

Tour Code: PTIE21



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# *Ireland & Scotland*

*With 3 nights in London*

SCHEDULED DEPARTURE  
*April 20 - May 3, 2021*

*Edinburgh Castle  
Scotland*



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*Blarney Castle  
Ireland*



*Each day begins with a brief devotional thought and a prayer.*

**Day 1: Tuesday, April 20, 2021 • Depart USA**

Our Emerald Isle adventure takes us on a trans-Atlantic flight from Kansas City to Shannon, Ireland.

**Day 2: Wednesday, April 21, 2021 • Shannon Area**

Upon arrival in Shannon, we clear customs and meet our coach and driver. We begin our scenic adventure with a drive through Ireland's emerald green countryside to the **Cliffs of Moher** on the west coast. Included in our visit to the breathtaking landscapes is the Cliff's Exhibition where we learn the story of the cliffs and the seabirds they protect. Next, we drive through the **Burren**, an eerie landscape filled with rock formations, monuments and boulders. We arrive at our hotel in time to relax before dinner. **D**

**Day 3: Thursday, April 22, 2021 • Killarney**

Following breakfast, we stop at the **Bunratty Castle and Folk Park**. While the castle contains furniture and paintings from the 15<sup>th</sup> and 16<sup>th</sup> centuries, the park consists of 25 acres of reconstructed farmhouses, cottages and shops from the 19<sup>th</sup> century. There is even a tiny village with a blacksmith, pub and post office. We drive through Limerick, Ireland's third largest city before stopping in **Adare**, Ireland's prettiest village with thatched cottages and colorful gardens on the wooded banks of the River Maigue. We continue south to Killarney, making stops along the way to explore more of the beautiful Emerald Isle. **B/D**

**Day 4: Friday, April 23, 2021 • Killarney**

This morning we travel along one of the most scenic roads in the world: the **Ring of Kerry**. Sites such as Ladies View, McGillicuddy's Reeks, Waterville and Cahersiveen will come to life as we negotiate narrow, winding roads with unforgettable views. In the afternoon, we explore **Killarney National Park** before returning to Killarney on a jaunting cart, an open horse-drawn carriage. Dinner tonight will be on our own. Perhaps tonight will be a night for an informal pub crawl! **B**

**Day 5: Saturday, April 24, 2021 • Dublin**

Our journey proceeds as we travel to Dublin. The first stop includes a visit to Blarney Castle. Of course, you will want to kiss the **Blarney Stone** and acquire the "gift of eloquence." Next, we see the **Rock of Cashel**, also known as St Patrick's Rock. Towering over the town from its perch on a 200-foot-high outcrop of limestone, the Rock was once the seat of the Kings of Munster. It was visited by St. Patrick in 450 A.D. and by Brian Boru, the last great High King of Ireland. Today the impressive stone walls enclose a round tower, the Cathedral, a 12th century Romanesque chapel, high crosses and other structures. **B/D**

*Loch Ness  
Scotland*



**Day 6: Sunday, April 25, 2021 • Dublin**

This morning our local guide takes us on a city tour of Dublin to visit **St. Patrick's Cathedral**, home of Ireland's largest and most beautiful organ as well as the burial site of Jonathan Swift. We also visit the famed **Trinity College**, Ireland's oldest college founded in 1592 by England's Queen Elizabeth I. While at the college, we will see the Old Library that houses the **Book of Kells**, the ancient Latin manuscript of the four gospels dating back to the year 800. The remainder of the day is free to explore Dublin on our own. Options include a visit to Dublin Castle or the Natural History Museum, shopping on Grafton and O'Connell Streets or simply relaxing in the arts and entertainment area of Temple Bar. This evening, we have dinner in the heart of Dublin at Oliver St John Gogarty's Irish Pub. **B/D**

**Day 7: Monday, April 26, 2021 • Glasgow Area**

Today we drive north past Belfast and board a ferry to Cairnryan. From here we again board the coach and drive to our hotel in the Glasgow area. We have dinner and overnight. **B/D**

**Day 8: Tuesday, April 27, 2021 • Inverness Area**

Today we head north along Loch Lomond and Glencoe to Fort William, where we can view Ben Nevis. At 4,406 feet, it is the highest mountain in the British Isles, and the vistas are breathtaking. We continue to Fort Augustus, located at the southern edge of **Loch Ness**, where we board a vessel and do our own searching for Nessie, the friendly, but elusive, resident monster. **B/D**

**Day 9: Wednesday, April 28, 2021 • Edinburgh**

A full day of sightseeing and exploration awaits us. We begin by discovering the area of the savage clans and roving barbarians, including a visit to the **Culloden Battlefield**. We learn about the Jacobite movement, the rise and demise of the clan system, local homes and battlegrounds, and discover many clues to the Celtic and non-Celtic ancestors of the Highlanders. Then, we drive through the Grampian Mountains in the Highlands and venture down into the Cairngorms National Park, the largest in Britain. It covers almost 2,300 miles of beautiful and unspoiled countryside including wild moorlands, soaring mountain peaks, granite Ice Age glacier heaves, and spectacular valleys, rivers and lochs (lakes) as well as a huge variety of wildlife. We take a break to enjoy **Afternoon Tea**. We arrive in Edinburgh in time for dinner. **B/D**

**Day 10: Thursday, April 29, 2021 • Edinburgh**

This morning we enjoy a **panoramic tour of Edinburgh**, a beautiful city, often referred to as the "Athens of the North!" Highlights will include the Walter Scott Monument, the elegant

Windsor Castle  
England



Prince's Street, architectural wonders, plus much more! We have an inside tour of *Edinburgh Castle*, with its foreboding ramparts and walls, amazing city views, Crown jewels, and the siege gun, Mon's Meg. The afternoon is open for options, an opportunity to visit museums or Queen Elizabeth II's Yacht "Britannia", explore botanical gardens or the zoo, or perhaps shop for that special "Scottish Tweed." **B/D**

**Day 11: Friday, April 30, 2021 • Train to London**

We board a train to London. The ride will be stunning as we go through a very beautiful part of England. Upon arrival, we check in at our centrally located hotel. This evening we enjoy dinner and a show in the **West End**. **B/D**

**Day 12: Saturday, May 1, 2021 • London**

This morning we have a **panoramic tour of London**. We see Tower Bridge, the Parliament buildings, and visit *St. Paul's Cathedral*, *Westminster Abbey* and a lot more. Our local guide will point out a lot of places you may wish to see in depth later in the afternoon. Not to be missed is the prestigious British Museum with its incomparable section of antiquities. Art lovers will want to spend time in the Tate Britain Gallery, one of the world's greatest museums of art. Shoppers and non-shoppers alike would appreciate an hour or two spent exploring Harrods, the world's greatest department store. Britain's World War II "war room" has been preserved just as it was and is now open to the public. Our guide will have lots of suggestions for us as the possibilities are endless! **B**

**Day 13: Sunday, May 2, 2021 • London**

This morning we drive to *Windsor*, located on the opposite bank of the river Thames to Eton. It is famous for its centuries old school and antique shops, and of course, the Castle, Britain's oldest royal residence. Originally built of wood, it was built in 1070 by William the Conqueror. The Round Tower was built in the 11th century when the palace guarded the western approaches to London. We will visit the State Apartments, The Round Tower and St George's Chapel. We return to our hotel and have the remainder of the afternoon free to see and shop as much as we can before re-packing our bags for our trip home, and joining the group for a farewell dinner. **B/D**

**Day 14: Monday, 3, 2021 • Return**

We drive to the airport for our return flight to the United States. We return, however, with memories of lovely landscapes, fabulous castles, and most importantly, a wealth of new friends! Cheerio! **B**

**Abbreviations for Meals**  
**B**=Breakfast **L**=Lunch **D**=Dinner

**Tour Price: \$3,599**  
Single Supplement \$725

Prices are *per person, double occupancy*  
*Land only*  
with a minimum of 25 participants

**Your Tour Includes:**

- **Land Transportation** via private deluxe air-conditioned motor coach
- **Accommodations** (double occupancy) in moderate first-class hotels
- **Meals** per the itinerary
- **Admission** to all activities indicated in the itinerary except those listed as optional
- Services of **professional tour manager**
- Local **step-on guides** for city tours and major attractions
- **Luggage handling** of one piece per person
- **All taxes and tips** for provided services on land tour, except as noted below

**Your Tour Does Not Include:**

- **Roundtrip Airfare** and related taxes, fees and fuel charges
- Meals other than indicated above
- **Beverages**, except with breakfast
- End of tour gratuity for coach driver and tour guide
- Items of a personal nature such as passport fees. (*Passport must be valid for 6 months beyond return date.*)
- **Optional insurance** for health, baggage and cancellation. (*This insurance is available and recommended.*)

**Payment Schedule:**

A deposit of \$500 per person is due with reservation. Final payment is due 100 days prior to departure date. Invoice will be sent out prior to final payment. Passengers may add after this date subject to air and land availability. Generally airlines do not increase the price of a ticket after it has been contracted. However, prior to the issuance of a ticket, airlines may (and regularly do) impose fuel, tax, or security surcharges. In the event a surcharge is imposed after Ed-Ventures has received a final payment, Ed-Ventures will send an additional invoice for the surcharge amount. Early registration is encouraged.

**Currency:**

Currency exchange rates fluctuate constantly. In the event of a significant drop in the value of the dollar, we reserve the right to add a currency surcharge to the price of the tour.

**Refund/Cancellation Policy:**

All cancellations must be in writing. The date of postmark will determine the amount of refund due. Refunds are based on the number of days prior to departure date. From the time of deposit to 99 days before departure a \$100 administrative fee plus any airfare penalties will be assessed. From 99-30 days, a \$300 cancellation penalty plus lost airfare deposits and any unrecoverable deposits to ground suppliers will be assessed. Airline tickets once purchased are nonrefundable. Anyone canceling less than 30 days prior to departure will receive **no refund**.

*Purchase of health, baggage, and trip cancellation/interruption insurance is strongly recommended.*



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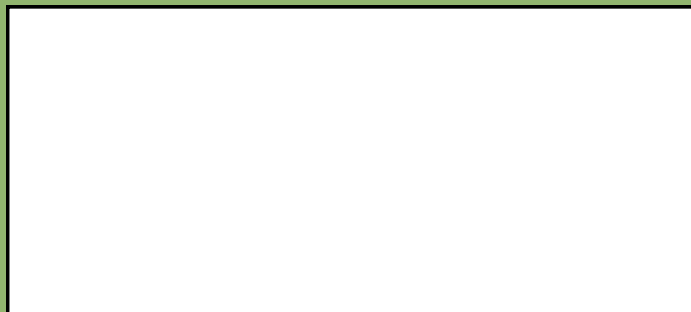
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Please register me for:

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- Single Supplement • \$725

## Passenger Information (1<sup>st</sup> Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on your passport. Passport information may be sent later if you have yet to obtain a passport.

**Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Name for name badge): \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Exp. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Authority:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Place of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Gender:**  Male  Female

**Dietary Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

## Passenger Information (2<sup>nd</sup> Traveler)

Please record information exactly as it appears on your passport. Passport information may be sent later if you have yet to obtain a passport.

**Legal Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

(Name for name badge): \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport #:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Exp. Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport Authority:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Place of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Gender:**  Male  Female

**Dietary Needs:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Work phone/cell:** \_\_\_\_\_ **E-mail:** \_\_\_\_\_

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

**Sleeping Preference** (circle one): Double bed Twin Beds

**Roommate name:** \_\_\_\_\_ OR **Single supplement:** \_\_\_\_\_ Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No

## Travel Insurance (7.2% of tour cost)

- I wish to purchase Travel Guard insurance and have included the premium with my deposit.
- I wish to decline the travel insurance offered through Travel Guard.

## **Deposit Payment Information** (please check one)

- Enclosed is my \$ \_\_\_\_\_ deposit and insurance premium (if applicable). **Make checks payable to Ed-Ventures, Inc.**
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**Signature of 1<sup>st</sup> traveler:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of 2<sup>nd</sup> traveler:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date:** \_\_\_\_\_



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