



Rose Bowl

TOM'S CHRISTIAN TOURS

presents

Tournament of Roses Parade

Dec. 28, 2017-Jan. 4, 2018

\$2,229 per person double occupancy

December 28, Thursday – A deluxe coach will shuttle us from the Fox Valley and en route to Chicago where we will spend the night before leaving Friday morning .

December 29, Friday – (D) We will depart Chicago this morning to the beautiful city of Los Angeles. Another deluxe coach will meet us at the Orange County Airport and we'll begin our introduction to the bustling metropolis of **Los Angeles**. Our first stop will be downtown Disney followed by our **included welcome dinner**. Then we'll check into our hotel for a **six-night stay at the brand new Holiday Inn Express in Fullerton**.

December 30, Saturday (B, D) - A **step-on guide** will give us a tour of Greater Los Angeles this morning. Our guide will showcase dazzling landmarks that reveal the secrets of **Hollywood's galaxy of stars** and the historic glamour that still lives on today. We'll stand in the footprints of the stars at **Grauman's Chinese Theatre** and learn the stories behind the symbols of Hollywood—the Walk of Fame, the Hollywood Sign, the Babylon Court, and more. After cruising down the Sunset Strip, we'll be off to Rodeo Drive in Beverly Hills. We'll have free time for exploring and lunch at the famous Farmer's Market. This afternoon we'll spend time at **Warner Brothers Studios** where you will get closer to the entertainment you love. We will go behind the scenes on the studio lot for this VIP tour. **An included dinner** will round out our day.

December 31, Sunday (B, D) – We have a group reservation today to tour the **float decorating sites**. We'll see volunteers applying fresh flowers to the beautiful and extraordinary **Rose Parade floats** and have time to explore the festival grounds. If you choose, a short walk will bring you to the **Rose Bowl Stadium**, a great photo opportunity. This afternoon you may take a little time to rest for our **New Year's Eve dinner (included) and party tonight. We'll celebrate a New York New Years (Midnight in NYC, 9 p.m. in CA).**

January 1, Monday (B, L) - We're off before the crack of dawn, heading for our reserved bleacher seating for the 129th edition of the colorful **Tournament of Roses Parade**. Soak in the colorful sights and rich sounds, as over 100 floats, horse units, and bands pass by. We'll also receive a complimentary visitors' guide, **parade program**, and **Rose pin**. After a **picnic lunch (included)**, we'll be treated to a **close-up look** at all the Rose Bowl floats. See how the floats are made with organic materials and smell the wonderful aroma of the roses. After a busy, early day, we'll enjoy an evening at leisure.

January 2, Tuesday (B, L) - This morning we'll visit the **Ronald Reagan Presidential Library and Museum, with an included lunch at the library**. Then, this afternoon we'll take a scenic drive through the Santa Monica Mountains and along the beautiful Pacific Ocean to the **Santa Monica Pier**. We will have time to have fun at the pier and enjoy dinner on your own.

January 3, Wednesday (B, D) - Today it's off to **San Diego**, a beautiful, coastal desert city where we'll visit such sites as **Balboa Park, Coronado, Embarcadero, Gas Lamp Quarter, and Old Town**. This afternoon sit back and enjoy a **two-hour cruise of the harbor** with views of the San Diego skyline, historic ships, shipyards, and aircraft carriers and other naval vessels. Our **included farewell dinner** will be in beautiful San Diego.

January 4, Thursday (B) – We'll say good-bye to sunny California today, but with memories of beautiful sights and scents of this area. We head to the Orange County Airport for our flight back to Chicago. A shuttle coach will meet us early evening in Chicago. Drop-off locations will be the same as pick-up locations.

Price per person: Single - \$2649, Double - \$2229, Triple - \$2079, Quad - \$1999
Deposit: \$400 per person

Price includes roundtrip coach shuttle between the Fox Valley and Chicago O'hare airport, one night's lodging in Chicago, roundtrip flight, six nights' lodging, California motorcoach, activities and attractions listed in itinerary, meals listed as included in itinerary, continental breakfasts at the hotel, and shuttle driver and step-on guide tips.

Price does not include TravelSafe Vacation Insurance if wanted, gratuities for the California motorcoach driver, and gratuities for tour directors. Suggested gratuities are \$2-\$3 per person per day for the driver and \$3-\$5 per person per day for the tour directors



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February 8, 2017

Dear **Rose Bowl Parade** Tour Fans,

Thank you for your interest in our **Rose Bowl Parade** tour, December 28, 2017-January 4, 2018. The theme for this year's parade is "Making a Difference". We've included an exciting blend of the beautiful Rose Bowl Parade and sightseeing for you. This letter is coming to you before the tour is announced on our website so you can have first chance at this trip. We take our reservations on a first come first served basis, so act soon if you are interested.

Included in this mailing are the following items:

- **A preliminary itinerary** of our exciting days in California
- We have included a **brochure on TravelSafe Vacation Insurance**. Travel insurance is not included in the cost of this tour, but you may want to consider taking out insurance. **Taking out travel insurance is optional and at your discretion**, but it does cover trip cancellation, trip interruption or delay, medical expenses, and much more. We have found TravelSafe to be reputable, reliable, and reasonably priced. The cost of insurance depends on your age and the cost of the tour. TravelSafe will cover **pre-existing conditions if you take out the Classic plan and pay your premium within 21 days of your trip deposit**. To sign up for TravelSafe insurance, go to www.travelsafecom or call them at 1-800-523-8020. Please send the single sheet Insurance Waiver to Tom's Christian Tours with your insurance decision indicated on the form. Travelsafe no longer uses registration forms.
- **A policy statement for deposits and refunds** (Non-refundable airfare is a factor)
- **A request for the complete first deposit for all participants. Please include the following and return to TCT on as soon as possible to confirm your reservation.**
 - o **Deposit of \$300.00**
 - o **Name of your roommate**
 - o **Your legal name(s) for our flights**
 - o **Your preferred pick-up city**
 - o **The waiver for travel insurance**
 - o **The names you would like printed on your nametag**

The tour price per person with double occupancy is \$2229; the tour price per person with single occupancy is \$2649, with triple \$2079, and with quad \$1999. **These prices include** airport shuttle to Chicago, roundtrip flight on American Airlines, deluxe coach transportation in California, six nights' lodging at the Holiday Inn Express in Fullerton, California, plus sightseeing, attractions, activities, games, and meals as listed in itinerary.

Not included in the price are tips for the California driver and tour directors; meals and activities not listed in the itinerary. Call if you have any questions . . . and get excited for a great trip!

In Christian joy,

Scott and Tammy Monroe

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Registration Form – PLEASE RETURN

Yes, I/we are looking forward to Rose Bowl Parade 2017-18. Enclosed is my/our deposit of \$ _____ (\$300.00 per person)

LEGAL NAME _____ BIRTH DATE _____
 First Middle Last mm/dd/year

LEGAL NAME _____ BIRTH DATE _____
 First Middle Last mm/dd/year

PHONE _____ EMAIL _____

ADDRESS _____
 Street City State Zip

ROOM ACCOMMODATIONS: Single Double Triple Quad

ROOM TYPE: One Bed Two Beds

NAME(S) YOU WANT PRINTED ON NAMETAG: (Name you people to call you on trip)

ROOMMATE(S) _____
(List roommates here, if not spouse, but they should submit their own registration forms to TCT)

SHUTTLE PICK-UP: DePere Appleton Oshkosh FDL Lomira Allenton Milwaukee

Send this form and a \$300 deposit per person to Tom's Christian Tours, 212 Broadway Drive, Sun Prairie, WI 53590, to reserve space on our *Rose Bowl Parade 2017-18* tour. Also return your insurance waiver.

Payments Schedule and Cancellation Fees Schedule

Payments

Initial Deposit Paid with Reservation	\$300.00 per person
Final Payment Due November 1, 2017	Tour price less deposit + optional luggage help

*Cancellation Fees

Until June 30, 2017	No Cancellation Fee
July 1, 2017- October 31, 2017	\$300.00 Cancellation Fee
November 1, 2017 and later	No Refund

*If you purchase travel / cancellation insurance and cancel the tour for a covered reason, your policy will reimburse you for cancellation fees.