

Debra and Tom Fitzgerald
invite you to join us for our 16th
Annual year of touring !!!

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11 Days in Ireland

Just \$3,729!!! per person (single supplement \$499)

Departs September 19, 2018

Returns September 30, 2018

- ♣ Round Trip Air from Cleveland to Ireland (other cities can be arranged)
Air taxes are included but could change until ticketed
- ♣ **10 Nights First-Class Accommodations**
- ♣ Transportation by luxury motorcoach with a driver/guide
- ♣ **Includes all Breakfasts and all Dinners**
- ♣ Admission Fees
- ♣ **\$400 Deposit Per Person Due Now to Hold Space (Space is Limited)**
- ♣ Final Payment Due approximately May 10, 2018
- ♣ **Pre-Departure Party at Fitzgerald's Irish B&B to meet the traveling group**
- ♣ Full details available at www.FitzgeraldTours.com
- ♣ **These trips sell out quickly. Limited group size, Reserve now!**
- ♣ Itinerary includes: The Cliffs of Moher, The Burren, Westport, Achill Island, Westport House, Belleek Pottery, Donegal, Slieve League, Triona Design, Donegal Castle, Ardara, Doagh Famine Village, Iosas Centre Prayer Garden, Letterkenny, Markree Castle, Connemara Celtic Crystal, Galway, Kylemore Abbey, Foynes Flying Boat Museum, Bunratty, and Medieval Banquet, Hotel portorage, service charges and government taxes

Price includes Airfare/Hotel Stays/Event admissions /transfers by luxury motorcoach/ tours/all breakfast & dinners

FITZGERALD TOURS
September 19 –30, 201
Itinerary

Wed, Sep-19 **DEPART THE UNITED STATES** Depart your hometown and take an overnight flight across the Atlantic. Enjoy in-flight entertainment and meal service as you travel to start your vacation.

Thu, Sep-20 **SHANNON ARRIVAL & WESTPORT** After customs and immigration formalities at Shannon Airport, your CIE Tours driver/guide will welcome you to Ireland. Next, drive along the coast of County Clare to visit the Cliffs of Moher, one of Ireland's most beloved, natural landmarks. See magical vistas, overlooking the shimmering Atlantic Ocean along with Ireland's Western coastline. Pass through the Burren, an area of rocky limestone hills where a number of unique flowers thrive. This region also contains many dolmens, prehistoric monuments formed by large limestone slabs. Continue to your hotel in Westport and check in. You may wish to freshen up before joining your fellow travelers for dinner in the hotel restaurant. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: CASTLECOURT HOTEL, WESTPORT**

Fri, Sep-21 **ACHILL ISLAND TOUR** Set off around Clew Bay, through Newport and along Curraun Peninsula to reach Achill Island, joined to the mainland by a bridge. Follow the Atlantic Drive to capture wonderful and wild scenic views of steeply sloped mountains plunging into the shimmering Atlantic Ocean. Return to Westport and visit Westport House, an 18th century mansion, set in superb parkland with magnificent views overlooking Clew Bay. See stunning rooms with priceless furnishings, paintings, books, and silver. Then enjoy the remaining of the afternoon at leisure before joining your group for dinner. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: CASTLECOURT HOTEL, WESTPORT**

Sat, Sep-22 **BELLEEK POTTERY** Leaving Westport, travel to Belleek and visit the Belleek Pottery Factory. See how skilled craftspeople form and decorate clay to produce delicate porcelain masterpieces. From Belleek, head to Donegal and check into your hotel. You may wish to take a short stroll before dinner in the hotel restaurant. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: CENTRAL HOTEL, DONEGAL**

Sun, Sep 23 **SLIEVE LEAGUE** After breakfast visit Slieve League Sea Cliffs, where the highest point reaches 1,972 feet making them the highest in Europe. The cliffs drop straight down to the wild Atlantic waves below and you will see marvelous vistas. Also, enjoy some freshly made tea and scones while at the cliffs. Return to Donegal so you can spend the afternoon at leisure. Tonight, dine in the fine hotel restaurant with your fellow travelers. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: CENTRAL HOTEL, DONEGAL**

Mon, Sep 24 **TRIONA DESIGN** Departing Donegal, travel to quaint town of Ardara. Upon arrival visit Triona Design to see demonstrations of spinning, weaving and knitting. Continue on to visit Donegal Castle, which incorporates the gabled tower of a 15th century house built by the O'Donnell family. Partially restored, the castle reflects a long and turbulent history. Then head to Letterkenny, where you will check into your hotel for dinner and your overnight stay. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: SILVER TASSIE HOTEL, LETTERKENNY**

Tue, Sep 25 **DOAGH FAMINE VILLAGE** This morning drive to Lagcurry, where you will visit the Doagh Famine Village and Visitor Center. See a wide variety of attractions, which showcases life in Ireland from the 1840s to the modern day. Next, visit the nearby Iosas Centre Prayer Garden before heading back to your hotel in time for dinner. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: SILVER TASSIE HOTEL, LETTERKENNY**

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Wed, Sep 26 **LETTEKENNY TO MARKREE CASTLE** Leaving Letterkenny, travel to Collooney to check into the superb Markee Castle Hotel, which is located along the enchanting Wild Atlantic Way. Once you settle in, you are free to use the many amenities of your fine property. You might like to take part in a hawk walk, where you can cast hawk into nearby trees. Or perhaps you would like to do Stand Up Paddling or take a leisurely walk on the nearby trails. You could also horseback ride, kayak or even mountain bike. In the evening join your group for dinner in the elegant hotel restaurant. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: MARKREE CASTLE HOTEL, COLLOONEY**

Thur, Sep 27 **CONNEMARA CELTIC CRYSTAL** Today, drive to the town of Moycullen to visit the Connemara Celtic Crystal Factory. Watch a craftsman demonstrate the cutting of designs and see the full range of products in the showrooms. Continue to Galway, where you will join a local guide for a gentle walking tour. See the medieval city walls, Lynch's Castle and the narrow streets. Then check into your hotel for dinner and your overnight stay. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: HOTEL MEYRICK, GALWAY**

Fri, Sep 28 **KYLEMORE ABBEY** After breakfast travel through Connemara Region to admire the sweeping views of boglands and misty mountains. As you drive along you will see many sheep that graze freely and also tracts of bogland where some people hand-cut peat for home heating. Stop at Kylemore Abbey for a tour of the elegant mansion and church, set beside a tranquil lake. Learn of the tales of tragedy, romance and royal visits. Also walk through the magical Victorian walled garden. Return to Galway in time for dinner. **DINNER & OVERNIGHT: HOTEL MEYRICK, GALWAY**

Sat, Sep 29 **FOYNES MUSEUM & BUNRATTY** Departing Galway, head to Foynes to visit the Flying Boat Museum. The museum recalls the early days of air travel, during the 1930's and early 1940's. Irish coffee was first created here to warm frozen, weary travelers and you will learn how to make a perfect one and then drink it. After your visit, drive to your hotel in the quaint village of Bunratty and check in. You may wish to relax or freshen up before tonight's festivities. This evening join in the fun and feasting at Bunratty or Knappogue Castle. Your medieval-style banquet is served in the Great Hall of the 15th century castle. **OVERNIGHT: BUNRATTY CASTLE HOTEL, BUNRATTY**

Sun, Sep 30: **RETURN TO THE UNITED STATES** Sadly, today your Irish vacation has come to its final day. Transfer to Shannon Airport in good time to check in for your flight. You may do some last minute shopping at the duty free stores before boarding your aircraft and flying across the Atlantic Ocean back to the United States.

Terms and Conditions

The agreement and our services for you are governed by our terms and conditions which can be found here: <http://fitzgeraldtours.com/Terms.aspx> You represent and warrant that you have read and reviewed the terms and conditions prior to consummating your business with us and you specifically agree to be bound by those terms and conditions

Cancellations must be given to us in Writing (NO Phone Cancellations). Refunds will be based on the receipt date of your letter and using the time table below. You will receive all your money back less the Per/Person Penalty shown below.

Up to 121 Days Prior to Departure Date\$250 Administration Fee Per Person
Between 120 - 0 Days Prior to Departure Date ...No Refund

Additional penalties may include unrecoverable airline costs. Once issued, airline tickets are not refundable

Final Payment is due approximately May 10, 2018, an invoice will be sent via email

Baggage: Passengers are allowed one piece of checked luggage and one small carry on. Your tour hosts are not responsible for theft, damage or loss of personal belongings.

Identification: All passengers are required to have a valid passport, good for 6 months past return date. You will be denied boarding without correct id.

Valuables: Major credit cards are accepted in most places. Passengers are advised to carry currency in small amounts. Keep valuables with you.

Air arrangements: Your tour hosts are not responsible for changes in airline schedules

Responsibility: Your tour hosts will not be held liable for any loss, damage or expense caused by the tour operator.

INSURANCE IS HIGHLY RECOMMENDED!!!

Insurance must be **purchased within 14 days of initial deposit to cover pre-existing medical conditions.** We recommend Travel Insured International Worldwide Trip Protector. Available by calling 1-800-243-3174 or online at <http://www.travelinsured.com/> Please use the group number **46032**.

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Name (as it appears on your passport): _____ Birthdate: _____

Name Passenger 2 (as it appears on your passport): _____ Birthdate: _____

Address _____

City/State/Zip _____

Email address: _____

Phone Number _____

Enclosed is my deposit \$ _____ (\$400.00 per person),

I have read and agree to the Terms and Conditions Signature _____

I am single, but am willing to share with group member of same gender (we will try) ()

Please return the above Reservation Form with your deposit check payable to:

Fitzgerald Tours

47 Mentor Avenue ♣ Painesville OH 44077
440-796-3529 ♣ email: fitztours@gmail.com



After much anticipation we are pleased to offer this tour of Ireland. This is a Northwestern Ireland tour. It includes some of the more well known parts of Ireland (i.e. the Cliffs of Moher, Belleek China, Galway, and Connemara) as well as some special places we have found and more lesser known jewels that you will love (Doagh Famine Village Slieve League and Triona Design Center)! We will stay in several family run hotels and also a castle!

Early deposits help us to plan appropriately so we ask that you get your deposit in as early as possible. This is not a tour you will find anywhere else. It is a custom tour developed by usfor you.

Once again, the price includes a get-acquainted party at Fitzgerald's Irish Bed & Breakfast before departure, all breakfasts and all dinners. Costs not included: the cost for lunch, tip for our driver/guide and optional travel insurance.

Call if you have any questions (440) 796-3529. On weekdays please call after 4:30.

We look forward to sharing another fabulous Ireland adventure with you!

Slainte!

Debra and Tom