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Scotland: Isles of Lore & Legend

with Optional 3-Night London Post Tour Extension

September 16 – 27, 2023



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HIGHLIGHTS... Glasgow, Sheepdog Demonstration, Auchindrain, Scottish Highlands, Loch Melfort, Oban, Choices on Tour, Isle of Mull, Isle of Iona, Urquhart Castle, Moray Firth Cruise, Culloden, Blair Castle, Dundee, Whisky Distillery, *Invisible Cities* Walking Tour

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2, 3	Hilton Glasgow, Glasgow
Days 4 – 6	Loch Melfort Hotel, Loch Melfort
Days 7, 8	Craigmonie Hotel Inverness , Inverness
Day 9	The Landmark Dundee , Dundee
Days 10, 11	VOCO Edinburgh, Edinburgh
<i>On some dates alternate hotels may be used.</i>	

Day 1: Saturday, September 16, 2023 Overnight Flight Rolling landscapes of green hills and rocky coastlines. Lively cities of friendly locals and the renowned “water of life.” This is Scotland - where legends live long, and storybook pages come to life.

Day 2: Sunday, September 17, 2023 Glasgow, Scotland - Tour Begins Welcome to Glasgow, a cultural trove of art, music, and history. Get ready to experience the eclectic architecture, friendly locals (Glaswegians), and rich traditions that make this city such a fascinating place. Settle into your hotel before joining your fellow travelers this evening for dinner. (D)

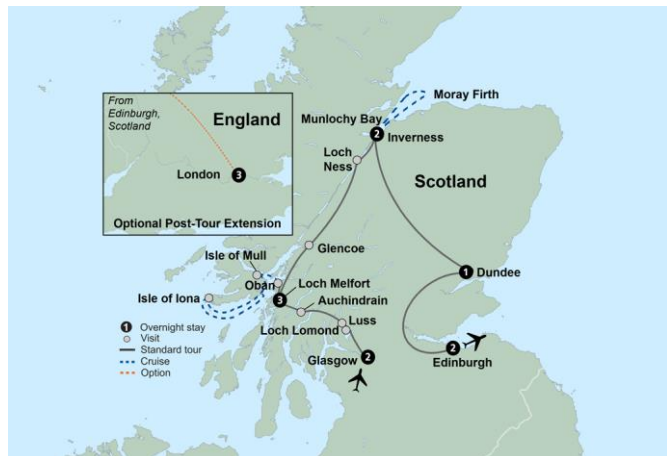
Day 3: Monday, September 18, 2023 Glasgow Soak in the rich culture of Glasgow. Join a local guide on a walking and coach tour that leads you through historic George Square and the beautiful Beaux-Arts style architecture that surrounds it; to Provands Lordship—the oldest surviving house in the city; the medieval Glasgow Cathedral; prestigious Blythswood Square; and the futuristic-looking Science Centre. After lunch on your own in central Glasgow, **it's your choice!** View one of Europe's great art collections at the Kelvingrove Art Gallery **-OR-** see the city's fabulous technology and transport collections at the Riverside Museum, situated on the banks of the River Clyde. (B)

Day 4: Tuesday, September 19, 2023 Glasgow - Loch Lomond - Auchindrain - Loch Melfort Leave the city behind, traveling along sloping fields and rolling clouds to arrive in Loch Lomond. Visit a family-run farm with spectacular views of the lake and surrounding hills. See border collies in action during a traditional sheepdog demonstration and enjoy Scottish snacks before departing for Luss. Explore this quaint lakeside village of stone cottages and bright flowers, then enjoy lunch on your own before jumping back on the bus to Auchindrain. Learn about Scotland's rural history during a guided tour of this well-preserved farm township that dates back to the 16th century. Continue to Loch Melfort and settle into your hotel for the next three nights. Take in a stunning view of the ocean from your room before wandering the grounds, home to friendly Highland cows and neighboring the National Trust's Arduaine Gardens. (B, D)

Day 5: Wednesday, September 20, 2023 Loch Melfort - Oban - Loch Melfort This morning, put on your comfy shoes and embark on a guided walking tour of historic Oban. Learn why the town is considered the “Gateway to the Isles,” uncover the history of the iconic McCaig's Tower, and find out what's buried under the North Pier as you traverse the scenic harborside town with a local expert. Afterwards, enjoy some free time, perhaps exploring Oban's food stalls and seeing for yourself why it's considered the seafood capital of Scotland. Return to your hotel in Loch Melfort to relax and spend the remainder of the day as you please. (B, D)

Day 6: Thursday, September 21, 2023 Loch Melfort - Isle of Mull - Isle of Iona - Loch Melfort It's time to island hop. Take the ferry from Oban to the Isle of Mull, a picturesque island that is the largest of the Inner Hebridean Islands. Continue to the Isle of Iona, one of Western Europe's oldest Christian religious centers. Journey to Iona Abbey on foot and enjoy free time to explore the tranquility of the grounds on your own before returning to Mull and back to your hotel in Loch Melfort. (B, D)

Day 7: Friday, September 22, 2023 Loch Melfort - Glencoe - Loch Ness - Inverness Geological wonders await you in the Highlands. Head to the National Nature Reserve in Glencoe and stop at the visitor center to learn about the spectacular Glencoe mountain range, then walk the trails and experience this unique landscape for yourself. After lunch, continue on to Loch Ness. Wander the ruins of the legendary Urquhart Castle and imagine all that transpired inside the walls of this 13th-century medieval fortress. Afterwards, travel to Inverness, capital of the highlands, to settle in to your hotel for the night. (B, D)



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Day 8: Saturday, September 23, 2023 Inverness Head out on the water and cruise Moray Firth, traveling up the Beauly Firth to the Caledonian Canal and then back out as far as Munlochy Bay. Keep your eyes peeled for otters, porpoises, seals, and numerous shore birds along the way. Continue to Culloden Battlefield, where in 1746, a half hour battle changed the course of Scotland's history. Experience the 360° battle-immersion theater at the visitor center, and see artifacts from the conflict. Later this afternoon, return to Inverness, and have some time at leisure to explore. (B)

Day 9: Sunday, September 24, 2023 Inverness - Blair Atholl - Dundee Immerse yourself in history today at Blair Castle & Gardens, the ancestral home of Clan Murray. Explore the ornate 18th century interiors and wander the nine acres of walled gardens where you may spot a peacock roaming free. After lunch, continue to Bamff Ecotourism. Meet the owners of this tranquil estate and learn why they're helping to reintroduce the wild beaver population to Scotland. Continue on to Dundee, an up-and-coming city on the banks of the River Tay. (B, D)

Day 10: Monday, September 25, 2023 Dundee - Edinburgh This morning, **it's your choice!** Visit Discovery Point, home to the RRS

Discovery, the ship that took Scott and Shackleton to Antarctica in 1901 **-OR-** get inspired at the V&A Dundee, Scotland's highly acclaimed design museum. This afternoon, enjoy a whisky tasting tour at a distillery built on an old monastery. Your day ends in Scotland's capital city, Edinburgh. (B)

Day 11: Tuesday, September 26, 2023 Edinburgh Start the morning with an **impact moment** and get a local's perspective with a guide from *Invisible Cities*, a social enterprise that trains people affected by homelessness to become tour guides of their own city. After your tour, visit Edinburgh Castle, home to the Scottish Crown Jewels. The rest of the day is yours. Perhaps you'll take a stroll among the Georgian architecture of the New Town or journey to Leith for a visit to the Royal Yacht *Britannia*. Gather in the evening for a whisky-inspired farewell dinner highlighting the flavors of Scotland and toast to your Scottish explorations. (B, D)

Day 12: Wednesday, September 27, 2023 Edinburgh - Tour Ends Wish Scotland a fond farewell as you depart for home. (B)

For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1153052>

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Mar 17, 2023, valid on air inclusive packages only.
IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Days and features are interchangeable.

Travel with just 16-24 guests on this tour where a smaller group setting means a more personal travel experience.

In order to fully experience the destination, some of our hotels on these programs are located in smaller towns or on country roads where access is limited to large coaches. In these cases, you will be dropped off as close as possible and there will be a short walk to access the hotel from the drop-off area.

Smaller buses, which may not be lavatory equipped, may be used on this program. In this case, frequent stops are made during travel periods.

Hotel check-in on your day of arrival is 3:00 p.m. Rooms may not be available prior to that time.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Triple accommodations are not available on this tour.

When reserving single accommodations, be advised that single rooms in Scotland are often smaller in size.

Travelers arriving in Edinburgh from August 4-26, 2023 will receive tickets to Edinburgh's famous Military Tattoo show. Please inquire at time of reservation.

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (1-2 hours) isn't a big deal. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, Zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. You can expect some longer days balanced with free-time to recharge or set out on your own adventure.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Our air guests will arrive into Glasgow airport and depart from Edinburgh airport. All departure transfers will depart from your Edinburgh hotel to the Edinburgh airport. If you choose to arrange your own air, please note you must arrive into Glasgow airport no later than 4:00 p.m. If your flight arrives into Edinburgh airport, you must arrive no later than 2:00 p.m.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of March 10, 2023 are based upon availability. Final payment due by July 18, 2023. Deposits are refundable up until March 17, 2023.

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BOOKING NUMBER: 1153052 TOUR: Scotland: Isles of Lore & Legend
DEPARTURE DATE: September 16, 2023 GROUP NAME: Carson City Chamber of Commerce

Name of Passenger:

Salutation: _____ First Name: _____ Middle Initial: _____ Last Name: _____ Suffix: _____
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YOUR INFORMATION:

Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel <passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

Nickname: _____ Gender: () Male () Female Date of Birth: month _____ day _____ year _____

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

Phone: () _____ Cell: () _____ Email Address: _____

Passport Number: _____ Expiration Date: (month/day/year) _____ Date of Issuance: (month/day/year) _____

City, State, Country of Issuance: _____ Citizenship: _____

Should you become ill or injured, whom should we contact (not traveling with you): _____ Phone: () _____

ROOMING WITH: ☐ Check if address is the same as Passenger #1

First: _____ Middle: _____ Last: _____ Suffix: _____

AIR GATEWAY: Departure airport for this tour: _____

Air Seat Request: () Aisle () Window () Next To Traveling Companion

Collette cannot guarantee your seat preference. If you have not purchased air through Collette and wish to purchase transfers, you must transfer at our pre-scheduled times. Please be advised, when travelling as part of a group, many airlines do not provide seat assignments. Preferred seating may be available for an additional charge.

Please reserve an upgrade to Elite Airfare for an additional rate of: ☐ Business Class \$3,990

Service is limited and not available on all flights or carriers. Other restrictions may apply. Please note: if you purchase an upgrade we cannot guarantee the same flight schedule as the group. If Business class service has been purchased, it is for the international portion of the journey only.

Are you willing to separate from the group air schedule to accommodate your upgrade request? () Yes () No

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TRAVEL PROTECTION: () Yes, I wish to purchase travel protection \$449 () No, I decline

If you choose not to purchase Collette's Waiver Insurance Plan, you will incur penalties for changes and cancellations. Travel Protection Payment is due with first deposit. The Waiver Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. The single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (There is coverage under Part B which includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons. See Part B for details.)

EXTENSION: I wish to purchase "3-Night London" () Yes () No

ON TOUR ACTIVITIES: Please choose one of the following on tour activities

Please Choose One:

() Kelvingrove Art Gallery

() Riverside Museum

Please Choose One:

() Royal Research Ship Discovery

() V & A Museum

PLEASE MAKE CHECKS PAYABLE TO: Collette () Check () Credit Card

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3 Meals: 3 Breakfasts

Day 12: Edinburgh - London, England - Extension Begins

Today, travel by train to experience London, the esteemed capital of the United Kingdom. Often described as a world within a city, London is a sophisticated metropolis with a timeless style all its own.

Day 13: London

Navigate the city with a local expert. Using your included Oyster card, hop on the famous underground Tube. Take a walking tour along the Thames River, where you can see St Paul's Cathedral, the Tate Modern Art Gallery and Shakespeare's Globe. End at Borough Market, London's premier food market, with history dating back around 1,000 years. You will love independently strolling the small, specialty produce stalls and sumptuous street food traders. Enjoy the afternoon to further explore the city. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 14: London

See London your way today! Be sure to take advantage of your included ticket to the Tower of London to peek into the city's storied past and uncover the secrets of this 11th-century fortress. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 15: London - Extension Ends

Wish London goodbye as your visit ends today. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Please Note:

Extensions are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

During this extension, you can expect to have a **hosted** experience or two, with a local representative revealing more of what this destination has to offer. Enjoy a mix of independent exploration and guided sightseeing and experiences.

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