

Boston & More!

June 13* - 19, 2018 (Fly)

(7 days - 6 nights)



Wed, June 13 ***overnight in DFW Area**

This afternoon we board our motorcoach in Abilene and route to the DFW area to overnight in preparation for tomorrow's flight to Boston, Massachusetts.

Thu, June 14 **Boston, MA**

After breakfast we transfer to DFW Airport to board our flight to Boston and begin our tour in one of the oldest cities in the U.S. Founded in 1630, Boston played a key role in the American Revolution. Our tour will highlight historic sites that tell the story of the nation's founding. Our hotel is perfectly positioned overlooking the Charles River, our home for the next 5 nights.

Fri, June 15 **Boston, MA**

We start our Boston adventure in style; duck-style as we ride the Boston Ducks for our city tour. After our morning city view, we will take in the view of Boston from the harbor as we board the Spirit of Boston for a lunch cruise. This afternoon, we explore Old North Church made famous when Vestryman Capt. John Pulling, Jr. climbed the steeple and held high two lanterns as a signal from Paul Revere that the British were coming. This evening we are treated to a performance by the Boston Pops, founded in 1885 as an American orchestra specializing in playing light classical and popular music.

Highlights Include:

- 5 – nights at a Boston hotel on the Charles River
- Evening performance by Boston Pops
- Spirit of Boston lunch cruise
- Boston Duck city tour
- Freedom Trail
- Old North Church
- USS Constitution
- Quincy Market
- Faneuil Hall
- Salem / Cape Ann, MA
- Boston Public Gardens
- Whale watching cruise
- Lexington / Concord MA
- Orchard House – Louisa May Alcott's home
- JFK Presidential Library & Museum
- Nathaniel Hawthorne's House of Seven Gables

Sat, June 16 **Boston, MA**

This morning we pay tribute to our 35th President of the United States as we tour the JFK Presidential Library and Museum. Our lunch stop for the day will be at Quincy Market where you will enjoy free time for a bite, shopping and people watching. We continue then to take in more of Boston's iconic sites as we travel throughout the area to see Boston Public Gardens, Fenway Park, Harvard University and more.

Sun, June 17 **Boston, MA**

Today we venture out to Lexington and Concord, MA. Our local guide will recreate in words that fateful day in which "the shot heard 'round the

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world” began the American Revolutionary War. Have your cameras ready when we stop in Concord at Battle Green for you to snap a picture of the world famous Minuteman statue. This afternoon we will tour the Orchard House - Louisa May Alcott’s home and the setting for her book *Little Women* before heading back to our hotel on the Charles River.

Mon, June 18 **Boston, MA**

Today’s scenic drive will take us northeast to the Cape Ann region. Cape Ann is about 30 miles northeast of Boston and marks the northern limit of Massachusetts Bay on the Atlantic Ocean. First, we will stop in Salem, MA at the House of the Seven Gables, made famous by American author Nathaniel Hawthorne's novel *The House of the Seven Gables*. The house is a 1668 colonial mansion, named for its gables. Making our way on to Gloucester, we will enjoy lunch before embarking on an afternoon whale watching cruise. Remember to bring your cameras and a jacket as we travel out to the Stellwagen Bank National Marine Sanctuary. After having been awed by the many species of whales and other marine wildlife that inhabits the waters from Cape Ann, we will return to the Boston for the evening.

Tue, June 19 **Return home**

Our exciting week in beautiful Boston (and beyond) comes to an end as we board our flight to DFW. Our motorcoach will be waiting to transfer us to Abilene. With great memories and new friends we will long remember our tour of Boston and More!

**Thank you for traveling with
Bilbrey Tours!**



Price Includes:

- Motorcoach transportation from Abilene
- Roundtrip air from DFW;
(call for prices from other airports)
- 6 nights hotel accommodations
- Hotel baggage handling for 1 piece of luggage
- Meals: 1 continental breakfasts, 5 breakfasts,
4 lunches or dinners
- Admissions to all included attractions per itinerary
- Services of a tour escort
- Gratuities for drivers and local guides

Cost:	<u>Ins.</u>
\$2789 per person (2 people per room)	\$239
\$3525 per person (1 person per room)	\$316

**\$100 deposit due upon booking
Final due March 2, 2018**

Travel Protection Insurance is optional and available at a cost of \$239-316 per person. A complete outline of coverage is available upon request. All insurance payments must be received with or before final payment of tour. We strongly urge you to purchase this insurance to protect yourself in the event of a **medically related cancellation**. **All cancellations must be reported to Bilbrey Tours, Inc. within 72 hours of the problem causing the need to cancel. All claims must be completed by attending physician.**

Luggage tags and a detailed itinerary will be mailed 2 weeks prior to the tour.

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