



Mississippi River Bluffs

**A SCENIC 3 DAYS, 2 NIGHTS
MOTORCOACH JOURNEY TO
GALENA, IL AND DUBUQUE, IA
WITH A FULL DAY
RIVERBOAT TWILIGHT
MISSISSIPPI RIVER CRUISE**

SUNDAY, SEP 1 – TUESDAY SEP 3, 2019



Journey to a magnificent, scenic area of the Midwest in the Upper Mississippi River Valley. Northwest Illinois, Northeast Iowa, and Southwest Wisconsin form a region which is part of the Upper Mississippi River Wildlife Refuge. At Dubuque, Iowa on the shores of the Mississippi River, spend some time to visit natural, beautiful sites. Marvel at man made architectural buildings which recall the way life during the 1800's and early 1900's.

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Mississippi River Bluffs (Itinerary)

DAY 1: SUNDAY,, SEPTEMBER 1:

9:00 AM Depart from St. Charles, Illinois via motorcoach. Parking will be available for those driving to St. Charles. You may also be picked up at the Metra ELGIN, IL station at 9:45 AM. Travel in fine comfort to Galena, Illinois, some call “ The town that time forgot.”

12:00 PM- 4:00 PM Have lunch on your own , then explore the Galena points of interest. Take an optional trolley tour of Galena which can be arranged when making tour reservations.

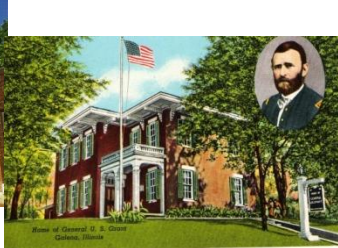
4:00 PM – 6:00 PM Transfer to Dubuque, Iowa and check in at the beautifully restored Julien Dubuque Hotel in downtown Dubuque. Freshen up and assemble to reboard your motorcoach to travel to dinner.

6:00 – 6:30 PM Transfer to TIMMERMAN’S SUPPER CLUB atop an East Dubuque riverbluff for a delicious dinner and splendid views of the river valley as the sun sets.

8:30 – 9:00 PM Transfer back to the Hotel for a restful sleep. Set Alarms for early wake-up for the boat cruise.



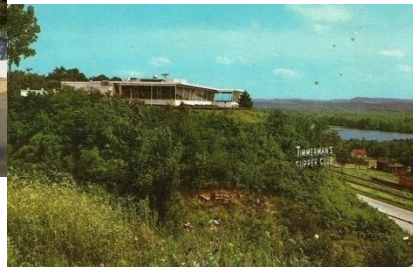
Galena, IL –Main St.



Gen. Grant's Galena Home



Galena Trolley Tour (Optional)



Timmerman's Supper Club



Restored Julien Dubuque Hotel
And Lobby



Typical Guest Bedroom



Carolines Restaurant Within Hotel

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DAY 2: MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 2, 2019

This is a full day of riverboat cruising.

7:00 AM Riverboat passengers assemble in the lobby

7:15 AM Motorcoach transfer to board the Riverboat Twilight at the Port of Dubuque Harbor. **CONTINENTAL BREAKFAST** will be available shortly after boarding the boat.

The full day of river cruising will include a complete lunch, snacks, non-alcoholic beverages, music entertainment. a mid-day shore stop at Guttenberg, Iowa is scheduled. If river conditions permit docking, passengers may go ashore and take a walk along the riverwalk or explore the quaint shops nearby.

5:00 PM Return to Port of Dubuque . You are on your own for dinner and exploring the restaurants and Diamond Jo's Casino. If weather conditions are favorable, stroll the riverwalk . Pleasant dreams!



Twilight Riverboat



Mississippi R. Near IA-WI Bridge



Mississippi R. Near Bellevue, IA



Guttenberg, IA Harbor



Guttenberg, IA – Quaint Main St.



An Eagle Soars Above Eagle Point Park



Sunset At The Julien Dubuque Bridge

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DAY 3: TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 3, 2019

7:00- 9:30 AM Breakfast for everyone in the hotel restaurant

Explore surrounding Dubuque points of interest. The National Mississippi River Museum and Aquarium, plenty of specialty shops, a brewery, are just some of the interesting places to enjoy. Please make time for an early lunch before your motorcoach departs Dubuque for home.

12:00 PM Check out of hotel room and begin assembling in the lobby for boarding the motorcoach.

12:30 PM Depart Dubuque to return home. A restroom break will be scheduled near midway in the trip.

4:00 PM Estimated arrival time in St. Charles, IL. Those who have a Metra train back to their point of origin will be brought back to the Elgin station.



Dubuque's Town Clock Plaza



National Mississippi R. Museum - Aquarium



Diamond Jo's Casino - Port of Dubuque



Panoramic View of Dubuque, IA

Fares

\$549.00 per person, Double Occupancy in Hotel
\$705.00 per person, single occupancy in hotel
\$20.00 per person Optional Galena Trolley Tour

Reservations - Information

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