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CAPITAL REGION FLOWER & GARDEN EXPO

Troy, New York

Friday March 22, 2024

8:30am Depart Rome – Freedom Plaza – 205 Erie Boulevard
9:00am Depart Utica – DOT Commuter Park & Ride, 10 Harbor Lock Rd. West
9:30am Depart Herkimer – Walmart – 103 N. Caroline St.

11:00am **Approximate arrival Hudson Valley Community College**
Explore, learn, shop, and appreciate the natural beauty of flowers, gardens and houseplants at the **Capital Region Flower & Garden Expo**. See full-scale garden displays, sit in on a lecture, stop at an education station, shop the marketplace, enjoy a free tasting from one of New York's wineries or distilleries, and fill up on lunch from a variety of food trucks. There's even a whimsical sand sculpture! Bring a camera, get tips for your own home garden, or just enjoy an early taste of spring. (We plan to have about 3 ½ hours at the Expo)

We'll make a stop at **Schoharie Valley Farms** on the way home. Check out spring bulbs, Easter lilies, and more in the greenhouse. Grab a bite from the café/bakery, or pick up a grocery item like dairy, meats, honey, jam or sauces. Bring a small cooler for your purchases if you'd like. Easter is March 31, take advantage of this unique shopping opportunity.

5:30pm **Approximate return to Herkimer**
6:00pm **Approximate return to Utica**
6:30pm **Approximate return to Rome**

**Itinerary times and attractions subject to change for the comfort and well-being of passengers.
Tours By Design is not responsible for delays.*

COST PER PERSON: \$89.00 NOTE: If reservation made after March 4, add \$5.00

TOUR INCLUDES: Motorcoach transportation, tour escort, Garden Show admission, Schoharie Valley Farms/Carrot Barn visit.

NOT INCLUDED: Optional gratuity for driver and escort.

RESERVATION & PAYMENT: Full payment within two weeks of making reservation. **NON-REFUNDABLE** unless trip is canceled by Tours By Design. You can send a replacement with no charge for the name change. Payment by check only, payable to Tours By Design, Inc. (\$25.00 fee for returned checks). Sorry, credit cards not accepted. *Tours By Design reserves the right to cancel a tour due to low registration.*

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