

## TRIP START DATES

2023	2024
JAN   22	JAN   21
FEB   19	FEB   18
MAR   12	MAR   10
APR   02, 09, 16, 23	APR   27
MAY   06, 08, 11, 14, 20, 27	MAY   04, 11, 18, 25
JUN   03, 17	JUN   01, 08, 15, 22, 29
JUL   08, 12, 15, 20, 22, 27	JUL   06, 13
AUG   03, 05, 12, 19, 22, 26	AUG   03, 10, 17, 24, 31
SEP   07, 09, 12, 16, 23, 30	SEP   07, 14, 21
OCT   08, 15	

For full dates and prices, and to choose your group size, visit [insightvacations.com/canyonlands](https://insightvacations.com/canyonlands)

### 📍 REGIONAL JOURNEY

ACTIVITY LEVEL: BALANCED

7 DAYS

1 COUNTRY

10 MEALS

13 INCLUDED EXPERIENCES

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GUEST REVIEW ★★★★★

### MAKE TRAVEL MATTER

**Monument Valley:** Take a journey through Monument Valley Navajo Tribal Park with your Navajo Local Expert. Hear firsthand about the tribe's heritage and learn more about life on their beautiful land.

**Grand Canyon:** Trace the scenic South Rim of the Grand Canyon along Desert View Drive. See the historic Watchtower built by Mary Colter in the Puebloan style and track the Colorado River that leads you to the aptly named Painted Desert which extends towards Navajo and Hopi Indian lands. This experience supports the Grand Canyon Conservancy and donates to the Desert View Inter-Tribal Heritage Centre.

**Page:** Navajo owned and operated; Red Heritage, a Native American Performing Arts Theater, showcases awe inspiring local talent, featuring powwow dancers, flute playing, and live drum music. Help preserve Navajo culture and dance while contributing to the UN's Global goal of reducing inequalities by embracing these beautiful and ancient arts.

### INSIGHT CHOICE

**Zion National Park:** Choose to head out on a hike to the Emerald Pools with your Travel Director. Alternatively, visit the Zion Nature Center at the Zion Canyon Visitor Center, the most well known of Zion's Earth friendly endeavours.

# ENCHANTING CANYONLANDS

"I love to see how guests respond to the drive into Zion National Park in Utah, because just after leaving the delicate spires of Bryce Canyon, the massive features of Zion leave them at a loss for words." - Carol, Travel Director



MONUMENT VALLEY, ARIZONA



GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK



ZION NATIONAL PARK



**DAY 1 ARRIVE IN PHOENIX AND TRAVEL TO SCOTTSDALE**

Welcome to Arizona, famous for road trips, Monument Valley, and of course the Grand Canyon.

At 18:00, join your Travel Director and fellow travellers for a Welcome Dinner at Zuzu, where you will have the opportunity to mingle and get to know one another. (DW)

Hotel Valley Ho, Scottsdale.

**DAY 2 SEDONA AND THE WONDERS OF THE MIGHTY GRAND CANYON**

Travel through world-renowned Red Country along the Red Rock Scenic Byway, one of only 20 designated All-American Roads nationwide. Explore bohemian Sedona with its shops and galleries, or simply take in the exceptional beauty of Red Rock Country before heading to the Grand Canyon. Meet your Local Expert Canyon Tim at the South Rim of the Grand Canyon to learn about its wonders. You'll discover the origins of the five-million-year-old canyon, and the bountiful flora and fauna. (B)

Grand Canyon National Park Lodges.

**DAY 3 MONUMENT VALLEY AND LAKE POWELL**

Early risers will take advantage of the lodge location to witness one of Mother Nature's grandest shows on earth: a sunrise over the Grand Canyon. Travel along the South Rim Desert View Drive, skirting the southern rim of the canyon. Make Travel Matter by supporting the Grand Canyon Conservancy and making a donation to support the development of the Desert View Inter-tribal Heritage Center. Head to the Cameron Trading Post, one of the oldest and most historic general stores in Arizona. Join a MAKE TRAVEL MATTER \* Experience in Monument Valley Tribal Park, where Navajo Local Experts guide you through the history, culture and heritage of the tribes. This carefully prepared tour keenly exemplifies the relationship of respect with the land in the valley and the importance placed on preserving the natural treasures found here.

Enjoy a Navajo cookout amid the giant buttes and mesas of this unique landscape.

Spend the rest of the day relaxing at your lakefront resort. (B) (L)

Lake Powell Resorts and Marinas.

**DAY 4 LEISURELY LAKE POWELL**

Relaxed Start. Spend your day at leisure or partake in one of our popular optional experiences. As an optional activity this morning, let yourself be tempted by a gentle float trip down the Colorado River, or take to the skies this afternoon on an exhilarating helicopter ride.

In the evening, enjoy dinner with wine at the Red Heritage. (B) (DW)

**DAY 5 BRYCE CANYON AND ZION NATIONAL PARKS**

Journey across a wide-open landscape punctuated by colourful sandstone cliffs and high ridges dotted with piñon pine and juniper. Travel through Bryce Canyon Country on a portion of the Scenic Highway 89, recognized by National Geographic as the No. 1 Driver's Drive in the world. You will be struck by the beauty of Bryce Canyon National Park, an otherworldly landscape of red rock pillars known as hoodoos, pink cliffs, and endless vistas. (B)

Zion National Park Lodge.

**DAY 6 ZION NATIONAL PARK**

Relaxed Start. Enjoy a Relaxed Start this morning, as you have a full day to explore the park. After a leisurely breakfast we will tour the canyon aboard a privately chartered open-air vehicle, with live commentary from a Local Expert to show you the many scenic highlights of the canyon.

Explore Zion National Park with Insight Choice. Choose to join your Travel Director for a guided hike to the Emerald Pools. Alternatively, visit the Zion Human History Museum.

Wrap up your adventure at a Celebration Dinner hosted at the lodge, and a last chance to share travel memories with your new friends. (B) (DW)

**DAY 7 DEPART SALT LAKE CITY**

This morning you'll bid farewell to the beautiful national parks and your fellow travellers. You will be taken to Salt Lake City International Airport, where you will arrive at approximately 15:00. Please be aware when arranging your flights. Alternatively, a transfer to the Hilton Salt Lake City Center hotel is also provided should you wish to extend your stay. (B)



TOP RATED HIGHLIGHT Meet a Navajo Local Guide. (Day 3, Monument Valley)



TOP RATED HIGHLIGHT Hoodoos. (Day 5, Bryce Canyon National Park)

**KEY**

- Join/Leave Options
- UNESCO Heritage Site
- Central Hotels + Nights
- Scenic Hotels + Nights
- Place Visited

**CHOOSE YOUR GROUP SIZE**

This trip operates both classic and small group departures. You can also book your own private group with as few as 12 travelers.



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