

HOME PICKUP



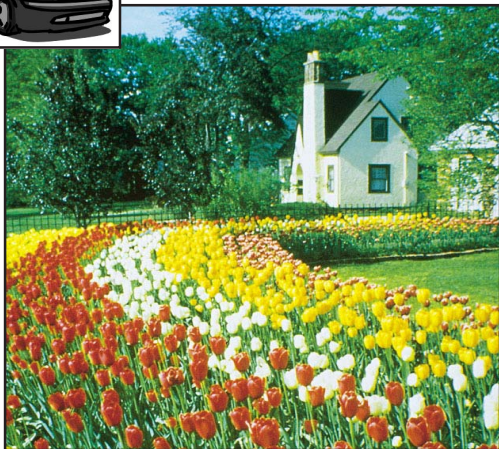
# Mid-America Tours Presents

76th Annual

## Pella Tulip Festival & The Amana Colonies

*Home Pickup/Return • Reserved Parade Seats  
John Deere Pavillion • Scholte House  
Tulip Gardens • Amana Colonies • Ox Yoke Inn  
6 Meals, \$15 in "Travelchecks"*

May 4-6, 2011



**Day 1: Quad Cities, John Deere.** Included home pickups bring you to our motorcoach to begin our spring excursion. We travel across western Illinois to the Quad Cities for a great lunch at Johnny's Italian Steakhouse. Adjacent to Johnny's in Moline we visit the John Deere Pavilion. After crossing the mighty Mississippi River we continue across Iowa to the state capital, Des Moines. Our lodging for the next two nights at the Northwoods-themed Stoney Creek Inn. Dinner is at the Iowa Machine Shed Restaurant amid its antique farm tools collection. (L,D)

**Day 2: Pella Tulip Festival.** Breakfast is included at the hotel this morning. Today we see the thousands of brightly colored flowers at the 76th annual Tulip Festival in the Dutch community of Pella. We tour the town seeing magnificent tulip lanes and the sunken garden. Visit the Scholte House, home of Pella's founder, with its amazing gardens featuring over 2,500 tulips and annuals! We also stop at the Historical Village, a restoration of early Pella, including a Dutch bakery, craft demonstrations, and the boyhood home of Wyatt



Earp. Your reserved bleacher seat awaits for this afternoon's colorful stage and street performances. Enjoy the traditional street scrubbing, Dutch dancers and costume parade! Dinner is included at Pella's Tulip Time Tea Room before returning to our hotel in Des Moines.(B,D)

**Day 3: Amana Colonies, Ox Yoke Inn.** This morning, breakfast is included at the hotel. Surrounded by the fertile Iowa fields, the Amana Colonies is our next stop. Established in the 1850's as a religious commune, the Colonies are now a national historic landmark. Our guided tour usually includes stops at a furniture shop, meat market or winery. A delicious luncheon is served this afternoon at the historic Ox Yoke Inn. This 130-year-old building was once a community kitchen where workers from the Amana Colonies would gather for freshly prepared, family-style meals. We return to your transfer home later today after a fun-filled tour to Iowa.(B,L)

**May 4-6, 2011**

- \$569 Twin**
- \$549 Triple**
- \$689 Single**

Per person

**Deposit, per person:**

- \$180 with travel protection \*
- \$100 no trip protection

**For Information Call:**

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**Payment Information:** Forward deposit, payable to Mid-America Tours, along with reservation form. Tour documents with departure and return times forwarded 10 days prior to departure.

Home pickup for two or more at same Chicagoland address, unless traveling as single.  
**Incorporation by Reference:** Terms and policies in the current Mid-America General Information statement incorporated herein by reference. Cancellation fees apply after final payment without \*Travel Protection Plan (TPP) coverage provided by Travel Guard Insurance. See detailed coverage and benefits brochure.

**Final Payment Due:** Mar. 26, 2011,



Elk Grove Village, Illinois



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