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Holidays

VALIDITY: 12 APR 2013 – 25 OCT 2013



**** Premium Escorted Tour**

English and Scottish Discovery

(8 Days 7 Nights)

FROM LONDON

Highlights: open-top bus tour of London, Stratford upon Avon, Liverpool, the Lake District, Gretna Green, Edinburgh, Edinburgh Castle, Culloden Moor, Inverness, Loch Ness, Glen Coe and Glasgow.

This relaxing one way journey from London to Scotland visits many of Britain's must-see sights. There's time to explore London, Edinburgh and Glasgow plus the scenic beauty of England's famed Lake District and the Scottish Highlands.



Prices from

Single £ 1,568.00

Twin £ 1,175.00

**Seasonal charges may apply during peak season*

All prices are per person

Child fare: 90% of the adult rate.

Child reduction applies to children aged 8 to 18 inclusive on the basis that they travel with an adult.

We regret that children under the age of 8 are not carried on this tour.

Seasonal Price Range

£1,175-£1,779

**Surcharges apply for 2nd – 16th August departures.*

Tour ends in Glasgow after breakfast on day 8.

Dates of Operation

Fridays

12 April to 25 October, 2013

Departure Information

Check In: 14:00

Departs: **14:30**

Returns: 09:00

From: Doubletree by Hilton West End Hotel, 92 Southampton Row, London, WC1B 4BH

What's included

- First Class hotel accommodation includes twin-bedded rooms with private facilities
- 7 full English/Scottish breakfasts
- 3 table d'hôte dinners
- Welcome dinner in London
- Edinburgh Restaurant dinner
- Welcome get-together drink
- Visits and admissions to Tower of London, Beatles Story, World of Beatrix Potter, Old Blacksmith's Shop at Gretna Green, Edinburgh Castle and Culloden Battlefield Visitor Centre
- Tours of London, Edinburgh and Glasgow
- Loch Lomond scenic cruise
- Sheepdog trials at Leault Farm
- Ceilidh with singers, piper and dancers in Inverness
- Edinburgh ghost walking tour
- Touring by luxury air-conditioned coach with reclining seats and a washroom onboard
- The services of a professional Tour Director
- Tickets are included for the world-famous Tattoo on 2 to 16 August departures*
- Airport transfers are provided on Day 1 and Day 8
- All local taxes, hotel service charges & portorage for one suitcase per person

What's NOT included

- Admission charges unless otherwise stated in the itinerary
- Meals, snacks or items of a personal nature
- Gratuity to your driver and guide

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Day One (Friday)

Welcome to London (2 nights)

Land at Heathrow Airport and transfer to your hotel. In the afternoon take an introductory jaunt around some of the key [London](#) attractions and main areas of interest. In the evening meet your guide and fellow travellers to discuss your vacation over a welcome drink and enjoy dinner in your hotel.

Overnight: Doubletree by Hilton West End Hotel, London (or similar)

Day Two (Saturday)

London Bus Tour & Tower

Today explore London at your own pace on an open-top bus tour to see the highlights, including the [Houses of Parliament](#), [Westminster Abbey](#), Trafalgar Square, Piccadilly Circus and more. You may also take a walking tour and a cruise on the River Thames. Also visit the Tower of London to see the magnificent [Crown Jewels](#) in the strongly-fortified White Tower and the Beefeaters, guardians of the Tower in their distinctive uniforms.

Day Three (Sunday)

Stratford-upon-Avon & Beatles' Liverpool

Drive through the [Cotswolds](#), a delightful hilly region with medieval villages where houses are built from the mellow honey-coloured local stone. Stop in Stratford-upon-Avon for a look around on your own to view the many black-and-white buildings that date back to Shakespeare's time. If you wish, you may visit [Shakespeare's Birthplace](#) in the centre of the town. Continue your drive to Liverpool and visit [the Beatles Story](#) to learn all about the Beatles' lives and enjoy their music and activities. Check in to your hotel in the city centre.

Overnight: Hilton Hotel, Liverpool (or similar)

Day Four (Monday)

Liverpool to Edinburgh (2 nights)

Drive through the [Lake District](#) for stunning views of lakes, gentle hills and valleys. Stop in the charming town of Bowness-on-Windermere, set on the largest lake in the region. Visit the World of [Beatrix Potter](#) to see some of the characters, such as Peter Rabbit, that this popular children's author created. Stop at the Old Blacksmith's Shop at [Gretna Green](#) and on to Edinburgh. In the evening dine at a popular restaurant and take a ghost walking tour around historic streets.

Overnight: Radisson Blu Hotel, Edinburgh (Or similar)

Day Five (Tuesday)

Edinburgh Castle & City Tour

Tour [Edinburgh](#) city centre to see the medieval town and the 200-year-old Georgian "New Town" with its wide streets and elegant squares. See the bustling [Princes Street](#) with excellent shopping. Take a short walk along the narrow [Royal Mile](#) to view the old houses, some of which are 11 stories in height. Tour Edinburgh Castle to see the [Scottish Crown Jewels](#) and the Stone of Destiny and enjoy great views from this massive fortress that towers over the city. The afternoon and evening are at leisure and there's no shortage of great places to visit.

Day Six (Wednesday)

Culloden Battlefield and Ceilidh

Drive into the Highlands and enjoy the splendid scenery with majestic peaks. Visit [Leault Farm](#) where dogs herd sheep and ducks through various obstacles. Tour [Culloden Battlefield](#) Visitor Centre to see where [Bonnie Prince Charlie](#) was defeated in 1746. Head for Inverness to enjoy a special ceilidh with Scottish music.

Overnight: Columba Hotel, Inverness (or similar)

Day Seven (Thursday)

Scottish Highlands & Loch Lomond Cruise

See more great scenery as you drive along the beautiful shores of [Loch Ness](#), famous for its monster. Journey through [Glen Coe](#), a spectacular glen made famous by the Campbells' massacre of the Clan Macdonald in 1692. Take a scenic cruise on [Loch Lomond](#) to admire the tranquil waters and view Ben Lomond. Say farewell to the Highlands as you head to [Glasgow](#) for a short orientation tour around this city set on the [River Clyde](#) and renowned for its shipbuilding industries.

Overnight: Menzies Glasgow Hotel, Glasgow (or similar)

Day Eight (Friday)

Tour Ends in Glasgow

Your tour ends with a transfer to Glasgow Airport.



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VALIDITY: 23 MAR 2013 – 05 OCT 2013



**** Escorted Tour**

Gems of Britain

(7 Days 6 Nights)

FROM LONDON

Tour Highlights: Cambridge, York, Northumberland, Jedburgh Abbey, Edinburgh, Gretna Green, Lake District, Liverpool, Chester, Stratford upon Avon and visit to William Shakespeare's Birthplace.

Succinct and feature packed, welcome to a spirited journey which captures the essence of Britain in only a few days - but you wouldn't want it any other way! It includes a fantastic cross section of Britain's historical towns, traditional heritage, cultural figures and idyllic scenic landscapes.



Prices from

Single £ 1,524.00

Twin £ 1,019.00

**Seasonal charges may apply during peak season*

Child* discount £55

*child rate apply from 5-17 years inclusive

We regret that children under the age of 5 are not carried on this tour.

Seasonal Price Range

£1,019-£1,635

**Surcharges apply for 3rd – 17th August departures*

Dates of Operation

Saturdays

23 March to 5 October, 2013

Departure Information

Check In: 06:45

Departs: 07:00

Returns: 19:00

From: Thistle Marble Arch Hotel, 55
Bryanston St, London W1H 7EH

What's included

- First class hotel accommodation in twin-bedded rooms with private facilities
- 6 full English or Scottish breakfasts
- Welcome reception with light informal meal
- Admission to Shakespeare's Birthplace
- Tickets are included for the World-famous Tattoo on 3-17 August departures*
- All baggage handling and hotel tips are included
- Services throughout the tour of a professional Tour Director
- Touring by luxury air-conditioned coach with reclining seats and a washroom onboard
- Service charges and taxes

What's NOT included

- Admission charges unless otherwise stated in the itinerary
- Meals, snacks or items of a personal nature
- Gratuity to your driver and guide

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Day One (Saturday)

Welcome to London (2 nights)

Private transfer to London Hotel. Free and easy for the rest of the day.

Overnight: Thistle Marble Arch, London (or similar)

Day Two (Sunday)

London Hop on Hop off Bus Tour

Explore imperious London in all its grandeur with your London hop on hop off bus tour which is valid for 48 hours.

Tour Highlights:

- Hop on hop off service with over 44 stops (valid for 48 hours)
- FREE walking tour (worth £10)
- View such iconic structures as Buckingham Palace, Tower of London, St. Paul's Cathedral, Tower Bridge and more!
- See celebrated areas of London including Trafalgar Square and Piccadilly
- Enjoy the insights and fascinating facts with a live or audio guided tour
- Departs every 15-20 minutes

Day Three (Monday)

London – Cambridge - York

Meet your Tour Director early this morning & head northwards to the gracious university town of Cambridge, fierce rival to Oxford. A glimpse here of the age-old tradition of learning as you walk by some of the colleges, including the magnificent King's College. Continue through the heart of 'Robin Hood Country' (although little now remains of the leafy glades of Sherwood Forest) to reach historic York. Inside the ancient city walls, you approach the magnificent York Minster, England's largest medieval cathedral. Then walk through the narrow cobbled streets to the Tudor 'Shambles', where the houses lean so far they almost touch! After some free time to shop check in to your hotel for a Welcome reception and light informal meal.

Overnight: Hilton Hotel, York (or similar)



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Day Four (Tuesday)

York - Edinburgh

Cross the wild Northumberland Moors & go past the romantic ruins of Jedburgh Abbey, cross the Border and head on to Scotland's elegant capital, Edinburgh. On a guided city tour, drive down the stately Royal Mile, past St Giles' Cathedral to Holyroodhouse Palace - the Queen's official residence in Scotland - and on to the 18th century New Town with its sweeping crescents, grand squares and delightful gardens. See Edinburgh Castle, housing the Honours of Scotland, the nation's crown jewels. Why not spend the evening eating haggis & listening to the sound of bagpipes?

Hotel: George Hotel, Edinburgh (or similar)

Day Five (Wednesday)

Edinburgh - Lake District – Liverpool

Drive through the Southern Uplands via Gretna Green, where many an eloping English couple have been married, then cross the border back into England. Enjoy a drive through the Lake District, a region so beautiful it inspired a host of English poets. Visit the grave of William Wordsworth before continuing to lively Liverpool, home of the Beatles! Your hotel is adjacent to the iconic Liver Building & overlooking the Dock Front World Heritage Site.

Hotel: Atlantic Tower, Liverpool (or similar)

Day Six (Thursday)

Liverpool – Chester – Stratford - London

First stop today is at the former Roman fortress town of Chester. Walk with your Tour Director along part of the well preserved city walls. See the Eastgate Clock, Cathedral, the unique black & white 'Rows' (shopping arcades) & the remains of the Roman Amphitheatre. Continue to the pretty market town of Stratford-upon-Avon where you visit the half-timbered birthplace of William Shakespeare.

Return to London through the flower-trimmed villages of the Cotswolds, one of the most beautiful parts of England.

Overnight: Thistle Marble Arch, London (or similar)

Day Seven (Friday)

Depart London

After breakfast, day at your leisure. Private transfer to London Heathrow Airport. Depart from London for Kuala Lumpur.