



## Philipps Tours New Orleans 2025

Day one February 23, 2025 Sunday  
 Area Departures –consult confirmation letter  
 am morning break McDonalds  
 11:15-12:15 Lunch at Rockford Golden Corral, included  
 2:30-2:55 rest area Farmer City  
 5:30 PM Mt. Vernon IL Hilton Double Tree Restaurant inside hotel

Day two February 24, 2025 Monday Breakfast included opens at 6:00 AM  
 7:30 AM depart 9:30-9:50 Marsten Highway rest area  
 11:45- lunch included on Beale Street  
 1:00-2:30 Tour Rock & Soul Museum  
 4:30-4:50 Vaiden Rest Area  
 5:50 Jackson MS Ridgeland Drury Inn light lunch and cocktails included

Day three February 25, 2025 Tuesday Breakfast at 6:00 AM included 8:00 AM AM Depart  
 9:30-9:50 Louisiana Welcome Center  
 11:00-12:45 New Orleans Lake Shore Mall Food Court  
 1:15-4:45 PM World War II Museum & 3:00 PM Movie “Beyond All Boundaries”  
 Check into Drury Plaza New Orleans Cocktails included before dinner  
 6:30-8:30 PM New Orleans Cooking School Dinner included

Day four February 26, 2025 Wednesday  
 8:00 AM depart hotel breakfast included opens at 6:00 AM  
 8:00-11:00 New Orleans City Tour—Cemetery stop, local neighborhoods  
 11:00–1:45 PM French Quarter—Bourbon Street-art shops, music, Café Dumonde Beignets  
 2:30-3:35 PM Mardi Gras World—tour float factory, see how parade floats are constructed  
 4:00 PM Drury Inn light lunch & cocktails included  
 7:00 Mardi Gras Parade one block from hotel –reserved Grandstand Seating-walk to parade

Day five February 27, 2025 Thursday 8:30 AM depart hotel breakfast included opens at 6:00 AM  
 9:30-12:30 Oak Alley Plantation tour Planation home, slave cabins & lunch  
 1:30-3:15 Kleiberts Alligator & Reptile Demonstration  
 5:30 PM Drury Inn Jackson Cocktail and light meal included

Day six February 28, 2025 Friday 8:00 AM depart Breakfast included at 6:00 AM  
 10:00-10:15 Rest Area near Batesville  
 11:15-3:00 PM Graceland– Mansion Tour, Elvis’s cars & airplane, museum  
 5:30 PM Sikeston Drury Inn Cocktails and light meal included

Day seven March 1, 2025 Saturday 8:00 AM depart breakfast included open 7:00 AM  
 10:30-10:50 Homestead Rest area  
 11:45-12:45 PM Golden Corral included  
 1:15-3:15 PM Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum  
 3:30-4:15 Abraham Lincoln Grave  
 5:30 PM Bloomington IL Hampton Inn –restaurant next door

Day eight March 2, 2025 Sunday Breakfast included 7:30 am depart  
 9:45-10:00 Welcome to WI Rest area  
 11:30-12:30 Baraboo Pizza Ranch included  
 1:30-1:50 Tomah 3:00 Onalaska 3:30 Winona  
 4:30 PM Rochester

Jack Philipps cell phone ONLY USE WHEN ON THE TRIP 507-458-8712  
 Internet User, Choose bus number and Password is Coachbus

February 23  
 Hilton Double Tree  
 222 Potomac Blvd.  
 Mt. Vernon, IL 62864  
 618-244-7100

February 24  
 Drury Inn  
 610 E. Cty Line RD  
 Ridgeland, MS 39157  
 601-956-6100

February 25 & 26  
 Drury Plaza  
 820 Poydras St.  
 New Orleans, LA 70112  
 504-529-7800

February 27, 2025  
 Drury Inn  
 610 E. Cty Line RD  
 Ridgeland, MS 39157  
 601-956-6100

March 1, 2025  
 Drury Inn  
 2608 East Malone Ave.  
 Sikeston, MO 63801  
 573-472-2299

March 2, 2025  
 Hampton Inn  
 320 South Towanda Ave.  
 Normal, IL 61761  
 309-452-8900

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A \$100.00 deposit per person is due when making reservation. **\$25.00 is non-refundable**, \$75.00 is refundable up until December 30, 2024. Full payment is due and nonrefundable by December 30. Canceling after December 30 will result in partial refunds if available.

Cost per person:

Single occupancy \$2450.00  
 Double occupancy \$1875.00  
 Triple Occupancy \$1700.00  
 Quad occupancy \$1600.00