JUDITH SALMON ART & CULTURAL TOUR

Phoenix to Santa Fe: The Wild West to the Southwest



Tour dates: 8-21 July, 2018

14 Day Fly/ Tour \$10,560 per person dbl/twn;

\$ 2,300 private room supplement

Beginning on the cacti-lined boulevards of Phoenix, Arizona - Valley of the Sun, we will immerse ourselves in the art and culture of Navaio Nation and see the Native American art on display at The Heard Museum. Onto Scottsdale for a cinematic gallop through the history of the Wild West, then Taliesen West for an architectural appointment with Frank Lloyd Wright's winter residence.

Our journey continues with a two-day road trip from Arizona to New Mexico enjoying spectacular colours of the vibrant red mountains of Sedona. Overnight at Grand Canyon National Park, one of the Seven Natural Wonders of the World, then experience rich Native American culture along historic Route 66; Flagstaff, Gallup, Albuquerque and Santa Fe.

In Santa Fe, we begin our Georgia O'Keeffe pilgrimage; the GOK Museum, a visit to Abiquiu, Ghost Ranch and Taos. Experience first-hand the landscapes of New Mexico that inspired her powerful paintings.

Our visit to Santa Fe is timed to coincide with two outstanding cultural events: ART Santa Fe, a 4-day exhibition of US and International contemporary art, and International Folk Art Market, an international bazaar of the finest handmade craft by 160 master artists from 53 different countries.

A must see for Art and Culture lovers!

Inquisitive minds will delight in this global village of colour and culture... with an opportunity to obtain one of a kind treasures from around the world, whilst meeting the artist who created them!

Travel with Judith Salmon, former Sydney art gallery director and educator. Explore and enjoy these fascinating and unique expressions of American art, history and culture with professional guides, private art consultants and wonderful company!



Small group journey limited to 15 participants! Contact Natalie to request your day-to-day itinerary.

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Tour inclusions

- Return economy class airfare with Qantas and American Airlines. Ask Natalie about upgrades.
- Pre-departure background information.
- VIP meet & greet; arrival and departure transfers.
- 11 nights luxury accomodation with daily breakfast, wifi and porterage.
- All sightseeing & applicable entrance fees.
- Frank Lloyd Wright: Taliesin West Tour, The Heard Museum, Phoenix and Old Town Scottsdale Guided Tour.
- Sedona and spectacular Oak Creek Canyon, plus shopping at Tlaquepaque.
- Grand Canyon South Rim and Historic Village district.
- Historic Route 66: Flagstaff, Gallup, Albuquerque and Santa Fe.
- Santa Fe guided walking tour exploring 400 years of history, art and culture.
- Canyon Road with private art consultant.
- ART Santa Fe and the International Folk Art Market admission passes.
- Georgia O'Keeffe country: Abiquiu, the land she loved, explored, painted and lived in for over 50 years, plus Ghost Ranch.
- The J. Paul Getty Museum, Los Angeles.
- Land travel by deluxe chartered airconditioned coach.
- Services of museum docent and private guides and experts during our desert oasis.

- Full day trip to charming Taos to see: the enchanting San Fransisco de Assisi Church in Ranchos de Taos, made famous by many artists including Georgia O'Keeffe, Peter Hurd, Fritz Scholder and Andrew Wyeth; Taos Pueblo; the Millicent Rogers Museum; and the Taos Gorge.
- Tips for drivers, local guides and restaurants for included meals
- Talks, briefings and daily assistance from your host, Judith Salmon.
- Enjoy plenty of free time for shopping.
- Optional Opening party and previews of ART Santa Fe and the International Folk Art Market
- Optional Santa Fe Opera tickets: Madame Butterfly, Candide and Doctor Atomic.





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