Peoria Charter Travel presents...

Highlights of Norway

August 8 – 16, 2025



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9 Days ● 12 Meals: 7 Breakfasts, 5 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Bergen, Fløibanen Funicular, Nordfjord Folk Museum, Geirangerfjord Cruise, Loen Skylift, Flåm Railway, Borgund Stave Church, Oslo

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Days 2, 3 Clarion Hotel Bergen, Bergen

Days 4, 5 Alexandra Hotel, Loen
Day 6 Fretheim Hotel, Flam
Days 7, 8 Hotel Bristol Oslo, Oslo

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

- Day 1: Friday, August 8, 2025 Overnight Flight Begin your journey to a land of mountains, glacial fjords, legends, and charming people, as you set off for Norway. Dive into the culture of the region, connecting with layers of Viking history, attention-grabbing nature, and a sense of refined traditions.
- Day 2: Saturday, August 9, 2025 Bergen, Norway Tour Begins Arrive in Bergen, in the heart of the Fjords, where you'll be greeted by small town charm despite it being the second largest city in Norway. Meet your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner in the historic Bryggen neighborhood. (D)
- **Day 3: Sunday, August 10, 2025 Bergen** Stroll along the historic and iconic Bryggen harbor front (UNESCO) on a guided walking tour of Bergen. Then hop aboard the fabulous Fløibanen funicular for a steep ride to the top of Mount Fløyen and enjoy spectacular views of the city, fjord, and mountains. The rest of the day is yours to explore Bergen at your leisure. (*B*)
- **Day 4: Monday, August 11, 2025 Bergen Loen** Heading north this morning, take in the striking scenery along your journey today. Stop for lunch in a village along the way, and continue on to the Nordfjord Folk Museum, an open-air cultural history museum depicting how Norwegians have lived from the 17th century to the modern day. Later, arrive at the hotel for a relaxing evening and dinner. (B, D)
- Day 5: Tuesday, August 12, 2025 Loen Find yourself immersed in the enchanting landscapes of Norway's fjord region. Soak up the mesmerizing landscape on an exhilarating Geirangerfjord cruise in Geiranger (UNESCO). Discover Norway's mightiest waterfalls the Seven Sisters, the Bridal Veil, and the Suitor. Marvel at the homesteads built along the steep sides of the mountains, where farmland has endured for centuries. (B, D)
- Day 6: Wednesday, August 13, 2025 Loen Flåm Reach great heights with today's adventures. This morning, ride the Loen Skylift, one of the world's steepest cable cars, for unrivaled views of the fjord landscape. Continue to the quaint village of Flåm, your gateway to the grandeur of Aulandsfjord. Traverse the terrain on the renowned Flåm Railway, one of the steepest train rides in the world, and climb 3,000 feet past rushing waterfalls, looming mountains, and picturesque valleys. Descend back into Flåm for your stay tonight. (B, D)
- **Day 7: Thursday, August 14, 2025 Flåm Oslo** Norway's impressive landscapes continue to weave their spell on you as you travel to Oslo today. On the way, visit the Borgund Stave Church, an awe-inspiring building dedicated in honor of the Apostle Andrew in 1180. After a stop for lunch, continue on to Norway's grand capital and enjoy an evening at leisure. (B)
- Day 8: Friday, August 15, 2025 Oslo This morning, join a local guide and begin your day at the Fram Museum, dedicated to telling the story of Norwegian polar exploration. Venture down Karl Johan Street, passing iconic buildings such as the Royal Palace and city hall as you take in the charming heart of downtown Oslo. This afternoon enjoy free time to relax or continue discovering the hidden gems of Oslo on your own. Tonight, toast to your Norwegian adventure with your fellow travelers during a farewell dinner featuring traditional fare in one of Oslo's oldest buildings. (B, D)
- **Day 9: Saturday, August 16, 2025 Oslo Tour Ends** Say "ha det" to Norway and depart for home with incredible memories of your adventures. (B)





Book Now & Save \$200 Per Person:

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<u>IMPORTANT CONDITIONS</u>: Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. (See registration form for consent.)

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Feb 09, 2025, valid on air inclusive packages only. The overall activity level of this tour is a level 2. This means you like a balanced approach to travel. Walking two to three miles over the course of a day is no problem for you. You can partake in a two-hour leisurely walking tour, covering up to two miles (with included breaks). You can handle a variety of terrains, from cobblestone streets to moderate hills with relative ease and without assistance. You can climb two flights of stairs with ease. There may be 1 to 2 days on this tour when walking tours can cover 3 to 4 miles over uneven terrain. Expect some full days balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. You can handle altitudes up to 6,000 feet. While this level is appropriate for travelers that require mobility assistance devices, there could be times when you may have to sit out on some of the included activities.

This tour is not suitable for individuals who experience a fear of heights.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Museums may close unexpectedly or for the observance of holidays.

Some of the older properties and attractions may not have elevators.

Due to the remoteness of Loen, the hotels are carefully chosen yet reflective of the rustic nature of the landscape.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability. Triple rooms are not available.

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require that your passport be valid at least 6 months beyond the dates of your travel. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

Experience It! Norwegian Fjords

The evolution of the fjords began some three million years ago, when Norway was covered by an ice cap thinner along the coast than inland. With the arrival of a milder climate, the ice began to melt and produce great waterfalls that logged the soil and descended to the sea. Valleys were filled in by the ocean, creating the fjords. Surrounded now by steep rocky mountains, dissected by cascading waterfalls, and decorated with thriving fruit trees, the fjords are among Earth's most inspiring landscapes. You'll often find the Fjords of western Norway at the top of annual must-see lists alongside the Pyramids of Egypt and the Grand Canyon. This dramatic masterpiece of nature is a true wonder of the world; where the air is pure, the water is clear, and nature is unspoiled. No photograph can ever do justice to the Norwegian Fjords; it is a place that must be seen to be believed.

For more information visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1218099

IMPORTANT: We recommend that travelers take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact. Effective for travel in May 2025, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS visa waiver, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit https://www.etiasvisa.com/ Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates. A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of February 02, 2025 are based upon availability. Final payment due by May 08, 2025. Deposits are refundable up until February 09, 2025. CST#2006766-20 UBN#601220855 Nevada Sellers of Travel Registration No. 2003-0279 NOTES:



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Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes Jr, Sr>.

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