **Lake Powell - Bryce Canyon National Park - Springdale, UT (Zion)** Hoodoos! Today, travel to spectacular Bryce Canyon National Park, famous for its hoodoos. These rock formations, created over thousands of years by wind and water, carry natural orange and red hues, the product of iron oxidising within the rock. Enjoy a walk along the Sunset Point to Sunrise Point Rim Trail. (B)

Day 8: Wednesday, 14 October 2020 **Zion National Park** In sheer magnitude and colour, few places on earth match the beauty of Zion National Park's red and white sandstone cliffs. Take a full day to explore Utah's first national park. Climb aboard Zion's open-air tram and wind your way alongside the Virgin River and through the 2,400 foot deep, one-half-mile wide Zion Canyon. This afternoon, **it's your choice!** Visit the Zion Human History Museum to learn more about the park **-OR-** continue to enjoy time in the great outdoors exploring the park independently. (B)

Day 9: Thursday, 15 October 2020 **Springdale - Las Vegas, Nevada** Today, trade nature's beauty for the lights of the Vegas strip. This four-mile stretch of road features neon lit resorts and round-the-clock action. (B, D)

Day 10: Friday, 16 October 2020 **Las Vegas - Tour Ends** Depart for home with amazing memories of your journey. Arrive in Australia on the 18th of October.



WHO YOU'LL BE TRAVELLING WITH



INFO ON YOUR HOST:

Hi, I am Peter. For the past 5 years I have run Outback Queensland Tourism, which has given me a greater insight in to the changing landscape of our arid interior. I believe that the open Australian Outback tells the story of its exploration and the growth of its diverse landscapes -- reflecting the trailblazing spirit of the nation. I also love travelling the arid outback-like areas of the USA including Arizona, Utah and Nevada. Gorges, they don't come much bigger than the Grand Canyon in the USA. Its layered bands of red rock revealing millions of years of geological history. The colours and geological layers are awe-inspiring. And, of course, you can't leave Bryce Canyon out of that story with its crimson-coloured hoodoos. Whilst similar in some respects to our land, they also have a story to tell.



INFO ON YOUR TRAVEL MANAGER:

Hi. I am Patty, your Personal Travel Manager, and boy do I know travel! I have been in the industry for 20 years. I have travelled to many countries. With groups, independently, cruise and with children. I've also hosted several tours. I can help you with tours, cruising, airfares, accommodation, transfers, car hire, travel insurance, and more. To be part of my clients' travel memories is humbling because their journey starts with me. It's more than just providing great customer service. It's about getting to know you, what you like and what you don't, so that I can tailor a holiday that's as individual as you are. My clients can trust me and that's the most important thing when you're self-employed. So, if you're thinking of taking a holiday – give me a call.



ABOUT COLLETTE

Collette is a third-generation family-owned company with offices in the United States, Canada, Australia, and the United Kingdom. Our worldwide travel collection features over 160 comprehensive land tours, river cruises, rail journeys, single-city stays, and more across all seven continents of the world. As a company, Collette has always been driven by a single, simple question; "What is your reason for travel?"



PAYMENT PLAN

- **1st deposit: \$500pp**, due 7 days after confirmation
 - **2nd deposit: \$3000pp**, due 20 January 2020
 - **Final balance:** due 10 July 2020
 - Limited seats available
- Customise your experience with pre and post options. Additional \$200 per person cost applies to make changes to airfare.
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