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Gracias 谢谢 (Xièxiè) Danke
شكراً (Shukran) Grazie
Obrigado ありがとう (Arigatō)
Спасибо (Spasibo) Merci
감사합니다 (Gamsahamnida) धन्यवाद (Dhanyavaad)

No matter how you say it – 'tis the season for

Giving Thanks

While Americans look forward to Thanksgiving as a time of gratitude, feasting, and family gatherings — around the world, many other countries and cultures are also giving thanks for bountiful harvests and life's many blessings.



In Japan, it's Kinro Kansha no Hi

In Germany, it's Erntedankfest 



In South Korea, it's Chuseok

These and many other cultures, recognize the need to give thanks for that which makes life more fruitful and pleasant. Later this month, an estimated 82 million U.S. travelers will be covering 50 miles or more by train, plane, or automobile – from sea to shining sea – to get to that one special table where their nearest and dearest are gathered.

If you have chosen us to help you make that journey, or any journey this year, we are exceedingly thankful for your trust. We are grateful every time you give us the opportunity to serve you.

"Gratitude is not only the greatest of virtues, but the parent of all others."
– Cicero, Roman statesman



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GOOD NEWS FOR HOLIDAY TRAVEL SEASON

U.S. Department of Transportation Delays New Airline Disruption Categories

The new rules, originally scheduled to take effect October 19, have been delayed until Feb. 1, 2027. The new disruption category classification will recategorize reasons for airline delays and cancellations. Reauthorization legislation includes 10 reasons that will no longer be classified as within control of the airline meaning that travelers could lose access to lodging accommodation and meal vouchers when flights are canceled or delayed.



November is Aviation History Month

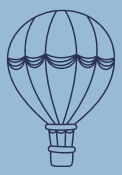


Image a time before human flight. You'd have to go back to 1782.

In November of that year, the French Montgolfier brothers began experiments that would lead to the hot air balloon. Then the Wright brothers came along and achieved the first controlled, sustained powered flight on December 17, 1903, at Kitty Hawk, North Carolina – which less than ten people witnessed firsthand. The distance flown by Orville and Wilbur that day (about 120 ft) was less than the wingspan of today's Boeing 747- which is about 210 feet. And the rest, as they say, is history. While roughly 80% of people have a fear of flying (aerophobia) only 5% of the world's population have been on an airplane. Love it or hate it, flying has changed the world and given hundred of millions of us the opportunity to explore the wonders it contains.

TRIP PLANNING 101

Planning a trip? Don't know where to start? The right order can make all the difference. Reduce stress, prevent wasted time and inconsistent bookings by following this schedule:

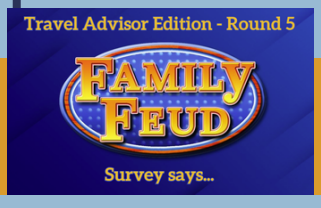
Purpose > destination > dates > budget > documents > transport > accommodation > itinerary > activities > final checks

Is this trip about relaxation, adventure, culture, celebration or a combination? Destination, timing and budget influence one another; consider trip length, season, energy level, costs, and practical requirements like visas or passport validity. Keep the itinerary realistic by focusing on must-see experiences, grouping stops by area, and limiting the number of major activities each day.

Looking for assistance?

We've got the expertise to take your trip to the next level.





We asked our awesome advisors to name top dream destination clients ask for. Survey results on next page.



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Scotland



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★★★★★

– Sherri K. of Grand Junction, CO

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Europe | Switzerland



An Awesome Train Trip in Switzerland – *Tabitha Regoli, our Flathead Travel agent, was extremely helpful and answered all our questions immediately. She checked all the boxes in our travel abroad and we definitely would recommend her services to everyone. Tabitha is friendly and easy to talk with. THE BEST!*

★★★★★

– Ken & Carol H. of Kalispell, MT



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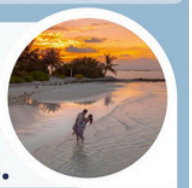
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