

ART ESCAPES: Chicago: June 28-30, 2016



Art Escapes is returning to one of our favorite cities this summer for three days of exclusive tours, sightseeing plus dinner in Macy's famed Walnut Room and plenty of time left for shopping. And by arranging for a private touring coach for our trip to and from Chicago, you can sit back and relax while traveling- no worries about delayed or cancelled flights!

Upon arriving in the Windy City, we start our excursion at the Art Institute of Chicago where we have scheduled a private docent tour. After the tour you will have access to visit the rest of the Museum and its wonderful Gift Shop. Later we will be meeting for cocktails at our hotel, the Intercontinental Chicago. Considered a Chicago landmark, it is referred to as the "Jewel of the Chicago Magnificent Mile". With reminders of its 1920's splendor, the Intercontinental has been lovingly restored with a classic but contemporary design.

Wednesday we enjoy a delicious breakfast, then board our chartered coach for a visit to a private collection arranged through Chicago's Art Encounters. After returning to the hotel, there is free time for lunch and shopping. Late that afternoon we will meet for a walking tour of Tiffany architectural works ending at Macy's (formally Marshall Fields), where we have arranged for a private dinner in its beautiful Walnut Room.

Breakfast is again included for Thursday with free time in the morning. We meet at the Contemporary Museum of Art Chicago for a private docent tour before departing for our return trip to Columbus.

The cost of the trip \$ 985.00 per person for a double and \$1231.00 per person for a single. This includes transportation to Chicago and back on a private touring coach, light breakfast and boxed lunch during ride to Chicago, two night stay at the Intercontinental Chicago, full breakfast buffet both mornings, admission fees to the Art Institute of Chicago, group cocktail hour Tuesday night, tour of a private art collection, Tiffany Walking tour, dinner at the Walnut Room Wednesday night, the Contemporary Museum of Art, boxed dinner during ride home and all taxes/fees for covered events and services.

Reservation/payment deadline is Sunday, May 22, 2016. Your payment in full constitutes your reservation. No refunds after the deadline date. Payments can be made by credit card online through the Museum website, by calling 614-629-0359, or check. **Please note that the check MUST be made out to "ART ESCAPES"**. There is no discount for paying by check.

You tour hostesses are Sharon Grubbs and Martha West.

For further information please call Sharon Grubbs 614-235-6110.