Escorted - Christmas in Tennessee! Nashville & Pigeon Forge

December 3 - 7, 2026 Thu - Mon 5 Days / 4 Nts

Experience the magic of the holidays with a festive tour to Nashville and Pigeon Forge, featuring dazzling lights, world-class shows, and unforgettable attractions like the Grand Ole Opry, Dollywood, and ICE!

Celebrate the season with southern charm, holiday cheer, and memories that will last a lifetime!



Day 1: Depart by motorcoach to Bradley Airport for your flight to Nashville. Check in at the beautifully decorated **Gaylord Opryland Resort.** Enjoy a guided walking tour of this fabulous resort including a flatboat ride, followed by a festive **Christmas Dinner Show**. D

Day 2: Start your day with a **Very Merry Breakfast Show** featuring a buffet and live holiday music. Enjoy a **Guided City Tour**, then board the **General Jackson Showboat**, a paddle-wheeled vessel for a scenic lunch cruise with live entertainment. **Visit ICE!**, an amazing exhibit of hand-carved ice sculptures by artists from Harbin, China.

Dinner at **Paula Deen's Family Kitchen**, followed by a performance at the world-famous **Grand Ole Opry** - Nashville's must-see attraction and the world's longest running live radio show. As the home of country music, the Opry offers an incredible mix of talent to create an American experience like no other! B, L, D

Day 3: Another **Very Merry Breakfast Show**, then travel to **Pigeon Forge**. Check in at your hotel, the **Inn on the River**. Free time to shop at **The Incredible Christmas Place**, the largest Christmas store in the South.

In the evening, enjoy dinner and a show at **Dolly Parton's Stampede**, featuring music, stunts, and a four-course feast. Enjoy an aerial performance featuring an original song written and recorded by Dolly Parton, along with the return of the longhorns. One of the top activities in the Pigeon Forge area, this is a must-see attraction!

Cap the night with a scenic **Winterfest Lights Driving Tour** to see dozens of displays adorned with millions of twinkling lights are the hallmark of Winterfest in Pigeon Forge. B, D

Day 4: After breakfast take a guided tour of the Great Smoky Mountains and ride the Ober Mountain Aerial Tramway to a mountaintop BBQ buffet with a great view. Spend the afternoon and evening at Dollywood's Smoky Mountain Christmas, enjoying live shows, rides, festive lights, and holiday shopping (dinner on your own). There's only one word you need to describe Dollywood during the Christmas season: magical. Dollywood's Smoky Mountain Christmas is an amazing Christmas celebration. There's a beautiful light display and live Christmas shows that celebrate the true meaning of Christmas. Watch the Parade of Many Colors, which includes floats and interactive characters, or watch Christmas in the Smokies, a musical Christmas tradition at Dollywood where you'll hear your favorite Christmas classics.

End the day with the high-energy **Country Tonite** show, featuring music, comedy, and dance. B, L

Day 5: Enjoy breakfast before departing for the airport with wonderful holiday memories! B

FRIENDSHIP TOURS THE SHIP SHOP 705 Bloomfield Ave, Bloomfield, CT 06002 860-243-1630 • 800-243-1630 www.friendshiptours.net **COST: \$3599** pp double Including Air from Hartford/Bradley Based on current air rates and schedules. Based on minimum of 30 passengers.

Transportation to the airport based on minimum # of passengers.

Includes: Roundtrip motorcoach to Bradley Airport, Roundtrip air flights to Nashville, 4 nights hotel, 4 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 3 Dinners, Sightseeing & admissions per itinerary, Friendship Tours Escort, Professional Guide upon arrival in Nashville and more. <u>DEPOSIT</u>: \$900 pp with reservation to secure your space. Space is subject to availability at the time of reservation.

FINAL PAYMENT: September 4, 2026

FOR RESERVATIONS: Call Barbara at Friendship Tours: 860-243-1630

<u>CANCELLATION POLICY</u>: If a passenger cancels from deposit date to September 4, 2026 the cancellation fee is \$700 pp; September 5, 2026 to October 20, 2026 the cancellation fee is \$1500 pp; no refunds if cancelled after October 20, 2026. All cancellation fees are plus any non-refundable airline fees.

TRIP PROTECTION COVERAGE

Trip Protection Coverage is strongly recommended. Friendship Tours offers Travel Protection insurance through two providers: NTA Travel Protection Plan and Travel Insured International. Travel Protection offers coverage for Cancellation for Covered Medical Reasons, Trip Interruption, Emergency Medical Services, Travel Delay, & more. Cancel for Any Reason (CFAR) coverage can be purchased from either provider (see timing guidelines below) and will reimburse up to 75% of prepaid nonrefundable trip costs if canceled at least 48 hours prior to your trip for a non-covered reason. Please see the attached pricing for the AON/NTA Insurance. Please call for pricing on a Travel Insured International Policy.

Insurance Premiums are non-refundable. Terms and conditions apply.

The <u>NTA (AON) Travel Protection Plan</u> is based on the cost of the trip and offers 3 levels of insurance: Basic, Enhanced, or Enhanced with CFAR. Emergency medical coverage is secondary coverage. The pre-existing medical condition exclusion can be waived by purchasing the Enhanced Plan or the Enhanced with CFAR Plan within 14 days of initial trip payment.

To enroll: https://nta.aontravelprotect.com Tour Operator Location #076068 OR call AON 1-800-388-1470.

Travel Insured International Worldwide Trip Protector (WTP) plans are based on each person's age as well as the cost of the trip and offer several levels of coverage including Platinum and Deluxe. Emergency medical coverage is primary coverage. Policy must be purchased within 14 days (for Deluxe) or 21 days (for Platinum) of your initial payment to have the pre-existing medical condition exclusion waived and to purchase CFAR coverage. Bundles for cruises and flights are also available.

To enroll: https://www.friendshiptours.net/protection-plan Agency #18649

IMPORTANT FLIGHT INFORMATION:

REAL ID: Effective May 2025, all passengers on Domestic (US) flights must present a **Real ID** (valid Driver's License with the yellow star) or a valid US Passport.

PASSENGER NAME(S): The name on your airline reservation should match the Real ID or Passport you use at the airport.

AIRLINE SEATING: Advanced seat assignments are not guaranteed on group bookings and may not be assigned until check in. Some airlines will preassign seats, but not all. Seat requests are not guaranteed and can be changed by the airline at any time. In some instances, the airline will assign seats within a group block at random and we cannot guarantee roommates will be seated together. We are unable to preassign bulkhead and exit row seating.

BAGGAGE FEES: Domestic flights do not include checked baggage fees. Fee is additional.

KTN & FREQUENT FLYER NUMBERS: If you provide us with your Known Traveler Number (KTN) such as Global Entry or TSA Pre-check number before final payment, we will provide the number to the Airline. It is advised that you also bring these numbers with you on the day of travel to add to your reservation at check in if needed.

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