

## Remember the camera

THE RED ROCKS of Sedona, Ariz., are breathtaking from any view, but seeing them in the brilliant winter sun from the seat of a Jeep is a trip not to be missed. Pink Jeep Tours has been introducing visitors to Sedona, stunning

The tours are open to children 18 months of age and up. Rates are reduced for children under 12. Comfortable clothing and shoes are suggested. The tours cost from around \$50 to \$150 and are available year round.

For more information, call 800/873-3662 or visit [www.pinkjeptours.com](http://www.pinkjeptours.com).



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Oak Creek Canyon and the Grand Canyon since 1958, and it offers a variety of excursion combinations to show you the natural wonders of central and northern Arizona.

Some of the tours are in Jeeps; others are in air-conditioned coaches. They range from a couple of hours for the Broken Arrow tour, which visits the "Road of No Return," to the 10-hour trip to the Grand Canyon's South Rim.

The tours also offer a variety of catering and group options, to make a day out of your red rocks experience. In addition to the motorized tours, there also are guided hiking tours.

## The simple life

LEARN ABOUT ANOTHER culture, right in the Ohio heartland. With the Amish Christmas Traditions Weekend Getaway, visitors stay at the Garden Gate B&B in Millersburg, Ohio, and visit several Amish families to see traditions in action.

The weekend starts with a little shopping, and there are plenty of opportunities to stock up for the holidays. Holmes County is home to the largest population of Amish in the United States, and there's a wide variety

of wood products, candles, baskets and belts available, and of course, cheese from Amish dairies.

The Amish tour, which stops at three homes, starts later that afternoon. At the first, guests play Amish holiday games and learn more about the group's traditions. At the second, they'll have a holiday meal. At the last stop they'll have dessert and sing carols.

While the Amish traditionally don't put up Christmas trees, they exchange small gifts with friends and family members, and for many Amish the holiday celebration goes well into January, sometimes even February.



For many communities, the big celebration is when the school comes together for its Christmas program, one of the few occasions when Amish children would be on stage and performing.

Sunday finishes up with a continental breakfast at the B&B before check-out.

The package is available the first three weekends in December.

The cost per couple is \$428 for a fireplace room, including the Saturday dinner tour. For more information, call 330/674-7608 or send an e-mail to [info@garden-gate.com](mailto:info@garden-gate.com). ●



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