

2017 Spring Newsletter

Things are really exciting at Bergan Travel this Spring! We are trying out some all-new travel options for 2017 and 2018. If you don't see what you want– let us know. We can put something together just for you! Don't forget that many of your favorites sell out quickly–please sign up soon!

Thank you for making us the area's premier choice for vacations and travel in northern Minnesota. With all of the complications and uncertainty in travel these days, you need an experienced travel agent more than ever before! We are proud to say that our staff will soon be growing again to serve you better.

Have a great 2017 and safe travels!

Ryan Walseth and Al Walseth

Bergan Travel and Cosmos present:

## A China Experience

September 17-25, 2018

On this tour through China, you'll experience some of China's most famous sites and learn about it's ancient and current culture. You'll start with three nights in Shanghai, end with three nights in Beijing, and spend two nights also in Xi'an. Discover the Terracotta Warriors in Xi'an. Of course, no tour to China is complete without a visit to the Great Wall of China, the longest man-made structure in the world. Imagine how you'll feel standing on this famous site!

> *Starting from:* \$1457 per person—double occupancy Airfare and Intra-Air is additional

Bergan Travel and Cosmos present: Julip Jime: Best of the Netherlands

April 21-27, 2018

Famous for its tulips, windmills, and wooden clogs. Holland is a delightful country with scenic landscapes, historic monuments, and vibrant cities. You'll get to know the country on this Holland tour starting and ending in Amsterdam. Experience the elegant and classic architecture, cafés and restaurants, not to mention the bike paths throughout the city. Experience this seven day roundtrip tour from Amsterdam during the peak of the Tulip Season!

> *Starting from:* \$1189 per person—double occupancy \$100 off if booked by June 1, 2017 Airfare is additional



Bergan Travel and Globus present:

#### Essential Britain & Ireland

May 6-15, 2018

Spectacular scenery combined with fascinating architectural remains and energetic cities—all this awaits you on this fabulous Britain and Ireland tour. Your tour starts and ends in London with overnights in Newport, Wales; Waterford and Dublin, Ireland; Edinburgh, Scotland; and York, England. If you're a fan of castles, you'll enjoy your visit to Cardiff Castle and Edinburgh Castle. Also visit the Roman Baths and Stonehenge.

> \$2369 per person—double occupancy Airfare additional Save 10% if you deposit by August 1, 2017

#### Uiking River Cruise August 17-24, 2018

Bergan Travel and Globus present:

#### Nature's Best: Alaska

June 12-18, 2018

From Fairbanks to Anchorage, see what the "Great Land" of Alaska has to offer. Enjoy a seven day tour from Fairbanks to Anchorage. Visit Denali National Park, where you will enjoy a wilderness expedition in search of grizzly bear, caribou, moose, and more. Ride the Alaska Railroad in a dome car, overnight in Talkeetna. Take a scenic cruise in the Kenai Fjords. Nothing compares to the glaciers calving into the sea!

\$2907 per person—double occupancy Airfare additional Save 10% if deposit is paid by August 1, 2017

Join Al & Eileen and a group of fun travelers from our area on a unique and historic journey along the Rhine River. From Amsterdam to Basel, this 8-day journey across four countries reveals a wonderland of beauty and culture. Enjoy an included tour every day — see the iconic windmills of Holland; spend time in Cologne's Dom, a remarkable Gothic cathedral. You'll be pampered with Viking's outstanding service, specialty prepared foods with local flavor and regional wines with lunch & dinner.

Starting at \$2924 Per Person—Double Occupancy • Airfare Additional

## Jwins vs. Indians

June 17-18, 2017

Here is your chance to see the Twins at Target Field against Cleveland. Overnight at the Marriott City Center. Motorcoach departs right from TRF. No driving, no parking, no worries! *Escorted by Ryan Walseth* 

## Jwins vs. Diamondbacks

August 18-19, 2017 Escorted by Ryan Walseth

#### Aloha from Hawaii! February 26-March 7, 2018

Girls Getaway: Christmas Jime in NYC

December 2-5, 2017

Travel to the "Big Apple" at Christmas Time and see the tree lit up at Rockefeller Center. Get in the Christmas spirit at Radio City Music Hall to see the famous Rockettes Christmas Spectacular- and, of course, finish your last-minute shopping!

Escorted by Nicole

# Door County & Washington Island

July 31-August 5, 2017

Door County lies along hundreds of miles of Lake Michigan coastline. Washington Island and Door County Peninsula offer visitors a rich Icelandic and Maritime heritage. Enjoy the charm and beauty of the area's quaint lake-side villages, shops and eateries. Lighthouses and sailboats are plentiful on the horizon. *Escorted by Lana* 

Feel the sand beneath your feet, smell the fragrance of the island flowers, smile as the tranquil ocean waves hit your feet. Relax as Bergan Travel and Globus show you the best of the Hawaiian Islands—Oahu, the Big Island, and Maui.

\$3005 Per Person—Double Occupancy • Airfare Additional

Woodtick Jheater

June 15, 2017

Includes a tour of the Forest Edge Winery, an afternoon performance at the Woodtick Theater and an authentic German dinner.

Escorted by Al Walseth \$119 Per Person

Frostfire

July 12, 2017

Enjoy a performance by the talented Smoke on the Mountain, followed by a tour of the Pembina Gorge. Lunch is included at the theater.

Escorted by Al Walseth \$119 Per Person

Jasper Jheater

August 9, 2017

Two Inlets Grotto Shrine, Evergreen Fun Park or Summerfield Farms, meal at Logging Camp, and Jasper Theater Tickets.

Escorted by Jayne Miller **\$89 Per Person** 

Midwest Country

August 10-11, 2017

Two day trip to Sandstone to see the Midwest Country Music Theater. Spend two nights at the Hinckley Hotel near Grand Casino.

Escorted by Al Walseth **\$159 Per Person** 

Bergan Travel invites you on this exciting motorcoach Going to the Sun Road. An overnight in the Park on serene includes Glacier National Park, with a Red Bus tour along the accommodations and some meals will be included.

July 27-August 3 escorted by AI & Eileen \$1449 per person- double occupancy

adventure through the beautiful Canadian Rockies. Sit back, Lake McDonald, Calgary Olympic Park and Hall of Fame & relax and take in all the sights ... we'll do the driving. We'll set Museum. Lunch extravaganza at Banff Springs Hotel, drive the up your hotels, arrange your excursions, and ensure you have beautiful Icefields Parkway, thrilling Snow-coach tour/walk on a great vacation! You will get the chance to mingle with the Athabasca Glacier. Includes deluxe motorcoach transportation locals, enjoy amazing wildlife and incredible views. This trip from Thief River Falls and the surrounding areas. Seven nights

#### Folklorama

August 18-20, 2017

Each year many cultural communities of Winnipeg extend a warm invitation to visit and share their customs and traditions. Treat yourself to ethnic food, dance, and cultural displays. Six Pavilions with food and entertainment included: Caribbean. Belgian. Portuguese, Chilean, Brazilian, and Chinese. Enjoy two nights at The Norwood Hotel in downtown Winnipeg. Passport or Passcard required. Escorted by AI & Eileen

#### Branson Christmas Jour

November 13-18, 2017

Join Bergan Travel on our wonderful Branson Christmas Tour. You'll enjoy the beautifully decorated theaters and see some of the best entertainment that Branson has to offer. This popular tour includes unique dining, great hotels, music and fun on the motorcoach.

Call soon- This trip sells out quickly!

Escorted by Jerry Stormo & Al Walseth

### Interested in an Alaskan cruise?

These popular cruises run from May-September, with many dates to choose from. Book early in order to receive the best pricing and stateroom availability.

# Jhought about traveling to Cuba?

Shrouded in mystery for the last 50 years, you now have the opportunity to visit the captivating country of Cuba. Enjoy a fully escorted Cosmos tour of Cuba: Cuba Discovery, October 14-22, 2017, roundtrip from Miami. Overnights are included in Havana, Varadero, and Viñales.

Starting at \$2559 per person— double occupancy • Airfare and tourist visas additional

#### Focus on Scandinavia

#### September 15-26, 2017

Begin in Denmark's capital of Copenhagen. Stop in Odense- Hans Christian Andersen's home, cross the Kattegat Channel by ferry to Gothenburg, Sweden. Discover Norway's capital- featuring the National Theater, Parliament, Gustav Vigeland's famous sculpture park and more. Enjoy a cruise on the amazing Sognefjord. Then to Stockholmthe perfect ending to this exciting trip!

\$2863 per person—double occupancy

Airfare additional

#### Fatima, Lourdes, & Shrines of Spain

#### September 19-30, 2017

Reaffirm and celebrate your faith on this Portugal, Spain, and France tour with overnights in Lisbon, Fatima, Santiago de Compostela, Burgos, Lourdes, and Barcelona. Along the way, you'll visit some of the world's most famous shrines, pilgrimage sites, and spiritual places.

\$1608 per person—double occupancy

Airfare additional

Hostfest

#### September 27-30, 2017

Join Bergan Travel on a motorcoach tour to Norsk Hostfest in Minot, ND, as they celebrate their 40th Anniversary! You'll find dozens of shows geared to entertain you. This year's headliners are: Joe Diffie and John Michael Montgomery, Amy Grant, and Celtic Thunder. Your Platinum ticket also includes: Williams & Haaland, Gordy Lindquist, Ree, Bjoro and Ringling Five- just to name a few!

Escorted by Lana

# Shrine Pilgrimage

#### August 16-23, 2017

Join Father Rick Lambert and Jayne Miller on this spiritual journey. Celebrate the Feast of St. Bernard at St. Bernard's retreat in Alabama, visit the Shrine of the Most Blessed Sacrament of our Lady of the Angels and Mass at EWTN Studios. Seven nights hotel accommodations are included. Departure from Thief River Falls.



- East Coast Fall Tour-2018
- Washington, DC Cherry
- Chicago- Fall 2017
- Oktoberfest, New Ulm
- **Off-Season Ireland Tour**
- National Parks Tour

\*<u>Call with your requests!\*</u>



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