

Orlando & Miami 's South Beach

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Orlando... while its themed attractions may steal the limelight, with a vibrant city center and a climate that averages 75°, there is a surprising number of things to experience here. **Epcot...** exposes you to vision of world culture and technological discoveries. **Kennedy Space Center...** our ongoing space journey... get access to historic launch sites and working spaceflight facilities. **South Beach...** has been called the American Riviera and an Art Deco Playground. **Everglades National Park...** The largest subtropical wilderness in the United States.

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- ⊙ 6 Breakfasts, 2 Lunches, 3 Dinners
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Welcome to Orlando and **our home for the next 3 nights...** The

Celebration Hotel offers a charming blend of Old Florida elegance and contemporary luxury... it is in the heart of Celebration Village... a planned community famous for its nostalgic flavor amidst the boutique shops, dining, and more!

We'll head to **Epcot today...** it's dedicated to the celebration of human achievement, namely technological innovation and international culture. Enjoy a behind the scenes tour before exploring this amazing place on your own... There is an abundance of places and things to see here. Tonight, it's the **Sleuths Dinner Show...** a comedy mystery show where you become the detective and solve the crime!

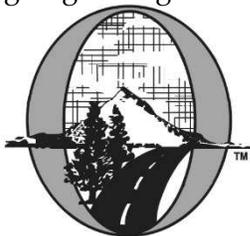
Welcome to the **Kennedy Space Complex** where rockets launch, and inspiration begins. Explore some of their amazing exhibits before sitting down to **lunch with an astronaut...** listen to fascinating tales about what it's really like to launch, live, and work in space. Next, embark on **the Explorer Tour...** see America's Spaceport. The tour will take us beyond the center, making several stops along the way... see the Vehicle Assembly Building, historic Launch Complex 39, the launch pads used by NASA's commercial partners and more!

We'll head to **Miami this morning...** It's the only metropolitan area in the U.S. whose borders encompass two national parks. First stop... **The Coral Castle Museum** see the stone sculpture garden, built by one man, Edward Leedskalnin. He single-handedly and secretly carved over 1,100 tons of coral rock, and his unknown process has created one of the world's most mysterious accomplishments. **Welcome to South Beach...** it offers an eclectic mix of world-class boutiques, galleries, and stores. Our home for the next 3 nights is the Hampton Inn located in the heart of South Beach and 1 block from the ocean. Get comfortable in your room before we head to dinner.

It was not long ago that Miami was a rather large but quiet Southern city. The **1959 Castro Revolution in Cuba changed Miami forever.** Wave after wave of Cuban refugees have transformed Miami into the Capital of the Americas: a fast-paced, internationally-connected, commercial, and entertainment hub with a racy Latin image.

We'll journey through the story of Miami's Cuban community. Experience the passion and vision that these motivated exiles brought to their new home. Take in the smells, sights, sounds, and colors of the streets that launched the dramatic transformation of Miami. **We also indulge in a great lunch along the way.**

We'll tour the Everglades today... be prepared for a day of natural wonders and historical discovery! Only accessible by airboat, we will travel miles into the Everglades to experience a historic Miccosukee island camp... hear how the Miccosukee families learned to live for generations in what many considered an unlivable landscape. Then venture through the quirky town of Everglades City, the center of Everglades life for over 100 years... and down to the historic fishing village of Chokoloskee where we will visit the old Indian Trading Post... Keep your camera's ready this is going to be great! You'll have some time to rest up before our farewell dinner.



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