

# The Roads Best Traveled

**“People don’t take trips, trips take people.” – John Steinbeck**

Our group completed 14 trips in 2022 and found great ways to experience the USA in all its grandeur and to live a travel-inspired life.

We traveled via bus, plane, train, cog rail, air boat, trolley, ferry, boat, cruise ship, jeep ride, Delta River Flatboat, and carriage ride.

We visited art museums, history museums, wineries, plantations, mountains, glaciers, beaches, monuments, forests, mangroves, Everglades, music recording studios and halls of fame, national parks, state parks, waterfalls, gold rush country and the Black Hills, plays, musicals, mansions, concerts, farms, geologic wonders, Olympic Training Centers, Christmas lights, botanical gardens, churches and cathedrals, cliff dwellings, castles, planetariums, dinner theaters, scenic byways, old wild west towns, Blue Angel practices, and historic districts.

We saw amazing wildlife along the way – whales, alpacas, buffalos, dolphins, antelopes, bears, elk, egrets, big horn sheep, caribou, marmots, manatees, therapy horses, and birds of prey/raptors.

We had unforgettable experiences, milestone moments, priceless adventures, and extraordinary opportunities; we cherished memories, made new friends, filled our hearts with travel fun, and stood in awe of America’s history, while we explored its vastness. From the stunning vistas to the charming small towns and hidden gems, we wondered in amazement across America.

Wishing all a Happy New Year filled with new travel adventures.