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Trip Quest Travel Services

Happy New Year!

New Year? New Decade? New You?

What an exciting time to start a new decade! Part of remaking yourself in the new year and this new decade is planning what vacations you want to take over the next ten years. I am not talking about going to Hilton Head for a summer getaway.....you can do that anytime! I am talking about making sure those bucket list trips actually happen!

Consider planning now for any trips you want to take in 2020 and 2021...Alaska, Hawaii, Europe, Galapagos, New Zealand? This month is considered "wave season," a time when many cruise companies provide special incentives to book travel. Likewise, land tours also run promotions. I have found that last minute "deals" are rarely that. You get little choice of dates, room locations, and perks.

Instead, call or email with your basic thoughts and we can work together to tweak just exactly the kind of trip you desire! Hope to hear from you soon....if this is not a traveling time in your life, I also appreciate your kind referrals.

2020: Let's make it a year to remember!

Lauren

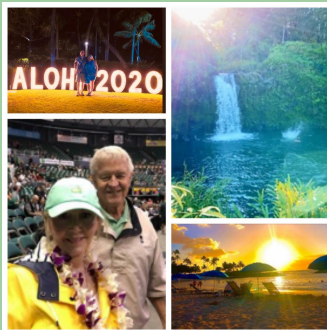
Trip Quest Travelers

Three family groups had super trips in December!



These eight siblings made wonderful memories on a fabulous Danube Christmas Market Tour with an independent extension on their own afterwards! Can't you just smell the markets of Vienna, Salzburg, Linz, and Passau and hear the sounds of the locals in this culturally-rich tour?

Betty and Ronald Wyse with their grown children and grandchildren had a bucket list trip of high adventure, exploring the Amazon River! Enjoy this unique itinerary through some of their pictures....poison dart frog, up close and personal with an anaconda, and experiencing food and activities with the locals.



John and Sandy Black spent Christmas in Hawaii with his son John and wife Lindsay – enjoying the Polynesian Culture Center, the beach, the fascinating Road to Hana, and a flight-seeing experience over the island of Maui. What an adventure!

Now that you have just finished the Christmas season, would any of you be interested in a seven night European Christmas market tour in 2021

with spouses, mom/daughter, or friends? This time we will go on the amazing AMA Waterways, departing the week after Thanksgiving and do the Rhine River. I know this is a long way off, but we can start registering now to get best pricing! Discover Europe's deep-rooted holiday traditions from Amsterdam to Switzerland and some can even add additional days in Amsterdam, Lucerne or Zurich!



Quick Links for Group Travel

The bucket-list trip for 2021! We have seventeen already booked for March, 2021 on Viking's unique Ocean Voyage itinerary shown below. You can even add on some time before or after to explore Italy in-depth. This will probably sell out before this summer, but right now there is some space still available. We are going to have so much fun!

Iconic Adriatic Antiquities



The Holy Land

Israel Facts

three things you might not know:

- Israel has more Nobel Prizes per capita than the United States, France, and Germany.
- About 93% of Israeli homes use solar energy for water heating, the largest percentage in the world
- The cell phone was developed in Israel

We have 24 registered for our Israel trip in November of this year, but we have space for twelve more if you'd like to join us. See the trip info below or contact me for more info. An informational meeting is also being planned for February 11th at 6:30. Let me know if you'd like to come to get more information!

Email me here!



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About Me!

I am Lauren Williams, a partner in Trip Quest Travel Services for the past five years. Moving from three decades in education to becoming a travel consultant has caused me to shift from "The Doctor of Education" to "The Doctor of Travel." My clients are often just like me – they want a rejuvenating vacation that teaches them about the world and the cultures around them. I love beautiful scenery, exploring new places, and learning something new every day! Aside from travel, I stay busy with my husband, Steve, and our four children and twelve grandchildren. Staying active in the church and in our community feeds our soul as well. I love to play tennis, pickle ball, and bridge when I am not helping clients plan that perfect trip! Because our world is so much smaller now, I am happy to work with clients wherever they might live...but by referral only! Hope you enjoy my monthly newsletter – let me know if there is something you'd like to know more about!

