

BRANSON CHRISTMAS SEASON SHOW TOUR

13-DAY MOTORCOACH

FEATURING THE DANIEL O'DONNELL SHOW

Come along and celebrate the Holiday Season in a way you will never forget ...with miles of festive lights, displays, decorations, entertainment at Silver Dollar City Theme Park dressed in holiday finery and three special holiday shows, including a dinner show cruising aboard the Showboat Branson Belle.

No where in the world is there such a unique collection of fabulous entertainment in a spectacular natural setting as Branson, Missouri. In the heart of the Ozark Mountains, this dynamic town is nestled in the foothills beside scenic lakes and byways. It's bursting with entertainment everywhere you look! Fabulous shows, unique sightseeing and an atmosphere all its own – it's no wonder that Branson has become one of the most well-known destinations in the world.

DEPARTURE: Edmonton 7:00 a.m., Red Deer 9:00 a.m., Calgary 12:00 p.m., Fort Macleod 1:45 p.m., Lethbridge 2:30 p.m., Medicine Hat 4:15 p.m.



Showboat Branson Belle.



Daniel O'Donnell:
Ireland's greatest export.

CEREMONY in the Square and marvel at the spectacular light and sound show. Browse in the many craft shops and enjoy a wide variety of live musical entertainment.

DAY S A

- 1 **EDMONTON to CALGARY to SWIFT CURRENT:** Your journey to the *Heartland of America* begins as you are welcomed aboard your deluxe coach in Edmonton. Travel south via Red Deer to Calgary meeting additional travelling companions enroute. A stop is made in Medicine Hat before crossing the Alberta/Saskatchewan border and arriving in Swift Current, Saskatchewan. This evening features an informal WELCOME RECEPTION.
- 1 2 **SWIFT CURRENT to MINOT:** Saskatchewan passengers join the tour as you travel through Moose Jaw, Regina and Weyburn before crossing the international boundary. Continue south through North Dakota to Minot.
- 2 3 **MINOT to WATERTOWN:** Travel to Fargo, enter South Dakota and overnight in Watertown.
- 3 4 **WATERTOWN to KANSAS CITY:** Follow the picturesque Missouri River along the western border of Iowa to Kansas City, home of Hallmark, the world's largest greeting card manufacturer.
- 4 5 **KANSAS CITY to BRANSON:** (4 nights) Today you are on your way to Branson for four nights of fabulous entertainment. Enroute take an interesting jeep-drawn tram tour through the FANTASTIC CAVERNS. Branson accommodations are at the B.W. Center Pointe Inn, located in the centre of Branson's entertainment area with over 25 shows, attractions and shopping outlets within one mile of the hotel and adjacent to the phenomenal World's Largest Titanic Museum. This evening begin the Christmas mood with the FESTIVAL OF LIGHTS TOUR.
- 5 6 **BRANSON:** The morning is free should you wish to take in an attraction or music show. Your Tour Director will suggest options for additional entertainment. After lunch visit SILVER DOLLAR CITY THEME PARK, a re-creation of an 1890's mining town, in its Christmas splendour. Early evening enjoy the five-storey high CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

- 6 7 **BRANSON:** Familiarize yourself with this unique area as we take you on a morning DRIVING TOUR of Branson followed by a visit to BRANSON LANDING, with its one-mile lakefront boardwalk and complimentary tram, featuring galleries, shops, restaurants, specialty retailers and a spectacular fountain in the Town Square. This afternoon enjoy the hottest special event in Branson – the DANIEL O'DONNELL SHOW. He is Ireland's greatest export. The Daniel O'Donnell Holiday Show has been sold out for close to a year but we have great seats reserved for you.

DEPARTURE DATES 2010

Alberta

13 Days: ★▲ November 9

Saskatchewan

11 Days: ★▲ November 10

★ Preferred date

▲ FESTIVE SEASON: Christmas Tour

COST PER PERSON – CANADIAN FUNDS

	+G.S.T.			+G.S.T.	
Quad:	\$1,519.00	\$17.38	Quad:	\$1,349.00	\$ 7.63
Triple:	\$1,629.00	\$18.64	Triple:	\$1,439.00	\$ 8.14
Twin:	\$1,829.00	\$20.93	Twin:	\$1,599.00	\$ 9.04
Single:	\$2,469.00	\$28.25	Single:	\$2,159.00	\$12.21

+GST ON CANADIAN PORTION

EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT: twin sharing per person.

Alberta \$37.00 pp

Saskatchewan \$32.00 pp

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- 7 8 **BRANSON:** We have an exciting day in store for you! The morning is free should you wish to take in an attraction or morning show on your own - your Tour Director will suggest options for additional entertainment. A special treat is in store for you this afternoon - join your travelling companions for a fantastic two-hour EARLY DINNER CRUISE aboard the magnificent SHOWBOAT BRANSON BELLE where you'll experience fabulous Branson dining and the best of Branson shows! This evening enjoy the SHOJI TABUCHI SHOW - most consistently rated Branson's #1 family show. This lavish production pulls out all stops for the holidays. The high-tech surprises and elaborate stage sets make perfect ambience for a wonderful holiday show with a touch of class.
- 8 9 **BRANSON to DES MOINES:** Say goodbye to musical Branson and travel north to Iowa.
- 9 10 **DES MOINES to BLOOMINGTON:** Travel to the state of Minnesota. Late afternoon a stop will be made at the MALL OF AMERICA for those who would like to visit the largest entertainment and shopping destination in the United States.
- 10 11 **BLOOMINGTON to WINNIPEG:** Stop at the duty free store and then re-enter Canada. Continue into Manitoba, overnight in the capital city of

Winnipeg. Join your travelling companions this evening for a HOSTED FAREWELL DINNER.

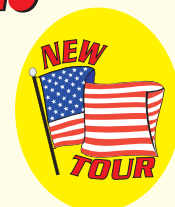
- 11 12 **WINNIPEG to SWIFT CURRENT:** Follow the Trans-Canada Highway, cross into the province of Saskatchewan and arrive in Swift Current for the last evening. Bid farewell to your travelling companions from Saskatchewan.
- 13 **SWIFT CURRENT to CALGARY to EDMONTON:** Today is "Going Home" day with many memories of your travels through five American states and three Canadian provinces.

INCLUDED IN YOUR HOLIDAY: •First class transportation on an air-conditioned, washroom-equipped motorcoach •Standard accommodations and taxes •Services of an experienced Tour Director and Driver •Baggage handling, one average piece per person •Travel Bag •Admissions for all attractions and sightseeing as outlined in the itinerary •Welcome Reception •Fantastic Caverns •Three live Christmas music shows in Branson including a dinner cruise and show •Driving tour of Branson •Festival of Lights Tour •Silver Dollar City Theme Park and Christmas Tree Lighting •Branson Landing •Mall of America •Farewell Dinner •Continental Breakfasts: Alberta 9, Saskatchewan 7.
*Performance schedules may be subject to change.

NASHVILLE, BRANSON AND THE SMOKY MOUNTAINS

13-DAYS - FLY TO AND RETURN FROM KANSAS CITY

Fly to Kansas City and join a special tour for Country Music lovers that journeys through the musical heartland of America. Features reserved seating at the Grand Ole Opry in Nashville, two of the best shows in Branson, Silver Dollar theme Park, a drive through Great Smoky Mountains National Park, displaying its beautiful foliage, Dollywood Theme Park and visit to Graceland in Memphis.



DAY REFER TO NASHVILLE, BRANSON AND THE SMOKY MOUNTAINS

- 1 **HOME CITIES to KANSAS CITY:**
- 2 **KANSAS CITY to BRANSON:**
Refer to Day 4/5.
- 3 **BRANSON:** Refer to Day 5/6.
- 4 **BRANSON:** Refer to Day 6/7.
- 5 **BRANSON to MEMPHIS:**
Refer to Day 7/8.
- 6 **MEMPHIS to NASHVILLE:** (2 nights) Your destination today is Nashville, "Music City U.S.A.". Enroute visit LORETTA LYNN'S DUDE RANCH. Your home for two nights will be the unique 2,881-room Gaylord Opryland Resort located adjacent to the Grand Ole Opry, the General Jackson Showboat and across the street from the Opry Mills Mall. Then sit back and enjoy an evening at the GRAND OLE OPRY, the heart and soul of any Nashville visit. Celebrating its 85th Birthday this live radio broadcast is enjoyed by thousands each weekend and will be performed before your very eyes.
- 7 **NASHVILLE:** Highlights today include stops at RYMAN AUDITORIUM, where the Grand Ole Opry originated and the COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME - a museum dedicated to entertainers, composers and leaders of the country music industry. This afternoon enjoy a GUIDED SIGHTSEEING TOUR of Music City, U.S.A. Tour historic downtown Nashville and drive by some of the homes of the country music stars.
- 8 **NASHVILLE to PIGEON FORGE:** (3 nights) Travel through Knoxville, arriving in Pigeon Forge near the Great Smoky Mountains National Park. This



Shoji Tabuchi

evening join us at the DIXIE STAMPEDE, where you'll enjoy a fabulous feast and a galloping good time! Be entertained as you watch a friendly North vs. South rivalry complete with stunning performers, fantastic stunt riders and magic.

- 9 **PIGEON FORGE:** A local guide will join us this morning for an introduction to the GREAT SMOKY MOUNTAINS NATIONAL PARK, GATLINBURG and PIGEON FORGE. A blue smoke-like haze almost always hangs over the peaks of the Smoky Mountains, hence the name. Visits will be made to the SUGARLANDS VISITOR CENTER as well as CLINGMAN'S DOME, Tennessee's highest point. This afternoon is at your leisure. Perhaps take a trolley and check out the miles of bargains in over 150 factory outlet stores with a wide variety of crafts and specialty shops. Some may wish to book a show for this evening.
- 10 **PIGEON FORGE:** Today visit DOLLYWOOD, the entertainment capital of the Smokys! Watch master craftsmen at work, marvel at the winged residents of the Eagle Sanctuary, enjoy some great entertainment and relax as you ride the 100-ton steam train through the mountain scenery. Visit the DOLLY PARTON STORY MUSEUM, which takes you on a never-to-be-forgotten tour of Dolly's "rags to riches" life.
- 11 **PIGEON FORGE to FRANKFORT/ LOUISVILLE:** Refer to Day 13/14.
- 12 **LOUISVILLE to ST. LOUIS:** Refer to Day 14/15.
- 13 **ST. LOUIS to KANSAS CITY to HOME:**

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DEPARTURE DATES 2010	
13 Days: ★ October 18	
★ Preferred date	
Leave from any city. Join the group in Kansas City.	
Land portion only. Airfare and tax are not included. Consult Nagel Tours or your travel agent for the best airfare available.	
Air ticketing is not advised until tour is guaranteed.	
COST PER PERSON - CANADIAN FUNDS FROM KANSAS CITY	
Quad:	\$1,809.00
Triple:	\$1,929.00
Twin:	\$2,139.00
Single:	\$2,849.00
NO GST ON THIS TOUR	
EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT: \$43.00 twin sharing per person.	

