

# MS. BEZ'S DREAM TRIP

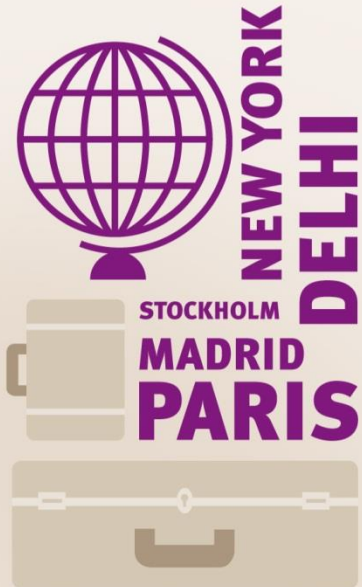


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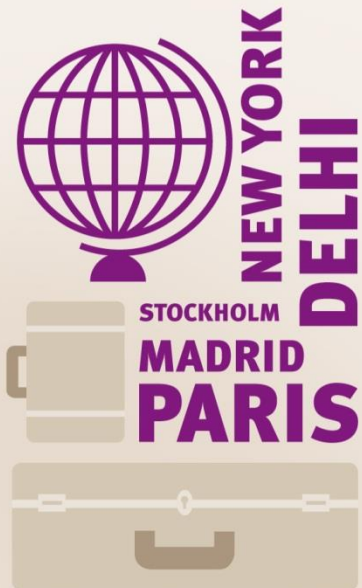
# Trip Itinerary

- Day 1: Travel to Amsterdam
- Days 2 & 3: Amsterdam, Netherlands
- Days 4 & 5: St. Petersburg, Russia
- Days 6 & 7: Moscow, Russia
- Days 8 & 9: Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam
- Days 10 & 11: Phuket, Thailand
- Day 12: Cape Town, South Africa
- Days 13 & 14: Port Elizabethtown, South Africa
- Day 15: Travel back to USA



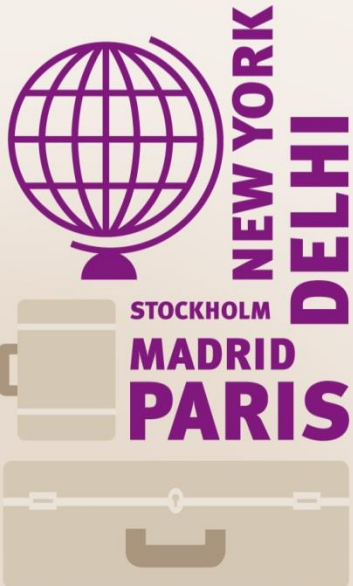
# Day 1: Travel to Amsterdam, Netherlands

- Flying Air Canada
  - Columbus to Toronto
  - Toronto to Amsterdam
- Cost= \$1,938



# Where I will stay in Amsterdam

- Banks Mansion
- \$307 per night for 2 nights= \$614



## Day 2: Visit Anne Frank's House



- Cost 9 euro (\$10.04)
- Anne Frank had to go into hiding during World War Two to escape the Nazis' persecution of the Jews. She was discovered and sent to a concentration camp where she died. The place where Anne hid from 1942 to 1944 is known as the secret annex. In the museum you can see Anne Frank's original diary, which she wrote while in hiding. The museum tells the story of how the eight people in hiding lived and who helped them.



*This relates to our study of the Holocaust, the genocide of the Jewish people by the Nazis during WWII.*

## Day 2 continued: Visit the Vincent Van Gogh Museum

- Cost 17 euros (\$18.95)
- Art museum dedicated to the works of Dutch painter, Vincent van Gogh and his contemporaries.



*Attend a Walk in Workshop and paint in the museum!*



## Day 3: Visit to Keukenhof Gardens



- Cost 16 euro (\$17.84)
- known as the Garden of Europe, is one of the world's largest flower gardens. It is situated outside of Amsterdam. Approximately 7 million flower bulbs are planted annually in the park, which covers an area of 79 acres.



*Take a bike ride 4.4 miles away to see the tulip fields in Bollenstreek*

Dear Jenny,

I made it to Amsterdam! The flight was long but uneventful. Yesterday we visited the Anne Frank House. We went behind the bookcase and up the stairs to where her family hid. It was really moving to see it and imagine what she went through.

We just got back from the Keukenhof Gardens. Amazing! We definitely need to move to the Netherlands to become tulip farmers! It was so beautiful. I could visit the gardens every day and not get tired of them.

This is just the first stop on the trip. I can't wait to see the other places we have planned!

I'll call when I get home!

Mary



Jenny Staley

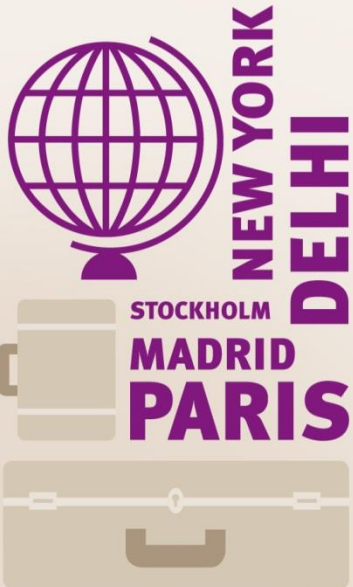
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## Day 4: Travel to St. Petersburg, Russia

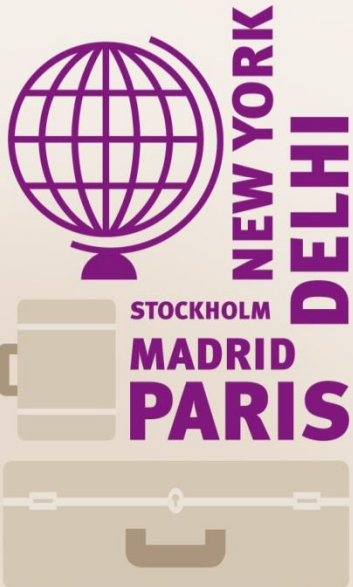
- Where I will stay:
  - State Hermitage Museum Official Hotel
  - Cost = \$207 per night at 2 nights= \$414



## Day 4: Visit the State Hermitage Museum (Winter Palace)

*This relates to when we studied the Russian Revolution and Tzar Nicholas was overthrown and killed along with his family.*

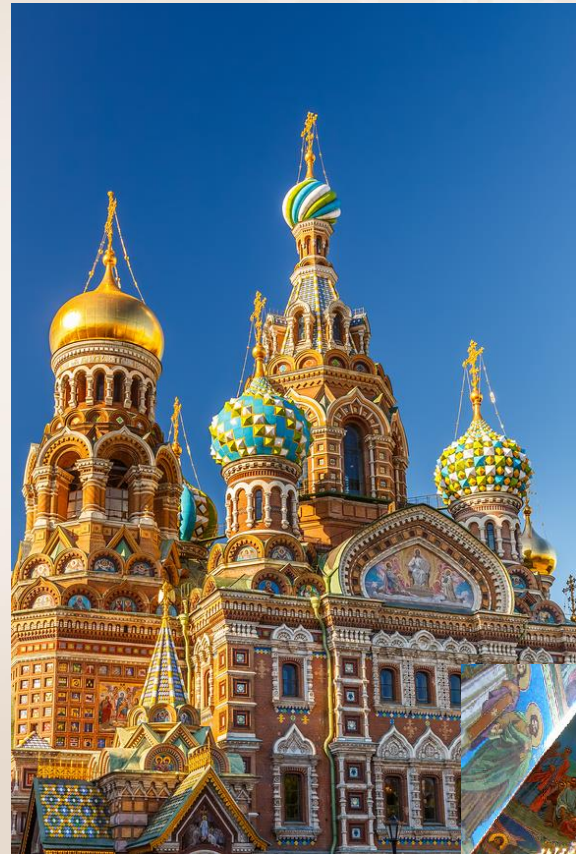
- Cost 600 rubles (\$11.77)
- From 1732 to 1917, the official residence of the Russian monarchs.
- Tzar Nicholas Romanov was the last king to live here.



## Day 5: Visit the Church of the Savior on Spilled Blood & boat tour of the city

- Cost 250 rubles (\$4.85)
- One of the main attractions in the city
- Known for its ornately decorated onion domes and stunning mosaics inside

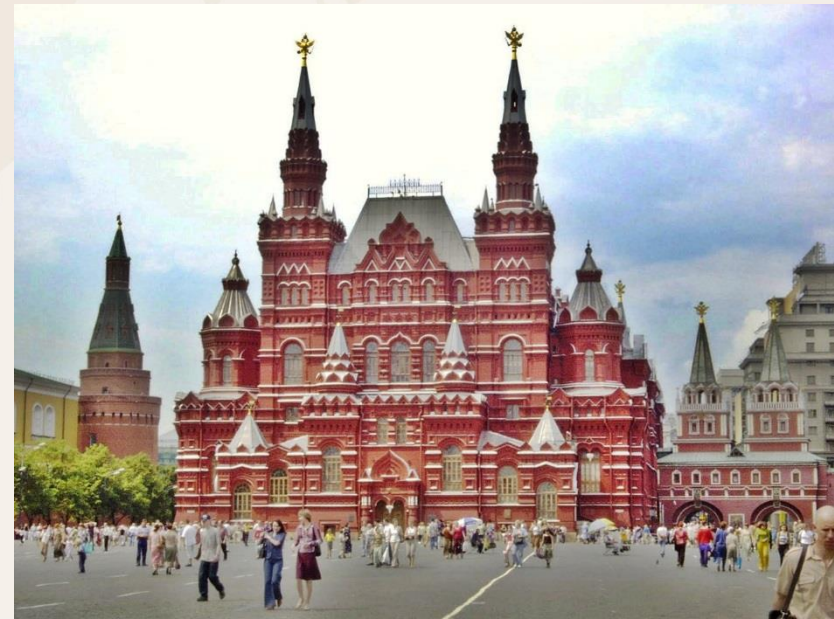
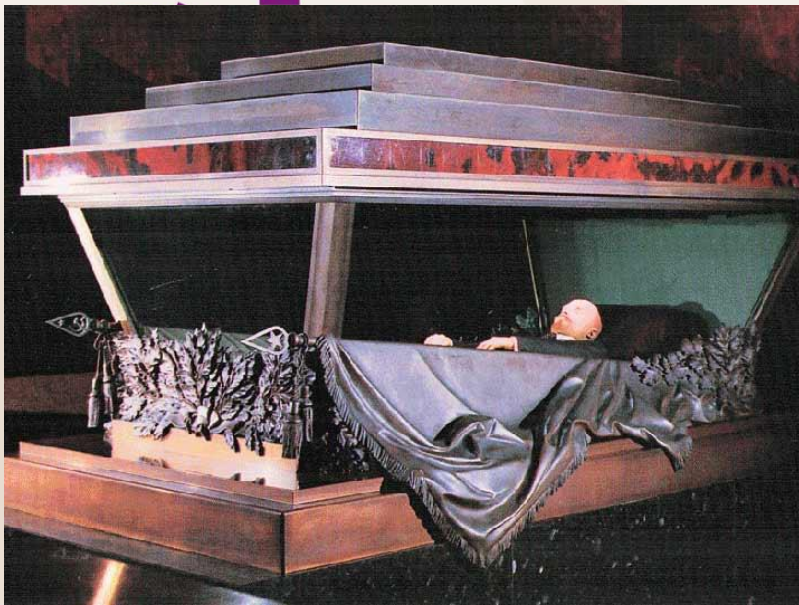
*The city is a complex web of rivers, canals and channels so a boat tour is a great way to see the city.*



# Day 6: Travel to Moscow & Visit Red Square & Lenin's Masoleum

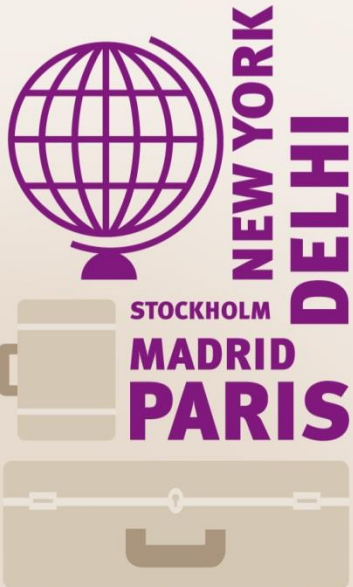
*Lenin led the Bolshevik Revolution and took control of Russia, creating a communist state and renaming it the Union of Soviet Socialist Republics (USSR).*

- It's the symbolic center of all of Russia
- Separates the Kremlin (residence of President) and the merchant section of the city
- Contains the embalmed body of Vladimir Lenin, the founder of the USSR



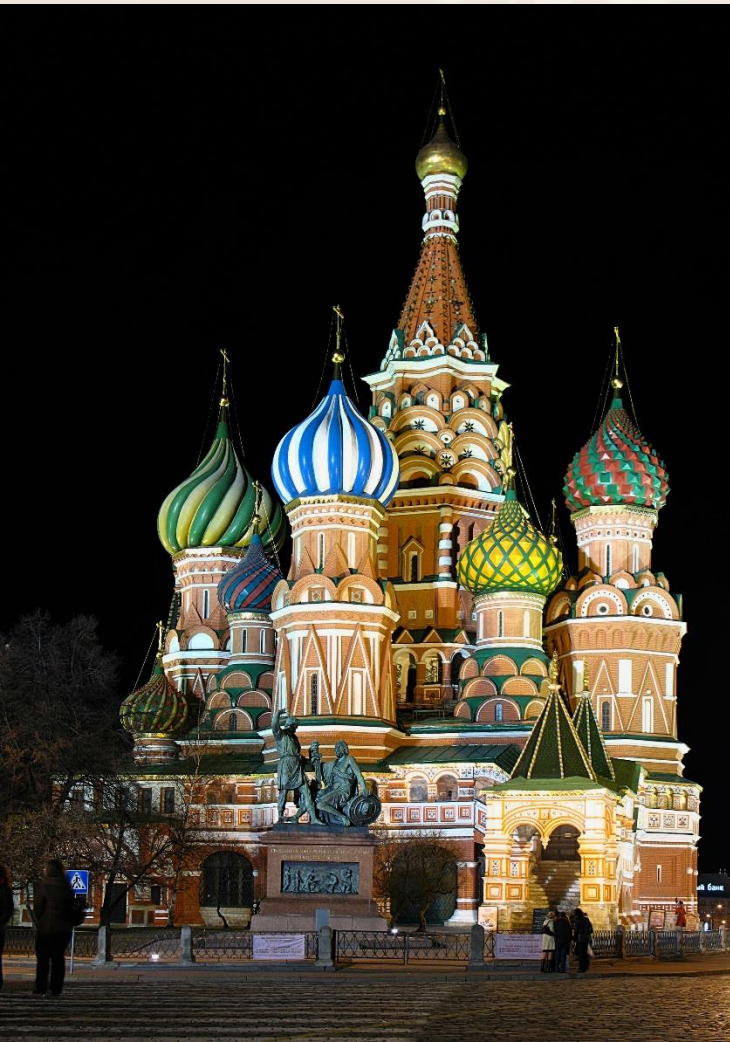
# Where to Stay in Moscow: Ararat Park Hyatt Moscow

- Cost \$387 per night, 2 nights = \$774



## Day 7: Visit St. Basil's Cathedral & Attend a Russian ballet

- Cost 250 rubles (\$4.85)
- Most iconic site in Russia
- Built under orders of Ivan the Terrible
- The Imperial Russian is one of the most famous ballet companies in the world. Cost \$500



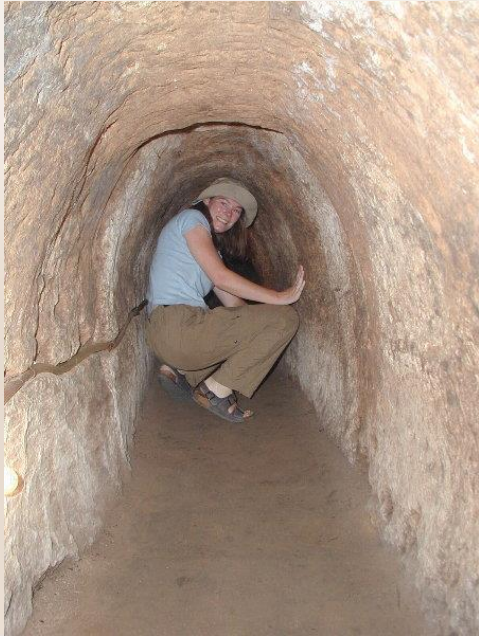
*Ivan the Terrible was one of the absolute monarchs we discussed in class.*



## Day 8: Travel to Vietnam & Visit the Cu Chi Tunnels

*This relates to our Cold War unit when we studied the Vietnam War and how the Viet Cong would use the tunnels to attack.*

- \$43 on a group tour from Ho Chi Minh City
- These are the 200 km of tunnels the Viet Cong created and used during the Vietnam War



# Where to Stay in Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon)- Hotel Nikko Saigon

- Cost \$162 per night, 2 nights= \$324



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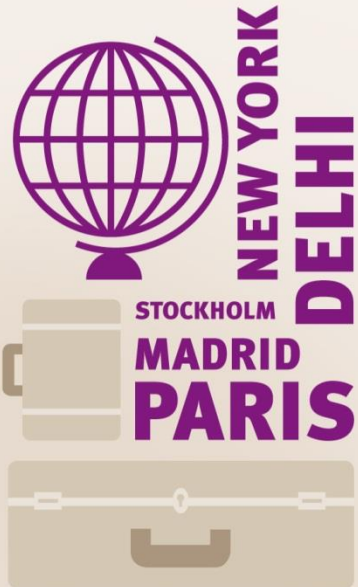




## Day 9: Go on a Tour of Hoi An



- A local university students organization offers a free bicycle tour to unexplored countryside
- Interact with local people: children at kindergarten, farmers and fisherman
- Discover REAL Vietnamese local life



# CARTE POSTALE

Dear Ann, Nick, & Mikey

It's been an incredible trip so far! Russia was pretty cool. I'm glad I got the chance to see where our family came from.

I have fulfilled my life's dream of visiting Vietnam! The Cu Chi tunnels were really interesting. I made myself go down into them even though I hate small spaces. I can't believe the Viet Cong created basically whole towns underground!

Today we took a tour of Hoi An. We had a really nice guide, Linh, who is a student learning English. She took us outside the city and showed us a typical



village. We saw rice paddies, water buffalo, and visited a village market. I bought you guys something- you'll have

to wait to find out when I get home. See you soon! Love, Mary

The Talbots

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# Day 10: Travel to Phuket, Thailand and Enjoy a day at the Beach and Spa Treatments!

- Stay at the Tubkaak Krabi Boutique Resort
- Cost \$175 per night, 2 nights= \$350



## Day 11: Visit the Elephant Nature Park

*Learn about rescued and orphaned elephants. Observe them in natural surroundings. Opportunity to feed them and watch them bathe.*

- Elephant rescue and rehabilitation center
- Cost 2,500 Thai Baht (\$75.65)



# Day 12: Travel to Cape Town South Africa

## Visit Robben Island

- Cost 250 rand (\$12.56)
- Used at various times between the 17th and 20th centuries as a prison, a hospital for socially unacceptable groups and a military base.

*Nelson Mandela was imprisoned there for 27 years for protesting apartheid. We studied apartheid, “separateness” in class.*



# Stay at Table Bay Hotel

- Cost \$207 per night, 1 night



# Staying at Pumba Game Reserve

- Cost 5700 rand (\$477.72) per night, 2 nights= \$955.44
- Includes safari!



## Day 13: Pumba Game Reserve, Port Elizabethtown

- Go on safari in South Africa!
- See the 5 Big Game: lions, elephants, rhinos, buffalo and leopards!  
(and may other African animals)





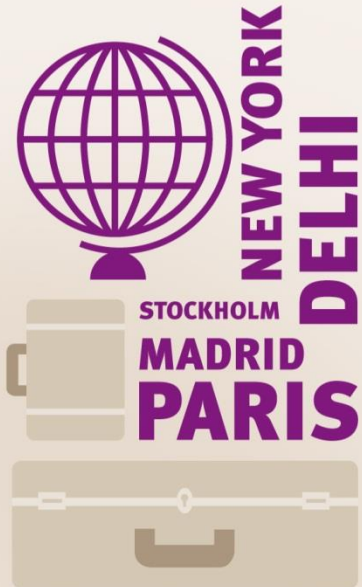
## Day 14: Relax at the Pumba Game Reserve

- Go on morning safari and then relax at the resort



# Day 15: Travel Back to the USA!

- Cost \$1376
- Fly British Airways
  - Cape Town to London
  - London to New York City
  - New York City to Columbus



# Trip Costs

- Travel (flights) \$3314.00
- Hotels \$3638.44
- Activities \$699.51
- TOTAL: \$7651.95

