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The Magic of the Big Apple

with Women of the Midwest!

November 4-8, 2021



Dear Women of the Midwest,

Join me for a fun-filled, custom-tailored tour of the Big Apple!

Eight million residents and a five-borough spread make New York one of the most kaleidoscopic cities in the world. The culinary culture is as vibrant as you would expect: a total mix of multiethnic delicacies, sold by food vendors on every corner, Michelin-starred restaurants, diners, craft cocktail joints, and infamous dive bars. Bicycle through the city, kayak in the East River, visit the best museums in the world, or simply "shop till you drop!" - the possibilities are endless! New York's dynamic arts community, anchored by Broadway and the Metropolitan Museum of Art, provides you with extensive entertainment, while shopping ranges from top-end boutiques to handcrafted goods sold at neighborhood flea markets. What's not to love?!

"Our journey begins with a sightseeing tour - a panoramic view of the city - by way of luxury motor-coach. It also includes an exceptional Broadway show of your own choice, the Rockettes Christmas Spectacular along with a behind-the-scenes tour of the Radio City Music Hall, a 48-hour Hop-On/Hop-Off sightseeing ticket including a 1-hour cruise around the waterways surrounding lower Manhattan, and much, much more ...

And finally: It's that time of the year! The store-front windows have started decorating for Christmas ...it's magic!

Come, join me, solo or two-by-two, take a bite of the Big Apple with Women of the Midwest!

Sincerely yours,
Barbara Wallingford
Women of the Midwest Ambassador





**November 4, 2021
Thursday**

Your wonderful journey begins as you fly to New York City.

Upon arrival, you will be greeted by your Women of the Midwest Tour Ambassador, Barb Wallingford, who will travel alongside you during all the days in New York City.

Together with our local tour guide Jared, we will board our deluxe motor coach to take a panoramic city tour of Manhattan. We will be passing by Central Park, drive down 5th Avenue, swing by Battery Park

with a view to Lady Liberty, and finally take a short walk at Ground Zero. Jared will share all the inside secrets of his amazing city with us. A lunch box is provided during the tour.

Check in to the Millennium Broadway Hotel, one step off Times Square.

The afternoon and evening are yours to unwind and relax, stroll and enjoy the stunning lights of the bustling neighborhood.

Lunch box included today

**November 5, 2021
Friday**

Breakfast is included and enjoyed at our hotel. Free time today to seek your own favorite spot of the city. Utilize your "Hop-On, Hop-Off" 48-hour pass to tour the city. The pass will give you total freedom to explore the city's famous landmarks and attractions at your own pace.

"Hop-On, Hop-Off" means you can jump on and off the bus as many times as you want; there are 35+ stops right by New York's finest attractions. Your pass includes five bus tour routes and a 1-hour lower Manhattan cruise. Jump off and visit one of the world-famous museums or art galleries. Stop for lunch at your favorite spot and rejoin the tour when you feel ready.

We recommend you visit the Public Library,

just a short walk from our hotel where you can see the original stuffed animals that inspired the Winne-the-Pooh stories.

A few blocks further down from there, is Grand Central Station. This place is "grand" by all means, and definitely a site worth checking out. There are a myriad of things to taste, touch, hear and smell in Grand Central Terminal. But for a truly awesome (and free) experience, all you have to do is head to the Main Concourse, stand still and look up at the zodiac mural on the ceiling, one of New York City's most beloved pieces of public art. Relax and let the others rush to catch the train ...Tonight, enjoy a Broadway show of your own choice. Most shows start at 8:00 PM.

**November 6, 2021
Saturday**

Breakfast is included and enjoyed at our hotel.

After breakfast, we take a 15-minute walk to Radio City Music Hall to enjoy a guided insider's look at this legendary place.

Upon opening its doors for the first time on a rainy winter's night in 1932, the Radio City Music Hall was proclaimed to be so extraordinarily beautiful as to need no performers at all. The first-built component of the massive Rockefeller Center, the Music Hall, has been the world's largest indoor theater for over eighty years. We will discover its art-deco masterpieces,





learn the secrets of the Great Stage, and meet a Rockette.

At the end of the tour, we will enjoy the Spectacular Christmas Show, this is really ...awe inspiring!

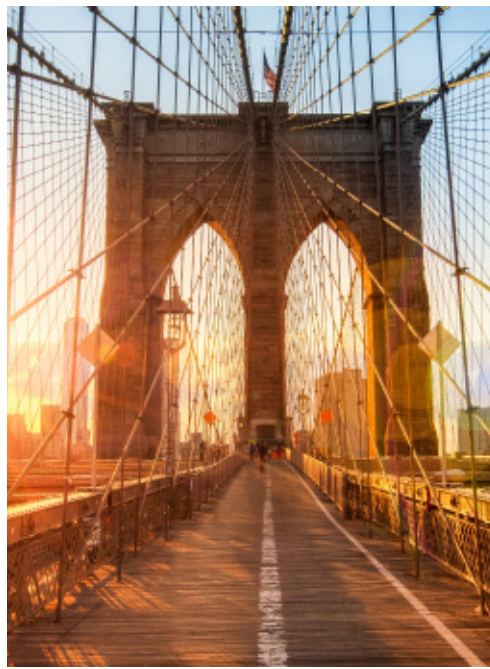
We are just around the corner from St. Patrick's Cathedral. Join Barb as she visits the Neo-Gothic-style Roman cathedral, a prominent landmark of New York City. The remainder of the day is at leisure to utilize your Hop-on/Hop-off pass.

November 7, 2021 Sunday

Breakfast is included and enjoyed at our hotel.

A day at leisure ... or join Barb as she takes a subway ride to experience the Chelsea Market.

Less than half an hour from leaving your hotel, you will step into one of the coolest markets in the world. It's impossible to come to New York without doing at least a little bit of shopping. Whether you're looking to purchase or casually stroll through, this urban shopping mall has everything you'd want to see from groceries to flea markets. Walk through Chelsea Market to experience tons of amazing shops, culturally diverse restaurants, and dessert stops. This is a great place to snap a



picture under an archway lit with thousands of white string lights, grab a bite to eat, and/or buy creative knick-knacks and memorabilia.

It is located in the Meatpacking District which is a hip commercial area on the far west side. It's home to the Whitney Museum of American Art, high-end designer clothing stores and a stretch of the High Line, an elevated park built atop former railroad tracks. At ground level, the cobblestone streets are filled with trendy restaurants and clubs that have taken over the cavernous spaces once occupied by the namesake meatpacking plants.

If you love to walk, we highly recommend returning toward the hotel via the High Line. Once destined for demolition, but luckily the community rallied together to repurpose it instead, creating the park you can experience today. But the High Line is more than a park - it is a public space where you can view art, walk through gardens, experience a performance, savor delicious food, or just people-watch while enjoying a unique perspective of the city. Built on the historic, elevated freight line, the High Line is really a wonderful place to stroll. To walk the entire length (1.45 miles) takes around 30 minutes.

An optional farewell dinner is arranged, we hope you will join us! The location will be announced prior to departure.



November 8, 2021 Monday

Breakfast is included and enjoyed at our hotel.

All too soon, your Big Apple journey has ended.

The morning hours are free to do some last minute shopping or grab a last bite at one of the fun New York delis.

Early afternoon, we will transfer to the airport for the return flight back home.

The itinerary is subject to change





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Package Price:

Per person in a shared double room: \$2,295
Per person in a single room (limited rooms): \$2,995

Remember our "Pair & Share" service for solo travelers.

A non-refundable deposit of \$500 per person is required upon signing up. Deposit can be paid by cash, check or credit card. Balance is due on August 2, 2021, and is non-refundable. Balance can be paid by cash or check. Credit card payment(s) (any payment applied to the tour after the deposit) will access a 3.5% fee.

We recommend travel insurance to help protect you and your trip investment against the unexpected. For your convenience, we offer a plan provided by Travelex Insurance Services, priced from \$165 per person (covers land and air up to \$2,500 per person.) For full pricing grid and highlights, please review the enclosed brochure.

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We specialize in small group tours. The price of this tour is based on a minimum of 15 travelers and a maximum of 20 travelers. Should we, for any reason, not be able to guarantee this departure, we will refund all funds paid 90 days prior to departure.

Tour Activity = LEVEL 2

Walking is a key component of this tour and of the New York City way of life. Between walking tours and personal exploration, you can expect to walk 3 miles or more over the course of a day typically on pavements. New York is a vigorous city and it is not always practical to grab a cab, so expect and plan for extensive walking and many stairs.

Air, included in your package:

Group airfare is included. We are able to reserve air by the beginning of January 2021 and all registered participants will be informed of the schedule once it becomes available.

Group airfare comes with seat assignments 30 days prior to departure. Premium seating can be purchased additionally and confirmed at this time. Women of the Midwest cannot confirm precise seat numbers earlier than 30 days prior to departure and therefore, cannot guarantee the availability of specific seating on the aircraft.

If you wish to travel from a different city than Omaha, please let us know and we will make sure to customize your air. A supplement could occur.

Included

- Air to/from New York, economy class
- 4 nights accommodation (4-star hotel)
- 4 x full American breakfast at the hotel, buffet style
- Lunch box on arrival day
- 1 Broadway show of your own choice*
- All transportation as per tour program with private deluxe motor coach
- Porterage at hotel
- Gratuities to local guide and drivers
- Professional tour guide during panoramic city sightseeing on arrival day
- 48-hours Hop-on/Hop-off bus pass
- Women of the Midwest Ambassador from day 1 through day 5
- All local taxes as per June 6, 2019

**A Broadway show of your choice is included in the package price. Any show that exceeds \$130, can be reserved and the price difference will be included on your final statement. No refund will be given for ticket prices under \$130. Executive Travel will assist with reserving show tickets.*

Forwarding registration and deposit signifies that you agree to the terms and conditions of this tour which can be found on our website at executivetravel.com/escorted-tours

Accommodations:

Millennium Broadway Hotel, Times Square
Final accommodations will be confirmed 90 days prior to departure

Excluded:

- Airline baggage fees
- Travel Insurance
- Professional fees, \$50 per person due at time of registration
- Personal expenses
- Meals other than mentioned in the tour program
- Entrance fees to monuments and/or museums other than mentioned
- Anything not mentioned in the inclusions



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