

# California Classics



**September 10 - 19, 2021**

**Tour Highlights:** From San Francisco to Los Angeles, see the famous sights of California on this spectacular vacation. Enjoy the excitement and faster pace of San Francisco and Los Angeles, and take a deep breath and slow down in the areas of Napa Valley and Yosemite National Park.

**Day 1, Fri., Sep. 10: Depart Home.** Depart for San Francisco, California. This evening, meet your traveling companions for a welcome drink as your Tour Director prepares you for your upcoming adventure.

**Day 2, Sat., Sep. 11: San Francisco.** Enjoy morning sightseeing in one of the world's most beautiful cities. You will see Golden Gate National Recreation Area, including the Golden Gate Bridge and the Presidio. Next, visit the Japanese Tea Garden, the oldest public Japanese garden in the United States where you will learn about the history of the park and enjoy time to explore the five acres of native Japanese plants, serene koi ponds, pagodas, and more. Afterward, there's still plenty of time for pursuing your favorite interests and activities—ride the world-famous cable cars, shop in Union Square, or visit the Museum of Modern Art. This evening, enjoy a dinner at a local restaurant. (B,D)



**Day 3, Sun., Sep. 12: San Francisco—Sausalito—Napa Valley.** Travel across the Golden Gate Bridge this morning to the charming town of Sausalito. Enjoy waterfront views, breath-taking scenery, and a vibrant downtown area with a large variety of shops, restaurants, and art galleries. This afternoon, visit a local vineyard for a tour and tasting. This evening is free to explore more on your own. (B)



**Day 4, Mon., Sep. 13: Napa Valley—Yosemite National Park.** Travel southward through the Sierra Nevadas to Yosemite National Park. Yosemite has innumerable lakes, meadows, ice-sculpted domes, forests, waterfalls and

## Tour Inclusions

- Round-trip estimated airfare from Chicago/airport transfers in California
- 9 nights first class and superior first class accommodations
- Breakfast daily, 2 three-course dinners including a farewell dinner in LA
- Sightseeing and admissions per itinerary
- Professional Tour Director and local guides
- Luxury coach transportation with professional driver
- Baggage handling for 1 bag/person up to 50 lbs. (including gratuity)
- Burkhalter Tour Host with 14 paid travelers

## Tour Price Per Person

Double Occupancy: \$4,333  
Cash Discount Price: \$4,147  
(Payments by check/cash)  
Single Supplement: \$1,200

**Ask about discounts!**  
*Price is subject to change after  
airfare is finalized.*

unspoiled alpine scenery. Descend into the 4,000-foot valley, where you'll board an open-air Valley Floor Tram to explore the famous sites of El Capitan, Cathedral Spires, Yosemite Falls and Half Dome. The scenery is nothing short of spectacular! (B)

**Day 5, Tue., Sep. 14: Yosemite National Park—Monterey.** Before departing Yosemite National Park, visit Mariposa Grove, home to 500 mature sequoias. Stand in awe as you look skyward at these massive giants, the Earth's largest and longest living organisms. Then, on to Monterey and Cannery Row, immortalized by John Steinbeck in his novel of the same name. Watch for Humpback whales in the bay. (B)

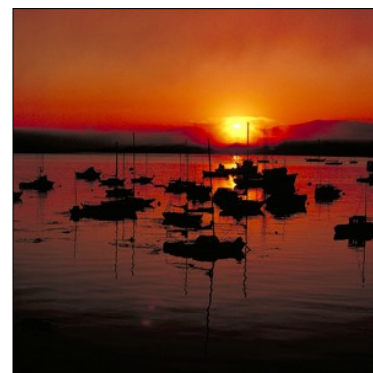
**Day 6, Wed., Sep. 15: Monterey, Excursion to Carmel.** Enjoy a visit to the resort town of Carmel, a popular haven for writers, artists, and celebrities. A high point on today's journey is the beautiful 17-mile drive, with views of famous Pebble Beach Golf Course and the tenacious Lone Cypress. Return to Monterey for a behind-the-scenes tour at the world-famous Monterey Bay Aquarium. Learn about the marine life found in the bay, such as sea otters, humpback whales, great white sharks, and more. (B)

**Day 7, Thu., Sep. 16: Monterey—Big Sur—San Simeon—Solvang.** This morning, journey south through Big Sur to San Simeon and visit Hearst Castle, the opulent mansion of wealthy newspaper tycoon William Randolph Hearst, which houses splendid antiques, art treasures, and exotic possessions purchased at an estimated \$50 million. The tour shows off the highlights of the impressive 123-acre estate. Continue to Solvang for an overnight stay. (B)

**Day 8, Fri., Sep. 17: Solvang—Santa Barbara—Los Angeles.** After breakfast, enjoy a guided walking tour of Solvang and learn how Denmark has been recreated with picturesque buildings and windmills. Enjoy coffee and a Danish specialty at a local bakery. Then, travel through the Santa Ynez Mountains to beautiful Santa Barbara, where the Spanish influence is apparent in quaint whitewashed and tile-roofed buildings. Visit the impressive 200-year-old Mission with its world-famous twin bell towers. Continue to metropolitan Los Angeles, the motion picture capital of the world. (B)

**Day 9, Sat., Sep. 18: Los Angeles.** Morning sightseeing of this gigantic metropolis takes you from Olvera Street—the oldest thoroughfare in the city—to Hollywood. Step into the shoeprints of famous movie stars at TCL Chinese Theatre, and see the Sunset Strip and Beverly Hills. Later, visit the Getty Museum, housing a collection of Western art from the Middle Ages to the present. This evening, your Tour Director hosts a special farewell dinner. Wonderful conversation and cuisine make the perfect finale for your vacation. (B,D)

**Day 10, Sun., Sep. 19: Los Angeles—Home.** Transfer to the airport and depart for home. (B)



### Tour Hotels

San Francisco—Marriott Marquis

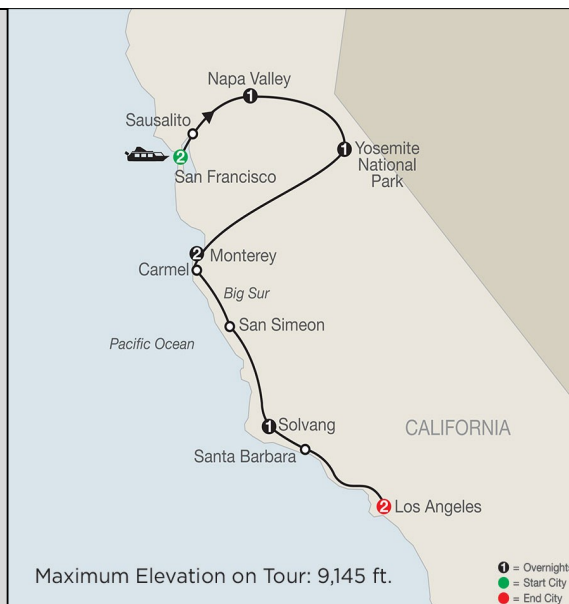
Napa—Marriott Hotel and Spa

Yosemite—Yosemite View Lodge

Monterey—Hyatt Regency

Solvang—Hotel Corque

Los Angeles—L.A. Grand Hotel Downtown





# TOUR APPLICATION

**TOUR NAME:** California Classics

**TOUR DATES:** September 10 - 19, 2021

**TOUR #:** H3065

*Note: The name on your tour documents and airline tickets must match your photo i.d. name. One form per address, please.*

**Name 1** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name Tag Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birthdate** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** ☐ Female ☐ Male **TSA KTN or Global #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name 2** \_\_\_\_\_ **Name Tag Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birthdate** \_\_\_\_\_ **Gender:** ☐ Female ☐ Male **TSA KTN or Global #** \_\_\_\_\_

**Address** \_\_\_\_\_

**City** \_\_\_\_\_ **State** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_ **Roommate Name** \_\_\_\_\_

*Special requests - please understand that we cannot guarantee that requests will be granted.*

**Accommodations:** Double Occupancy ☐ - 1 bed ☐ - 2 beds Single Occupancy ☐ - 1 bed

**Room requests:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Dietary requests:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Air Request:** ☐ Air with group ☐ Customized individual air \_\_\_\_\_

**Airline Seat Request (Not Guaranteed):** ☐ Window/next ☐ Aisle/next ☐ Other \_\_\_\_\_

**Tour Extension:** ☐ Air Extension ☐ Other arrangements: \_\_\_\_\_

**Any special celebration?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Any special assistance required:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Burkhalter Agent:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Medical conditions the host should be aware of:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Physician name/clinic:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Relationship to you** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Travel Protection?** ☐ Yes, Globus Plan ☐ Maybe, please provide info on other plans ☐ No, thanks

I/we have read and understand the terms and conditions for this tour (see back).

**Signature REQUIRED**

## PAYMENT

**Amount enclosed:** \_\_\_\_\_ \$300 per person deposit required - Final due by **June 23, 2021**

**Payment:** ☐ Cash or check payable to Burkhalter Tours ☐ Credit card

**CC #** \_\_\_\_\_ **Expiration date** \_\_\_\_\_ **Security Code** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name on credit card:** \_\_\_\_\_

## RESERVATIONS/INFORMATION

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### Prairie du Sac - Travelog Travel

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## TOUR TERMS AND CONDITIONS - PLEASE READ CAREFULLY

**I.D./Citizenship:** Names must match the traveler's photo I.D. Complete I.D. name, gender and birth date are required to confirm reservations per TSA/airline requirements.

**Deposits and Payments:** Please make checks payable to Burkhalter Tours. Most major credit cards are also accepted. A deposit of **\$300 per person** is required to secure reservations. All tour confirmations are subject to receipt of signed tour application and payment verification. **Final payment is due by June 23, 2021.**

**Cancellations/Refunds:** All cancellations are subject to a \$50 Burkhalter Tours service fee that may not be covered by tour operator insurance. In addition to the service fee and possible airline penalties, tour cancellation penalties are as follows:

Cancel prior to June 23, 2021: Deposit is non-refundable

Cancel after June 23, 2021: Trip is non-refundable

No refund will apply on unused portions of the tour. If a roommate cancels, the remaining traveler may have to pay any single room supplement that is incurred. Name changes and departure date changes are considered reservation cancellations and are subject to cancellation fees. Once issued, airline tickets are 100% non-refundable.

**Travel Insurance** is strongly advised in order to protect your investment. Coverage for trip cancellation/interruption/delay, and medical emergency expenses is available from the tour supplier, Globus for **\$299**. Other plans may also be available. Ask your agent for information.

**Tour Conditions:** This tour is a regular Globus departure and no minimum number of Burkhalter travelers is required for the tour to operate. All arrangements are based upon tariffs in effect on date of brochure production and are subject to change. Once deposit has been received, any changes to air or land arrangements may be assessed a \$50 revision fee. Revision fees may be higher once air is ticketed. Itinerary is subject to change by the tour operator.

**Air Transportation:** The airfare portion of the tour price is an estimate and is subject to change. Airline seat assignments can only be requested after final payment and may be limited in availability. If specific seat assignments are vital to your enjoyment of the tour, we recommend individual air reservations. Deviations from the group air schedule may result in a different airfare. Routing and schedules are subject to change.

**Accommodations/Transportation:** Tour hotels are superior tourist or first class properties with private ensuite facilities. Rooms typically have two beds. Touring coaches are deluxe vehicles with panoramic windows and seats that partially recline. Single travelers are allocated one seat only. Hotels are subject to change.

**Traveler Fitness:** Travelers should be in reasonably good health, able to climb stairs and board a motorcoach in a timely manner, and walk moderate distances, sometimes over uneven ground. Individuals with physical and/or cognitive limitations must be accompanied by an able individual who will assume complete responsibility for them—tour personnel cannot and will not provide such assistance.

**Passenger Consent Agreement:** Department of Transportation regulations require that we inform you that your purchase is subject to supplemental price increases beyond our control that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Such increases may come about due to increased fees, fuel surcharges, government tax increases, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination of these events. Post-purchase price increases may be applied to your invoice due to these unforeseen cost increases from suppliers. While a post-purchase price increase is very rare and not anticipated, Burkhalter Tours will inform you of any increases as soon as possible. By signing the tour application and making your deposit, you are acknowledging that you have been made aware and accept the fact that such increases may occur, and that you agree to pay Burkhalter Tours and our contracted suppliers accordingly.

**Responsibility:** Burkhalter Travel Agency, Inc., Hello America Tours d.b.a Burkhalter Tours, Globus, their sales agents and tour personnel and any IATAN and connecting ARC carriers act only in capacity of agent for the passenger in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and any means of transportation and, as such, hold themselves free of responsibility for any damages from any causes whatsoever, including any loss, accident, delay or irregularity which may be occasioned by reason of defect in any vehicle or for the conduct of such other parties. Burkhalter Travel Agency, Inc. and Burkhalter Tours will not be responsible for any damage, expense or inconvenience caused by late transportation arrivals or departures, or by any change of schedule or other conditions; nor will they be responsible for the loss of, or damage to, baggage or any article belonging to the passenger. In the event that it becomes necessary or advisable for any reason whatsoever, including but not limited to, acts of war, terrorism, disease or acts of God, to withdraw the tour or to alter the itinerary or arrangements, such alterations will be made without notice. Additional expenses, if any, will be borne by the passengers; conversely, refunds will be made to the passengers if any savings is effected thereby. Although no changes or substitutions are anticipated at the time of brochure production, participants must accept whatever changes are required. Burkhalter Travel Agency, Inc. and Burkhalter Tours are not responsible for financial or physical harm to any passenger resulting from acts of war, terrorism, disease or acts of God. We reserve the right to decline to accept or to retain any person as a member of this tour at any time. Public carrier companies, including airlines, involved in or used in connection with this tour are not to be held responsible for any act, omission, or any event during the time the passengers are not on board their conveyance or aircraft. Tickets of airlines or other public carriers issued in connection with this tour shall be the sole contract between the carrier and the passenger. Payment of deposit on the cost of the travel arrangements described in this brochure signifies the acceptance on the part of the purchasers and/or passengers of the limitations of Burkhalter Travel Agency, Inc. and Burkhalter Tours' responsibility and to the terms and conditions set forth in the passage contract (air ticket) issued by any IATAN or ARC carrier and/or their agents in connection with the land and/or surface arrangements described herein.