

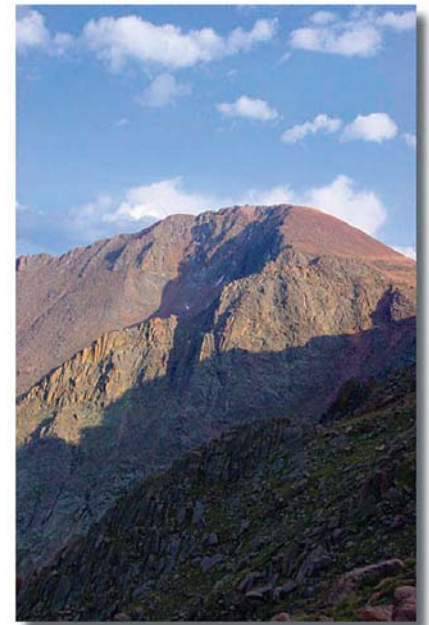
ALKI TOURS PRESENTS

# Trains Across Colorado



**TOUR PRICE:**  
STARTING AT  
**\$2199.00**

PER PERSON/DO  
SINGLE SUPPLEMENT \$587  
INCLUDES AIRFARE



**June 3rd-10th, 2017/ 8 Days**

## TRIP REGISTRATION

To register, contact  
Alki Tours at (206)935-6848 or  
1(800)895-2554  
You may also register on our  
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[www.alkitours.com](http://www.alkitours.com)

A deposit of \$500.00 per person  
is due within 14 days of booking  
to confirm your reservation. Full  
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## *Here's how your trip will unfold...*

### **Day 1-Arrive in Denver**

Your mountain holiday begins as we pick you up from your Seattle area home and take you to SeaTac airport for a flight to Colorado. After arriving in Denver, you are transferred to your hotel. Tonight enjoy a get-acquainted dinner hosted by your Tour Manager.

### **Meals: Welcome Dinner**

### **Day 2-Colorado Springs**

This morning we travel to Colorado Springs and see the U.S. Air Force Academy and its famous Cadet Chapel (when available). Next it's on to the stunning Garden of the Gods, a 1,300+-acre park where flora and fauna reflect the rich diversity of



the terrain, and red sandstone formations tell a unique geological story. The Garden lies at the base of Pikes Peak, which is our next adventure. "Ride to the Clouds!" aboard the Pikes Peak Cog Railway, the highest cog railroad in the



## Price Includes

Free Round-trip transfers from your Seattle area home to Sea Tac Airport  
Round-trip airfare from Seattle to Denver Colorado

- Services of a Professional Tour Manager
  - Deluxe motorcoach transportation for touring
  - 13 Meals (6 dinners, 1 lunch, and 6 breakfasts)
  - Round trip airport transfers
  - Visit the U.S. Air Force Academy and its Cadet Chapel (when available)
  - Gardens of the Gods Park
  - Denver city tour
  - Experience five scenic train rides following historic routes of the Old West:
1. Climb 7,539 feet on the Pikes Peak Cog Railway
  2. Royal Gorge Scenic Railway
  3. Ride through the Rockies aboard the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad
  4. Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad, voted one of the "Top Ten Most Exciting Train Journeys in the World"
  5. Georgetown Loop Railroad and Devil's Gate High Bridge

## Your Hotel

### Accommodations

**Day One** – Embassy Suites Denver, Colorado or similar

**Day Two** – Radisson, Colorado Springs, Colorado or similar

**Day Three** – Hampton Inn, Alamosa, Colorado or similar

**Day Four** – Durango Inn, Durango, Colorado or similar

**Day Five** – Doubletree Grand Junction Hotel, Grand Junction, Colorado or similar

**Day Six and Seven** – Embassy Suites Denver, Colorado or similar

U.S. Stretching nine miles long the cog railway vertically climbs 14,110 feet!

**Meals: Breakfast and dinner**

### Day 3-Royal Gorge Route Railway

Welcome to Canon City, site of Royal Gorge. Today we enjoy another journey by train aboard the Royal Gorge Railway. The 12-mile route follows the most famous portion of the old Denver and Rio Grande Western train line. We ride through the "Grand Canyon of the



Arkansas" on an unforgettable journey over the famous Hanging Bridge, which clings precariously to the steep granite walls of Royal Gorge. This evening we gather for dinner together.

**Meals: Breakfast and dinner**

### Day 4-Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad

Today we'll ride the original Rio Grande Line over the Rockies aboard the Cumbres & Toltec Scenic Railroad. This is America's most spectacular narrow gauge steam railroad and it explores 50 miles of wild and rugged territory



between Antonito and Cumbres Pass, the highest point on the railroad. We enjoy lunch at Osier as we think of the gold and silver miners as well as the loggers who traveled the same route long ago.

**Meals: Lunch**

### Day 5-Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad Train

It's "full steam ahead" again today as we board the Durango & Silverton Narrow Gauge Railroad. Voted one of the "Top Ten Most Exciting Train Journeys in the World" by the Society of American Travel Writers, this route winds through the spectacular and breathtaking canyons in the remote wilderness of the two-million acre San Juan National Forest. The locomotives



used today remain 100% coal-fired, steam-operated and maintained in their original condition. This evening we gather together for dinner and reflect on our day's adventure.

**Meals: Breakfast and dinner**

### Day 6-Georgetown Loop Railroad

This morning we pass through the spectacular Rocky Mountains as we travel to our last train ride, on the Georgetown Loop Railroad. An 1880s engineering feat, the Devil's Gate High Bridge rises 95 feet



above Clear Creek. As we travel over the reconstructed bridge, marvel at the most complex railroad loop in the world. Witness some of Colorado's most breathtaking scenery before arriving in Denver for our next two nights.

**Meals: Breakfast and dinner**

## Day 7-Denver

Following breakfast we have a city tour of Denver, Capitol of Colorado, including the State Capitol Building, Civic Center, Red Rock Amphitheatre and much more. The afternoon is yours to explore Denver before our farewell dinner at the Downtown Denver Aquarium.

**Meals: Breakfast and Dinner**

## Day 8-Denver to Seattle

The last day of your holiday includes breakfast. Take a moment to reflect on the exciting memories you'll cherish forever. Then continue sightseeing on your own or join our group transfer to the Denver International Airport.

**Meals: Breakfast**



### CANCELLATION POLICY

75 + days prior to departure FULL REFUND  
74-61 Days Prior To Departure Date 75% Refund  
60-41 Days Prior To Departure Date 50% Refund  
40-31 Days Prior To Departure Date 25% Refund  
30 Days to Day of Departure  
No Refund

There can be no refund for any unused portion of the tour after the tour has started.

### TRAVEL INSURANCE

Information regarding a variety of travel insurance policies is available upon request. We recommend that sufficient insurance be purchased to cover the possibility of lost or damaged baggage, accidents or illness.

