



Great American Music

Journey through the Foundations of American Music

APRIL 29-MAY 4, 2027 • SEPTEMBER 8-13, 2027

The enchanting sounds of Nashville and Memphis have inspired some of the greatest music ever written. This captivating tour includes lively performances, engaging museum experiences, and insights from local experts who bring the region's musical heritage to life. Enjoy accommodations at the AAA 4-diamond Gaylord Opryland and the Guest House at Graceland.

DAY 1: WELCOME TO TENNESSEE!

Discover the heritage of mountain music at the Bluegrass Music Hall of Fame & Museum, view the tribute to the newest Hall of Fame inductees and enjoy a live bluegrass performance. Continue to Nashville and settle into the renowned Gaylord Opryland Resort, celebrated for its soaring glass atriums, winding waterways, and lush indoor gardens. Explore the resort's indoor riverboat, waterfalls, scenic walking paths, and its spectacular synchronized water fountain show. **D**

DAY 2: COUNTRY MUSIC HALL OF FAME, GENERAL JACKSON SHOWBOAT

Begin the day with a visit to La Tradición Music, a unique shop featuring handcrafted Mexican guitars and traditional stringed instruments rooted in mariachi heritage. Admire the craftsmanship while learning about the cultural traditions and artistry behind the instruments. Head to the Country Music



Hall of Fame and Museum, where the world's largest collection of country music artifacts brings the history and evolution of country music to life. Delight in a dinner cruise aboard the General Jackson Showboat with live entertainment and scenic views of the Nashville skyline. **B, D**

DAY 3: GRAND OLE OPRY

"Step" into the spirit of Music City as you enjoy a fun and engaging line dancing lesson, where the professional instructor will have you moving to country tunes in true Nashville style. Enjoy time on your own to visit the legendary Ryman Auditorium, Belmont Mansion, or the Hatch Show Print shop, America's oldest working letterpress (additional costs). This evening, enjoy an exclusive backstage tour, dinner, and live performances at the illustrious Grand Ole Opry show, the heart and soul of country music. **B, D**

DAY 4: JOHNNY CASH, MEMPHIS

Walk through and discover the acclaimed Johnny Cash Museum, celebrated as one of the world's top music museums. Travel west to Memphis, the legendary birthplace of blues, rock 'n' roll, and soul music. Sing along on a high-energy guided musical journey throughout the city, including a tour of Sun Studio, where legends like Elvis Presley, Johnny Cash, and B.B. King began their careers. Check into the Guest House's elegant accommodations at Graceland, and don't forget to enjoy a complimentary "Elvis Sandwich" snack, a special evening treat! **B, D**



Enjoy a backstage tour and live performance at the Grand Ole Opry

DAY 5: GRACELAND

Visit Graceland, the beloved home and private retreat of Elvis Presley. Tour the elegant mansion, stroll through the peaceful Meditation Garden, step aboard Elvis's private jet, and view his impressive collection of classic automobiles while learning about the life and legacy of one of music's most influential performers. This evening delight in dinner and live music on iconic Beale Street, the "Official Home of the Blues." **B, D**

DAY 6: RETURN HOME

Return home with great memories of a toe-tapping musical journey! **B** 🌟



TOUR DETAILS

Apr 29-May 4, 2027

Sep 8-13, 2027

6 Days • 10 Meals

Price Per Person:

DB \$2,199, TP/QD \$1,979, SG \$2,899

Depart/Return:



St. Louis

HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a behind-the-scenes tour of the Grand Ole Opry with reserved seating for a live performance
- Guided by local experts, explore Memphis on a singalong guided tour
- Discover the impact of the "Man in Black," Johnny Cash
- Tour Graceland and learn about Elvis Presley's life and legacy
- Take a dinner cruise on the General Jackson Showboat featuring live entertainment and river views
- Learn about the Delgado family's handmade instrument craftsmanship at La Tradición

ACCOMMODATIONS

Nights 1-3: Gaylord Opryland Resort, Nashville, TN

Nights 4-5: The Guesthouse at Graceland, Memphis, TN