## CANADA AND ALASKA MAJESTIC ROCKIES AND ALASKAN CRUISE - 16 DAYS



## ESCORTED COACH TOUR DEPARTING 11 AUG 2023

TOUR AND CRUISE FROM \$13,495\* PER PERSON, TWIN SHARE (SINGLE SUPPLEMENT \$3450)

## ECONOMY CLASS AIRFARES EX ADELAIDE FROM \$2945\* PER PERSON

5-star luxury inclusions

Fully escorted smaller group land journeys with up to 36 guests Verandah Stateroom on board your cruise GoldLeaf Service on board Rocky Mountaineer 3 exclusive Scenic Enrich experiences Your choice of 9 Scenic Freechoice activities 34 meals – 15 breakfasts (B), 10 lunches (L) and 9 dinners (D) Days 1 to 9 are escorted by an expert local Tour Director Luxury group journeys with knowledgeable local guides Complimentary Wi-Fi at selected hotels Escorted by experienced tour escort Tullie Seneca

Day 1 **Arrive Calgary** Fri, 11 Aug Welcome to Canada. Upon arrival into Calgary, transfer to your hotel where you'll meet your Tour Director and fellow travellers. Check in for an overnight stay at the Delta Hotels by Marriott Calgary Downtown Hotel. Dav 2 Calgary > Banff (B,L) Sat, 12 Aug Enrich Today savour the sights and flavours of the Rocky Mountain foothills as you journey from Calgary to Banff. The food story of the Foothills of Alberta's Rocky Mountains, west of Calgary, is a remarkable one. The climate is harsh, winters are long and cold. And yet, a few hardy souls persevere to grow some of the tastiest food you can find. Ramble the range roads off Alberta's historic Cowboy Trail to meet some of Alberta's premier food-producing families. You may get up close and personal with a giant prairie beast that came frighteningly close to extinction - the Great Plains Bison. Or meet a family that innovated a traditional honey operation into a thriving new enterprise. Enjoy a special Farm to Fork welcome lunch of exclusively local fare by an exceptional chef. Finally, there is time to mosey around a small cowboy town before arriving in Banff and checking into the Mount Royal Hotel for a three-night stay. The Hotel is located in the heart of iconic Banff Avenue surrounded by top restaurants and shops, with spectacular mountain views in all directions. Dav 3 Banff (B,D) Sun, 13 Aug You're sure to be swept away by Banff National Park, the first national park established in Canada and a coveted World Heritage-listed Site. Freechoice: Ride the Banff Gondola and take in the magnificent views or take a helicopter flight. Alternatively, enjoy a Bow River Float trip or a relaxing soak in the mineral pools. Day 4 Lake Louise (B,L) Mon, 14 Aug Drive through the Rocky Mountains, past mesmerising lakes and towering mountains en route to Lake Louise, famous for its turquoise lakes, Victoria Glacier and soaring mountain tops. Spend some time taking in the stunning surroundings then experience the wonderful tradition of Afternoon Tea at the Fairmont Château Lake Louise. Enjoy delicious pastries, tea, sandwiches and charming desserts as you gaze out the table-to-ceiling windows towards Lake Louise. Enrich Meet a retired member of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police for an insight into the importance of the Mounties in Canada, past and present.

Day 6 Wed, 16 Aug	Jasper (B,D) Freechoice: Don your leathers and hit the open road in a Harley Davidson <sup>™</sup> sidecar, go rafting down the Athabasca River or boating on Maligne Lake. Alternatively, take a scenic drive around Jasper's stunning lakes and explore Maligne Canyon or ride the Jasper SkyTram. Enrich In the evening join Warrior Woman Matricia by the fire, make yourself comfortable and be prepared to engage in conversation about Indigenous culture, with stories, drumming, and songs. She will teach you songs and some beautiful phrases in Cree! You will go away fulfilled after this spiritual adventure!
Day 7 Thu, 17 Aug	Rocky Mountaineer > Kamloops (B,L) The Rocky Mountaineer is one of the most iconic rail journeys in the world. You'll relish your two days of GoldLeaf Service as you travel through the Rocky Mountains in luxurious comfort. Enjoy this ultimate treat for the senses, as you carve through the otherwise inaccessible terrain of the Rocky Mountains in luxurious comfort. Gaze in awe through the glass-dome windows as you soak up the magnificent scenery stretching as far as the eye can see. Stay overnight at your Kamloops hotel as assigned by Rocky Mountaineer.
Day 8 Fri, 18 Aug	Rocky Mountaineer > Vancouver (B,L) View the confluence of the Fraser and Thompson rivers from your glass-dome carriage. Rocky Mountaineer is renowned for the delicious cuisine prepared on board. Savour the delectable delights and sip on local wine or beer as you soak up the magnificent scenery stretching as far as the eye can see. Later today, arrive at the OPUS Vancouver for your overnight stay.
Day 9 Sat, 19 Aug	Vancouver > Alaskan Cruise (B,D) Absorb the tranquillity of Capilano Suspension Bridge Park as it opens early, exclusively for Scenic guests. Explore the many and varied sights and sounds of Vancouver during a city sightseeing tour. Farewell your Tour Director as you board your luxurious seven-night Alaskan voyage on board Holland America Line's ms Koningsdam#. Keep an eye out for Orcas, Humpback whales or Bald eagles from your Verandah Stateroom.
Day 10 Sun, 20 Aug	Scenic Cruising (B,L,D) It's a great day to settle back and relax with a book or explore the ship's facilities, restaurants and lounges.
Day 11 Mon, 21 Aug	<b>Juneau (B,L,D)</b> Alaska's charming state capital is only accessible by air or sea. This is one town you can explore knowing you'll never get lost.
Day 12 Tue, 22 Aug	<b>Skagway (B,L,D)</b> Take a stroll into the past. Historic shop façades, wooden boardwalks and echoes of the gold rush typify Skagway, the gateway of the Klondike Gold Rush.
Day 13 Wed, 23 Aug	Glacier Bay (B,L,D) A steaming cup of soup or even hot chocolate will keep you toasty warm as you are mesmerised by the dramatic ice walls of Glacier Bay National Park. A National Park Service Ranger will interpret the natural wonders and wildlife around you.
Day 14 Thu, 24 Aug	<b>Ketchikan (B,L,D)</b> Alaska's last port of call is known as the 'salmon capital of the world'. Take full advantage while you're there.
Day 15 Fri, 25 Aug	Scenic Cruising (B,L,D) Continue southwards on your cruise. Celebrate your Canadian and Alaskan escapade with a toast, share and reminisce with your newfound friends over your favourite highlights - moments you will treasure forever.
Day 16 Sat, 26 Aug	Vancouver (B) Arrive in Vancouver for your onward or homeward bound journey. You'll find that this taste of Canada and Alaska will leave you wanting more. Please book your flight to depart out of Vancouver after 02:00 PM. The itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons. As such Scenic cannot guarantee the tour will operate unaltered from the itinerary stated above. Please refer to our terms and conditions for further information.

\*Price subject to change and are subject to availability. \*\$13,495 includes pre-paid gratuities, port taxes and charges. Ask us about Scenic's \$150 per person early payment discount (pay in full by 7 March 23). Travel insurance is compulsory for this trip, ask us for a quote. A deposit of \$1250 per person is due within 7 days to confirm your booking.

Flights quoted are with Air Canada and subject to change, flights will require a night's accommodation in Sydney on the 10th of August, 23 (not included in the pricing). If you wish to depart earlier or return later this can be arranged and quoted for you, along with Premium Economy and Business Class fares.

Tour will be escorted by Tullie Seneca if minimum numbers are met (15 confirmed passengers). Tour subject to Scenic Tours terms and conditions.

