

Seniors On The Go Travel **Lancaster and Gettysburg, Pennsylvania**

September 13-18, 2026 Six days and 5 nights



America is celebrating 250th years so let's go visit one of the most important historic sights in our nation's history. We'll also celebrate the unique history of the Amish, who have been in this part of Pennsylvania since the 1760's. There is so much history here and so many fun places to visit! Here's our plans:

We'll overnight on the way there and on the way home in the Roanoke, Virginia area. On our journey we'll take in two included lunches as we travel. Once we arrive in Pennsylvania we have a great itinerary planned. Lancaster is the oldest Amish settlement in the US. While there we will experience authentic Amish culture and see how they live and work today. Our guide will help us discover life with no electricity & learn about their faith as we **explore backroads and farmlands**. Several **Amish meals** are planned too! A visit to the **Bird-In-Hand Farmers Market** and the **Kitchen Kettle Village** are also planned. You'll want to take back some of their authentic crafts. Not to be missed in this area is a performance at the **Sight and Sound Theatre**. This year is an all-new production of **Joshua!** Their stage is huge and features dozens of actors, live animals, and incredible music and staging. It's really a sight to see. The play tells the story of Joshua who from the Banks of the Jordan River helps his people of Israel navigate their freedom in the wilderness. It's a wonderful story of redemption and faith. It should be amazing! While in the area we have two other fun stops planned. First up is the **Turkey Hill Experience**. You'll have the opportunity to sample their famous ice cream and ice tea! You'll learn their history and see how their products are made. You can create, taste, explore and shop! Then we visit the town of **Lititz** to visit the **Julius Sturgis Pretzel Bakery**. He purchased this historic stone house in 1861 at the age of 26. The bakery was started and is the oldest commercial bakery in the country! It's now run by Tom and Bruce Sturgis who keep the baking traditions alive. We'll watch their bakers making pretzels by hand and have the chance to shop for tasty treats!

Now on to **Gettysburg National Military Park**. It was the turning point in the Civil War, as General Lee's army was defeated. Afterwards, President Abe Lincoln made his immortal Gettysburg Address here, on the site of what is now a **National Military Cemetery**. You'll hear history come alive as a guide takes us through the park and shares the stories of these heroic soldiers. We'll stop at the visitor center and will see a short film, as well as visit their **Cyclorama** which depicts the battle of Pitchett's Charge, a pivotal time in the war. You'll also have time to visit the **Gettysburg Museum** as well. Looking forward to sharing all these places with you!

Price: \$1199 per person two people to a room; \$1549 per person single; \$1099 per person three to a room
Price includes deluxe motorcoach, all hotels, all touring and admissions, Joshua show ticket, 12 meals: 5 breakfasts, 4 lunches, 3 dinners; and tour director. \$100 deposit due with sign up. **Must sign up by April 1. Balance will be due July 1**, and there are no refunds after that date. **Insurance** by separate check is available:

Ages 60-65: \$229; Ages 66-70: \$269; Ages 71-75: \$299; Ages 76-79: \$319; Ages 80-81: \$429.

Single insurance rate: Ages 60-65: \$269; Ages 66-70: \$299; Ages 71-75: \$319; Ages 76-79: \$379; 80-81:\$499
Insurance is based on your age and the price of the trip. Please remember that I must have your **birthdate** to process your policy. No exceptions: Separate check should be written and mailed to:

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Lancaster and Gettysburg Overnight Sign Up Form

Name: _____ Roommate: _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Cell phone: _____ Email: _____

Special needs on trip: _____

Insurance: _____ NO _____ YES Birthdates: _____