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2025 HISTORIC TRAINS OF THE OLD WEST

With Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta

10 Nights / 12 Days Land Tour • Escorted From Honolulu
October 07 – 18, 2025 • Tour Manager: Gwen Macion

Featuring: Denver • Royal Gorge Route Railroad • Colorado Springs
Albuquerque • Santa Fe • Excursion to Chimayo • Bandelier National Monument
Taos • Durango • Excursion to Mesa Verde National Park • Narrow-Gauge Railroad
Silverton • Glenwood Springs • Georgetown Loop Railroad

If the closest thing to time travel is train travel, then you'll love riding the rails into the unspoiled scenic past of Colorado. This off-the-beaten path tour of the U.S. West is just the ticket to chug through the untamed beauty of the Royal Gorge aboard the Royal Gorge Route Railway; through the magnificent mesas and canyons of San Juan National Forest aboard the Durango and Silverton Narrow-Gauge Railroad; and through the rugged splendor of the Rockies aboard the historic Georgetown Loop Railroad. You'll also pick up steam with visits to Colorado Spring's Garden of the Gods, Mesa Verde's ancient cliff dwellings, Chimayo's famous pilgrimage site, and Glenwood Spring's historic Hotel Colorado, a favorite of President Theodore Roosevelt's. Train buffs will also enjoy time in Durango's D&SNG Railway Museum. All aboard!

For one week in October, chasing rainbows is easy as hundreds of hot-air balloons take flight and turn the already stunning atmosphere of New Mexico into a kaleidoscope of dizzying color. Add the Albuquerque International Balloon Fiesta to your U.S. West vacation to witness the incredible Mass Ascension, fiery Balloon Glow, evening fireworks, and other colorful rituals of the world's largest balloon event.

Your Escorted Historic Trains of the Old West Land Tour Includes:

Roundtrip Economy Airfare from Honolulu • 10 Nights Hotel Accommodations
12 Meals (9 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 2 Dinners) • All Taxes and Fees

VACATION EXPERIENCE ONLY A GLOBUS GUIDED TOUR CAN PROVIDE

1. Trust in Togetherness. When travelers book an escorted tour for their vacation, they're choosing to explore the world in a small group of like-minded travelers: People who stick together, from start-to-finish. Now more than ever, there's great comfort — and extraordinary confidence — in that choice.

2. Getting Around, Safe & Sound. The company's state-of-the-art vehicles have undergone thorough cleaning protocols between tours, and each day, travelers enjoy a freshly cleaned and disinfected motorcoach with touch-ups at every stop. Assigned seating (only next to those in your travel party), required hand sanitization and luggage disinfection (before boarding each vehicle) also offer reassurances for a worry-free getaway.

3. Touching Hearts, Not Hands. With help from their on-site Tour Director, globetrotters can enjoy the ripple effects of eliminating many travel "touch points" including luggage handling; hotel check-ins and check-outs and the purchase of sightseeing tickets. Even better? Globus Tour Directors secure expedited entry into must-see attractions which means no waiting in long, crowded queues of people. For moments when touch is necessary, Tour Directors are armed with hand sanitizer.

4. Travel with Confidence. While on trip, travelers can also enjoy many enhanced health and safety protocols with the company's new **On-Trip Assurance program**. Leaving nothing to chance, Globus' Global Health & Safety Team has established **on-trip protocols** that focus on travelers' health and safety as well as the overall, travel experience including:

- Pre-trip health screenings and temperature checks plus daily health checks.
- Social distancing whenever possible, thanks in part to Globus Go Beyond Devices.
- Wearing masks when social distancing is not a possibility.
- Touch-free meals (no self-service options at hotels or alike).
- Enhanced cleaning and disinfection standards and protocols at hand-picked hotels.

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Day 1: Tue, Oct 07 – HONOLULU. Depart Honolulu.

Day 2: Wed, Oct 08 – DENVER, COLORADO. Arrive Denver. Welcome to Colorado! Transfer by coach to the hotel in Denver. The day is at your leisure – start exploring the city on your own. Your hotel rooms will not be available until the afternoon. At 6:00 pm, **meet your Tour Director and traveling companions** for a **Welcome Drink**. THE WESTIN DENVER DOWNTOWN or similar (1 Night)

Day 3: Thur, Oct 09 – DENVER – ROYAL GORGE ROUTE RAILROAD – COLORADO SPRINGS. Depart on a **scenic drive** south to the **Royal Gorge** for a unique experience on the spectacular **Royal Gorge Route Railroad**. Later, travel to Colorado Springs to explore **Garden of The Gods**, featuring 300-foot towering sandstone rock formations against a backdrop of snowcapped Pikes Peak and brilliant blue skies. Free time this evening. EMBASSY SUITES BY HILTON COLORADO SPRINGS or similar (1 Night) (B)

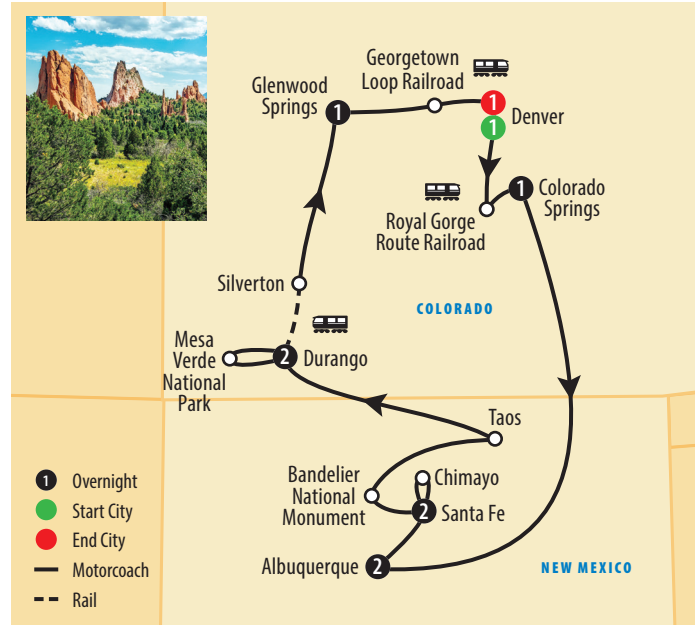
Day 4: Fri, Oct 10 – COLORADO SPRINGS – ALBUQUERQUE, NEW MEXICO. Leave Colorado Springs and travel south into New Mexico, the "Land of Enchantment," to visit Albuquerque – home of the annual Balloon Fiesta. Enjoy free time this evening before an early morning adventure tomorrow! DOUBLETREE BY HILTON ALBUQUERQUE or similar (2 Nights) (B, D)

Day 5: Sat, Oct 11 – ALBUQUERQUE. Get ready for the **world-famous Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta!** Experience this morning's **pre-dawn Opening Ceremonies** and the unforgettable **Mass Balloon Ascension**. See **Old Town Albuquerque** before returning to the hotel for free time before witnessing the popular **Balloon Glow and Fireworks Show**. (B)

Day 6: Sun, Oct 12 – ALBUQUERQUE – SANTA FE. Travel, via the **Turquoise Trail National Scenic Byway**, to the charming city of Santa Fe. Dinner this evening is at a local restaurant. LA POSADA DE SANTA FE or similar (2 Nights) (B, D)

Day 7: Mon, Oct 13 – SANTA FE – EXCURSION TO CHIMAYO. Today, begin with a captivating glimpse into the diversity of folk art from around the world. The **Museum of International Folk Art** in Santa Fe allows you to explore a vast collection of traditional textiles, ceramics, paintings, and other unique objects that showcase the rich heritage of different regions and communities. We then visit nearby Chimayo, which was founded in the 17th century by Spanish settlers. Enjoy lunch at the **Rancho de Chimayo**, located in a century-old adobe home, serving some of the best New Mexican cuisine. Visit **Santuario de Chimayo** and learn about the **miraculous healing powers** that still attract thousands of pilgrims each year. Return to Santa Fe, where the remainder of your day is at leisure. (B, L)

Day 8: Tue, Oct 14 – SANTA FE – BANDELIER NATIONAL MONUMENT – TAOS – DURANGO, COLORADO. Leave Santa Fe, stopping to explore the ancient **Anasazi Puebloans**, their cliff



dwelling, and the museum at **Bandelier National Monument**. Visit the adobe town of Taos for free time to explore. Continue into Colorado for Durango, a town born in the Gold Rush and silver-mining era. Tonight, spend free time browsing the many shops on Main Street or enjoy a cold pint at one of the city's local breweries. DOUBLETREE BY HILTON HOTEL DURANGO or similar (2 Nights) (B)

Day 9: Wed, Oct 15 – DURANGO – EXCURSION TO MESA VERDE NATIONAL PARK. Today, visit **Mesa Verde National Park**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Return to Durango for a guided tour of the **D&SNG Railway Museum** with free time to see the exhibits including an extensive model train layout. (B)

Day 10: Thur, Oct 16 – DURANGO – NARROW-GAUGE RAILROAD – SILVERTON – GLENWOOD SPRINGS. Board the **Durango and Silverton Narrow-Gauge Railroad** for a scenic ride through **San Juan National Forest**. Continue to Glenwood Springs for an overnight stay at the historic Hotel Colorado. HOTEL COLORADO or similar (1 Night) (B)

Day 11: Fri, Oct 17 – GLENWOOD SPRINGS – GEORGETOWN LOOP RAILROAD – DENVER. Travel through the beautiful **Colorado Rocky Mountains** to historic Georgetown for a scenic ride on the **Georgetown Loop Railroad**. Continue east to Denver, where your Tour Director hosts a **special Farewell Dinner**. Wonderful conversation and cuisine make the perfect finale for your vacation. THE WESTIN DENVER DOWNTOWN or similar (1 Night) (B, D)

Day 12: Sat, Oct 18 – DENVER – HONOLULU. Depart Denver. Arrive Honolulu. Aloha and welcome home!

♦ Vacation Experience with Globus is subject to change based on changing protocols.

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