

# TOUR DU MONT-BLANC

## Escorted Mountain Trek

Sept. 17- 25, 2007

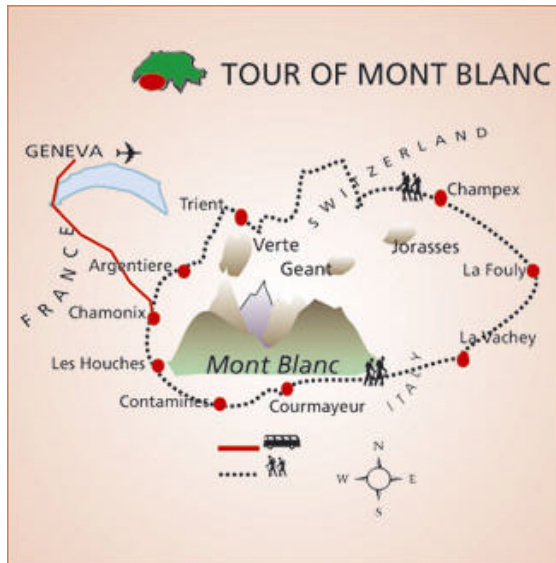
East Coast from \$2290 —Mid West from \$2453—West Coast from \$2566

Seattle Group Departure, Air and land : \$ 2799.00

Includes air & land cost per person based on double occupancy, air taxes are extra—other departure cities available

Join tour hosts and former Mt. Rainier Guides Jack and Donna Melill in a classic 6-day trek around the Mont Blanc Massif. The spectacular circuit follows ancient trade routes and Roman roads. From the massif of Mont-Blanc (the roof of Western Europe at 15, 771') seven valleys extend into France, Italy and Switzerland. These areas retain their own unique culture, architecture and landscape. Each day you will hike up to the ridges and descend into the valleys below. There will be time to enjoy views of glaciers, green mountain meadows and spectacular peaks. The landscape will take your breath away!

This trek is designed for physically active people who have a spirit of adventure and are able to hike 4-7 hours each day carrying only a small day pack (your luggage is transported daily) to scenic passes up to 8,900 feet. There will be plenty of time to enjoy views of hanging glaciers, mountain meadows, Alpine hamlets and spectacular peaks. The trip includes two Chamonix Guides, all meals and a fabulous Alpine experience. The nights before and after the hike will be spent at a hotel in Chamonix. Accommodation on this mountain hiking trip varies between small quaint hotels and mountain lodges.



### Included in tour:

- Round trip airfare from USA to Geneva
- Transfers to and from Chamonix
- Two nights in Chamonix with breakfast
- Two Professional Mountain Guides Daily
- All Meals while on trek
- Five nights hotel & lodges while on trek
- All local transfers, cable cars, vans, etc.
- Luggage transfer between lodgings during hike
- Hosted by Jack and Donna Melill to and from USA



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## TOUR DETAILS AND CONDITIONS

### DEPOSIT AND FINAL PAYMENTS

A \$150 per person deposit is due to confirm your space on this tour. Upon receipt of payment, you will receive an invoice and "Know Before You Go" information kit. Once your package is confirmed, a 30% deposit per person will be due within 7 to 10 days. Final payment is due 45 days prior to departure unless otherwise advised. Your space may be cancelled if payments are not received on time.

### RATE INFORMATION

Package price is subject to change due to currency devaluations, general tariff increases, or for any other reason beyond the control of the tour operators. Tour is priced on current exchange rates. In case of human or computer billing error, All Mountain Vacations reserves the right to reinvoice for the correct amount. **All prices reflect a 1.5% cash or check discount.** Visa, MasterCard and American Express are accepted at non-discounted prices.

**SINGLE SUPPLEMENT: \$ 301** Please note that European single rooms are typically quite small and contain one twin bed. Single rooms are very limited and on request only. Land only price: Deduct \$814 from East Coast price, deduct \$977 from Midwest price, deduct \$1090 from West Coast price. These prices are based on air availability at time of printing of this folder and may change.

### AIR ARRANGEMENTS

Group air has been booked on SAS from Seattle to Geneva, roundtrip. Boarding from Seattle can be allowed on this fare. Departures from other cities are available, such as New York, Chicago, San Francisco and other major gateways. Frequent flyer award holders can book their own flights. You are responsible for arriving and departing at the same time as the group in order to use the group transfers. If group transfers can not be used due to your own air schedule, your package will be subject to additional cost. Unused transfers are non-refundable. Air fuel surcharges and air taxes are not included in price.

Group transfer information: Group arrival in Geneva: 18 September at 7:15 p.m.

Group departure from Geneva: 25 September at 11:45 a.m.

### EQUIPMENT

This is a mountain trip where we cross passes above 8,250 feet. Temperature can drop or freezing and wind chill factor can make it colder. Be prepared! Layering is the best way to stay warm. Your daypack should be midsize to hold your raingear, lunch, water, and your camera. The rest of your luggage (one bag per person) will be transferred in the assisting minibus.

### DELAYS:

If the trip is delayed because of bad weather, cancelled or delayed flights, delays on other modes of transport, or illness for which the guide service or its agents cannot control, the cost of delays is not included.

### LEVEL OF DIFFICULTY

The Mont Blanc Circuit is designed for fit, energetic people who have a healthy dose of curiosity and enthusiasm about the world, and who like to be active. The most important prerequisites are a spirit of adventure and positive attitude. You should be an experienced hiker in good physical condition. You must be prepared and capable of walking an average of 5 to 7 hours a day on trails with steep ascents and descents (averaging 3,000 to 4,000 feet up and 2,000 to 3,000 feet down each day).

### DEVIATIONS AND EXTENSIONS

Deviations and extensions are allowed. In addition to any extra land charges, a deviation fee of \$75 will be charged by All Mountain Vacations. Any unused portions of original package are non-refundable. Once deviation itinerary has been confirmed, any subsequent changes will each be charged a \$35 fee, plus any additional air and land costs.

### CANCELLATIONS/REFUNDS

All cancellations must be received in writing. All payments are non-refundable unless refunds can be negotiated with hotels. **Trip protection insurance is highly recommended.**

### TRIP PROTECTION INSURANCE

The comprehensive insurance package includes the following benefits: full reimbursement of non-refundable expenses due to cancellation or trip interruption for covered reasons; \$25,000 emergency medical and dental expense; \$500,000 emergency medical transportation; \$1,000 lost baggage allowance, and more.

All baggage is carried at your own risk. It is up to you to make claims with the insurance company. Insurance should be purchased with initial deposit for full value protection. **If policy is purchased within 14 days of initial trip deposit, the "Pre-Existing Medical Conditions Exclusion" is waived.** For complete coverage details, please ask for a travel insurance brochure. Premium amount is determined by your age and total trip cost.

### PASSPORTS AND VISAS

U.S. and Canadian citizens require a valid passport. Non-citizens should consult their consulate.

### NOT INCLUDED

Meals and transfers not specified, portage at hotels, beverages at meals, tips to porters, drivers, hotel staff, guides, or items of a personal nature.

### RESPONSIBILITY

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