



Grand Tour of Nashville with Guss Hayes

Itinerary

***Thursday 14th May ~ Welcome dinner & Entertainment at McNamara's Irish Pub, 5-7pm**

*** Friday 15th May ~ Nashville City Tour includes**

- * Guided Tour of Historic RCA Studio B *
- * Admission to the Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum*
- * Dinner at Santa Fe Cattle Co.*
- * Ticket to the Grand Ole Opry*

***Friday, 15th May ~ Nashville City Tour Time: 9 am-3 pm**

Your knowledgeable and experienced tour guide will guide you on sightseeing tour of Music City. An enlightening & entertaining narrative will include the downtown area with some of its colorful history & beautiful architecture. Also, drive by the historic Ryman Auditorium, world famous Tootsie's Orchid Lounge on Honky Tonk Row, the original Ernest Tubb Record Shop, the State Capitol and more. Drive through Music Row where you'll learn about the recording industry from songwriting to record producers to famous recording studios and the performance rights organizations ASCAP & BMI who monitor airplay of songs all over the world, so that the songwriters get paid.

You'll learn about Tennessee's rich history with a drive through Bi-Centennial Mall Park and view The Parthenon, the world's only exact scale replica of The Parthenon from Athens Greece in our city's Centennial Park.

***Friday 15th May ~ Guided Tour of Historic RCA Studio B (on city tour)**

Home of over 1,000 Top 10 Hits! See where Elvis recorded over 200 songs. See the control room where great like Chet Atkins produced countless hits with stars like Dolly Parton, Roy Orbison, Everly Brothers, Waylon Jennings have all recorded.

*** Admission to the Country Music Hall of Fame & Museum (on city tour)**

The definitive home of America's music, safeguarding more than 2.5 million priceless artifacts, including countless recordings and photographs, stage costumes, musical instruments & much more.

*** Dinner at Santa Fe Cattle Co. Time: 5-6:15 pm**

***Friday 15th May ~ Ticket to the Grand Ole Opry (Premium seating) Time: 7-9:15 pm**

The show that made country music famous! A variety of artists will include up & coming, traditional & contemporary.

***Saturday, 16th May ~ Motorcoach Transportation & Tour Time: 9 am-2 pm**

***The Hermitage, home of 7th US President, Andrew Jackson**

You will experience a guided mansion tour followed by free time to visit the gardens and tomb of Andrew Jackson.

***Lunch on your own & Moonshine Tasting at Ole Smoky Moonshine**

***General Jackson Showboat Dinner Cruise Time: 7-10 pm**

*** Sunday, 17th May ~ Admission to Loretta Lynn's Ranch**

Loretta Lynn's Ranch is situated just an hour outside of Nashville in the beautiful countryside. Tour Loretta's Plantation Home, Coal Miners Daughter Museum, Simulated Coal Mine and replica Butcher Holler Homeplace.

***Lunch at Loretta Lynn's Kitchen or Cracker Barrel**

***Johnny Cash's StoryTellers Museum & Hideaway Farm**

***Sunday, 18th May ~ "Legends Behind The Lyrics" Private Dinner Show Time: 6-8 pm**

In this up-close-and-personal experience, your group will enjoy a delicious dinner & then be entertained by one of Nashville's most successful songwriters. This is a unique opportunity to hear hit songs in their original form & get the inside scoop on what was going on in the songwriter's life that inspired these classics. This interactive experience offers you to ask the songwriter questions about songwriting before ending with a meet & greet with the songwriter. This is an 'only in Nashville' experience that you don't want to miss.

***Monday, 19th May ~ Bid farewell to Nashville**