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...
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

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

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 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

CANCELATION 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.