

WEBB TOURS PRESENTS

Our 44th consecutive Hill Cumorah Pageant Tour

July 9-25, 2012

Featuring US and LDS History from Washington DC to Missouri...



...AND the HILL CUMORAH and NAUVOO Pageants

For the 44th consecutive year, **Webb Tours** is proud to offer our Hill Cumorah Pageant Tour. This is a spectacular combination of LDS Church and American history. We'll trace the steps of those who paid the price so that we might have the religious and political freedoms that we enjoy today. And we'll do it in style, with knowledgeable guides, luxury transportation, delicious meals and excellent lodging. This tour sells out every year. We hope you'll join us.

Much has changed in the past several years: **Kirtland** has undergone a major restoration adding a **new Visitors Center** and restoring additional properties. **Joseph Smith's birthplace** in Sharon, Vermont has been renovated, celebrating over 200 years. There is a **new Visitor's Center** at the Hill Cumorah as well as the recently finished **log home** where Joseph was born and the re-dedicated **Grandin Building** where the Book of Mormon was first published. As icing on the cake, the **Nauvoo Temple** is back where it belongs. AND you have a chance to see **the Hill Cumorah and Nauvoo Pageants**. This is a GREAT year to enjoy this journey with so many new sites to enjoy.

This tour will be conducted by master teacher Karen Lesser who has directed this tour many times. We have included a sheet which summarizes multiple comments from travelers who have recently been with Karen on Church History tours. She is a fabulous teacher and will add much to your tour. Please review the itinerary. It is a profound travel experience.

Registration Information:

To make a reservation, simply **fill out the attached reservation form and send it to us with a deposit of \$300 per person.** When we receive your deposit, we will mail you a receipt confirming that you are registered for the tour. A letter with instructions, hotel itinerary flight information (if applicable) and luggage tags will be sent 45-60 days prior to departure at which time the balance will be due. You do not need to pay the balance until after you receive that packet. We require final payments in the form of a check. If that is not possible, arrangements can be made to use a credit card. Webb Tours accepts Visa, Mastercard and Discover for tour deposits.

Cancellation Penalties

We understand that you may need to cancel your trip for whatever reason. If it is 60 days or more before departure, all money will be refunded. If it is within 60 days, we will charge you only what Webb Tours cannot recover. In some cases, we can recover all of it. In others, we cannot. Cruise lines, airlines, hotels and other service providers require funds in advance and have their own rules about what will be refunded once paid. We must follow their guidelines. For airlines, specifically, tickets are generally non refundable when purchased. However, most airlines will allow the value of the canceled tickets to be reused for future travel, though a penalty may be assessed to reuse the tickets. If you have to cancel, Webb Tours will work with other providers to obtain as much refund as possible for our travelers. Our travelers know us to be very fair in this regard.

Cancellation Insurance:

Cancellation insurance is also available should you be interested. The insurance provider that we use is a company called Travelex. You can learn about them at www.travelexinsurance.com. With this insurance, most of your money will be returned to you in case you have to cancel for covered reasons (illness or death of an immediate family member) at the last minute. The price for the insurance varies based on the price of the trip and the age of the participant (at the time the insurance is purchased). Prices are as follows:

Trip Cost	Ages 0-34	Ages 35-59	Ages 60-69	Ages 70-79	Ages 80+	
\$1,000-\$1,500	\$68	\$85	\$111	\$159	\$242	
\$1,501-\$2,000	\$88	\$108	\$147	\$210	\$307	
\$2,001-\$2,500	\$108	\$131	\$179	\$256	\$374	
\$2,501-\$3,000	\$127	\$153	\$211	\$304	\$440	
\$3,001-\$3,500	\$146	\$167	\$243	\$348	\$510	
\$3,501-\$4,000	\$165	\$179	\$276	\$400	\$598	
\$4,001-\$4,500	\$182	\$199	\$333	\$438	\$665	
\$4,501-\$5,000	\$203	\$221	\$374	\$495	\$751	

If you are interested in the insurance, it is best to purchase it when your deposit is made as all preexisting conditions are waived. However, insurance may be purchased any time up to the point you make your final payment. Insurance cannot be purchased after your final payment is made. Webb Tours is not the insurer and acts as agent for Travelex. To activate your insurance, we need your premium and your birth date. **Insurance also includes \$50,000 in medical benefits, \$1,000 for lost baggage, \$250 for baggage delay and \$50,000 for Common Carrier AD&D.**

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Or call us and register over the phone. We hope you can join us.

Daily Itinerary

July 9: Salt Lake to Washington D.C.: Today we'll board our flight to the Washington D.C area. Our Renaissance touring coach will be waiting for us. We'll be staying in a convenient hotel about five miles from DC. Our welcome dinner tonight is one of the highlights of the trip as we dine at famous Gadsby's Tavern in nearby **Alexandria, Virginia** a CHARMING, colonial town just outside of the District. We'll dine where George and Martha Washington dined. The food is superb and the original colonial setting is beyond charming. On our way back from dinner we'll stop at the Iwo Jima Memorial which overlooks Washington DC. It is usually about sunset. It's a spectacular sight. *Tour to pay for dinner today.*

July 10: Washington D.C. At 9:00, we'll all be in Washington DC to enjoy the highlights of our nation's capitol. An excellent local guide will provide the details. We'll begin at the stunning **FDR Memorial**, followed by a chance to see the **Lincoln, Jefferson, Vietnam and Korean Memorials**. We'll drive by the **White House** (picture stop) and enjoy the new Visitors Center, film and tour of the **Capitol Building**. We'll also see the recently constructed **WWII War Memorial**. At 3:00, we'll visit **Arlington Cemetery** to visit the Kennedy Graves, Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and much more. The views of Washington are lovely from here (if you have been to Arlington, you can spend a couple of hours at the **Smithsonian Museums**). You'll have some free time for dinner on your own in charming Alexandria this evening. Stroll the streets that George and Martha strolled in the late 1700's. There are shops, restaurants and ambiance galore! *Tour to pay for breakfast and local guide today.*

July 11: Washington to Gettysburg: This morning you have a choice: We'll all get an early start and you can choose to visit Mt. Vernon, Washington's estate on the Potomac OR you can enjoy a session in the Washington DC Temple. Those choosing Mt. Vernon will have a chance to see the DC temple and take pictures. At 11:30, we'll head for **Gettysburg**, that pivotal battle ground of the Civil War. We'll enjoy the newly renovated and **just reopened Visitor's Center** (with excellent films, exhibits and the reopened Cyclorama) and a chance to reflect in the cemetery with its touching war memorials. This was one of THE pivotal battle of the Civil War. The history is fascinating. A **cemetery guide** (who is a high school history teacher) will board our bus and take us to Cemetery Ridge, Little Round Top and other important battle points. Our hotel is the Holiday Inn in York, about 30 miles from Gettysburg. *Tour to pay for breakfast, guide and dinner tonight.*

July 12: York to Philadelphia. We're right in the heart of **Amish country**. The countryside is beautiful with well groomed farms as far as the eye can see. We'll drive a short distance into Lancaster County and enjoy some shopping at the Kitchen Kettle (a collection of great Amish gifts and crafts) or an interesting presentation called "Jacob's Choice". Lunch is included at the Kitchen Cupboard, an Amish buffet. Then it's on to **Philadelphia**. We'll arrive with plenty of time to see **the Visitors Center, the Liberty Bell and Independence Hall where freedom began**. During free time, you can visit **Franklin Place** or the new **Constitution Center**. Philadelphia is a national treasure. This is where the country was formed and the Declaration of Independence and Constitution signed. Our hotel is the Hampton Inn in the Philadelphia area tonight. *Tour to pay for light breakfast and lunch today.*

July 13: Philadelphia to New York. After breakfast this morning, we'll enjoy the 90 minute drive into the Big Apple, **New York City**. Its exciting as the impressive skyline comes into view. We'll go directly to Liberty Park (on the New Jersey side) and take a ferry over to **Liberty and Ellis Islands**. You'll have plenty of time to enjoy both, ending in Manhattan at Battery Park. During the afternoon, we'll show you some other highlights on an interesting walking tour of lower Manhattan (Ground Zero, Wall Street, Trinity Church, Stock Exchange and more) This evening, those who are interested, can go to a **Broadway Show** (call us, and we'll help you arrange the show of your choice). Others can go with their guide to the Empire State Building and ascend to the top. *Tour to pay for light breakfast and ferries today.*

July 14: New York to Boston: This morning, we'll have a chance to attend Sacrament Meeting (in the same building as the Manhattan Temple) before departing toward Boston. In the late afternoon, we'll arrive in **Plymouth** and have a chance to see the Mayflower replica, Plymouth Rock and have dinner at **Isaacs** overlooking Cape Cod. Our hotel is in a suburb of Boston. *Tour to pay for dinner today.*

July 15: Boston all day. No city in the United States has more history than **Boston**, and we'll spend the day taking it in with our knowledgeable and entertaining local guide. We'll see **Lexington and Concord** where the Revolutionary War began. We'll also see the **Old North Church, USS Constitution, Bunker Hill**, and much more. We'll enjoy a unique lunch and browsing experience at **Quincy Market**, near the old Faneuil Hall. We'll drive by the Boston Temple on the way back to the hotel. Boston, Philadelphia and New York are our nation's most important historical cities and we have a chance to see all three. *Tour to pay for light breakfast and city tour today.*

July 16: Boston to Sharon to Albany. This morning we'll drive over to **Sharon**, the birthplace of the Prophet Joseph Smith. We'll see the newly remodeled Visitor's Center and the marble obelisk that honors his life. It is a peaceful and inspiring spot. After seeing the sites, we'll enjoy a picnic lunch (prepared by the Young Women in the local ward) in the outdoor pavilion overlooking the rolling hills of Vermont. In the early afternoon, we'll stop at the **Maple Syrup Museum** where you can see how it is made and get some great gifts. Our hotel is in the Albany area. *Tour to pay for light breakfast and lunch today.*

July 17: Albany to Palmyra Area: This morning we'll drive across beautiful Upstate New York making a stop at the Susquehanna River site where the Aaronic Priesthood was restored. After lunch, we'll make a stop in Fayette for a visit to the **Peter Whitmer Farm** and the log cabin where the church was organized. We'll enjoy an inspirational guided tour. From there it's a short drive into Palmyra.

We are staying at the beautiful **Inn on the Lake**, on the shores of Lake Canandaigua. After a chance to relax, we'll enjoy an outdoor barbecue dinner followed by an opportunity to witness the fabulous **Hill Cumorah Pageant, America's Witness for Christ** which has recently been revamped and is more spectacular than ever. *Tour to pay for light breakfast and dinner today.*

July 18: Palmyra all day: After breakfast, we'll drive over to the historical sites. We'll begin with a tour of the **Smith Home**, which was recently restored to its original condition when the Smiths were there. In addition, the log home where Joseph lived as a young boy is just across the street. We'll then enjoy a peaceful walk into the **Sacred Grove** where you'll have plenty of time to meditate about the significance of what took place here. After lunch (which is a box lunch picnic), we'll visit the **Grandin Press**, which has just recently been reopened. Finally, we'll go to the **Hill Cumorah** to see the new **Visitors Center** and the monument on the hill which marks the spot where the plates were found. After a rest, those who are interested can attend a session in the **Palmyra Temple**. We'll stay at the Inn on the Lake again tonight. *Tour to pay for breakfast and lunch today.*

July 19: Palmyra to Niagara Falls to Kirtland: This morning, we'll drive into **Niagara Falls, New York** (just 90 minutes away). We've included a ride on the **MAID OF THE MIST** (from the American Side) so you can get close to the powerful falls. You'll then have time for lunch followed by our afternoon drive along Lake Erie into Ohio and on to the Kirtland area where we'll spend the evening. We'll stay at the lovely Lawnfield Inn tonight. *Tour to pay for Maid of the Mist today. (NOTE: We will not be crossing into Canada but you will see the Canadian Falls UP CLOSE on the Maid of the Mist. A passport will NOT be required for this trip).*

July 20: Kirtland Area: Welcome to **Kirtland!** By the end of the day you'll have a new appreciation for the importance of Kirtland in our history. There is much to see and do as a MAJOR restoration was completed a few years ago. We'll begin at the **Visitors Center** which is built to look like a grist mill of the 1830's. We'll see a film and interesting exhibits. We'll then visit the inspiring **Newell K. Whitney Store** (site of significant visitations and revelations) and the newly restored **Whitney Home**. After lunch, we'll have a guided tour of the **Kirtland Temple**, the first of the latter-day temples. After an hour to relax at the hotel, we'll be joined by Dr. Peter Gail who will take us through Amish Country to the **John Johnson Farm**, which has been recently reopened after a major restoration. It is critical to our church history experience. On our way to the Johnson Farm, we'll have a dinner you'll never forget. A delightful **Amish family** will have us to their home for dinner (in rural Ohio)! This is the real thing. We will have dinner and get to know the family. If you don't already have tremendous respect for the Amish, you will by the end of this evening. *Tour pays for light breakfast and dinner today.*

July 21: Kirtland to Macomb: Today is a travel day. We'll appreciate the distance the Prophet traveled as he went back and forth to Nauvoo. We'll stay in Macomb tonight. *Tour to pay for light breakfast today.*

July 22: Nauvoo. We are just 45 minutes from **Carthage**, where we have a 9:00 appointment. We'll then drive over to nearby Nauvoo and begin to enjoy the sites. After getting some lunch, we'll check into our hotel. We'll relax, change our clothes and enjoy something we've all anticipated, a session in the new **Nauvoo Temple**. We have a lovely dinner together, followed by an evening performance in the **Cultural Hall**. This is a play put on by the missionaries that we know you'll enjoy. *Tour to pay for light breakfast & dinner today.*

July 23: Nauvoo all day. Today we'll have all day to explore Nauvoo. We'll see the visitors center with its excellent film and exhibits. The beautiful **Statuary Gardens** (A Tribute to Women) are just outside the center. If you're interested, you can spend some time in **Land and Records** and research information about your ancestors that lived in Nauvoo. Later, we'll walk down **Parley Street** reading the interesting journal entries as we go. At the end of the street is the **Monument to Exodus**, and the place where the pioneers crossed the river. We'll then give you **free time** to see the sites of most interest to you. Tonight will be a treat as we take our seats for the sixth year of the very impressive **Nauvoo Pageant**. In my opinion, this is the best of ALL the church pageants. **It is a treat to enjoy the Hill Cumorah and the Nauvoo Pageants in the same trip.** *Tour to pay for breakfast and dinner today.*

July 24 - Nauvoo to Independence: This morning, we'll drive through eastern Missouri to Galitan where enjoy a delicious buffet lunch. We'll then visit **Adam Ondi Aman** which is rich in history as well as prominent in future events. We'll then drive a short distance to **Far West**, which was once a thriving community but is now a reflective memory. On our way into Independence, we'll stop in **Richmond, Missouri** (time permitting), to see Oliver Cowdery's grave and the monument to the Three Witnesses. Our hotel is the Fairfield Inn in Independence. *Tour to pay for breakfast and buffet lunch today.*

July 25: Independence to Salt Lake: Today we'll focus on the sights in Jackson County. We'll begin with a visit to our **Visitors Center** (if the renovation is complete) which beautifully describes the events that occurred here. After seeing the **Temple Site**, we'll enjoy a driving tour passing newly established "Mormon History" points. After lunch, we'll drive out to **Liberty** to visit the jail where early church leaders were unjustly held for several months. Many important revelations were received here. From there, we'll take a fifteen minute ride to the Kansas City airport for our flight home. *Tour to pay for breakfast today.*

Of all the tours we do, this is perhaps the most special. It was our first tour, 41 years ago. Your guides are church history experts who have taken this tour many times. There's a little extra care and consideration in planning this tour. We know that for many this is a once in a lifetime opportunity. We take that very seriously. We pledge to do all we can to make it a once in a lifetime experience.

Note: A passport is **not** required to visit Niagara Falls on this tour.

Price of tour includes:

- Excellent accommodations throughout, including Inn on the Lake, Lawnfield Inn, Nauvoo Family Inn & Suites & more.
- **26 meals**, taxes and tips (including dinner at Gadsby's Tavern and dinner with Amish family)
- Experienced and knowledgeable tour escort that has directed this tour MANY times
- All luggage handling
- Admissions as mentioned in brochure
- An impressive list of LDS/US Historical sites from Washington DC to Missouri
 - FDR, Lincoln, Vietnam & Korean Memorials
 - World War II Memorial & Iwo Jima Memorial
 - Arlington National Cemetery and quaint Alexandria, Virginia
 - US Capitol Tour with new film and Visitors Center, plus picture stop at White House
 - George Washington's Mount Vernon and Washington DC Temple
 - Gettysburg & Amish Country
 - Independence Hall and Liberty Bell
 - Statue of Liberty & Ellis Island
 - Ground Zero, Central Park, Times Square, Wall Street & more
 - Plymouth, Mass.
 - Lexington, Concord, Old North Church, Bunker Hill, USS Constitution & more
 - Joseph Smith Birthplace (Sharon, Vermont)
 - Maple Syrup Museum
 - Susquehanna River Sites
 - Peter Whitmer Farm, Sacred Grove, Grandin Press, Joseph Smith homes, Hill Cumorah & more
 - Hill Cumorah Pageant
 - Palmyra Temple
 - Niagara Falls – Maid of the Mist
 - Kirtland Temple, Whitney Store, Visitors Center, Johnson Farm & more
 - Dinner with an Amish Family
 - Carthage Jail
 - Nauvoo Temple and all Nauvoo sites
 - Nauvoo Pageant
 - Adam Ondi Aman, Far West & Richmond, Missouri
 - Independence & Liberty Jail
 - EXCELLENT history lectures as we travel
 - An experience you will NEVER forget.
 - Tour price does not include airport taxes (with change with fuel prices)

Tour Prices (per person): July 9-25

4 to Room..... \$1,845 + Airfare*

3 to Room..... \$1,945 + Airfare

2 to Room.....\$2,045 + Airfare

1 in a Room.....\$2,745 + Airfare

**Airfare will be arranged by Webb Tours in early 2012*

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In case you are looking for a shorter trip, tour variations are listed on the back of this sheet

Tour Variations:

The tour described in this brochure is a comprehensive 17 day tour covering extensive LDS Church and American history. If you have the time, we recommend the full itinerary. If you would like to join us for a subset of the tour, the following itineraries are available:

Boston to Independence

If you are interested mostly in the Church History sites (and less in the American History sites), we can fly you to Boston instead of Washington DC and you can begin the tour there (based on airline availability). Your tour dates would be **July 14-25**. You would arrive on the evening that the group arrives in Boston and be transferred to the hotel. You would continue with the group through the end of the tour. This 12 day tour is priced as follows:

Price per person (double occupancy): \$1,595 + Air

Washington D.C. to Kirtland

If you have seen Nauvoo and the Missouri sites and would like to join us through Kirtland, that can be arranged. Your tour would be from **July 9 to 21**. You would follow the itinerary as it is printed through July 20. On the morning of July 21 when the group heads for Nauvoo, you would go to the airport in nearby Cleveland and fly home. This 13 day tour would be priced as follows:

Price per person (double occupancy): \$1,695 + Air