# First Methodist Church of Houston presents... Spotlight on New York City

## March 30 – April 3, 2017

#### YOU'RE INVITED TO A SPECIAL TRAVEL PRESENTATION See Back Cover





## Your Home in the City

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5 Days • 5 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 2 Dinners

## Book Now & Save \$100 Per Person:

Double \$2,649;Double \$2,549\*Single \$3,349;Single \$3,249;Triple \$2,619Triple \$2,519

## For bookings made after Oct 31, 2016 call for rates.

**Included in Price:** Round Trip Air from Houston Intl, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

Not included in price: Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$100 per person

\* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package from IAH

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"Single Hotel Stay": tours feature every night at the same hotel, so you only unpack once! Accommodations are carefully chosen, allowing you the flexibility to access and explore nearby cities and attractions.







#### **Collette Experiences**

- Explore the 9/11 Memorial and museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost there.
- Visit the world-famous Metropolitan Museum of Art.
- Visit St. Paul's Chapel, a place for rest and care for World Trade Center recovery workers.

### Culinary Inclusions

 Enjoy breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, featuring singing wait staff.

### **Must-See Inclusions**

- In a cultural treasure trove that is New York City, experience two Broadway shows.
- Embark on a voyage to experience "Lady Liberty" up close.
- Join a local guide for a tour of the "Big Apple's" time-honored landmarks.

**Highlights:** Two Broadway Shows, Greenwich Village, Wall Street, Metropolitan Museum of Art, Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island

Day 1: Thursday, March 30, 2017 New York City, New York - Tour Begins "Start spreading the news," because today you arrive in America's most exciting metropolis for a getaway filled with shopping, sightseeing and endless entertainment. Relax as you enjoy a single hotel stay in the heart of the city.

#### Day 2: Friday, March 31, 2017 New

York City This morning we enjoy breakfast at a local eatery before setting out to embrace the energy of this fascinating city on a locally guided tour of the "Big Apple." You'll see Greenwich Village, the Wall Street district, Little Italy, Chinatown,

the Empire State Building, Central Park, Chelsea Market and other timehonored landmarks. Visit St. Paul's Chapel in lower Manhattan, a place where George Washington once worshipped, and where recovery workers came for rest and care during their time at the World Trade Center site. Spend the afternoon exploring the world-renowned Metropolitan Museum of Art and admire its thought-provoking exhibits and vital collections. This evening, it's Diner's Choice...your dinner is included and you'll choose the perfect spot from a "menu" of the city's popular locations in exhilarating Times



Square before taking your seat for an included Broadway show! (B, D)

Day 3: Saturday, April 1, 2017 New York City Start your day with a funfilled breakfast at the famous Ellen's Stardust Diner, a 50's-themed restaurant featuring a singing wait staff. Next, Board a ferry to Ellis Island. On your way you will have the opportunity to see the Statue of Liberty up-close as your ferry cruises by her. More than 12 million people passed through Ellis Island on journeys of immigration. Since 1886, "Lady Liberty" has welcomed immigrants and visitors to New York Harbor. Created as a token of friendship between the U.S. and France, the Statue of Liberty has become a global symbol of freedom. This afternoon, visit the 9/11 Memorial as well as the museum, a poignant tribute to the lives lost at the World Trade Center site in September 2001. Enjoy the evening at leisure to explore "the city that never sleeps." (B)

Day 4: Sunday, April 2, 2017 New York City This morning it's Diner's Choice...your breakfast is included and you'll choose the perfect spot from a "menu" of the city's great restaurants. Enjoy some free time to discover the city at your own pace. Your Tour Manager will have plenty of suggestions for great ways to spend your time. Maybe you'd enjoy a shopping spree at some of the world's most famous department stores, including Macy's, Bloomingdale's and Saks Fifth Avenue. This afternoon, the curtains rise for your second Broadway show. You'll choose\* from a selection of Broadway's biggest hits. Say farewell to this extraordinary city as we enjoy dinner at a local restaurant. (B, D)

Day 5: Monday, April 3, 2017 New York City - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close with many pleasant memories of your exciting tour of fabulous "New York, New York."

For important reservation information visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/766501. You can also find this information on your tour documents.



Itinerary at a glance Days 1 – 4 Sheraton New York Times Square, New York,New York On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### Experience It! Broadway

Broadway, New York City's theater district, runs from 41st Street to 53rd Street between Sixth and Ninth Avenues. The first theater was built in 1798 and over the years, the district has grown to 40 theaters that are now considered "on Broadway." At the turn-of-the-century, the street was nicknamed the "great white way" due to the bright white lights that illuminated the streets and advertised the multitude of shows. During this period, the shows were mostly comedies and operettas, and some vaudeville. The Broadway shows that we know today were developed in the 1940s. Rodgers and Hammerstein were the pioneers who first combined song, dance, comedy and drama to create the modern musical. The lights are still shining bright, theater attendance is thriving, and to be "on Broadway" is now the most highly respected achievement for theater professionals.

#### Please Note:

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing Collette airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at prescheduled times.

Day of the Broadway shows and performance selections are subject to change.

Some Broadway performances may not be suitable for children; please inquire at time of reservation.

When reserving a triple room, please note that it will have two double beds. Due to fire safety regulations, a roll away bed cannot be brought into the room.

\*For the afternoon Broadway performance, a specific selection of shows will be offered. A sample of possible offerings may be Mama Mia, Chicago or Phantom of the Opera. Additional choices may be available at an additional cost.

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

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until checkin at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$250 per person due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of October 24, 2016 are based upon availability. Final payment due by January 29, 2017. Please note: deposits are fully refundable up until October 31, 2016, after that date certain charges apply.

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## The Collette Gateway

After you make your reservation, we will email you an invitation to the Collette Gateway. This online hub allows you to track your travel experience. On your personal profile page, tell us where you've been; enjoy a countdown to your tour, see information about the destinations you'll visit, connect with fellow travelers, check out popular travel tips and sign up for Travel Loyalty by Collette (TLC). The Gateway makes your travel experience easy and fun. Learn more at gateway.gocollette.com

† Full credit is valid for travel within 12 months of the original trip. \$100 of the credit remains valid for travel within 13-24 months and the entire credit expires after 24 months.

## SPECIAL TRAVEL PRESENTATION

## SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 2016

TIME 12:45 PM First Methodist Church of Houston 1320 Main St Houston, Texas, 77002

Contact Judy Saenz at 832-668-1836 or jsaenz@fmhouston.com to RSVP for this special presentation!



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