



Unforgettable days of splendor!

**SPECTACULAR ALASKA
& GLACIER BAY CRUISE**
May 18-25, 2014

**\$200.00 EARLY
RESERVATION
DISCOUNT**

DAY 1 - WASHINGTON STATE - BOARD THE SUPER-LINER: Experiences with friends, family and other congenial travelers we'll never forget are ahead! The flight to Seattle, *King City of the Pacific Northwest*, arrives by noon (Pacific Time). This thriving metropolis sits on the slip of land between the Puget Sound and Lake Washington. Keep an eye out for interesting sights during the transfer to the pier where we check into our floating hotel resort, the *Pearl*, home for **7 nights**. All meals, festivities, fun and entertainment on board get underway.

The Pearl: A member of Norwegian Cruise Line fleet—93,000 tons accommodating 2,200 passengers and 1,100 crew members.

Meals: Available 24 hours a day—dining rooms, buffets, pizzeria, seafood, burgers, hot dogs, deli, Asian, Mexican, Mediterranean. A unique glass-enclosed Dine Around Restaurant is open for dinner by reservation at no additional charge.

Activities & Entertainment: The variety of activities, bingo, casino, shows and entertainment from which to choose aboard ship is almost endless. Or relax, swim, exercise—it's *do as you please*. Not surprisingly, there are many shops on the *Pearl*.

DAY 2 - LEISURELY CRUISING: Watch for scenes along the coastline while cruising the Inside Passage. And enjoy all the goings-on aboard ship.

DAY 3 - WELCOME TO THE CAPITOL CITY: Juneau, accessible only by air and sea, is full of highlights like Red Dog Saloon and Russian Orthodox Church. Numerous glaciers are in the area. We can even pan for gold. And, not surprisingly, browse souvenir shops.

DAY 4 - GOLD RUSH TIMES, PARDNER: In one year—1896-1897—Skagway, a remote town at the end of Lynn Canal, mushroomed from a few tents to a 'rootin-tootin' city of 20,000 gold seekers. Now, travelers come in search of other riches—to experience yesteryears along charming boardwalks lined with buildings that replicate days of the Great Gold Rush. But don't get caught between the gun slingers shooting it out on Main Street!

DAY 5 - A WONDER OF THE WORLD: Have camera loaded. It's a day to take-in the sights of incomparable **Glacier Bay National Park**, a United Nations World Heritage Site, from the decks of the cruise liner. Comprised of 3.3 million acres of natural wonders, the park is home to awe-inspiring glaciers, snow-capped mountains and abundant birds and wildlife like porpoises and whales. It is a highly protected area—We are on-board one of the few ships permitted to enter.

DAY 6 - TOWN ON STILTS: Ketchikan is called '*the town built a half-mile long and quarter mile high*' because mountains slope down to the sea and development has been on the mountain side. Its Indian name is *Kach Khanna* which means "spread wings like eagle." Chances are we'll see some of these magnificent birds perched atop Sitka trees. And we cannot help but notice the lush wilderness that surrounds the town.

DAY 7 - CANADA'S MOST BRITISH CITY: Mesmerizing **Victoria** located on Vancouver Island. Stunning Butchart Gardens, historic Bastion Square, Chinatown, the bustling Inner Harbour area—they're all here.

