



SANTA ANA COLLEGE COMMUNITY SERVICES PROGRAM

PRESENTS....

“CHRISTMAS” IN SAN FRANCISCO

FEATURING UNION-SQUARE HOTEL STAY, NAPA VALLEY WINE TRAIN, WINCHESTER MANSION

DECEMBER 16-20, 2013 ~ 5 DAY TOUR



~DAY BY DAY ITINERARY~

TOUR PACE Leisurely On the Go ACTIVITY LEVEL Low High

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ◆ A single-hotel stay in the heart of San Francisco’s Union Square at the *Westin St. Francis* – an iconic luxury property within a short walking distance to all of the best shopping and adjacent to the cable car line
- ◆ Travel aboard the beautifully decorated vintage Napa Valley Wine Train’s “Santa Train”, and enjoy lunch and wine tasting at a Napa Valley winery
- ◆ Tour the Winchester Mystery House elegantly decorated for the holidays and featuring over 30 festive trees adorned with hand-crafted ornaments
- ◆ San Francisco city tour with a local guide to see all the sights and neighborhoods that have made San Francisco so famous – all beautifully decorated during this festive time of year
- ◆ Enjoy afternoon tea at the iconic and beautifully decorated *Palace Hotel*
- ◆ Enjoy a family-style dinner at San Francisco’s Basque Cultural Center and a tour of a Christmas decorations factory that creates custom seasonal decor for shopping centers, amusement parks, hotels and casinos

There’s no better time of the year than Christmas time and no better place to relish in the holiday décor and festivities than in the “City by the Bay”. Experience the charm of San Francisco in all of its Christmas glory while enjoying four nights at the elegant and iconic Westin St. Francis. In addition to the Napa Valley Wine train, the Winchester Mystery House and tea at the Palace Hotel, you’ll be staying in Union Square and in the midst of San Francisco’s best shopping. You will most definitely leave your heart, but the experiences and memories created while celebrating “Christmas” in San Francisco, will be worth it.



we’ll be joined by a **local guide** for a narrated driving tour of San Francisco to see all of the sights and neighborhoods that have made this city so famous and so endearing. The beautiful city by the bay, wins awards year after year as the “world’s favorite city” – from the cultural arts to intriguing architecture and diverse neighborhoods –we’ll discover why on our tour this morning. We’ll travel through **North Beach**, the **Financial District**, **Golden Gate Park** and see **Nob Hill**, **Lombard Street**, **Coit Tower**, the Victorian homes known as the “**Painted Ladies**”, **Fisherman’s Wharf** and much more – all decorated for the holidays! We’ll cross the iconic **Golden Gate Bridge** for the Marine Headlands to get magnificent views of the San Francisco skyline. An inspiring experience awaits you this afternoon at one of San Francisco’s most treasured historic hotel. Enjoy **an included afternoon tea lunch** at the **Palace Hotel’s Garden Court**, one of the most beautiful settings for dining and holiday events in San Francisco. Since the early 1900’s, guests have been enjoying elegant tea in the Garden Court – a truly magical experience that will immerse you in the romance and charm of the hotel’s turn-of-the-century grandeur and heritage. Fine china and silver service present delicate tea sandwiches, homemade scones, Devonshire cream, lemon curd



Westin St. Francis on Union Square

◆**DAY 1 ~ JOURNEY TO SAN FRANCISCO**◆
After leaving from our departure points this morning, we make our way to San Francisco and make several rest stops along with a lunch stop enroute. Arriving into the heart of the city in the late afternoon, we’ll make our way to the iconic and luxurious *Westin St. Francis*, a San Francisco landmark since 1904. Your home for four nights has a cable car stop outside the front door and is the only hotel located on **Union Square** – not only the location of San Francisco’s Christmas tree and ice skating rink but also the epicenter of San Francisco’s best shopping and dining. This legendary landmark hotel features marble columns and intricate woodwork that transport guests back to the elegance of yesteryear. Yet these magnificent appointments are balanced by modern, groundbreaking amenities including the revolutionary *Heavenly Bed* and impeccable service. This evening we’ll enjoy an **included multi-course welcome dinner** in **Chinatown**. (Dinner)



Golden Gate Bridge

FINE HOTELS / GREAT LOCATIONS

- ◆ Nights 1-4 **Westin St. Francis**
San Francisco, CA

TOUR INCLUSIONS

- ◆ 4 Nights deluxe hotel accommodations
- ◆ 5 Meals – 2 dinners, 2 lunches, 1 breakfast
- ◆ Services of a professional Tour Director
- ◆ Comprehensive sightseeing with a local guide
- ◆ Admissions per itinerary
- ◆ Transportation on a deluxe motorcoach
- ◆ Luggage handling throughout the tour
- ◆ Applicable taxes, fees and most gratuities

PER PERSON PRICES

Double \$999 / Single \$1,399 • Deposit \$200

Travel Protection/Cancellation Plan

\$67 Double occupancy / \$85 Single occupancy

◆DAY 2~ SAN FRANCISCO◆

Following an included breakfast this morning

RESERVATIONS

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Tour operated by *Good Times Travel*
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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)

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

TRAVEL PROTECTION / CANCELLATION

Travel protection/cancellation insurance is highly recommended. If travel protection has not been purchased, only recoverable funds less a cancellation charge totaling \$50 will be reimbursed. Amount of reimbursement depends on the date of cancellation.

If travel protection has been purchased and you must cancel 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, lost/stolen/damaged luggage, 24 hour hotline. Pre-existing medical conditions are only covered if protection is purchased at time of deposit. Travel Protection must be purchased by the time balance payment is made. See the travel protection plan for full details and exclusions.

DEPARTURE INFORMATION

Park and join this tour at one of the following locations:

Fountain Valley - Good Times Travel office
Long Beach - City College - Lot "O"

*Departure time depends on location
Exact times are provided 2 weeks prior to departure*

ACTIVITY LEVEL / WALKING

Tour pacing and physical demands (walking/stairs, etc.) varies by each tour however every tour involves some walking and climbing stairs to enter/exit the motorcoach. On any tour you may stay on the motorcoach should you not wish to disembark at a specific location.

FURTHER INFORMATION / TERMS

See *Good Times Travel* catalog
or goodtimestravel.com for more details

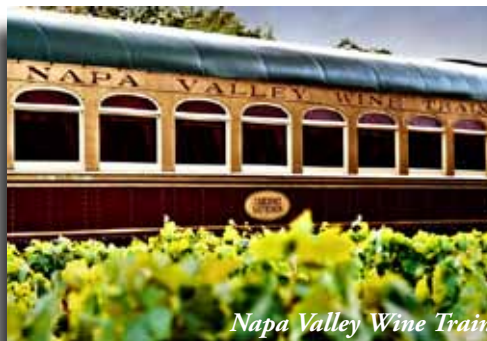
and rose petal jam. Relax and sip a variety of teas – from classic blends to creative infusions. Enjoy the evening at leisure in San Francisco. (Breakfast, Lunch)



Palace Hotel

♦ DAY 3 - NAPA VALLEY ♦

This morning we travel to **Napa Valley**, where we'll board the celebrated **Napa Valley Wine Train** for a trip back to the bygone days of elegant rail travel. This time of year the Wine Train is transformed into the **Santa Express Train** and is a magical experience for the young and the young at heart. We'll ride the train round-trip from Napa to Yountville with our special guest, Santa! Ole' Saint Nick will have some friends and carolers on board to make for a fabulous holiday experience. Aboard you'll have fantastic views of Napa's rolling hills, flora and fauna, and vast stretches of vineyards. This afternoon enjoy an included **three-course lunch and wine tasting** at a Napa Valley winery. We return to San Francisco later in the day with the balance of the evening at leisure. (Lunch)



Napa Valley Wine Train

♦ DAY 4 - WINCHESTER MYSTERY HOUSE ♦

This morning we travel to the Santa Clara Valley to tour the Victorian mansion that was designed and built by the Winchester Rifle heiress and was filled with so many unexplained oddities, that it has come to be known as the **Winchester Mystery House**. We'll celebrate the wonder of Christmas at Sarah Winchester's fabulous 160-room mansion, elegantly decorated for the holidays. The rooms of the mansion are decorated with over 30 festive trees abundantly adorned with hand-crafted ornaments, collected from around the world and created by local artisans. Each tree is designed to complement the room's character and décor, while reflecting

the heritage of Santa Clara Valley and the Bay Area. Sparkling lights dance off of priceless art glass windows. Garlands, wreaths and candles grace the mantels of 13 fireplaces. The gardens and gables are aglow with thousands of twinkling lights and music fills the air and lifts the spirits. Returning to South San Francisco we'll tour a **Christmas decorations factory** that creates custom seasonal décor for shopping centers, amusement parks, hotels and casino. This is a truly unique behind-the-scenes experience. This evening enjoy **included dinner** at **San Francisco's Basque Cultural Center**. (Dinner)



Winchester Mystery House

♦ DAY 5 - SOLVANG, JOURNEY HOME ♦

This morning we begin our journey home traveling along Highway 101, the Kings Highway. This afternoon we'll arrive in Solvang, America's famous "Little Denmark." Quaint old-world architectural styles blend with flower-lined streets to create a very walk-able village. Wonderful shops offer imported European wares and collectibles and the delicious bakeries and restaurants are a delight. This time of year the town is beautifully decorated for the holidays. This evening we return to Southern California. Our memories of "Christmas" in San Francisco and the Napa Valley not soon forgotten.