

# A TOUR OF BIBLICAL PROPORTIONS

July 24 - 27, 2016



## MOTORCOACH TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- » Creation Museum
- » Ark Encounter
- » Garden of Hope Tour
- » Fort Ancient Archeological Park Tour

Tour Activity Level: **2**

## INCLUDED FEATURES

- » Free parking with roundtrip motorcoach transportation
- » 3 night hotel accommodations
- » Baggage handling (1 bag per person)
- » Meals: 3 Breakfasts, Manager's Reception, 1 Dinner Voucher
- » All tours and admissions as listed
- » All taxes and gratuities
- » Local Guide
- » AAA Group Leader

## RATES PER PERSON:

Double	\$709	Child Rate: \$429 (12 & Under)
Single	\$929	
Triple	\$629	
Quad	\$599	

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## TOUR ITINERARY:

### **Sunday, July 24: Depart for Ohio**

**12:00PM:** Motorcoach will depart from Lancaster, AC Moore Store located in Lancaster Shopping Center on the Oregon Pike/Route 272 side of the store.

**1:00PM:** Motorcoach will depart from Harrisburg, AAA Central Penn, 2301 Paxton Church Rd; travel to Grove City, OH for hotel check in and an overnight stay. Enjoy dinner on your own at one of the local restaurants within walking distance from the hotel. Hotel: *Drury Inn, Grove City, OH*

### **Monday, July 25: Explore the Creation Museum**

Enjoy a plentiful breakfast at the hotel, before checking out and making our way to the **Creation Museum** in Petersburg, KY. Be amazed as you enter the 70,000 square foot “walk through history” museum and experience the Bible brought to life. Exhibits within this fascinating museum are uniquely divided into spaces that allow for personal interaction with each of the 160 exhibits. Several parts of the museum, including the stunning forty-foot high portico with its cliff wall and floor-to-ceiling glass windows, flaunt open spaces and remarkable designs. See Adam and Eve as you walk through the Garden of Eden and smell the freshly-cut timbers in the busy work site of Noah’s Ark. Dig up dinosaur bones—or come face to face with T. Rex. Take a journey through a visual presentation of the history of the world, where you will discover an interpretation of how science confirms biblical history. Creatures of all sizes inhabit the three gardens that accentuate the outdoor landscape at the Creation Museum. Turtles rest on the logs in the lake, sunning themselves, while a 12 foot topiary dinosaur strikes a pose in the rainforest garden. With over 6,000 plants and 500 varieties, the gardens display a rich palette of designs and colors. A perfect place for the hungry visitor is Noah’s Café, where intricately designed bamboo walls and ceilings create a tropical feel and restful atmosphere. A 27 foot mural pictures the Ark resting on the mountains of Ararat. Be sure to step out onto the café’s deck for a dramatic view of the museum landscape! In addition to the museum, the facility also houses a special effects theater, a planetarium, botanical gardens, a petting zoo and a gift shop. After your fun filled day exploring the museum, you’ll check into your hotel and freshen up for dinner at the Cracker Barrel, in Florence.

Hotel: *Holiday Inn Riverfront, Covington, KY* (Breakfast, \$20 Dinner Voucher per person)

### **Tuesday, July 26: Experience the Ark Encounter & Visit the Garden of Hope**

This morning enjoy a full breakfast at the hotel. Located in Williamstown, KY, the **Ark Encounter** will equip visitors to understand the reality of the events that are recorded in the book of Genesis in the Bible. This full-sized replica of Noah’s Ark, at 510 feet long and more than 50 feet tall before the sail is added, is the largest wooden timber in the world. The Ark includes hundreds of different displays, including mock-ups of animal stalls, recreations of how Noah and his family may have lived, and even an animatronic version of Noah that will answer questions. This well anticipated attraction is sure to amaze and is truly a one of a kind experience! After touring the Ark, you’ll be off for a guided tour of the **Garden of Hope** in Covington, KY. Developed by Rev. Morris Coers after a trip to Palestine in 1938, the garden includes replicas of the tomb where Jesus was buried, a carpenter shop like the one Joseph worked in, the Good Samaritan Inn, a Spanish chapel, and large boulders from the River Jordan. Upon your return to the hotel, you’ll enjoy a light dinner reception hosted by the hotel manager, including cold and hot selections and beverages. For those still hungry, there are many restaurants within two blocks of the hotel. (Breakfast, Manager’s Reception)



*Creation Museum Gardens*

### **Wednesday, July 27: Explore Fort Ancient Archeological Park**

After enjoying a full buffet breakfast at the hotel, you'll check out and board the motorcoach for a guided tour of **Fort Ancient Archeological Park** in Oregonia, OH. Set on a bluff 250 feet above the Little Miami River, this museum of Native American history tells the story of pre European inhabitants. It is part of a 100 acre complex, with miles of earthen walls. Fort Ancient Archeological Park offers exploration and learning both indoors and out. At the museum, visitors can look back at the three major technological themes of American Indian culture. The 9,000 square foot facility is divided into three major themes: The First Ohioans (the initial arrival of the earliest American Indians who followed the movement of big game into the Ohio area), Tillers of the Soil (the transition from hunting and gathering to farming), and When Worlds Collide (first contact with Europeans). The Museum also offers many "touchables" including a small shelter, a drum, and plenty of reproduced artifacts. Fort Ancient also offers over 2.5 miles of hiking trails and two scenic overlooks. Fort Ancient is currently a candidate as a World Heritage Site. After exploring, you depart for home with a meal stop en route. This Tour of Biblical Proportions is a perfect adventure for the whole family! (Breakfast)

*Hotels and itinerary are subject to change at any time without notifications and/or compensation.*

### **TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL:**

**2**

This tour requires average physical activity. You should be in good health, able to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, possibly over uneven ground and cobblestoned streets.



## GENERAL INFORMATION

### TRAVEL DOCUMENTS

A state issued photo I.D. is required (such as a valid driver's license).

### PAYMENT

\$300 per person deposit due at the time of booking to confirm your reservation. Final payment due to AAA by June 1, 2016.

**Solo Travelers Rewards Club maximum voucher redemption: \$50**

### CANCELLATION/PENALTIES

A \$25 per person cancellation fee will be charged by Discoveries in addition to any other supplier's fees. From June 1, 2016 to day of departure no refunds unless a replacement traveler is provided by the registered participant.

### INSURANCE

For your protection AAA recommends travel insurance. Pre-existing medical conditions may be waived with proper coverage if travel insurance is purchased within 14 days of initial deposit only. Other conditions may apply; ask your travel agent.

AAA recommends Allianz.

### CLOTHING/CLIMATE

Temperatures for this region in July average in the 80s. Casual clothes and comfortable walking shoes are fine; be prepared for potential inclement weather.

### TRAVEL ASSISTANCE

For personal comfort, group participants who need assistance are required to have a traveling companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the needed assistance.

## CONSUMER DISCLOSURE NOTICE - PART OF CONTRACT OF SERVICE.

### PLEASE READ THIS NOTICE, IT CONSTITUTES PART OF YOUR CONTRACT FOR TRAVEL-RELATED SERVICES.

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## For reservations or more information, please contact:

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**Group #14916**

I/we will board the motorcoach in (check choice):  Harrisburg  Lancaster

**\*\*PLEASE USE ONE FORM FOR EACH PASSENGER\*\***

Name of registrant: \_\_\_\_\_ Name preferred on badge: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Daytime Telephone number: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address: \_\_\_\_\_

In case of Emergency, please notify: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: ( ) \_\_\_\_\_

Physical Disabilities and/or Health Conditions: \_\_\_\_\_

**Please keep in mind this trip involves walking. For personal comfort, group participants who require assistance are advised to have a traveling companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing assistance throughout this trip.**

**Special requirements/request:** \_\_\_\_\_

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Personal Check, or VISA or MasterCard are accepted for this group trip.

Check (made payable to **AAA Travel**) is enclosed, OR Credit Card:  VISA  MasterCard (check choice)

Cardholder's Name (as shown on card): \_\_\_\_\_

Credit Card number: \_\_\_\_\_ Expiration Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

# AAA ESCORTED MOTORCOACH TRIP

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Please complete the reverse side of this page and return it with your payment to AAA Travel.

All Trip Registrants must read and sign the following:

**To the best of my/our knowledge, I am/we are in good state of health and suffering from no physical condition which might be detrimental to my/our own safety, comfort and convenience and that of the other participants during this trip. If any participant named on this registration form HAS A SPECIFIC PHYSICAL CONDITION, DISABILITY, ALLERGY OR DIETARY REQUIREMENT THAT MAY REQUIRE SPECIAL ATTENTION OR TREATMENT, such details must be reported on this form.**

I/we have read and understand and agree to conditions as set forth in the tour flyer, especially regarding payments, cancellations, refunds and responsibilities of the AAA Travel, as tour operator and agent for the trip participants.

Signature(s) of Registrant(s) listed on this form: \_\_\_\_\_

### Travel Insurance:

I/We acknowledge that AAA has offered insurance covering trip cancellation/interruption for covered reasons, travel delay, baggage or medical coverage as provided by a third party insurance provider. I understand that such insurance coverage is subject to my obligation to provide all information and documentation that is required by the insurance provider and primary travel supplier. I/We understand the waiver of pre-existing conditions clause as outlined in the insurance brochure. Initial one.

- \_\_\_ Yes, I have purchased Allianz travel insurance.
- \_\_\_ Yes, I have purchased Allianz travel insurance including "Cancel for any Reason" benefits
- \_\_\_ Yes, I have purchased third party/supplier sponsored travel insurance. \_\_\_\_\_
- \_\_\_ No, I decline any travel insurance.

### Parking Waiver:

I hereby release AAA Central Penn, all its entities, and the owners of the parking facilities from any liabilities while my vehicle is parked or driven on the grounds of the selected parking facility during the time related to my trip with AAA.

Vehicle Make & Model: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_

License Number: \_\_\_\_\_

Signature(s) of Registrant(s) listed on this form: \_\_\_\_\_

Today' Date: \_\_\_\_\_