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Day 1 - Tuesday, March 12, 2019

(All times listed as "Central Time")

6:15 a.m. - 6:30 a.m. Board Marinette, Jack's on Roosevelt

7:30 a.m. - 7:40 a.m. Board De Pere, Hwy G and Hwy 41 park and ride lot

8:10 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Board Appleton, Holiday Inn parking lot

8:45 a.m. - Board Oshkosh, Hwy 44 and S. Washburn park and ride lot

9:15 a.m. - **9:35 a.m.** Board Fond du Lac, Love's Travel Center Group to enjoy leg stretch here. Following, travel to Fenton, MO. Throughout our day today, we will travel by deluxe motor coach transportation to our destination, Fenton, MO. We will stop approximately every 2 - 2 ½ hours for leg stretch and meal breaks accordingly. Lunch and dinner will be "on your own" with options available when we stop mid-day, and near our hotel location.

11:45 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Machine Shed Restaurant, Rockford, IL Group to enjoy lunch, on your own.

2:45 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Wayside, Funks Grove, IL Enjoy leg stretch. Following, travel to Fenton, MO.

6:00 p.m. - 6:30 p.m. Overnight in Fenton, MO.

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Day 2 - Wednesday, March 13, 2019

6:30 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Deluxe continental breakfast included at hotel.

7:30 a.m. Depart Fenton for Branson, MO

11:15 a.m. - 1:00 p.m. ETA Lambert's Café, Ozark, MO

Enjoy lunch, "included." Enjoy one of about 15 choices of country dinners, salads, burgers, pot roast, etc. Most people usually never finish their meal because while you are waiting for your meal, the wait staff will bring around fired potatoes, okra, etc, and of course, they will literally "throw" a fresh roll for you to catch. We promise you won't leave hungry from this great attraction.

1:45 p.m. - 2:00 p.m. Meet our local representative and check-in:

The Hotel Grand Victorian 417-336-2935 2325 MO-76 Branson, MO

5:15 p.m. Depart hotel for dinner

5:30 p.m. - 6:45 p.m. Enjoy dinner at Uptown Café

Group to enjoy a lighter dinner, included. Following, travel to the Hughes Brothers Theatre for this evening's show.





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8:00 p.m. The Hughes Brothers Music Show at the Hughes Brothers Theatre

Born to Entertain! Experience entertainment with the most dynamic and compelling family in show business today! The Hughes Music Show is "What's New in Branson!" Out of the clever artistry and inventiveness of the Hughes Brothers comes the brilliantly produced, all New for 2019, Hughes Music Show! A compilation of 30 years of show biz experience, wrapped up into a single incredible experience with 50 amazing singers, dancers, musicians, and performers. Some say "keep it in the family" and that's just what the Hughes Brothers have done! As the family has grown, so has the presence of the children in the show. With over 30 Hughes Kids now in every show, the Hughes Brothers can claim the description of the "World's Largest Performing Family." And these kids are full of talent and energy! They've worked hard to be able to sing, dance and perform their instruments in the show. This show promises to be one you will remember for years to come. Following, we will return to the hotel for the balance of the evening.

Day 3 - Thursday, March 14, 2019

7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Deluxe continental breakfast included at the hotel.

9:30 a.m. Depart hotel for Silver Dollar City

10:00 a.m. Arrive Silver Dollar City

We will spend a day in the 1800's as Silver Dollar City brings you live entertainment, fabulous food, unique shops and world class craftsmen. The park features over 40 thrilling rides and attractions, live shows and concerts, 100 resident craftsmen demonstrating America's heritage crafts, 18 award winning restaurants, and 60 unique shops - all sitting atop one of Missouri's deepest caves. Silver Dollar City has been voted "one of America's Top 10 Parks," Fodor's Travel.

- **3:00 p.m.** Return to the hotel for a free afternoon.
- 5:00 p.m. Depart hotel for dinner
- 5:30 p.m. Enjoy dinner, included, at Branson Center Stage Grille
- 6:15 p.m. Following dinner, travel to Mansion Theater where will enjoy our first "Praisefest" concert
- **7:00 p.m.** Tonight's concert, **Mark Trammell Quartet**, **Legacy Five**, **Greater Vision**, & **Tim Lovelace**. Following, we will return to our hotel.

Day 4 - Friday, March 15, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. Deluxe continental breakfast included at hotel.
- **9:15 a.m**. Depart hotel for the Mansion Theater.
- **10:00 a.m.** Enjoy the second "Praisefest" concert to include **The Ball Brothers**, **Southern Raised**, **Greater Vision**, and **Dr. David Jeremiah**.





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- **12:30 p.m.** Free time/enjoy lunch at Historic Downtown Branson. We will take time to enjoy the historic downtown charm of Branson's original hub of activity to include several dining options, great little shops and businesses, and even an old-time, "five and dime" store.
- **3:00 p.m.** Return to hotel to freshen up before departing for the evening.
- 4:45 p.m. Depart hotel for dinner
- 5:00 p.m. Dinner, included, at Black Oak Grill
- **6:15 p.m.** Following dinner, travel to the Mansion Theater to enjoy another "Praisefest" concert
- **7:00 p.m.** Enjoy our third "Praisefest" concert to include **The Collingsworth Family**, **Freedom Singers**, **Legacy Five**, and **Tim Lovelace**. Following, we will return to our hotel.

Day 5 - Saturday, March 16, 2019

- 7:00 a.m. 9:00 a.m. Deluxe continental breakfast included at hotel.
- 9:15 a.m. Depart hotel for the Mansion Theater.
- **10:00 a.m.** Enjoy the fourth "Praisefest" concert to include **Triumphant Quartet, Booth Brothers, TaRanda Greene,** and **Tim Lovelace**.

Free afternoon - we will offer free time to enjoy one of the many options for shopping and dining.

- **3:30 p.m.** Return to hotel to freshen up.
- 4:45 p.m. Depart hotel for dinner
- 5:00 p.m. Dinner, included, at McFarlain's Restaurant Enjoy a dinner at this incredible restaurant.
- **6:15 p.m.** Depart, travel to the Sight and Sound Theater
- 6:30 p.m. Arrive Sight and Sound Theatre

7:30 p.m. Samson at the Sight and Sound Theatre.

The theater expertly combines original music and script with unforgettable acting, special effects, vibrant costuming, and live animals. Journey along with Samson as he follows his life calling and fulfills his path of obeying God. The audience is sure to be wowed and inspired as Samson battles the Philistines, conquers personal demons, and even wrestles a lion along the way. With stunning visuals, this show is brought to life right before your very eyes for an amazing experience.





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Day 6 - Sunday, March 17, 2019

7:00 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Deluxe continental breakfast included at hotel.

11:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m. Hardees, Rolla, MO

Enjoy lunch, on your own, at one of several options available. Hardee's, Taco Bell, Jimmy John's, Huddle House, Subway, and Dairy Queen available, within walking distance.

2:45 p.m. - **3:15 p.m.** Homestead Rest Area, I-55 northbound, Edwardsville, IL Enjoy a leg stretch en route to Springfield, IL.

4:15 p.m. Overnight in Springfield, IL

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Hotel check-in. Balance of evening free with dining options available near the hotel, on your own.

Day 7 - Monday, March 18, 2019

7:00 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Enjoy a hot continental breakfast, included, at our hotel

8:30 a.m. Depart for home.

Throughout our day today, we will once again stop approximately every 2 - 2 ½ hours for leg stretch and meal breaks accordingly. Lunch will be "on your own" with options available when we stop mid-day.

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Love's Travel Stop, Oglesby, IL - Enjoy brief leg stretch.

12:00 p.m. - 1:15 p.m. Machine Shed, *Rockford, IL* - Enjoy lunch, on your own.

3:15 p.m. - 3:35 p.m. Return, Love's Travel Stop, Fond du Lac

4:00 p.m. Return, Park and Ride lot, Oshkosh

4:30 p.m. Return, Holiday Inn, Appleton

5:00 p.m. Return, Park and Ride lot, De Pere

5:45 p.m. Approximate return, *Marinette, WI*