



Itinerary

This one will "Wow" you! Nothing prepares you for the beauty of autumn in Alaska! It is breathtaking! Ride the Alaska Railroad, explore the Denali tundra and cruise the Chena River. When that's all done, you'll sail RCCL's Radiance of the Seas on a sight-seeing cruise to Skagway, Juneau and Ketchikan. See Hubbard Glacier and visit quirky little towns of Southeast Alaska! Ah, life's great in the 49th State!

DAYS 1-2: North to Alaska! Arrive Anchorage and check into the **Comfort Inn Ship Creek** near the train station. Enjoy a free day to rest up. Take an optional tour of the Alaska Heritage Center, stroll Earthquake Park or try one of the great brewery restaurants. (B)

DAY 3: Denali National Park. Step aboard Alaska Railroad's **Goldstar Service** with Dome Car and viewing deck, great for seeing fall colors! Weather permitting, you may have good sightings of Mount McKinley! Overnight Denali with Cabin Nite Dinner Show! (B,D)

DAY 4: Wildlife Tour. Morning tour into Denali. Look for grizzlies, moose and caribou. Later, re-board the train for Fairbanks. Enjoy two nights **Holiday Inn Express** in the land of the midnight sun! (Box Lunch).

DAY 5: The Golden Heart. Today you'll cruise the Chena River on the **Discovery Riverboat**. El Dorado Gold Train takes you to a gold mine where you can pan for nuggets. (B)

DAY 6: Anchorage. Return to Anchorage by air and to the **Comfort Inn**. (B)

DAY 7: Seward. Enjoy a scenic ride around Turnagain Arm and over Turnagain Pass with its alpine meadows and crystal lakes. Board the **Radiance of the Seas** for your passage down to Southeast Alaska. (B,L,D)

DAY 8: Hubbard Glacier. This glacier is 1,350-sq. miles of blue ice; it's face is over six miles long. The Hubbard is the longest river of ice and one of the most advancing glaciers of its kind in North America.

Later soak in one of the Radiance's six hot tubs and dine in the Cascades Dining Room. The ship features a 10-story atrium and three deck tall Aurora Borealis Theater. (B,L,D)

DAY 9: Juneau. The capital of Alaska was founded during the gold rush of 1880. You'll get a kick with downtown's diverse stores where you can find everything from fresh salmon to gold jewelry. Majestic Mendenhall Glacier is nearby. (B,L,D)

DAY 10: Skagway. Alaska's "Garden City" looks like a Klondike Gold Rush town of 1898 when thousands of gold-crazed adventurers passed through and up the Chilkoot Trail to

Discover the autumn colors of Alaska & Denali Park!

Alaska Cruise & Tour



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Guaranteed Departure!

September 1-14, 2012

Alaska Fall Cruise:

- R/T air from Austin, Corpus Christi & San Antonio.
- 13-nights lodging (3nights Anchorage, 1nt Denali, 2nts Fairbanks and 7-nights **Radiance of the Seas**).
- Ports: Icy Strait Point, Juneau, Ketchikan & Skagway.
- Goldstar Service to Denali National Park.
- Highlights: Alaska Pipeline, Cabin Nite Dinner Show, Denali Tundra Tour, Discovery Riverboat Cruise, El Dorado Gold Mine & Gold Panning!



- All taxes, fees, transfers & luggage handling: 1 piece of luggage per person.
- Escorted by JoAnn Schmid & Suzy Nick.

Please Note: Passport Required!

Please call for airfare and schedules from other cities to Anchorage & from Vancouver.



Some walking,
Relaxing cruise

Dawson City. Skagway is the home of the White Pass & Yukon Railroad. (B,L,D)

DAY 11: Icy Strait Point. Icy Strait Point is the port for Hoonah, Alaska's largest native Tlingit Indian settlement. Explore the historical park, museum and theater for Alaska Native culture and history! The world's steepest and fastest zip-line is an optional excursion! (B,L,D)

DAY 12: Ketchikan. During the gold rush days Ketchikan was a supply base and entry port for miners. Ketchikan boasts

the world's largest collection of totem poles. Creek Street is a fun place to shop and watch fishermen and kayakers. (B,L,D)

DAY 13: Inside Passage. The Canadian coastal waterway from Southeast Alaska to Vancouver is incredible. It boasts pine covered mountains and narrow fjords. Watch for whales. Look for small fishing villages that dot the coastline. (B,L,D)

DAY 14: Vancouver. Transfer to the airport. Take home incredible memories of your once-in-a-lifetime Alaska voyage. (B)

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