

# CHRISTMAS STARS



## Vince Gill and Amy Grant Christmas Show at the Ryman and Two Nights at Opryland Resort

Last week November, First and Third week of December

*This tour has quickly become Ohio Travel Treasures most popular Christmas Tour*

### Highlights of Your Tour

#### Vince Gill and Amy Grant Christmas at the Ryman

**One of the most sought after holiday shows.** Reserved prime seating tickets. Show begins at 7:30 pm. In their two hour program, the Grammy-winning husband-and-wife team will present cherished standards and as well as newer seasonal fare.

*"Christmas audiences are special," explains Grant. "They tend to involve the whole family, and their emotions are a wonderful mix of anticipation and reverence. It's a thrilling experience for both of us." "These holiday tours have become our favorites," Gill agrees.*

Light dinner at Opryland Resort before the show.

#### Gaylord Opryland Resort

There is no better place to be this holiday season than Nashville's iconic Gaylord Opryland Resort with 2 million twinkling lights, acres of larger-than-life decorations, shopping, dining and holiday spirit. The name of the game at Gaylord Opryland is "comfort", especially for your feet! It's a huge hotel and you will do a lot of walking so wear comfortable shoes!

**Breakfast each morning is included at Cascades American Café.**

Don't miss the following during your stay at the resort:

**Outdoor Nativity**, features special lighting effects and an audio rendition of the biblical story of the birth of Christ. Location: Magnolia Lawn

**Parade of Trees**, take a self-guided tour of stunningly decorated Christmas trees throughout the resort. Numerous country artists and other celebrities will have specially decorated trees featured. Each tree's decorations and prizes are available to the highest online bidder as a way to benefit favorite charities.

**ICE!**, hand-carved displays created from 2 millions pounds of ice.

**Treasures for the Holidays Craft, Antique, and Art Show!**

**Water Fountain Show!**

**141 ft. Southern Lights Christmas Tree!**

**Nine acres of indoor gardens lavishly decorated for the holidays!**

**14-story soaring crystal-like dome of the Delta!**

**4-story mountain!**

**3 waterfalls!**





### Tour Fontanel Mansion

Former home of Barbara Mandrel – hit maker of the mid 70’s through 1995 and known for “I Was Country When Country Wasn’t Cool” and Sleeping Single in a Double Bed” – and *definitely* something that should be on your Nashville Bucket List. Barbara’s daughter Jamie is a tour guide at Fontanel, which will be totally decorated for the holiday season.

### Grand Old Opry House Back Stage Tour

There’s nothing like a backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry House - it’s a must-see for everyone and get an exclusive look at what happens behind the scenes of the show that made country music famous! Bask in the excitement of this unique opportunity — a must-have, bucket-list item experience for all fans of country music.

What to expect on your tour:

**A Short Video** featuring Blake Shelton, an official member of the Opry family since 2010

**Artist Entrance;** see the entrance where legends, superstars and new artists enter the Opry House on the night of an Opry show.

**Post Office;** here each member of the Grand Ole Opry has his or her personal box which fans can write to.

**Member Gallery;** discover the members of the Grand Ole Opry in the Members Gallery. Here a plaque for every member of the Opry can be found displayed on the wall from Roy Acuff to Faron Young.

**Studio A** is part of the world-famous Grand Ole Opry House. Once home to *Hee Haw*, Studio A continues to host television shows to this day including *Crook & Chase*, CMT’s *Crossroads* and *Invitation Only*.

**Dressing Rooms;** history comes to life in the dressing rooms of country artists. Delight in a sampling of 18 dressing rooms, each decorated with a unique theme to honor Opry legends like Jimmy Dickens, Porter Wagoner and Minnie Pearl.

**Green Room,** the Family Room, is Opry’s version of a green room. It is where stars gather before taking the famous Opry stage.

**Opry Stage;** step on stage at the Opry House on the famed six-foot circle of oak wood just as decades of country musicians have done.

### Luncheon Cruise on the General Jackson

Enjoy a General Jackson lunch cruise. It is the world’s grandest showboat that offers a delicious meal and world-class entertainment while cruising on the majestic Cumberland River. Christmas on the Cumberland Holiday Cruise, It’s the most wonderful cruise of the year! The General Jackson Showboat proudly presents their one-of-a-kind holiday treat, **Christmas on the Cumberland!**

### Experience Madam Tussauds Nashville

World-famous Madame Tussauds Wax attraction, just opened in Spring 2017. Walk down musical memory lane with some of history’s most iconic musicians. This is the ONLY wax museum dedicated to MUSIC ICONS.

### Visit Patsy Cline Museum

BRAND NEW!!! The new museum will host the largest collection of rare Patsy Cline artifacts, including many of the “Walking After Midnight” singer’s personal possessions, costumes, awards, letters, furniture and photographs. The exhibits will feature interactive cutting-edge audio and touch screen video technology. A gift shop is also on sight.



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