



# HAPPY TIMES TOURS & EXPERIENCES

## LAND OF LINCOLN (SPRINGFIELD, ILLINOIS)

### Trip Includes:

- 2 Nights at the Comfort Inn Springfield
- Lunch, Historian Presentation & Tour the Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum
- Tour Lincoln's Home
- Dinner at Maldaner's Restaurant – meet Abraham Lincoln's Personal Bodyguard
- Tour the Old State Capitol
- Visit the Lincoln Depot and meet Abe Lincoln himself
- Tour the Dana Thomas House
- Visit Lincoln's Tomb
- Dinner at Route 66 Motorheads Bar, Grill & Museum
- See the Route 66 Experience
- Tour the New Salem State Historic Site
- Lunch at Broadguage
- Motorcoach Transportation and the Services of a Happy Times Tour Director
- 7 Meals

### Departure Times & Locations:

6:00am Depart College Ave NE P&R  
(Estimated return at 7:30pm)

6:30am Depart Watertown Plank P&R  
(Estimated return at 7:00pm)

7:15am Depart Johnson Creek P&R  
(Estimated return at 6:00pm)

7:45am Depart American Center P&R  
(Estimated return at 5:30pm)

\*Please call to check availability for other pickup locations.

### PER PERSON RATES:

Double Occupancy \$799

Single Occupancy \$889

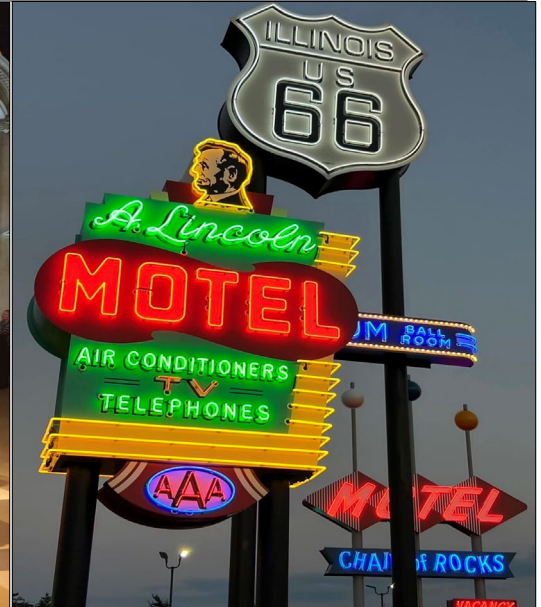
Triple Occupancy: \$769

Final payment is due 7/30/2024

### Optional Travel Protection Plan

Per Person Rates: \$85

\*Gratuities for the tour director and driver are not included in the price and are at the passenger's discretion. This tour is non-refundable for cancellations received on or after final payment date. We highly recommend purchasing the optional travel protection plan.



## Experience the Land of Lincoln & Route 66 like never before!

**3 Days: September 3 - 5, 2024**

### Day 1 B, L, D

Enjoy a light breakfast as we make our way to Springfield, Illinois. Upon arrival enjoy lunch and a historian presentation at the **Abraham Lincoln Presidential Museum**. Then experience history like never before as we step inside key moments in Lincoln's life, from triumph to tragedy at the Museum. Next, we will take a guided tour of the **Lincoln Home** which gives you a look into the Lincoln family during the 17 years they lived in the home. We will check-in to the Comfort Inn for our 2-night stay. Then enjoy dinner at Maldaner's Restaurant and **learn the story of how Ward Hill Lamon came to be Abraham Lincoln's personal bodyguard who accompanied him to the White House, and why he wasn't present the night Lincoln was assassinated from Ward Hill Lamon.**

### Day 2 B, D

Today we will take a guided tour through the **Old State Capitol** where Lincoln practiced law. Then, we will head over to the **Lincoln Depot**, which opened in 1852 by The Great Western Railroad. **Meet Lincoln, himself, and hear a portion of Lincoln's farewell speech.** We will then tour the **Dana Thomas Home** which was exclusively built for Springfield socialite Susan Lawrence Dana. She was known for her hospitality, unforgettable parts and more and perhaps the most complete of all early Wright dwellings. We will visit the **final resting place of President Lincoln, his wife, and three children** before enjoying dinner at the **Route 66 Motorheads Bar, Grill & Museum**. Tonight, you are in for a real treat as we visit the "Route 66 Experience." See the nostalgic neon lights in the sky, learn the history of Illinois' Route 66 and more!

### Day 3 B, L

This morning we will step back in time to **Lincoln's New Salem** and the days of a young pre-bearded Abe. Then, enjoy **lunch at Broadguage**. This building was constructed in 1872 and at that time had the largest stock of merchandise in a store in Illinois outside of Chicago. This place is a site to see in and of itself! Return home with patriotic memories of your time in the Land of Lincoln.

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