



# AUTHENTIC VERMONT

OCTOBER 1-9, 2022

Unique, hand-selected properties, memorable “must-do’s”, locally sourced meals and sweet surprises, is what you can expect on this 9-day quintessential journey through the beautiful state of Vermont. We’ll explore all it has to offer, as we travel this small but mighty state from top to bottom. Our time will be spent viewing the **scenery of the vibrant Autumn colors** while **taste-testing regional products**, taking in a **bit of history** and enjoying **authentic & exclusive experiences!**

## Highlights:

**\*\* Small Group \*\***

*Plenty of space to spread out on this maximum  
28 passenger trip on a full-size motorcoach!*

### What’s Included:

- \* Touring with **Local Guides**
- \* **20+ Attractions**
- \* **8 Nights’ Accommodations**  
*(3 nights at the nostalgic Basin Harbor Resort,  
right on the shores of Lake Champlain!)*
- \* A Welcome Reception
- \* **15 meals**  
*Breakfast Daily*  
*1 Lunch, at what’s affectionately known as  
“The Bob Newhart Inn”*  
*6 Regional Dinners*
- \* **Journease Travel Specialist Host**
- \* **Luggage Handling, Gratuities & Taxes**
- \* **Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation**  
*from Carlisle, PA*

**\$3065** Double Occupancy

\$3975 Single | \$2815 Triple

Prices are per person

Pricing based on a minimum of 28 passengers

Final Payment Due August 2, 2022

### Covered Bridges

The Vermont Country Store

Ben & Jerry’s

Hildene, the Lincoln Family Home and Formal Gardens

Private Lake Champlain Boat Ride with a local, taking in the beautiful views of the Adirondack Mountains!

Visit the famed Trapp Family Lodge

Shelburne Museum referred to as “New England’s Smithsonian”

Historic Village of Stowe

Local Cider Mill and Winery

Morgan Horse Farm

Learn the art of **Sugaring** from an 8<sup>th</sup> generation maple sugar producer

**Exclusive Regional Experiences**

Star Trek Original Series Set Tour

Minimal Hotel Changes

*... and so much more!*

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## AUTHENTIC VERMONT ITINERARY | OCTOBER 1-9, 2022

**Day 1** – Depart Carlisle, PA and travel to Latham, NY for an overnight stay. *Century House*

**Day 2** – After breakfast, enjoy a scenic drive along Lake George in the Adirondack Mountains of New York. Visits today will include Fort Ticonderoga & the CBS licensed Star Trek Original Movie Set, before heading across the Lake Champlain Bridge into Vermont, for our 2-night stay in Waterbury, Vermont. (B,D) *Best Western Plus Waterbury-Stowe*

**Day 3** – After breakfast, our guide today will take us to the largest deep-hole dimension granite quarry in the world, Rock of Ages! Next, it's on to the state capital of Montpelier, before visiting an 8<sup>th</sup> generation maple sugar syrup producer. Did you know it takes forty gallons of maple sap to produce just ONE gallon of pure Vermont maple syrup? From the country to the mountains, we'll visit the famed Trapp Family Lodge for a history tour of the Von Trapp family. (B,D)

**Day 4** – Following breakfast, our guide will take us to experience some fun Vermont exclusives in the morning, where you'll have the choice between an International Coffee Lab *Learning & Tasting* or a locally owned florist for *Centerpiece Making!* As "folksy as a yellowed New England postcard", the charming & idyllic village of Stowe is where we'll enjoy lunch today. The Grande Dame of the Green Mountain ski resorts, with no chain stores in sight, you'll have at-leisure time to peruse the local artisan shops. Next, we'll head to the infamous Ben and Jerry's. From there, it's just a bit more of a drive to the quintessential Basin Harbor Resort, that sits right on the shores of Lake Champlain. Tonight will be yours to enjoy dinner & the resort at leisure. This charming property is where we'll call home for the next 3 nights. (B) *Basin Harbor Resort, Vergennes*

**Day 5** – During breakfast, we'll be treated to a morning greeting/talk by the owners of this charming resort and learn why it's such a special place. With a late morning departure, you'll have time to soak up the views of Lake Champlain with the Adirondack Mountains in the background, stretch your legs with a walk around the stunning grounds, partake in the many activities the resort offers, or visit the Maritime Museum that's located right on property.

Our guide will then show us to the Shelburne Museum, commonly referred to as "New England's Smithsonian", a wine tasting at the Shelburne Vineyard and ending our day with dinner at a local Sugarhouse (*think everything maple!*). (B,D)

**Day 6** – After breakfast, we'll enjoy the views of the beautiful Adirondack Mountains from the water, as we take a boat ride on Lake Champlain with a local, leaving right from the resort. Lunch today will be at the Middlebury Inn, commonly referred to as the "Bob Newhart Inn". Remember Larry, Daryl, and Daryl? Next, it's to the horses we go; there's nothing more majestic than watching a Morgan Horse in its glory and we'll see just that up close and personal, with a visit to the unique Morgan Horse Farm. Tonight, we'll be treated to a delicious gourmet dinner, prepared especially by the chef at Basin Harbor. (B,L,D)

**Day 7** – Today, we head to the "Norman Rockwell-like" town of Bennington, Vermont. Stops will include New England Maple Museum, The Vermont Country Store, and Hildene (*the Lincoln Home and Formal Gardens*). Following dinner at a local favorite, we'll check-in to the hotel for our final 2 nights together. (B,D) *Hampton Inn Bennington*

**Day 8** – Our last day of roaming will include a tour of Bennington Covered Bridges and Bennington Museum with a docent guided tour before lunch. After lunch, it's off to a local sugar shack, where you'll also find a wonderful assortment of hand-picked products from Vermont and can pick up those last-minute Vermont exclusive souvenirs! Dinner tonight will be at a beautiful local country club, where we can reflect on all the fond memories we made while exploring **AUTHENTIC VERMONT!** (B,D)

**Day 9** – After breakfast, it's time to head for home. Approximate arrival back to Carlisle, PA will be 4:30pm. (B)

**Itinerary Notes:** *Tour Will Require Moderate Walking | Please assume face coverings will be required at every location, until further notice*

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**TRIP INFORMATION:** Please review the information provided upon receipt and verify all information is correct. Journease Travel Specialists will not be responsible for omissions or errors if not brought to our attention immediately. All payment(s) must be received by the due date to avoid vendor cancellation and/or penalties.

**DOCUMENTATION:** Valid United States Driver's License or other form of government-issued photo I.D.

**LUGGAGE:** Baggage handling is included for one large piece of luggage per person. Please limit yourself to one large bag. Journease Travel Specialists is not liable for loss of, or damage to luggage, or any other article or purchase while traveling.

**SEAT ASSIGNMENTS:** We assign seats for our multi-day tours in advance. Seats are assigned in the order reservations are received. Special seating requests may be accommodated for medical conditions or disabilities, as space permits. In some instances, seat rotation may occur. Seats are not pre-assigned on 1-day tours.

**RESTROOMS:** Yes, the coach will have a restroom on board!

**FOOD / DRINK** is allowed on the coach, however we ask that all beverages be in a plastic container with a lid. No glass or aluminum cans, please.

**SMOKING / ALCOHOL:** Smoking or open liquor is NOT allowed on the motorcoaches. Frequent rest, meal and sightseeing stops are made which will provide individuals the opportunity to smoke while off the motorcoach

**FRAGRANCES:** We kindly ask that you consider refraining from wearing heavy fragrances while traveling, out of respect for fellow travelers that may have sensitivities or allergies.

**TRAVEL ASSISTANCE:** For your personal comfort, group participants requiring assistance are expected to have a traveling companion who is capable of, and totally responsible for, providing any and all required assistance.

**TRAVEL PROTECTION:** Journease Travel Specialists *strongly* suggests the purchase of trip cancellation/interruption insurance. Such travel insurance may be purchased from Journease Travel Specialists. Please inquire for details.

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### PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

**DEPOSIT:** A **\$300 per person deposit**, \$50 of which is *nonrefundable*, will confirm your reservation. Any reservation placed on a courtesy hold (names required at time of request), will be held for 10 business days without payment, at which time if deposit is not received space will be released without notice.

**INSTALLMENT PAYMENT:** 50% of trip cost due no later than **June 30, 2022**.

**FINAL PAYMENT:** Final Payment is due no later than **August 2, 2022**.

### CANCELLATION/REFUNDS:

A cancellation fee of \$50 per person begins at time of deposit. Additional cancellation penalties will be incurred beginning August 2, 2022, unless a replacement is found. Journease Travel Specialists will attempt to fill your seat from a waiting list when possible. Cancellation penalties refer to **NO MONIES WILL BE REFUNDED**, as per penalty schedule.

Note: Itinerary is subject to change at any time if deemed necessary and without compensation.

Tour/Trip Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Please PRINT CLEARLY

Full Legal Name (s): \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname/Other: \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Room Type:  Double  Single  Triple  Quad

Roommate(s): \_\_\_\_\_

Phone #: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell #: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Special Requests: \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Amount Being Paid by Check: \_\_\_\_\_ Please make checks payable to Journease Travel Specialists

Please complete If paying by Credit Card (subject to 3% surcharge)

Cardholder's Name \_\_\_\_\_ (please print clearly)

Card # \_\_\_\_\_ Exp: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV # \_\_\_\_\_

Trip Amount Being Paid: \_\_\_\_\_ (x3%) = \_\_\_\_\_ Total Amount to be charged to Credit Card

By signature, I authorize Journease Travel Specialists to charge my credit card in the amount of: \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Card Holder's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

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*All pricing and included features are based on a minimum of 28 passengers. Rates are subject to availability at time of booking.*

*Rates quoted are current at the time of the brochure printing and are subject to change at or before time of the final payment.*

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*CANCELLATION SCHEDULE		
Days Prior to Departure	Cancellation Amount	Date
From Date of Deposit	\$50	From Date of Deposit
60 to 46	\$300	August 2, 2022
45 to 30	50%	August 17, 2022
30 to 0	100%	September 1, 2022

**\*Plus any non-refundable costs incurred by Journease Travel by vendors/venues.**

*^Penalties may be adjusted when a replacement person can be found.*

Any refunds due will be processed post-travel, less a \$25 administrative fee.

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**I have reviewed and, by signature, accept the Terms & Conditions**

Print Name: (please print clearly): \_\_\_\_\_

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

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