

CORNELL ALUMNI ASSOCIATION TRAVEL PROGRAM

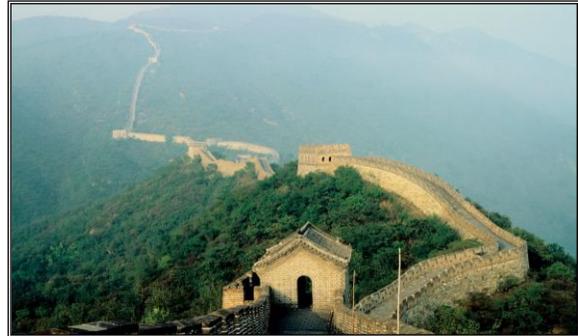
PRESENTS

CLASSIC CHINA & THE YANGTZE

March 27-April 9, 2018

14 days for \$4,284* total price from Los Angeles, San Francisco
(\$3,795* air, land & cruise inclusive plus \$489* airline taxes and fees)

Comprehensive in scope yet briefer in duration than many China tours, this relaxed, well-paced journey combines monumental Beijing, a cruise on the fabled Yangtze, fascinating Xian, and cosmopolitan Shanghai. Traveling in your prized small group of no more than 24 guests, you will have the good fortune to meet local people and to experience a host of China's highlights, both ancient and of the moment.



ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Days 1-5: March 27-31, 2018
Depart U.S./Beijing

Days 6-7: April 1-2, 2018
Xian

Days 8-10: April 3-5, 2018
Yangtze Cruise

Days 11-13: April 6-8, 2018
Shanghai

Day 14: April 9, 2018
Depart Shanghai for U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Arrive in the Chinese capital and begin your discovery of this 2,000-year-old city with Tiananmen Square, the Forbidden City, and the incredible Great Wall. Ride a rickshaw through Beijing's ancient alleyways (*butongs*) then visit a local family's home for a glimpse of the traditional communal lifestyle. Tour the splendid Temple of Heaven and the Summer Palace.
- Fly to Xian and see its impressive nine-mile city wall and moat, afterwards enjoying a special dinner of traditional Chinese dumplings. Visit one of China's most acclaimed Buddhist temples, the Small Wild Goose Pagoda. Tour the museum housing the astounding life-sized Terra Cotta Warriors.
- After your flight to Chongqing, visit the zoo housing the beloved pandas. Board a Victoria Cruises ship and enjoy a three-night cruise on the storied Yangtze – one of the world's busiest and longest rivers. Experience the beautiful scenery of the Three Gorges, and board a small *sampan* for an excursion through the stunning Lesser Gorges.
- Tour the immense Three Gorges Dam Project before disembarking in Yichang and flying to cosmopolitan Shanghai. Tour the Xian Tian Di shopping district and beloved 16th-century Yu Yuan Gardens. Visit the acclaimed Shanghai Museum and attend a lively acrobatics show. See the popular European-influenced Bund before enjoying some leisure time to explore the city. Tonight, toast your China adventure at a farewell dinner.
- Depart Shanghai for your return flight to the U.S.

Classic China & the Yangtze, Continued:

***PLEASE NOTE:** At this time, elements of the tour are still being finalized. Your deposit will be fully refundable until all details, including pricing, are complete. Our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., will be in touch with you in July 2017 when the final tour details and tour brochure are available. At that time, you will have two weeks to decide whether you would like to convert your preliminary registration to a confirmed booking, or to cancel and receive a full refund. Once your booking is confirmed, the cancellation penalties as outlined in the brochure will apply. You will then receive a complete confirmation packet.

*Probable Pricing:

\$4,284* total price from Los Angeles, San Francisco. Please call for prices from other cities. Prices are per person based on double occupancy in an outside cabin and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of \$489*, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land only price is \$3,395*; airport arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$1,095*. A 4-day/3-night post-tour "Hong Kong – On Your Own" extension is available for \$995* total price (single supplement for \$395*). Business Class upgrade on round-trip Trans-Pacific flight is available on a request basis – please call for details. *Please note: This trip involves full days of sightseeing and significant amounts of walking on stairs and uneven surfaces. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to its fullest.*

PLEASE NOTE: All dates, prices, and itinerary details for 2018 tours are subject to change. Finalized pricing will be made available approximately eight months prior to departure.

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from listed cities; all flights within itinerary
- 12 nights' accommodations: 3 nights aboard a Superior First Class ship of Victoria Cruises; 9 nights in Deluxe hotels
- 29 meals: 12 breakfasts, 9 lunches, 8 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout your trip, including shore excursions
- Luggage handling for one bag per person
- Gratuities for local guides, dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Please FAX, mail, or e-mail your pre-registration form and deposit information to our tour operator, **Odysseys Unlimited, Inc.:**
One Newton Place, 275 Washington Street, Suite 300 Newton, MA 02458 Secure FAX: 617-454-9199
E-mail: customerservice@odysseys-unlimited.com

For questions about the tour, please contact Cornell Alumni Association Travel Program:
Phone: (607) 254-5404 Email: caatravel@cornell.edu

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$ _____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person/people. This secures my/our space on the following tour: ***Classic China & the Yangtze, March 27-April 9, 2018.*** Make check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., or please charge my/our deposit to:

AMEX

VISA

MasterCard

Discover

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Signature _____

I/We understand that I/we will be contacted in July 2017, once the final brochure for the tour is available, and will be given the opportunity to cancel at that time, without penalty. I/We also understand that billing and a complete confirmation packet will follow once I/we convert this preliminary registration into a confirmed booking.

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