

# Western Explorer - Self Drive

San Francisco (2N) - Lake Tahoe (2N) - Death valley (2N) - Las Vegas (2N) - Los Angeles (2N) - San Diego (1N)

Code: US46, Duration: 11 Nights

### Day 1: San Francisco

Upon arrival into San Francisco, you will pick up your rental car and head to the City of Sun! San Francisco is amongst one of USA's most cosmopolitan and atmospheric cities. Located on the bay, its suburbs are linked by a series of expansive bridges, one of those being the infamous Golden Gate Bridge. Trams run major routes along the foreshore and into the hilly heights in a city where quaint wooden houses contrast sharply with the sophistication of modern skyscrapers. Overnight in San Francisco.

### Day 2: San Francisco

After Breakfast. Drive to the 'City by the Bay' in sunny California. San Francisco is a city which the locals are fiercely proud of and for good reason. There's plenty to keep you entertained but the best introduction is to jump on a hop-on-hop-off bus tour around the city. No trip to San Francisco is complete without a visit to Alcatraz, so enjoy a bay cruise in the evening to explore the dark side of Frisco. Overnight in San Francisco.

### Day 3: San Francisco • Lake Tahoe

After breakfast check out from the Hotel. Take a brief fling with San Francisco's Golden Gate Bridge and enroute to Lake Tahoe heading to the Sierra Nevada region through Highway 101 and then follow Highway 37 via visiting Napa and Sonoma Valley wine country. Reach Lake Tahoe and check in to Hotel. Lake Tahoe is a large freshwater lake in the Sierra Nevada know as world's largest alpine lakes and America's second deepest. In the evening, experience the Dinner Cruise starts at 6 that offers an unforgettable Tahoe sunset. Enjoy fresh menus as you cruise against a backdrop of astonishing views over Emerald Bay. Signature cocktails and fine wines are available for purchase on-board. Enjoy dinner and with astonishing view of the lake. Overnight at Lake Tahoe.

### Day 4: Lake Tahoe

Today after breakfast proceed to take Heavenly Mountain Gondola ride at the south of Lake Tahoe and overview the beautiful surrounding covered with mountain and panoramic view of Lake Tahoe from the observational deck. (Ski activities in winter). Optional can take 72 mile most beautiful scenic drive around lake Tahoe region visiting places such as Heavenly village and the shops, Tahoe Maritime museum, Kings Bay and many such places around the Lake for incredible views of Lake Tahoe. Enjoy the most beautiful sunset along the lake side to end your day. Overnight at Lake Tahoe.



### Day 5: Lake Tahoe - Death Valley

After Breakfast check out from the Hotel. Make your way towards the Death Valley. It takes around 6 hours to reach by drive. Stopping by to explore Mammoth lakes the name speaks to the size of the mountains, the expanse of the valleys, the incredible number of crystal clear mountain lakes and the endless opportunities for adventure. Heading towards Death Valley which is a desert valley located in Eastern California. It is the driest place with view of desert, vast valley, sculpted peaks, adapted plants. Reach Death Valley and check in to the Hotel. Overnight at Death Valley.

### Day 6: Death Valley

Today after Breakfast. Visit the old ghost town of Rhyolite, a long-abandoned gold mining community, view Rainbow Canyon, visit Ubehebe Crater and drive down to the Badwater basin - lowest point in California. North America's lowest elevation, take some detours as you drive south from Furnace Creek. A three-mile round-trip hike leads through serpentine, flood-carved Golden Canyon and to dramatic Red Cathedral. Or take a one-mile round-trip hike to Natural Bridge, a dramatic rock formation that spans a wash. And an unpaved road leads to Devil's Golf Course, a jagged expanse of eroded rock salt. Overnight at Death Valley.

### Day 7: Death Valley - Las Vegas

After Breakfast check out from Hotel. It takes approx.4 hours to reach Las Vegas by scenic drive road. Check in and relax. After the enchanting nature soothes your soul, it's time to put those lucky numbers to the test, not to mention your energy levels, in this 24/7 party town. A-list stars swarm here, although breaking the bank may be easier than bagging your way into their swanky celebrity hangouts. Arrive in the Sin - City of America, enjoy the panoramic bus tour that explores the lit strip and the casinos. Overnight in Las Vegas.

## Day 8: Las Vegas • Grand Canyon

Breakfast on own. Today drive towards Grand Canyon situated in the state of Arizona. It takes approx. 2.5 hours drive from Las Vegas. Start your tours from the west rim and watch the Hoover Dam and visit to the Eagle Point & Indian Village. Experience skywalk with supplement cost, Guano Point. Overnight at Las Vegas.

## Day 9: Las Vegas • Los Angeles

Drive to the city that mixes glamour, grit and the American Dream: Los Angeles. It is packed with legends, it's full of energy and there are loads of things to do. You can choose to relax at the Santa Monica Pier, or a little further west discovers Santa Monica, LA's oldest beach resort. Known for its liberal vibes, art galleries and wide sandy beaches, Santa Monica is all about the California coast lifestyle. See the famous pier, which serves as a permanent amusement park, complete with a solar powered Ferris wheel! Maybe later you can travel out to LA's quirkiest suburb where anything goes– Venice Beach. A favorite hangout spot for locals, colorful Venice Beach attracts all sorts of people. Overnight in Los Angeles.



### Day 10: Los Angeles

Breakfast at the Hotel. Rise and shine! Today you head to mythical Hollywood and walk across the holy ground for stars. Check out the Kodak Theatre, where the Oscars are held every year and Graumann's Chinese Theatre, where so many legends have pressed their hands into the cement. Cruise down the hottest shopping street in LA, Melrose Avenue, and one of the best areas for nightlife – the Strip (Sunset Boulevard), with its billboards, clubs and eateries, before getting a glimpse at one of the world's wealthiest suburbs in Beverly Hills. Get a feel for street life when you hit the buzzing boardwalk, where performers, tattoo artists, hair braiders, musicians and roller bladders gather. Make sure you check out the markets and stalls, as well as the greased-up body builders pumping iron at the famous open-air gym, Muscle Beach. Later, head out and hit the town's hottest bars and clubs. Overnight in Los Angeles.

### Day 11: Los Angeles • San Diego

After breakfast checkout from the Hotel. Next up, drive to the O.C. – Orange County. You'll join the crew and find yourselves cruising along the unmistakable Pacific coastline as it gloriously winds around to the super laid-back locale of San Diego. Recline into relaxation mode and take in the calming nature of San Diego. Start by embodying the easygoing vibes with a visit to the eclectic mix of vibrant neighborhoods around this city, including Balboa Park for some Mother Nature time. If you have that active vibe in you, you can visit the San Diego Sea World or the Zoo. Overnight in San Diego.

### Day 12: Los Angeles • Homeward Bound

After breakfast check out from Hotel and drive to Los Angeles. It's time to say goodbye to the mesmerizing tour that you've had. Pack your bags with loads of memories, drop your car rental agency at the airport and fly out.

#### Terms & Conditions -

- Luggage in all coaches limited to one suitcase and 01 carry-on bag per person. In case of excess luggage, the passengers may have to pay additional costs for transferring the extra luggage.
- All dinners provided by us at restaurants will be as per Standard Meals 01 Veg + 01 Non. Veg main dish, dal, rice, breads, 01 desert, salad, papads, chutney etc.
- Quotation is based on dates mentioned as per the itinerary.
- Standard Check-in time at the Hotel is 1500 hrs. and check-out time is 1100 hrs. Early check-in and/or check-out will be at an additional cost. Cancellation charges will be applicable as per the hotel / company policy.
- Booking Conditions, Amendment Charges & Cancellation Charges are applicable as per policy.
- Any change in rates due to currency fluctuations, local taxes and levies etc. will be informed and billed to you separately.
- Should the period of travel, the number of participants, the type of accommodation, and/or the type of transport or the duration of the trip change, the quote will be amended accordingly.
- The Quote commissionable to TA by 10% (Only for above departure dates & itinerary).



• Per Remittance to US, Bank Charges of US\$25/- would be charged.

### **Booking Policy -**

Minimum 25% non-refundable deposit required at the time of confirmation. (No services will be booked or guaranteed until deposit payment is received.) Balance 75% Full Payment should be received at least 45 days prior to the Travel Date.

### Cancellation Policy -

Initial 25% deposit is totally non-refundable if the booking is cancelled for any reason. 100% cancellation charged if cancelled within 45 Days of Travel Date.

### Force Marjoure -

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