



## Lovely London & Pretty Paris

I had the unique opportunity to be part of the 2022 London and Paris Trip. It was a trip that reminded me how much I loved to travel and how much more I want to see.

My husband of 44 years passed away in 2017, and I was at a point in my life where I wanted to do something different - but what?

One morning as I was having my quiet time, I prayed, saying, "Lord - I think I would like to travel abroad- not by myself and not as a third wheel with couples." I closed my iPad and went on about my day. The next morning, I opened Facebook, and there you were - "Women of the Midwest." (Just so you know, I did not say my prayer request out loud, so SIRI did not hear me!)

My wheels were turning. I requested a brochure and looked it over for 2 weeks. With all of the information, and calls into the office, my questions were answered, and I felt very assured about the company and its values, so I paid my deposit and was anxious for an adventure.

The trip was much more than I had even anticipated. The amazing details, such as the lovely hotels that were chosen for us; enjoying the fabulous food at the local venues; the amazing itinerary filled with iconic excursions; and even the buses and the foreign guides, were outstanding. Absolutely every detail was planned with superior quality. I loved it all! But it turns out that one of my most cherished components was the opportunity of personal leisure time to adventure out into the cities to explore on my own with renewed confidence.

Having only 20 people on the trip made it possible for us to really get to know and enjoy each other. Personally, I have made some new friends that I keep in contact with today and hope to travel again at another time.

If you are considering traveling, please give "Women of the Midwest" an opportunity to WOW you with their beautiful domestic and international trips. You will not regret it.

Sincerely,  
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