

## Tournament of Roses Parade

featuring the Queen Mary, a Gala New Year's Eve Party

**Departure Date:** December 30, 2018





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**5 Days • 6 Meals** See the Granddaddy of all Parades from your reserved seats along Colorado Boulevard. Explore Los Angeles on a sightseeing tour and ring in the New Year in style with a private gala event. Enjoy dinner aboard the legendary *Queen Mary* ocean liner and gain a unique glimpse into a bygone era.

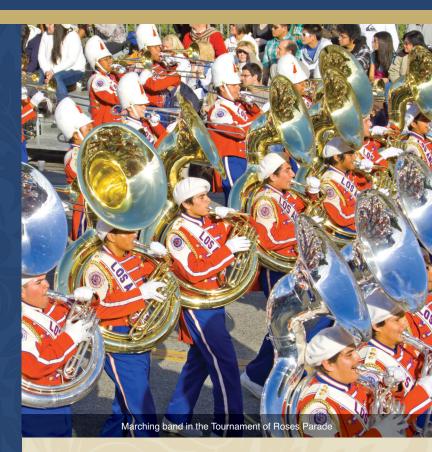
#### TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ✓ 6 Meals (2 dinners and 4 breakfasts)
- ✔ Roundtrip airport transfers
- ✓ Spend 4 nights in Long Beach, ranked as one of the most walkable cities in America
- ✓ See the sights of Los Angeles and Hollywood on a narrated Sight and Sounds Tour with a local guide including Our Lady of the Angels Cathedral, Disney Concert Hall and Grauman's Chinese Theater
- ✓ Gala private New Year's Eve dinner and dancing with live orchestra and champagne toast to ring in the New Year!
- ✓ Reserved seating for the 129th Tournament of Roses Parade, featuring the beautiful pageantry and steeped in tradition
- See the fabulous "Showcase of the Floats" and view your favorite floats up close and marvel at the creation and construction of the world's most spectacular parade floats
- ✓ Visit the J. Paul Getty Museum with its fabulous collection of Western art from the middle ages to the present
- ✓ Optional excursion to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library, which chronicles the storied career of Ronald Reagan that spanned more than five decades
- ✓ Enjoy a fabulous farewell dinner aboard the legendary Queen Mary, at one time the grandest ocean liner in the world and gain a unique glimpse into a bygone era
- ✔ Optional post-tour excursion to exciting Las Vegas is available



#### HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Renaissance Hotel, Long Beach, California



#### DAY 1 - Arrive in Southern California

Welcome to the grand dame of parades, the 129th Tournament of Roses Parade. The Rose Parade features the beautiful pageantry and tradition of magnificent floral floats, high-stepping equestrians and spirited marching bands. For four nights we stay at the Renaissance Long Beach Hotel. Join your Tour Manager tonight for a welcome orientation.

## DAY 2 – Los Angeles Sightseeing Tour and New Year's Eve Festivities

Today a local guide joins us for a tour of Los Angeles and Hollywood. From the Our Lady of the Angels Cathedral to the new Disney Concert Hall, home of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra, the tour is a blend of old and new. We also see the Hollywood and Highland Complex, Kodak Theater and the legendary Grauman's Chinese Theater. This evening we ring in the New Year with your newfound friends at a private New Year's Eve gala event. Put on your dancing shoes as a live orchestra fills the room with sounds from yesterday and today. We enjoy a spectacular dinner and champagne toast to celebrate the dawning of a New Year. Meals: B, D

### DAY 3 – 129th Tournament of Roses Parade and "Showcase of the Floats"

The event you came for is about to begin. We have reserved bleacher seats along Colorado Boulevard and after breakfast we depart for the Tournament of Roses Parade. View the animated floats, the precision of the marching bands and the equestrian teams as you become part of an event that is seen throughout the world by millions. In the afternoon we go behind the scenes in Pasadena for the fabulous post-





parade "Showcase of the Floats" to see your favorite flats up close. Marvel at the thousands of various flowers from around the world that were used to create the world's most imaginative floats. Later, we return to the hotel for an evening on own. Tonight, the evening is on your own. Meal: B

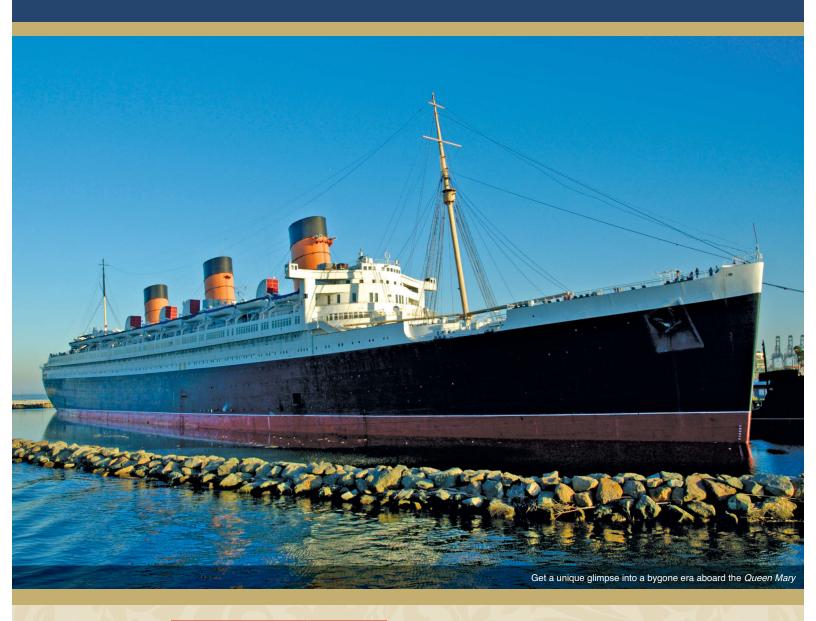
#### DAY 4 – J. Paul Getty Museum and the Queen Mary

This morning we take a trip to the incredible J. Paul Getty Museum, a testament to the enjoyment and understanding of the visual arts. The museum contains a collection of Western art from the middle ages to the present and is one of the most visited museums in the nation. The afternoon has been left free for you to relax and enjoy California sun. If you wish, you could join us on an optional excursion to the Ronald Reagan Presidential Library. Perched atop a hill with sweeping views of the southland, the Reagan Library chronicles his storied career that spanned more than five decades of a man who inspired Americans to achieve more than they imagined. Tonight, we are transported back in time aboard the legendary Queen Mary. Once the grandest ocean liner in the world, the Queen Mary is now a full-service hotel, historical landmark and fine dining venue. Enjoy a fabulous farewell dinner and gain a unique glimpse into a bygone era when steamships were the most regal way to travel. Meals: B. D.

#### DAY 5 - Homeward Bound

Like all of our holidays, your transfer from the hotel to the airport is included for your flight home. Your Tour Manager will help you with arrangements to Los Angeles International Airport. Meal: B





2018 DEPARTURE		PER PERSON TWIN ROOM	SINGLE ROOM
A	December 30	\$2,499	add \$549

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- 30 15 days 30% of the tour cost
- 14 1 day prior 40% of the tour cost
- Day of departure or early departure from tour 100% of the tour cost No refund on unused portion

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