



HISTORIC CITIES OF EASTERN CANADA

FEATURING MONTREAL, OTTAWA, QUEBEC CITY, VIA RAIL TRAIN, CHATEAU FRONTENAC LUNCH

AUGUST 8-14, 2015 ~ 7 DAY TOUR

TOUR PACE On the Go
ACTIVITY LEVEL Low High



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ Stay at deluxe hotels in each city including two nights in downtown Ottawa, and three nights in Québec City at a hotel located just outside the Old Québec city walls
- ◆ Montréal city tour with a local guide including the Notre Dame Basilica, Jacques Cartier Square and the view from Mount Royal
- ◆ A memorable ride aboard the Via Rail train from Montréal to Ottawa
- ◆ Tour the capital city of Ottawa with a local guide including the Changing of the Guards on Parliament Hill, a tour of the Parliament building and a visit to the world-renowned Canadian Museum of Civilization
- ◆ Tour both Old and New Québec with a local guide including Parliament, Place d'Armes, Plains of Abraham, a walking tour of ancient Place Royale, the Saint Anne de Beupre Basilica, Montmorency Falls and an included lunch at the famous Château Frontenac

FINE HOTELS / GREAT LOCATIONS

- ◆ Night 1 **Hotel Universel**
Montréal, QC
- ◆ Nights 2-3 **Lord Elgin Hotel**
Ottawa, ON
- ◆ Nights 4-6 **Hotel Château Laurier**
Québec City, QC

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- ◆ 6 Nights deluxe hotel accommodations
- ◆ 11 Meals – 4 dinners, 1 lunch, 6 breakfasts
- ◆ Services of a professional GTT tour director
- ◆ Comprehensive sightseeing with local guides
- ◆ Roundtrip airport-hotel transfers (with purchase of group air)
- ◆ Transportation on a deluxe motorcoach

PER PERSON LAND PRICES

Double \$1,699 / Single \$2,199 • Deposit \$300

*Roundtrip group airfare available from \$695 p.p.

Travel Protection/Cancellation Plan – see reverse

* A passport is required for this tour

~DAY BY DAY ITINERARY~

From the European-styled, old world elegance of Montréal and Québec City to the thundering magnificence of Montmorency Falls, this seven-day tour features the best of Eastern Canada. Local guides join us to bring the history, sights and stories alive as we tour three distinctly different cities in eastern Canada – Montréal, Ottawa and Québec City – each offering its own unique personality and cultural background. Watch the busy St. Lawrence River from high atop Montreal's Mount Royal. Ride the rails to Ottawa to see the Changing of the Guards in front of Parliament. Enjoy an included lunch at the stately Le Château Frontenac in Old Québec. From the picturesque countryside to the narrow cobble stone streets, a truly unforgettable cultural and historical experience awaits you in the historic cities of Eastern Canada.



Québec City

◆DAY 1 ~ ARRIVE MONTREAL◆

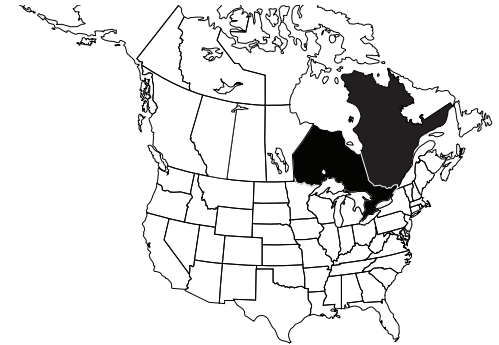
Get ready for a spectacular journey! We will meet at Los Angeles International Airport for our nonstop flight arriving at the Montréal International Airport this afternoon. Our deluxe coach will be waiting to transport us to our Montréal hotel with an included **Welcome Dinner** on site. (Dinner)



Montréal

◆DAY 2 ~ MONTREAL TO OTTAWA BY RAIL◆

After an included breakfast we'll be joined by a local guide for a fantastic sightseeing tour



of **Montréal**, a multicultural and vibrant city known for its rich French-Canadian heritage. From gleaming skyscrapers to the timeless charm of 17th century cobblestone lanes, this tour will introduce you to the highlights of this dynamic city – a medley of European and North American influences. We'll enjoy the spectacular views of Montréal from atop **Mount Royal**, the iconic summit and landscaped park visible from all parts of the city. In **Old Montréal** enjoy time at leisure to explore the galleries, cafés and shops lining the narrow streets that date back to the city's founding in 1642. The gas-lamped cobblestone streets, lined with restored 18th and 19th century architecture, remind you of Old World Europe. A visit to **Jacques Cartier Square** and the magnificent **Basilica of Notre Dame**, a stunning example of the fine ecclesiastic architecture of the 19th century and one of the crown jewels in Quebec's rich religious heritage. This afternoon we'll board **Via Rail Canada** for the scenic and relaxing train ride to Ottawa, the beautiful and cosmopolitan capital city of Canada. Enjoy an included dinner this evening. (Breakfast, Dinner)



Ottawa

◆DAY 3 ~ OTTAWA◆

Following an included breakfast we'll be joined by a local guide for a panoramic tour of **Ottawa**. With its stately architecture, Ottawa looks just

RESERVATIONS

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<http://seco.glendale.edu/cse/trips.html>

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PAYMENT INFORMATION

◆ Deposit due at time of booking to the address above (*Good Times Travel* will contact you for the travel protection and air option)

◆ *Good Times Travel* will invoice you for the balance payment 6-8 weeks prior

TRAVEL PROTECTION / CANCELLATION

Travel protection/cancellation insurance is highly recommended for all multi-day tours. If travel protection has not been purchased, only recoverable funds less a cancellation charge of \$50 will be reimbursed once payment has been made. Amount of reimbursement depends on the date of cancellation.

If travel protection has been purchased and you must cancel prior to departure or leave the tour enroute for a reason approved by the insurance company, you will receive a full refund (or partial if enroute), minus the cost of the premium. Other benefits of travel protection include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, and lost/stolen/damaged luggage. Pre-existing medical conditions are only covered if protection is purchased at the time of deposit. See travel protection plan for full details and exclusions.

DEPARTURE INFORMATION

This tour meets and departs from LAX

SINGLE SHARE PROGRAM

Should a single traveler wish to take advantage of the double price, tell us when making your reservation that you wish to have a roommate. We will provide the contact information to others requesting a roommate and the two parties can determine if they would be a good fit and the price will be adjusted.

LAND ONLY PRICES

We've listed land only rates with the optional airfare price separately. You have the option of taking advantage of our group discount or making your own air arrangements. Generally air prices get higher as the departure date approaches so it's best to book early.

FURTHER INFORMATION / TERMS

See *Good Times Travel* catalog
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as a nation's capital city should. We'll visit **Parliament Hill** to see the **Changing of the Guards** and enjoy a **guided tour of Canada's Parliament building**. We'll see the **Supreme Court**, the **Canadian Mint**, the **Prime Minister residence** as well as the **War Memorial**, the **Peace Tower** and **Rideau Canal**. Enjoy time at leisure in **Byward Market**, known for its fruits, vegetables, flowers and arts & crafts. Perhaps you'll try the local specialty – a beavertail – a delicious Canadian delicacy consisting of a fried pastry with a variety of tasty toppings. This afternoon we'll visit the world-renowned **Canadian Museum of Civilization**, showcasing Canada's cultural heritage from the ancient past to the present day. Exhibits cover the period of early Norse settlement, exploration, and fur-trading days, as well as the achievements of the latest generations. The evening is free for you to spend as you choose in this splendid city. Our deluxe hotel is conveniently located in downtown Ottawa. (Breakfast)



Parliament Building, Ottawa

◆ DAY 4 ~ OTTOWA TO QUEBEC CITY ◆

After an included breakfast we'll travel to romantic **Québec City**. Carved into the bluffs overlooking the St. Lawrence River, Québec City is one of the most historic and best-preserved cities in North America. We'll arrive at our deluxe hotel located just outside the Old Québec City walls for a three-night leisure stay. An included dinner with entertainment this evening in **Old Québec**. Until the British victory of 1759, Old Québec was the center of New France; today it's a UNESCO World Heritage Site. (Breakfast, Dinner)



Old Québec

◆ DAY 5 ~ QUEBEC CITY ◆

Following an included breakfast we'll be joined by a local guide for a fascinating sightseeing tour of this walled city including both Old and New Québec. Québec City's ancient houses,

monuments and churches clustered along cobble-stoned streets seem right out of 18th century Europe. On our comprehensive tour we'll see **Parliament**, **Place d'Armes**, and enjoy a leisurely walking tour of ancient **Place Royale**, the site of the original settlement of the city of Québec. A visit to the **Plains of Abraham**, site of a 20-minute battle that changed the continent's destiny. We'll enjoy an included exquisite lunch at the stately **Le Château Frontenac**, one of Canada's iconic hotels and perhaps the most photographed hotel in the world. Enjoy time at leisure for your own exploration in Old Québec to take in the historic sites, take a carriage ride, or do some shopping at the boutiques and galleries. (Breakfast, Lunch)



St. Anne de Beaupré

◆ DAY 6 ~ BEAUPRE COAST, ISLE D'ORLEANS ◆

An included breakfast before we depart this morning with our local guide aboard for **Montmorency Falls**, Eastern Canada's highest waterfall – in fact it's 98 feet higher than Niagara Falls. We continue east along the **St. Lawrence River** to **St. Anne de Beaupré**, for a visit to this beautiful shrine – the oldest pilgrimage site in North America. For over 350 years, people have been gathering at this shrine dedicated to Saint Anne, the grandmother of Jesus and the Saint for healing. Discover its extraordinary history through numerous artistic masterpieces: paintings, mosaics, stone and wooden sculptures and stained-glass windows. Following lunch on our own along the **Beaupré Coast** we continue to **Île d'Orléans**. Take a step back in time and enjoy the local flavor on this small island of villages and farms. Agriculture has long been the main economic activity – in fact the Island is known as the "Garden of Québec." The Island is famous locally especially for its strawberries, apples, potatoes, wineries and maple syrup. We return to Québec City with an included **Farewell Dinner** this evening at a local favorite. (Breakfast, Dinner)

◆ DAY 7 ~ FINAL FAREWELL ◆

Following an included breakfast we'll travel to the Montréal Airport for our non-stop return flight arriving into Los Angeles this evening. Memories and images of your time exploring the historic cities of Eastern Canada forever set in our minds. (Breakfast)