



# ***Get Your Kicks On Route 66***

***Illinois and Missouri***

**September 11-15, 2023**

**\$975 Double Occupancy**

**Single Occupancy \$1245.....Triple Occupancy \$945.....Quad Occupancy \$925**

**Deposit \$100 Per Person, Final Payment 7/1/23**

**Departure Locations: Fort Wayne and Decatur**

**Time to remember the “good ole days”.  
Come along and get your kicks on Route 66!**

**Included:**

**Chicago Architectural Cruise**

**Route 66 Museum**

**Ambler’s Texaco Gas Station**

**Odell Station (Standard Oil Gas Station)**

**Route 66 Hall of Fame Museum**

**Lincoln House and Law Office Tour**

**Illinois State Capitol Building**

**Henry’s Rabbit Ranch**

**Country Classic Cars**

**Meramec Caverns**

**Cuba Murals**

**Route 66 Red Rocker**

**Route 66 Museum**

**Route 66 Car Museum**

**Route 66 State Park and Visitors Center**

**4 Nights Lodging**

**4 Breakfasts, 4 Dinners**

**Transportation and Luggage Handling**



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DAY 1.....All Aboard! Sit back and relax. First stop is in Chicago. Enjoy a relaxing Architectural Cruise with views of Chicago's skyline. Chicago's architecture is known worldwide and there's nothing like seeing it from all three branches of the Chicago River. Over 40 Chicago landmarks including the Tribune Tower, Wrigley Building and Marina City. Afterwards, enjoy lunch on your own before travelling to Joliet IL, to visit the Route 66 Museum to learn about Route 66, the Joliet area and its people through state-of-the-art audio-visual presentations life-size models, and touch screen visuals. Dinner included. (D)

DAY 2....Enjoy breakfast at hotel. Travel along Route 66 to Dwight, IL to visit Ambler's Texaco Gas Station which operated from 1933 to 1999. It was built by Jack Shore in 1933 and was run by Basil Ambler for almost 30 years. The garage bay was added in the 1940's. It was also known as as Vernon's Texaco Station and Becker's Marathon Gas Station. In 1999, it closed as a gas station and continued as a repair shop until 2002. It is now Dwight's Visitor Center. After your visit, continue to Odell IL, to visit the Odell Station, also known as the Standard Oil Gas Station. It was built by Patrick O'Donnell in 1932 in the "house and canopy" style (gabled house with a gabled canopy). The two garage bays were added later. O'Donnell sold Standard Oil gasoline and oil, but later switched to Phillips 66 and Sinclair. In 1952, he rented it to Robert Close who later bought and sold gas until the 1970's; it was used as a repair shop until 1999 when the Village of Odell bought it and restored it. Continue traveling to Pontiac, IL, to visit the Route 66 Hall of Fame & Museum which tells the story of the Mother Road from its early days to present. It houses thousands of pieces of historic memorabilia from the glory days. During your visit you will learn about the history of Route 66 in Illinois, see images of current building, and hear a few great stories about life in America when Route 66 was the most important highway in the nation. Later in the afternoon, you will travel to Springfield, IL, to tour President Lincoln's House (the only home he ever owned) and his Law Office where he practiced law from 1834 to 1852. While in Springfield, you will visit the Illinois State Capitol Building which features a 405-foot dome and is a combination of Renaissance Revival and Second Empire Style. The current building is the sixth to serve as the capitol building since Illinois was admitted to the United States in 1818. After your day of traveling, enjoy dinner (included). (B, D)

DAY 3....After breakfast, travel to Staunton, IL. Upon arrival you will visit Henry's Rabbit Ranch which is an emporium of highway and trucking memorabilia and all kinds of rabbits, including Volkswagen Rabbits coming out of the ground. You will also visit Country Classic Cars which began as a weekend hobby for a Midwest farmer and later grew into a business of fixing classic cars and selling them to those that dreamed of owning one, but did not have the time or expertise to make it happen. The facility displays classic cars and trucks and includes a garage/service area, inside showroom and historic gift shop. From here you will continue to Stanton MO, to visit the Meramec Caverns, a 4.6 mile cavern system in the Ozarks which were formed from the erosion of large limestone deposits over millions of years. Pre-Columbian Native American artifacts have been found in the caverns. Continue to Cuba, MO, to see the Route 66 Murals in Cuba, 12 outdoor murals that depict historic scenes from local and national history, including visits from Harry S. Truman, Amelia Earhart and Bette Davis. Afterwards, travel to Fanning, MO, to see the Route 66 Red Rocker. The rocking chair was built on April 1, 2008, and became the typical Route 66 "Americana" attraction. It has 31.5 foot-long rockers that weigh one ton each. The whole chair was built with steel pipes and weighs 27,000 pounds. It stands 42 feet tall, after your visit, arrive in Rolla, MO, to check into hotel and enjoy dinner. (B, D)

DAY 4....Enjoy breakfast and depart for Lebanon MO, to visit the Route 66 Museum. The Museum displays antique cars as well as a collection of Route 66 books magazines and videos. Continue along Route 66 to Springfield, MO, to visit the Route 66 Car Museum, where you will see a 70-car collection of sports and classic cars from 1907 to 1980, including classic and sports cars from Europe and America in a garage-style setting. Return to hotel to freshen up before dinner.

DAY 5....Following breakfast, travel to Eureka, MO to visit the Route 66 State Park and Visitor's Center. View the historical displays, complete with Route 66 memorabilia. You will also see the rich architecture of the buildings and towns that graced the roadways of Missouri from the 1930's to the 1960's, and souvenirs that long ago travelers bought on their journey across Missouri on Route 66. After your visit, continue home with lasting memories of your Route 66 travels through Illinois and Missouri. (B)



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## PASSENGER 1

## PASSENGER 2

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Name \_\_\_\_\_

Name on Name Badge \_\_\_\_\_ Name on Name Badge \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_ Address \_\_\_\_\_

Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: Home \_\_\_\_\_ Cell \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate \_\_\_\_\_ Roommate \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact Phone Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Emergency Contact Phone Number(s) \_\_\_\_\_

Food Allergies or  
Special Dietary Needs \_\_\_\_\_ Food Allergies or  
Special Dietary Needs \_\_\_\_\_

Bed: King 2 Queens Bed: King 2 Queens

Pick Up Location: Fort Wayne OR Decatur Pick Up Location: Fort Wayne OR Decatur

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_ Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

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