

# Nordic Christmas <u>A Northern Lights Adventure</u> DECEMBER 9 - 18, 2024





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# ITINERARY

# **DECEMBER 9 - DEPART THE USA**

# **DECEMBER 10 - ARRIVE IN OSLO**

Today, take an Oslo sightseeing tour by bus and explore some of the city's sights, such as the Royal Palace, the Vigeland Sculpture Park, the Oslo City Hall, and the Akershus Fortress. After checking into your hotel, enjoy some traditional Norwegian cuisine at one of the many restaurants in the city center, where you will be accompanied for dinner by the local guide.

# DECEMBER 11 - OSLO / BERGEN

Enjoy the scenic Oslofjord on a 2-hour sightseeing fjord cruise. Afterward, take a scenic train ride from Oslo to Bergen, passing through mountains, valleys, and fjords. Arrive in Bergen and check into your hotel.

# DECEMBER 12 - BERGEN / TROMSØ

Visit some of the city's attractions, such as the Bryggen Hanseatic Wharf, the Fløibanen Funicular, the Fish Market, and the Bergenhus Fortress. Take a short flight from Bergen to Tromsø, a city in northern Norway that is known as the gateway to the Arctic. Check into your hotel and prepare for an evening of hunting northern lights. Join a guided tour that will take you to a remote location where you can hopefully watch the aurora borealis dance across the sky (weather and solar activity permitting).

# DECEMBER 13 - (SANTA LUCIA DAY) TROMSØ

After enjoying some freshly baked Lussekatter during your Nordic breakfast, spend the day exploring Tromsø and its surroundings on a sightseeing bus tour accompanied by a local guide. Try dogs or reindeer sleigh ride. Visit some of the city's cultural attractions, such as the Arctic Cathedral, the Polar Museum, the Tromsø Museum, or the Polaria Aquarium. In the evening, attend a Santa Lucia service at the Arctic Cathedral, where you can enjoy the festive atmosphere and the beautiful acoustics of the church.

# DECEMBER 14 - TROMSØ/ SWEDEN'S ICE HOTEL

Take a bus from Tromsø to Jukkasjärvi, crossing the border from Norway to Finland, via Sweden. Stop in Jukkasjärvi to visit Sweden's famous Ice Hotel.

# DECEMBER 15 - SWEDEN'S ICE HOTEL / ROVANIEMI

Continue onto Rovaniemi and upon arrival, visit Santa Claus Village, where you can meet Santa Claus and his reindeer, cross the Arctic Circle, send postcards from the Santa Claus Post Office, and enjoy various winter activities such as snowmobiling, ice skating, or tobogganing. Check into your hotel or glass igloo accommodation (upgrade required). Perhaps there will be a chance to see the aurora borealis from your warm bed. Finish the evening in a Nordic Sauna.

# **DECEMBER 16 - ROVANIEMI**

Spend another day in Rovaniemi and join an excursion by bus to one of the nearby national parks, such as Pyhä-Luosto or Riisitunturi, where you can admire the stunning scenery of snowcovered forests, frozen lakes, and fells. Try a dog or reindeer sleigh ride. In the evening, you can watch the northern lights from your glass igloo or join a guided tour that will take you to a prime viewing spot (weather and solar activity permitting).

# DECEMBER 17 - ROVANIEMI / OSLO

Take a flight from Rovaniemi to Oslo, connecting in Helsinki. Arrive in Oslo and check into your hotel ahead of the extension or continue your journey home.

# DECEMBER 18 - RETURN TO THE USA / STOCKHOLM & COPENHAGEN EXTENSION

Enjoy your return flight to the USA or Continue with our Stockholm & Copenhagen Extension.



# YOUR ALL-INCLUSIVE PRICE INCLUDES:

Basic Tour & Guided Sightseeing, Government Taxes (Subject to change) Admin. Fees, Entrance Fees, Hotel Gratuities & Program Fees Breakfast & Dinner Daily, Deluxe Motorcoaches, First-Class Hotels & much more!

\*A 3.5% surcharge will be added to all credit card transactions.

## **Purchase Domestic Airfare through NTS**

Includes Fuel Surcharges, Transfers and Taxes (subject to change) To fly from a city near you, call 1-800-929-4684, option 2 or register online at www.noseworthytravel.com



# **OPTIONAL EXTENSION**



## **DECEMBER 18 - OSLO / STOCKHOLM**

Take a train from Oslo to Stockholm, passing through scenic landscapes and crossing the border from Norway to Sweden. The journey takes about 7 hours. Arrive in Stockholm, the capital of Sweden, a city of islands and bridges. Check into your hotel and explore some of the city's attractions, such as the Gamla Stan (Old Town), the Royal Palace, the City Hall, and the Vasa Museum.

## **DECEMBER 19 - STOCKHOLM**

Spend the day in Stockholm and enjoy its culture, history, and nature. You can choose from various activities, such as visiting the Skansen open-air museum, taking a boat tour of the archipelago, shopping at Drottninggatan Street, or relaxing at one of the many parks and gardens.

# **DECEMBER 20 - STOCKHOLM / COPENHAGEN**

Take a flight from Stockholm to Copenhagen, connecting to Gothenburg or Malmö. The flight takes about an hour. Arrive in Copenhagen, the capital of Denmark, a city of fairy tales and design. Check into your hotel and visit some of the city's sights, such as the Tivoli Gardens, the Nyhavn Canal, the Little Mermaid statue, and the Amalienborg Palace.

## **DECEMBER 21 - COPENHAGEN**

Spend the day in Copenhagen and enjoy its charm, culture, and cuisine. You can choose from various activities, such as visiting the Christiansborg Palace, taking a bike tour of the city, exploring the Freetown Christiania neighborhood, or tasting some Danish delicacies at the Torvehallerne market.

## DECEMBER 22 - COPENHAGEN / OSLO

Take a ferry from Copenhagen to Oslo, crossing the Kattegat Sea and enjoying the views of the coastlines. The ferry takes about 17 hours and includes overnight accommodations in a private cabin. Enjoy the onboard facilities such as restaurants, bars, shops, and entertainment.

**DECEMBER 23 - BEGIN YOUR JOURNEY HOME** Arrive in Oslo then depart for the airport for your return flight home.

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Guests taking an extension may be on a different flight than their group and/or traveling companion.

#### TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

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#### Tour Selection: Basic Program Only Add Stockholm & Copenhagen

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How did you learn about this tour?	
Tour Selection: Basic Program Only	Add Stockholm & Copenhagen
Roommate(s):	

### If No Roommate: Try to Match Me Single Room (availability limited)

Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan:

Travel Protection coverage cannot be added after you have paid in full.

Premium is based on TOTAL cost of trip and is non-refundable.

3 Coverage begins when your premium payment is received by NTS (separate from deposit & clearly designated as your travel protection premium).

4 Premium must be paid in full no later than 09/25/24.

### **FULL DEPOSIT OF \$300 PER PERSON REQUIRED**

2nd Deposit of \$1500 Required 08/16/24 Final Payment Due 09/25/24

Payment: 
\$300 (per person) 
Other Amount

Check # \_\_\_ (Payable to Noseworthy Travel Services, Inc.)

To Register by credit card, go to: www.noseworthytravel.com

#### PASSENGER AGREEMENT

By signing and submitting the registration form, l/we certify that l/we have read Passenger Agreement, Program Conditions, and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure, understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the Program Conditions and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to mment imposed taxes and fees.

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## Conditions and Limitations

Conditions and Limitations This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective deta to the coverage. The Pre-Stating Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Noseworthy Travel Services at or before the final payment due date for the stating Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Noseworthy Travel Services at or before the final payment due date for stating Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Noseworthy Travel Services at or before the final payment due date for se defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancolletion or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Traveline, the consequences waive the Your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en noute to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty, destruction of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced traffic accident while en noute to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty, destruction of your haural disater, a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; or Revocation of military leave. For further information ask for the Certificate of Coverage which hully details the coverage, provisions, limitations and exclusions of the plan offered and is available to you, upon equest, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan. The Travel Protection Plan is only available for citizens or residents of the United States of America. This plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Elatontown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Ma

#### INCLUDED IN PRICE:

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PROGRAM CONDITIONS

Nori international airfare • Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • Extensions and optional sightseeing as listed in the brochure • Miscellaneous fees such as individual transfers; passports, laundry, lunches, beverages at meals & baggage fees • \$100 Document fee for Non-US/Canadian residents • Visa for non-US citizens Love

#### ACCOMMODATIONS:

ACCOMMODATIONS: Price is per person based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While NTS will try to match roommates, NTS cannot guarantee a roommate will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 30 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or you request a single room, the following charges apply: \$1599 during the basic tour; \$999 for Sockholm & Copenhagen. PAYMENT INFORMATION: A 3.5% surcharge will be added to all credit card transactions.

#### PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Payment Amount	Payment Due Dates & Notes
\$300	Due upon registration.
\$1,500	Second Deposit amount due by 08/16/24.
Full Payment	Final Payment is due on 09/25/24. If paid after the due date, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed.
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#### REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED after September 25, 2024:

We welcome registrations after 09/25/24. Registrations received between 09/26/24 - 10/10/24 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 10/11/24 - 10/25/24 will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received on 10/26/24 or later will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration. CANCELLATION FEES:

CANCELLATION FEES: 100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following per-person cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 105 days prior to departure, you will be charged the \$100 non-refundable cancellation fee plus any ariline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any ariline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following per-person charges: 104-60 days = \$400; 59-45 days = \$600; 44-31 days = 40% of total cost; 30 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, there will be no refund for any services not used. STATEMENTS OF RESPONSIBILITY

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#### FIT TO TRAVEL STATEMENT:

PARSengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Because many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged and space limitations on tour buses, wheelchairs and scooters cannot be accommodated. Those needing oxygen or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting in their experiences. Persons using C-pap machines requiring distilled water will need to inform us ahead of time, so we can work with local operators to prepare as it is not always available. NTS reserves the right to refuse or revoke travel to anyone who is, in the sole judgment of NTS, incapable of group travel without causing undue demands upon the staff or other tour participants. Accessible rooms/cabins are limited and subject to confirmation after receiving the passenger's written request. If you have questions, please see noseworthytravel.com/fit-to-travel-statement or contact Noseworthy Travel Services for more details

#### PASSPORT INFORMATION:

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□ I Accept □ I Decline

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Due to airline schedules, some participants may receive one or two extra leisure days at a nominal per day charge and some extensions may not be available on all departure dates. If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$150 per night; single rooms \$250 per night. Meals for extra nights are not included. VALIDITY DATE:

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