



Texas: The Lone Star State

MULTIPLE DATES

Journey Through the State Where Everything's Bigger and Better

New Tour

Spend a week in the Lone Star State and immerse yourself in its rich culture, delicious cuisine, and fascinating history. Begin your journey by exploring world-famous historical sites and the scenic rolling landscapes of the Hill Country, all while enjoying the warm hospitality of charming small towns. Experience two magical nights along the iconic San Antonio River Walk, where you can savor vibrant dining, lively entertainment, and peaceful riverside strolls. We promise this tour truly captures the heart and soul of Texas.

DAY 1: WELCOME TO HOUSTON!

Begin your journey with a Welcome Dinner at our hotel in Houston. Build connections with your fellow travelers and Tour Director. *D*



DAY 2: JOHNSON SPACE CENTER

Start your day with a visit to Space Center Houston, the official visitor center of NASA's Johnson Space Center. This world-renowned science and space center offers a rare, behind-the-scenes look at human spaceflight—from historic moon missions to the cutting-edge technologies shaping our future on Mars. This evening, continue on to San Antonio, where you will be staying for two nights on the famous River Walk. **B**

DAY 3: SAN ANTONIO MISSIONS/RIVER WALK/TEJAS RODEO

This morning, our group will be accompanied by Julia Rosenfeld, a professional food writer, restaurant reviewer, cookbook author, and San Antonio expert. Visit the historic missions and learn about their legacy, along with what makes San Antonio a UNESCO City of Gastronomy. Enjoy lunch and a tamale-making lesson! This afternoon, view over 500 artifacts on display at the expansive Alamo Exhibit, which tell the story of San Antonio's most famous landmark. End your day with an exhilarating visit to the Tejas Rodeo for a delicious BBQ dinner and an action-packed cowboy experience. **B, L, D**

DAY 4: FREDERICKSBURG

Today we set off for Fredericksburg, located in the heart of Texas Hill County. On our April departure, view the stunning bluebonnets at the height of wildflower season. Explore the world-class National Museum of the Pacific War to gain an in-depth understanding of WWII in the Asiatic-Pacific theater. Stroll through the historic center of Fredericksburg, which blends rich German heritage with a laid-back charm. **B, D**

DAY 5: VINTAGE MOTORCYCLES/LBJ LIBRARY

Travel to Johnson City, home of the Texas Vintage Motorcycle Museum. Get a behind-the-scenes tour with Gordon Massie, owner of the nearly 100 classic motorcycles that make up the collection. The group will continue on to Austin, where the Lyndon B. Johnson Presidential Library offers an inspiring journey through the life of the 36th President. **B, L**

DAY 6: PAINTED CHURCHES/MODEL AIRCRAFT MUSEUM/POLKA LOVERS CLUB OF TEXAS

This morning, journey to Schulenburg for a tour of the area's famed painted churches. These places of worship, built by German and Czech immigrants in the late 1800s, feature gorgeous hand-painted interiors meant to replicate the churches of their home countries. Continue with a visit to the Stanzel Model Aircraft Museum. This evening, experience true Texas hospitality with the Polka Lovers Club of Texas. Learn about La Grange's Czech heritage in their museum and perhaps have a dance or two! **B, L, D**

DAY 7: TEXAS QUILT MUSEUM/RETURN HOME

Our final stop is the Texas Quilt Museum. Featuring entries from the International Quilt Festival, this museum displays stunning creations by quilters from all over the world. Depart for home with exciting new memories of the Lone Star State! **B** 



TOUR DETAILS

7 Days • 13 Meals

Apr 9-15, 2026

Nov 5-11, 2026

Price Per Person:

Double: \$2,799; Single: \$3,399

Pre/Post Hotel: \$199/night

Depart/Return:

Houston, TX

HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour the San Antonio Missions with an acclaimed cookbook author and food writer
- Visit the Johnson Space Center
- Have a true Western experience at the Tejas Rodeo
- Explore the National Museum of the Pacific War
- Enjoy a two-night stay on the San Antonio River Walk
- Visit Texas Hill Country at the height of wildflower season on our April departure

INCLUSIONS

- Free airport shuttle or hotel parking
- Welcome Dinner and meals as indicated (B=breakfast, L=lunch, D=dinner)
- Fees and tips for included attractions and meals
- Luggage handling at most hotels
- 24-hour emergency call service
- Free bottled water on coach

ACCOMMODATIONS

Night 1: Hilton Houston
North, Houston

Nights 2-3: Drury Plaza Hotel San
Antonio Riverwalk, San Antonio

Night 4: Holiday Inn Express,
Fredericksburg

Night 5: Hampton Inn, Austin

Night 6: Best Western, La
Grange (or similar)