

**SAN ANTONIO, TEXAS**  
**WACO, TX CHIP & JO “THE FIXER UPPER”**  
**APRIL 7--15, 2025**

**TOUR INCLUDES:** Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation, Warco Tour Guide, 8 Nights Lodging, 8 Continental Breakfast, Waco City tour, South Fork Ranch, Alamo IMAX Presentation, Alamo, Riverwalk Boat Cruise, Institute of Texan Cultures, San Antonio Shoe Company, San Antonio City Tour Featuring—San Fernando Cathedral, UNESCO World Heritage Site, Mission Concepcion, Mission San Joes, Mission San Juan Capistrano, National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum, taxes on all accommodations and attractions.

**PRICE PER PERSON**

**SINGLE \$2,635    DOUBLE \$2,065    TRIPLE \$1,890    QUAD \$1,800**

**SIGN UP AND PAY A \$200 DEPOSIT PER PERSON BY FEBRUARY 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2025.  
AND SAVE \$30 PER PERSON!!**

**MONDAY APRIL 7<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 TRAVEL DAY TO SPRINGFIELD, MO**

This morning we will start to venture our way to the State of Texas. Our travels today will take us through Illinois and into Missouri. Our deluxe accommodations for this evening will be in the Springfield, Missouri area.

**TUESDAY APRIL 8<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 WACO, TEXAS**

This morning after our continental breakfast at the hotel we will depart for Texas. Our travels today will take us through Missouri, Oklahoma and into the Waco, Texas area, which we will be calling home for this evening.

**WEDNESDAY APRIL 9<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 WACO AREA TOUR....HGTV CHIP & JO HGTV’S Hit Show “THE FIXER UPPER” ATTRACTIONS, SAN ANTONIO**

This morning a local tour guide will join us for a Waco area Tour featuring sights such as highlights from HGTV’S Chip & Jo “THE FIXER UPPER” attractions. Some of the area highlights you will be able to enjoy the Magnolia Market, Magnolia Homes, Common Grounds, Suspension Bridge, JDH Iron Design, Dr. Pepper Museum, plus many more area attractions. Later this afternoon we will be arriving in the San Antonio area, which we will be calling home for the next three evenings.

**THURSDAY APRIL 10<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 SAN ANTONIO, SAN FERNANDO CATHEDRAL, UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE, MISSION CONCEPCION, MISSION SAN JOSE, IMAX & ALAMO, RIVERWALK BOAT RIDE.**

This morning after our continental breakfast at the hotel, our first stop this morning will be at the San Fernando Cathedral. The Cathedral building is the oldest standing church building in Texas and as the first church in the city it has a rich history of responding to the people’s needs in and around the church. Our next stop you will be experience where in the 18<sup>th</sup> century, Spanish priests established these five Catholic missions along the San Antonio River to serve as the center of an ethnically diverse society at the UNESCO World Heritage Site. Today, the missions walled compounds encompassing a church and buildings where the priests and local Native Americans lived—represent the largest concentration of Spanish colonial missions in North America. Then we

will stop at the Mission San Jose, which is the largest mission in San Antonio and due to its size, it is known as the Queen of Missions.

Later this afternoon we will view the IMAX presentation, "Alamo...The Price of Freedom". This film depicts Texas' battle for independence from Mexico rule. A screen six stories high combined with a magnetic stereo sound system will give viewers a sense of participation. After the presentation, we will tour the Alamo Shrine. Then you will be able to enjoy a Riverwalk Cruise and learn more about the history of this San Antonio highlight.

**FRIDAY APRIL 11<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 MISSION SAN JUAN CAPISTRANO, SAN ANTONIO SHOE COMPANY, INSTITUTE OF TEXAN CULTURES.**

This morning, at our first stop you will be at the Mission San Juan Capistrano. Its purpose was also similar to that of the other missions, namely to convert Native American groups to Christianity and promote settlement in the region. Next we will have a stop at the SAS –San Antonio Shoe Company and maybe even purchase a pair. Then we will continue to the Market Square, better known as the El Mercado for lunch (on your own). Here you will be able to enjoy the true taste of Mexico featuring plenty of novelty shops like you would find across the border. Before returning to the hotel, we will visit the Institute of Texan Cultures. This exhibit explores the diversity of Texans, the people behind the story, who they are, where they came from and how they live, work and play.

**SATURDAY APRIL 12<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 TRAVEL TO DALLAS AREA, SOUTHFORK RANCH**

This morning we will check out of our hotel and travel to Dallas. Upon arriving in Dallas this afternoon you will be able to enjoy a tour of the Southfork Ranch. The Southfork Ranch, television home of J.R. Ewing. Upon arrival, you will tour the mansion, see the Lincoln Continental that Jock drove and hear stories about this mansion and why it was chosen for the movie. This evening you will have free time to relax at our hotel in the Dallas area.

**SUNDAY APRIL 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 NATIONAL COWBOY & WESTERN HERITAGE MUSEUM**

This morning we will depart the Dallas area and travel through Texas and into Oklahoma. We will be able to explore the National Cowboy & Western Heritage Museum in Oklahoma City. You will be able to enjoy more than 28,000 Western and Native American art works and artifacts. The facility also has the world's most extensive collection of American rodeo photographs. This evening's accommodations will be in the Tulsa, Oklahoma area.

**MONDAY APRIL 14<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 TRAVEL DAY TO WEST DES MOINES, IA**

This morning we will depart the Tulsa, Oklahoma and travel through Oklahoma, Missouri and into Iowa. Our deluxe accommodations this evening will be in the West Des Moines area for our last overnight.

**TUESDAY APRIL 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2025 HOME SWEET HOME**

This morning after our continental breakfast at the hotel, we will depart for home with arrival home mid afternoon with many fond memories of the Texas Tour.