COMPANIONS TOUR Monday, October 24, 2005

Our first touring day will consist of a typical "tourist tour" of Memphis. We will begin our day with a tour of the Pink Palace Museum, Tennessee's most visited museum. The Museum offers a fascinating look at the history of the Mid-South. Displays include a re-creation of the first Piggly Wiggly grocery store, a miniature circus, and exhibits charting the course of Memphis from colonial times to the Civil War and beyond. The Museum has been voted one of the top five museums in the South by the readers of "Southern Living" magazine. The Museum is also home to the IMAX theatre where we will have the pleasure to view the film, "Mysteries of the Nile".





In the afternoon, we will continue to tour the city with a Mississippi Riverfront tour, Cotton Row and other interesting sites. We will get a private tour of the Woodruff Fontaine Home, which is located on "Millionaires Row" and is filled with period antiques and a renowned textile collection. Then we're on to the Memphis Rock 'n' Soul Museum, where you can feel the beat and discover the story of Memphis music and its unique impact on worldwide culture -- told as only the Smithsonian can.

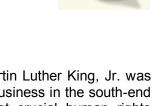
We will return back to the Peabody at 4:00 pm for an afternoon tea. During the tea, we will hold a drawing for the lucky companion to be The Peabody's Honorary Duck Master.

9:15 am -- Board bus for the Pink Palace Museum

12:00 pm -- Lunch at Pat O'Brien's

4:00 pm -- Arrive back at The Peabody for an afternoon tea and drawing to be the Honorary Duck Master





We will begin with a tour of the National Civil Rights Museum, the site where Martin Luther King, Jr. was assassinated. The museum is the former Lorraine Motel, a small minority-owned business in the south-end of Memphis. The Museum includes an overview of some of the world's most crucial human rights movements and the achievements gained through the efforts and sacrifices of courageous individuals who stood by their convictions.

Tuesday, October 25, 2005

Next stop ... the Viking Culinary Arts Center to participate in cooking class from chefs that are the absolute best at their craft. This may be the most enjoyable school on earth -- even the homework is fun! The chefs will share their special techniques and demonstrate their favorite recipes in the participation kitchen. The best thing is that we get to <u>eat our creations!</u> You will have time to shop in the retail store – which is amazing!!!

9:15 am -- Board bus for the National Civil Rights Museum

11:15 am -- Arrive at the Viking Culinary Arts Center

4:00 pm -- Arrive back at The Peabody

