

DISCOVER

The True Spirit of Cuba



SIGNATURE CUBA TOURS

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Discover Cuba Through Its People





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Step off the plane and back in time. Cuba, an enchanting island brimming with history, culture, and warm, welcoming people, is calling.

From its timeless Spanish architecture to its soul-stirring music, to its people, who are as warm and welcoming as its tropical climate, Cuba has a deep-rooted culture all its own. Just 90 miles off the coast of the United States, Cuba is a captivating journey back in time, with nine UNESCO World Heritage Sites, cobblestone streets full of classic cars, and a landscape almost untouched by Western influence. And at long last, this unforgettable island nation is legally open to any U.S. citizen through insightCuba's people-to-people tours authorized by the U.S. Department of the Treasury.

It's time to discover Cuba through its people. Join us, the experts in legal, small-group travel to Cuba, as we explore the mystique behind this fascinating country and the gracious, welcoming spirit of the Cuban people.

15 Years
insightCUBA



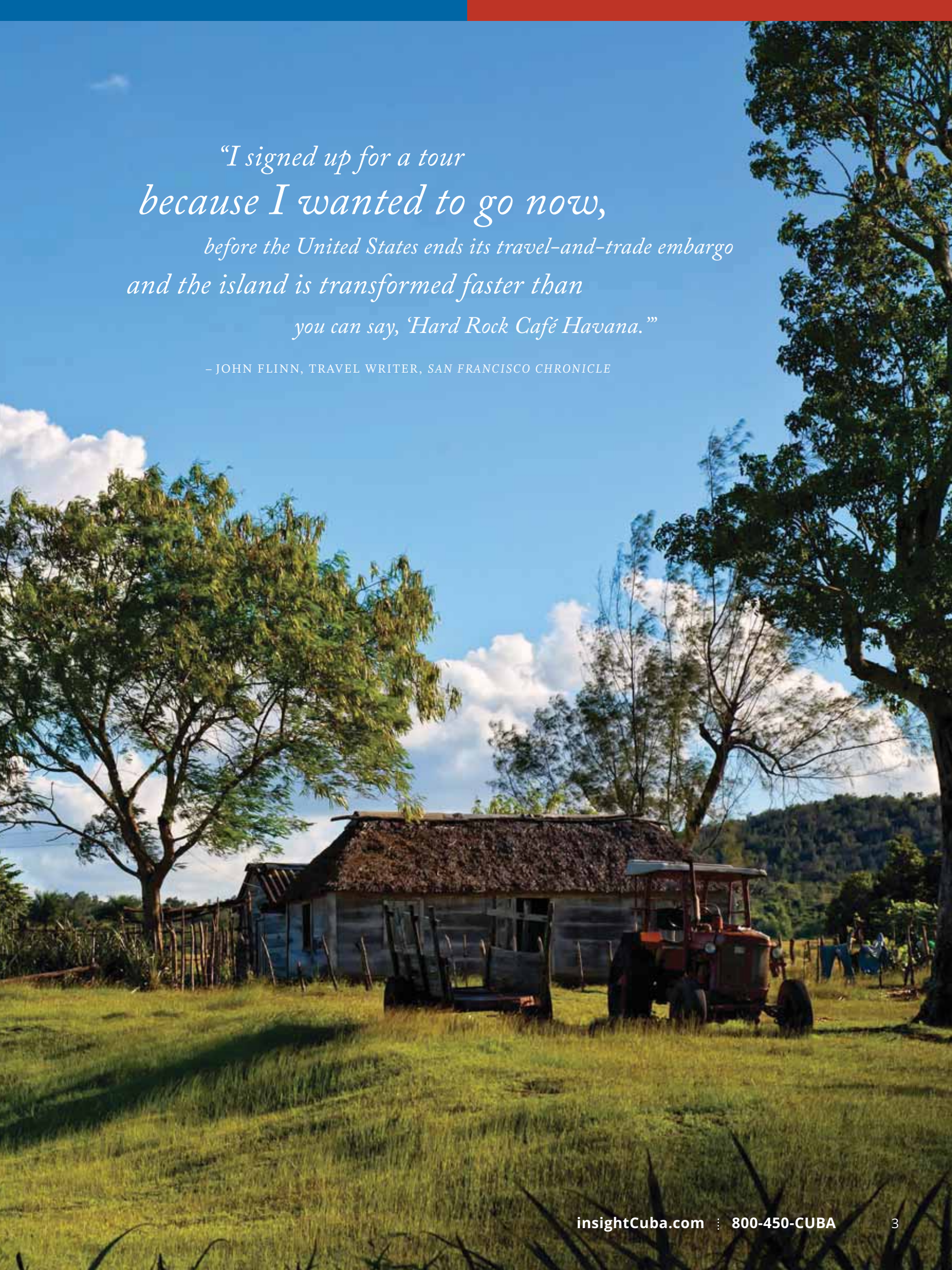
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Why Visit Now?

For more than 50 years, Americans have been all but forbidden to travel to Cuba.

For only the third time since 1963, travel to this enigmatic country is possible for any American, and insightCuba will take you there in ways no one else can. People-to-people travel to Cuba became possible in 2000, and we led the way, sending thousands of Americans to Cuba for the first time in decades. **Now it's easier than ever.**

Join insightCuba, the leader in small group people-to-people travel and *discover Cuba before it changes forever.*



*“I signed up for a tour
because I wanted to go now,
before the United States ends its travel-and-trade embargo
and the island is transformed faster than
you can say, ‘Hard Rock Café Havana.’”*

– JOHN FLINN, TRAVEL WRITER, SAN FRANCISCO CHRONICLE

*El Malecón, the winding seaside esplanade
along Havana's northern coastline,
hums with the spirit
of Cuba and its people.*





DISCOVER CUBA

With the Experts

Leading the way.

InsightCuba specializes in this once-in-a-lifetime experience for Americans. It's the only destination we offer, and it's the only thing we do. Simply said, we do Cuba better than anyone else.

InsightCuba offers in-country knowledge unmatched in the industry. As pioneers in people-to-people travel, we've successfully brought more than 12,000 Americans to this fascinating island country—making us the most esteemed organization specializing in people-to-people travel to Cuba.

The exceptional travel experience we provide is built on more than 15 years of detailed research, comprehensive knowledge of Cuba, and our long-established relationships there. We've extensively explored Cuba, and our connections and friendships in the country allow us to create unforgettable travel experiences and lifelong memories for our guests.





THE INSIGHTCUBA DIFFERENCE

Invaluable Advantage

InsightCuba has such a deep, longstanding connection with Cuba that we're treated like family. And when you travel with us, you will be, too.

A trip to Cuba is often a once-in-a-lifetime experience for Americans, and choosing the right company is important. InsightCuba's highly trained and experienced team is dedicated to providing you with:

AMAZING CUBAN GUIDES AND INSIGHTCUBA TOUR LEADERS

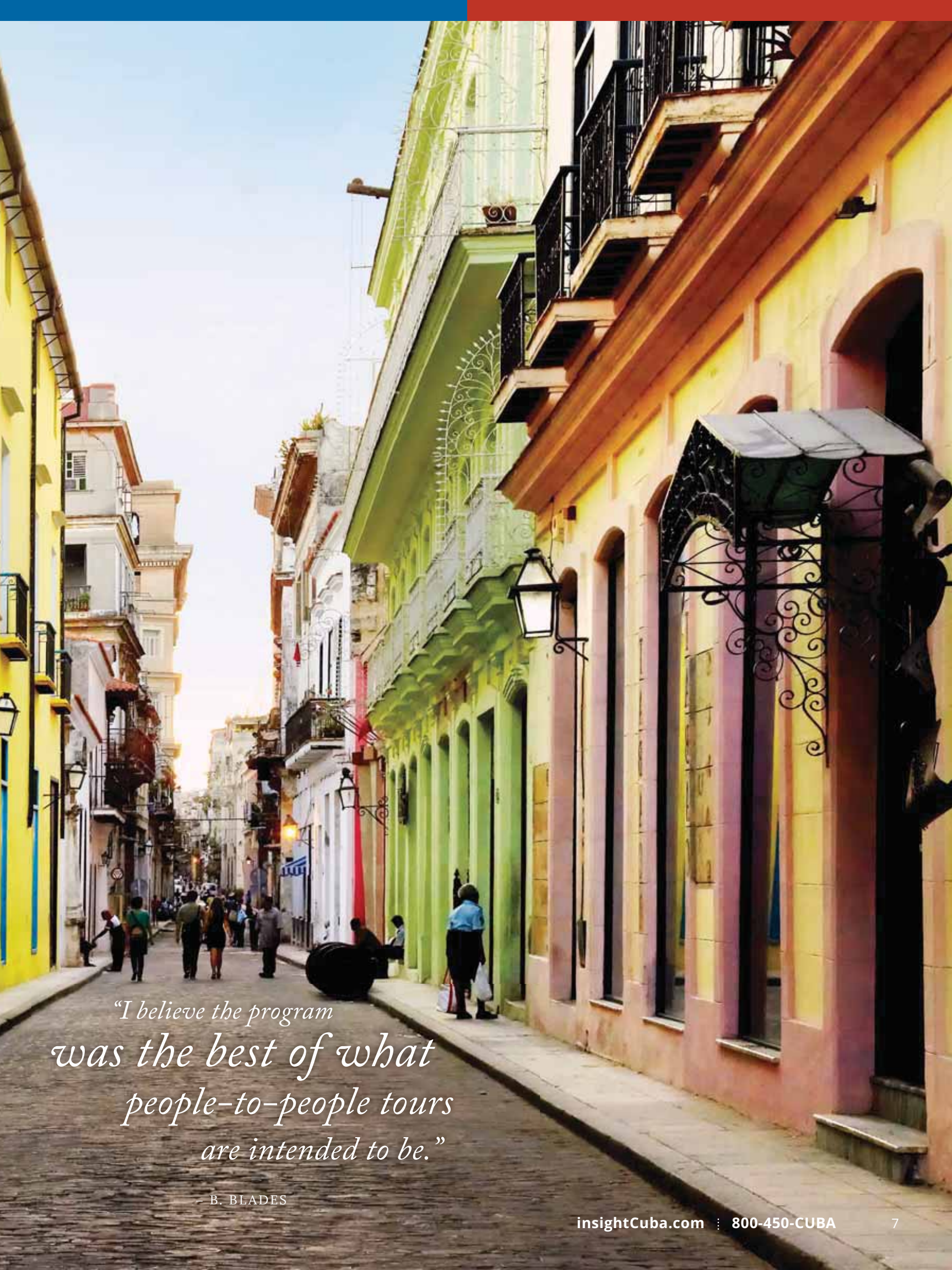
Discover Cuba with our favorite English-speaking Cuban tour guides, specially chosen for their knowledge and passion for the country they call home. Plus, each tour is accompanied by an insightCuba tour leader, who will ensure that your trip exceeds your expectations.

EXCLUSIVE EXCURSIONS AND ACTIVITIES

We've explored every inch of the country, which has given us a deep understanding of how to create unique experiences with people and places most visitors seldom see. Our tours include exclusive activities and provide memories you will cherish forever.


THE MOST CHOICES AVAILABLE

Backed by 15 years of experience in Cuba, insightCuba offers the most tours, departures, and destinations. Travel when, where, and how you want in this exciting country.



*“I believe the program
was the best of what
people-to-people tours
are intended to be.”*

— B. BLADES

A woman in a red and black outfit with face paint, holding a red parrot, with another woman in the background.

*“The programming and execution of all of our activities
was of the highest caliber,
with people in Cuba to help us
unconditionally all along the way.”*

– K. DAVIS



THE INSIGHTCUBA DIFFERENCE

Invaluable Advantage

InsightCuba offers superior programming, guides, exceptional customer service, and the travel experience of a lifetime. Here's what else you'll get when you travel with us:

SMALL GROUP SIZE

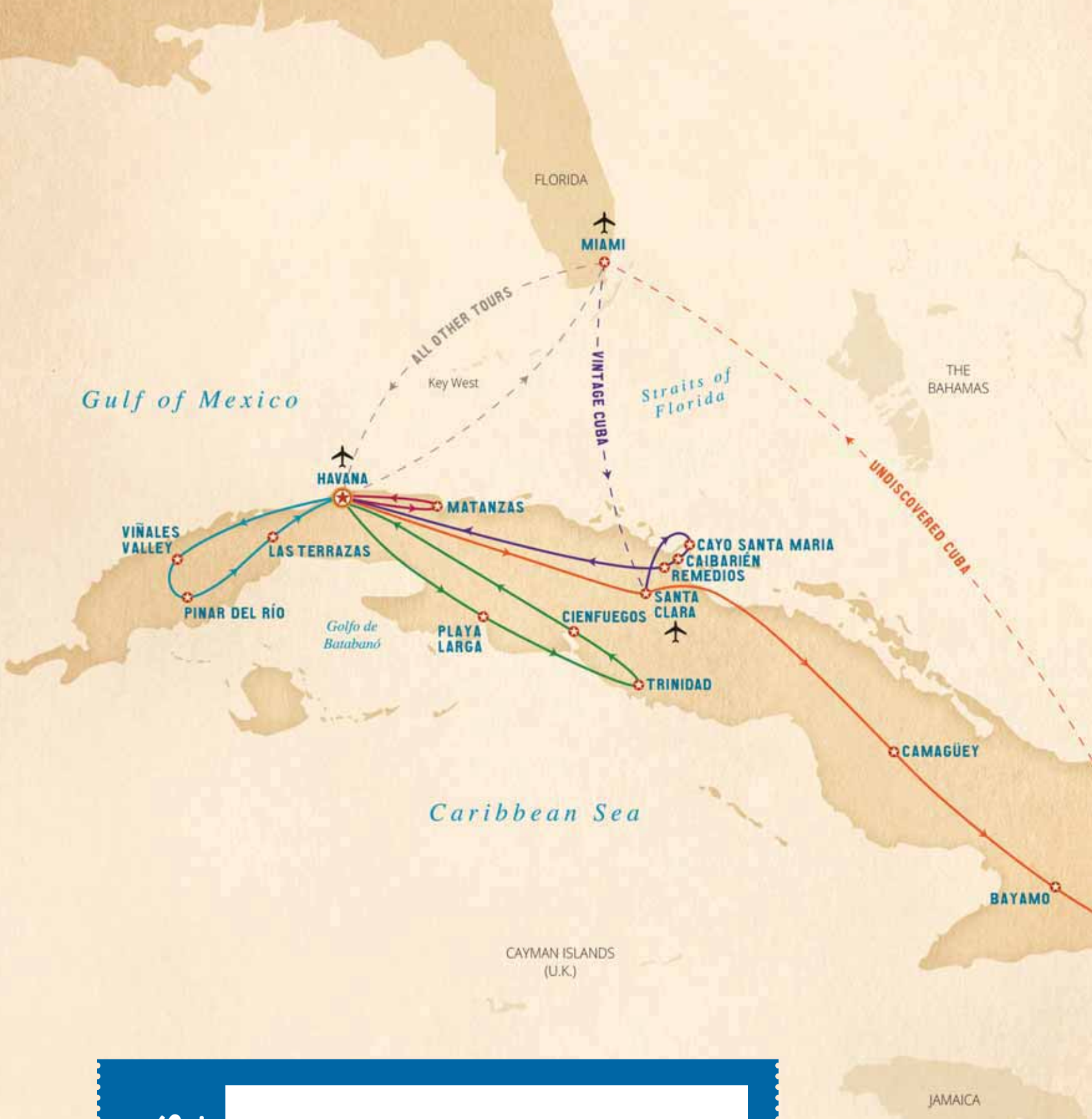
Our average group size is 16, but you'll never find more than 24 guests. This allows you to travel with like-minded people while sharing intimate experiences with our friends in Cuba.

WE TAKE CARE OF EVERYTHING

Due to more than 50 years of travel restrictions, travel to Cuba for Americans can seem complicated. We make it easy by taking care of all the details, from beginning to end. You can rest assured, knowing your trip is 100 percent legal, so you can focus on discovering Cuba.

SUPERIOR GUEST SERVICE AND EXPERTISE

Each guest's satisfaction is paramount. Every employee serves as a tour leader in Cuba, meaning he or she personally knows the same places and faces you'll meet during your visit. Our top priority at insightCuba is providing the best travel experience and guest service possible.



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CUBA TOURS**

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SIGNATURE CUBA TOURS

Incredible Value

InsightCuba invites you to choose from six carefully crafted Signature Cuba tours, offering unique access to the people and places the average tourist rarely sees.

Whether it's an epic 13-day, coast-to-coast excursion or a weekend of discovery in Havana, your journey is designed to inspire meaningful, engaging experiences with the lifelong residents who give Cuba its spark.

EACH TOUR INCLUDES:

- ▶ One night at the Sofitel Miami Hotel, including breakfast and airport transfer
- ▶ Private welcome reception and pre-tour briefing
- ▶ Superior accommodations at the Meliá Cohiba when in Havana
- ▶ Superior accommodations at the Meliá Santiago when in Santiago de Cuba (Undiscovered Cuba tour)
- ▶ Superior accommodations at the Meliá Las Dunas when in Cayo Santa Maria (Vintage Cuba Tour)
- ▶ Standard accommodations in provincial hotels when outside of Havana, Santiago de Cuba and Cayo Santa Maria
- ▶ Expert local Cuban guide and experienced insightCuba tour leader
- ▶ Private Cuban driver
- ▶ insightCuba exclusive-guided programming, including:
 - Unique handpicked people-to-people activities
 - Insider access to Cuba's famous places, and those rarely seen
 - Private visits and lectures with Cuba's renowned experts
- ▶ All meals while in Cuba, except for one or two *paladar* evening dining experiences on your own*
- ▶ U.S. Department of the Treasury authorization under a general license
- ▶ Small group size (usually 16 or fewer guests; never more than 24)
- ▶ All entrance fees to scheduled activities and events
- ▶ All in-country ground transportation and airport transfers by luxury motor coach
- ▶ Flight package (cost additional) including:
 - Guaranteed round-trip charter air from Miami to Cuba
 - Priority check-in at Miami International Airport
 - Cuban visa
 - Baggage fee for first checked bag from Miami to Cuba
- ▶ Gratuities for luggage handling, restaurant service, and programmed activities throughout tour**
- ▶ Fresh bottled water while touring
- ▶ Travel health insurance, emergency medical evacuation, and trip cancellation coverage (up to \$1,000 included***)
- ▶ insightCuba travel guidebook
- ▶ 24-hour emergency customer-service hotline

* *Vintage Cuba, Jazz in Havana, and Weekend in Havana tours include all meals except one paladar dining experience on your own.*

** *Customary end-of-tour gratuities for the Cuban guide, driver, and tour leader are left to the guest's discretion and should be based on the guest's satisfaction with the level of service received.*

*** *Additional trip cancellation coverage available for an additional fee.*

Not included: Cuban airport departure tax (\$25 CUC), baggage fee for additional checked bag, and flight package.

UNDISCOVERED CUBA

HAVANA
SANTA CLARA
CAMAGÜEYBAYAMO
SANTIAGO DE CUBA
BARACOA

13 DAYS | 12 NIGHTS

THE INTRIGUING ISLAND OF CUBA is roughly 780 miles long. It's a culturally and geographically rich country with virgin forests hugging rustling tobacco fields, colonial cities sprouting from the foot of rugged mountains, and rivers carving blue tentacles into fertile valleys—with the generous, warm spirit of Cuba's people enhancing your journey every step of the way. We wouldn't blame you if you wanted to explore it all. In fact, that's why our 13-day Undiscovered Cuba tour is our most sought-after trip.

This is the ultimate excursion for travelers with a zest for adventure. Follow your Cuban guide on a cross-country tour that gets you behind the scenes and into the art, beats, and everyday lives of the people that give this fascinating country its soul.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Visit artist Jose Fuster, known as **the Picasso of the Caribbean**
- ▶ Find answers to your most pressing questions with a **Cuban newspaper editor**
- ▶ Enjoy a heartwarming visit with **children at a local elementary school**
- ▶ Visit a **Cucurucho farm** and taste these local treats
- ▶ Engage with **farmers, fishermen, and ballet dancers** in the community





SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAYS 1-2 : MIAMI : HAVANA

Your trip begins at the Sofitel Miami Airport hotel, where your small group will gather for an early evening briefing and reception. The next morning, you'll board the charter flight to Havana. Get your first taste of this island nation at one of our favorite restaurants. Then, it's a short drive to Jaimanitas to meet artist Jose Fuster. Known as the Picasso of the Caribbean, he has turned his home and community into a living art gallery that has transformed old facades into colorful murals. After checking in to your hotel, you'll meet for an orientation and a welcome dinner.

Meals Day 1 | Enjoy dinner on your own, at your leisure

Meals Day 2 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAYS 3-4 : HAVANA

Take a walking tour of historic Old Havana on your way to meet students and professors from La Escuela Taller Gaspar Melchor de Jovellanos, an architectural restoration school. Next, we'll be welcomed as special guests at a local primary school. You'll round out the day with a visit to a community that preserves traditional and artisanal sewing techniques. Dinner at la Union Francaise de Cuba.

On your next morning, you'll meet a diplomat and educator for a fascinating talk about US-Cuba relations. Next, take an excursion to a local farmers market and experience firsthand Cuba's dual-currency system. After lunch, meet the performers of a theater company. You'll also visit with the teachers and headmistress of an after-school program. End the day discussing US and Cuban life with business professionals and students.

Tonight, you'll dine on your own at a paladar, a private, family-owned restaurant. Your insightCuba tour leader can make the best recommendations

Meals Day 3 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Meals Day 4 | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 5 : HAVANA : SANTA CLARA

Today, you'll journey to the colonial town of Santa Clara. Your first stop will be a community project where residents have converted a defunct industrial area into a nature park. After lunch, you'll visit the Che Guevara memorial before heading to a meeting with members of a traditional music troupe. They will demonstrate their style of music, common at theatrical performances and silent movies at the beginning of the 20th century. Then, check in to your hotel in Santa Clara.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAYS 6-7 : SANTA CLARA : CAMAGÜEY

After breakfast, you'll depart for Camagüey. After lunch, meet with a sculptor and painter in her studio then visit with a local contemporary ballet company. Tonight, you'll dine at the elegant Restaurante 1800.

On your second day in Camagüey, visit an inspiring community project for children. Then, meet creative minds at the National Union of Writers and Artists of Cuba (UNEAC). You'll also tour artists' galleries and studios. After lunch, take in live music at the renowned Casa de la Trova and meet one of Cuba's legendary musicians. End the day with a panoramic tour of the city with a local historian—by bicycle taxi.

DAYS 8-9 : CAMAGÜEY : BAYAMO : SANTIAGO DE CUBA

After breakfast, we'll depart for Santiago de Cuba by way of Bayamo. After lunch, meet with the members of the Choir of Bayamo. En route to Santiago, you'll stop at Cuba's most important church, La Caridad del Cobre, a perennial Papal favorite. Enjoy dinner at the famous Meliá Santiago.

The next morning, you'll explore the old town with a local historian, then visit an art school. Next, enjoy the personal attention of a percussion or dance lesson. Lunch today will be at lovely Cayo Granma—a 20-minute boat ride across the water. Then, you'll meet the staff at a local polyclinic and learn about socialist healthcare. We'll finish the day with an inspirational visit to a youth project where amateur artwork is celebrated.

Meals Day 8-9 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAYS 10-11 : SANTIAGO DE CUBA : BARACOA

The day begins with a presentation by an expert on Afro-Cuban culture and traditions. Afterwards, a local historian will show you around Santiago de Cuba's Plaza Delores. Over lunch, take in the breathtaking view of the colonial Spanish fort before journeying to Baracoa.

Your first morning in Baracoa will include a visit with a renowned historian to learn about Baracoa's traditions. Afterwards, take a short boat ride down the Rio Toa and visit a friend's home. After lunch at Rancho Toa, you'll visit the Fabrica de Cucuruchos, where locals make sweets from palm leaves, coconut, sugar, and pineapple. Lastly, you'll visit downtown Baracoa with a local expert. Tonight, dine on your own at a paladar.

Meals Day 10 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Meals Day 11 | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 12 : BARACOA : SANTIAGO DE CUBA

After breakfast, you'll be treated to an exclusive visit to a friend's home to learn about *casas particulares*, Cuba's private 'bed & breakfast' type accommodations. Next, take a walking tour of Baracoa with a local historian, then visit an artist's studio. After lunch, meet a cacao farmer and a musician from a well-known Cuban band. Later, you'll depart for Santiago de Cuba and enjoy a farewell dinner.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 13 : SANTIAGO DE CUBA : HOLGUÍN : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

After breakfast, you'll depart for Holguín and visit an artist community, where you'll gather with local painters. After lunch, bid farewell to Cuba and board your flight to Miami from Holguín's Frank País Airport.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

PRICES STARTING AT
\$5,595

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CLASSIC CUBA

HAVANA
PLAYA LARGA
CIENFUEGOS
TRINIDAD



9 DAYS | 8 NIGHTS

BUSTLING HAVANA AND CHARMING TRINIDAD stir visions of brightly painted colonial buildings, pulsating mambo rhythms, and bustling barrios. This exciting, nine-day tour of Cuba's most famous cities will add the brushstrokes you've been longing to add to the unfinished canvas of your vision of Cuba.

Your experience begins in the boisterous harbor city of Havana and ends in the artistic enclave of Trinidad and Cienfuegos, a jewel of a city known as "the pearl of the South." At each destination, a generous Cuban spirit unfolds as the locals open their hearts and shed light on their colorful and often complex way of life.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Explore the **historic corridors** of Old Havana
- ▶ Dine at La Floridita, one of **Ernest Hemingway's favorite restaurants**
- ▶ Visit with La Colmenita, Cuba's **most-famous children's performing group**
- ▶ Discover the **enchanting cobblestone streets** of Trinidad
- ▶ Visit an **artist in his/her studio**
- ▶ Feel like a Cuban at a **local farmers market**



“One of the best trips
I have ever taken.”

– MELISSA J.



SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAYS 1-2 : MIAMI : HAVANA

Your trip begins at the Sofitel Miami Airport hotel, where your small group will gather for an early evening briefing and reception. Following breakfast at the hotel on your second day, you'll board the charter flight to Havana. After you clear immigration and customs, your insightCuba tour leader and Cuban guide will accompany you to your hotel in the heart of Havana. Get your first taste of Cuba with an afternoon orientation.

Meals Day 1 | Enjoy dinner on your own, at your leisure

Meals Day 2 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 3 : HAVANA

Start your day by meeting an expert who will discuss Old Havana's rich architectural heritage and UNESCO designation. After lunch, you'll visit an incredible organization to learn about Afro-Cuban art, music, and dance. Later, meet with university students and professionals for candid discussions about daily life in Cuba, before visiting an artist in his studio. You'll end the day with dinner at La Floridita, one of Hemingway's favorite spots for drinking daiquiris.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 4 : HAVANA

Today, you'll visit a local historian at the Colon Cemetery. Then, meet with an internationally recognized dance group for backstage access to a dress rehearsal. After lunch, it's the Literacy Museum. Learn the riveting story of the time the island's youth mobilized to teach rural inhabitants to read. Later, you'll get to meet members of La Colmenita, a children's touring group that performs locally and internationally.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 5 : HAVANA

This morning, visit a local farmers market, where you'll experience firsthand Cuba's dual currency at work. Before lunching at a favorite restaurant in Old Havana, you'll meet with an organization that teaches trade skills for the new economy. After lunch, you'll meet with an art specialist for an insightful tour of Havana's Museum of Fine Arts. Tonight, dine on your own at a *paladar*, a private, family-owned restaurant. Your tour leader, a dining-scene expert, can make outstanding recommendations.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch



► Morro Castle and its lighthouse, perched on a seaside fortress at the mouth of the harbor in Old Havana, can be viewed from miles away.

DAY 6 : HAVANA : PLAYA LARGA : CIENFUEGOS

Today, you'll leave Havana for Playa Larga, where you'll visit Korimacao Community Project, a respected school of the arts, known for developing musicians, dancers, poets, and actors. Continue your journey to the charming bayside town of Cienfuegos.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 7 : CIENFUEGOS : TRINIDAD

We'll stop at the Museum of Architecture to learn about Trinidad's architectural and historic preservation and UNESCO designation. Afterwards, meet a world-renowned local artist who recently had her work displayed at the United Nations. After lunch, you'll have an exclusive visit with the singers, dancers, and musicians of the Ballet Folklórico de Trinidad. Later, you'll visit a *casa particular*, a bed-and-breakfast-like accommodation in a private home. Tonight, dine on your own at a paladar of your choice.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 8 : CIENFUEGOS : HAVANA

This morning, you'll depart for Cienfuegos and a cooperative artist center. Next, meet the children and artistic director from the internationally acclaimed Coro del Cienfuegos. After lunch, you'll travel back to Havana. In the evening, share your favorite stories during a farewell dinner.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 9 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

After breakfast, bid farewell to Cuba as you board your flight home.

Meals | Breakfast

PRICES STARTING AT

\$4,495

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LEGENDARY CUBA

8 DAYS | 7 NIGHTS

STEEPED IN MYSTIQUE, CUBA CREATES LEGENDS. Discover Cuba for yourself and uncover a history so rich, its legacy is memorialized in its architecture and its people. Learn why icons such as Hemingway, Churchill, and Sinatra felt an affinity for this rare place. Experience the music, which, for generations, produced global superstars who shook the world.

On our Legendary Cuba tour, spend your days and nights discovering Havana, Cuba's first UNESCO Heritage Site, where breathtaking sixteenth-century Spanish colonial buildings line cobblestone streets, Buena Vista-style guitar riffs emanate from courtyards, and friendships form along the Malecón, the city's magnificent seaside boulevard. Get to know people so warm and welcoming, you'll long to return after a single visit.

From Havana, you'll journey west to the province of Pinar del Río, where Cuba's world-famous tobacco is grown. Discover the majestic Viñales Valley, a UNESCO World Heritage site known as Cuba's Yosemite, where forested hills with exposed dome-like limestone outcrops, known as *mogotes*, soar from the valley floor. You'll explore the Sierra del Rosario, a wooded range and UNESCO World Heritage Biosphere Reserve that boasts waterfalls and flower-lined paths.

HAVANA
VIÑALES VALLEY
PINAR DEL RÍO
LAS TERRAZAS



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Visit three of Cuba's nine UNESCO World Heritage sites
- ▶ Visit Ernest Hemingway's home, Finca Vigía
- ▶ Step onto a tobacco field and visit a factory where cigars are made by hand
- ▶ See Viñales Valley, known as Cuba's Yosemite
- ▶ Watch rumba dancing at the famous Callejón de Hamel



SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAYS 1-2 : MIAMI : HAVANA

Your trip begins at the Sofitel Miami Airport hotel, where your group will gather for a short briefing and welcome reception. After breakfast at the hotel the next morning, you'll board your charter flight to Havana. After clearing immigration and customs, you'll head to El Cimarrón, a delightful paladar (privately owned restaurant) for your first lunch in Cuba. There, you'll enjoy performances by a local children's dance troupe and learn about Cuba's music scene. Next, visit the famous Callejón de Hamel, an outdoor haven for Afro-Cuban musicians and artists in Centro Habana. At the end of the day, we'll check in to our hotel in the heart of Havana. Orientation with your insightCuba tour leader and welcome dinner at El Templete will follow.

Meals Day 1 | Enjoy dinner on your own, at your leisure

Meals Day 2 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 3 : HAVANA

After breakfast, we'll hear a lecture by an expert on contemporary Cuba. Guests will be encouraged to ask their most pressing questions. Visit an interactive community project devoted to traditional embroidery and other handicrafts. You'll also enjoy the rare chance to see a Santería religious dance demonstration. After this, you'll visit the Finca "La Yoandra," an organic farm that also provides after-school programs and community inspiration. The variety of fruits and vegetables will spoil you! We'll continue our organic theme with lunch at the farm's own paladar, Il Divino, where many of their fresh fruits and vegetables are served. Next, we'll meet the dynamic artists and musicians of Muraleando, one of Havana's groundbreaking projects, where artists converted an old water tank into an art-and-performance space. Lastly, meet university students and business professionals for candid discussions about daily Cuban life. Dinner tonight will be at the famed El Aljibe.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 4 : HAVANA

En route to one of Cuba's renowned photography organizations, Fototeca, we'll stop to take in the colonial splendor of Old Havana: its cobblestone streets, and stunning architecture. For lunch, we'll indulge at Sloppy Joe's, where yesteryear's movie stars and baseball heroes gathered. After lunch, we'll meet with the local artists at the Casa Taller Antonia Eiriz, a house-turned-museum. Next, we'll visit Ernest Hemingway's home, Finca Vigía, where you may come to understand why the author chose to spend twenty years in Cuba. Dinner tonight is on your own. Your tour leader will be happy to recommend the best local *paladares*.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch



DAY 5 : HAVANA : PINAR DEL RÍO

After breakfast, we'll leave Havana to begin a beautiful journey to the western province of Pinar del Río. Along the way, we'll stop for a visit at the Patio de Pelegrin community project, an organic farm, art space and coffee shop. There, we'll enjoy a lunch prepared by community residents. Next, we'll meet a curator at a popular artist's home and studio to learn about his artwork, displayed in galleries in the US and museums in Cuba. After checking in at the hotel, we'll meet with the members of a remarkable opera-and-theatre group, who perform around the world. Dinner tonight will be at paladar Café Ortuzar.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 6 : PINAR DEL RÍO : VIÑALES VALLEY

On your second day in Pinar del Río, we'll depart for the Viñales National Park to meet a local guide. At a tobacco-drying house, a tobacco farmer will teach you how to roll cigars. For lunch, you'll walk through a carved cave to reach El Palenque de los Cimarrones, where traditional Afro-Cuban music will be playing. After a savory smoked pork lunch, we'll wander into Viñales Valley, Cuba's Yosemite-like habitat, and into the town of Viñales. You'll walk on clay and admire up-close the giant limestone rocks that make the valley famous. At the end of the day, treat yourself to a refreshing *coco loco* (honey, rum and coconut water). You won't be disappointed! Dinner tonight is on your own.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 7 : PINAR DEL RÍO : LAS TERRAZAS : HAVANA

After breakfast at the hotel, we'll check out, then visit a cigar factory in Pinar del Río, where you'll see firsthand how these legendary cigars are made. On our way back to Havana, we'll stop for lunch at Las Terrazas, a quaint, wholly self-sustainable eco community that also acts as a nature reserve. In Havana, enjoy a farewell dinner and live music at Tocatoro.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 8 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

After breakfast, we'll check out of the Meliá Cohiba, and visit a local food co-op. Then, we'll go to the airport, where you'll board your flight home.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

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VINTAGE CUBA

SANTA CLARA
REMEDIOS
HAVANA

CAYO SANTA MARIA
CAIBARIÉN



7 DAYS | 6 NIGHTS

IT'S OFTEN SAID THAT VISITING CUBA IS LIKE TRAVELING BACK IN TIME. Indeed, the classic cars, weathered buildings, and unique history create an unforgettable experience in this enchanting country, one that stays with visitors long after they return home.

Although Cuba is changing more than ever, its one-of-a-kind yesteryear is the inspiration for insightCuba's Vintage Cuba tour. This seven-day tour takes guests on an extraordinary journey into Cuba's colorful, complex history, through the places and people who bring it to life. Highlights include performances by talented musicians in traditional bands called *piquetes*; touring the colorful town of Remedios in a bicycle taxi; an historic ride on an antique steam locomotive between Caibarién and Remedios; and learning about the soul of Cuba's famous art form, dance, from an expert and personal friend of insightCuba. Along every step of the way, our extensive expertise and longstanding relationships in Cuba ensure experiences you won't find anywhere else.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Travel on a **vintage train** between Caibarién and Remedios
- ▶ Meet with university students and professionals for an **inside look into Cuban society**
- ▶ Learn how **Cuba's classic mid-century American cars** stay on the road
- ▶ Visit a community project for an **intimate encounter** with friends
- ▶ Dine at a **paladar**, a **privately owned Cuban restaurant**



“Stepping into Cuba feels
very much like
stepping back in time.”

– PETER GREENBERG, CBS TRAVEL EDITOR



SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAYS 1-2 : MIAMI : SANTA CLARA : CAYO SANTA MARIA

Your trip begins at the Sofitel Miami Airport hotel, where you and your travel companions will gather for an early evening briefing and reception. Following breakfast at the hotel, we'll board our charter flight to Santa Clara. After clearing immigration and customs, begin your Vintage Cuba experience in charming Santa Clara, site of the last and most decisive battle of the Cuban Revolution in 1959. Get your first taste of Cuba while meeting the members of a *piquete*, who will demonstrate how these small bands once played during silent movies. Then, we'll head north to your hotel for the next two nights in Cayo Santa Maria, a nine-by-one-mile island cay. Known for its turquoise waters, mangroves, and indigenous wildlife, Cayo Santa Maria is a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve. Here, you'll enjoy a welcome dinner at the hotel.

Meals Day 1 | Enjoy dinner on your own, at your leisure

Meals Day 2 | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 3 : CAYO SANTA MARIA : CAIBARIÉN : REMEDIOS

This morning, we'll depart for Caibarién, a coastal town called the White Village for its sugary sand beaches. We'll meet the artists and organizers behind a pivotal community project involving plastics art. Then, it's all aboard the train, a timeless mode of transportation still used in certain areas, to Remedios, where Las Parrandas—street celebrations—have occurred each December since the 1700s. Later, we'll tour the town by bicycle taxi.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 4 : CAYO SANTA MARIA : CAIBARIÉN : SANTA CLARA : HAVANA

We'll begin our journey to Cuba's capital city on a musical note, with a toe-tapping performance by Caibarién's outstanding municipal band, whose director is locally famous and a friend of insightCuba. Next, you'll visit a traditional printing house that still uses nineteenth-century machines. Then, it's off to Havana.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 5 : HAVANA

In the Cuban capital, we'll explore enchanting Old Havana, whose cobblestone squares echo with memories. We'll meet with a PhD from the university, who will share his insights on social equality in Cuba. After lunch, we'll visit a craft community project led by women who teach children traditional sewing techniques. Tonight, you'll dine on your own at a *paladar*, a private, family-owned restaurant. Your tour leader, an expert in the dining scene, can make outstanding recommendations.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 6 : HAVANA

We'll continue soaking up Havana's nostalgia, starting with a visit to a remarkable community project that has created colorful murals from old facades and built public parks and artworks, such as an Arc de Triomphe from recycled materials. Next, we'll visit one of the city's most beautiful churches in Regla, just across Havana Harbor. We'll learn about the role religion has played in Cuba's history and culture. We'll lunch at a *paladar* in Cojimar, the setting for Hemingway's *Old Man and the Sea*. Ever wondered how those '57 Chevys stay on the road? You'll have the pleasure of meeting Cuban mechanics who maintain these old-timers. This evening, share favorite moments with your traveling companions during a farewell dinner at a landmark Havana restaurant.

Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 7 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

¡Adios, Cuba! After breakfast, bid farewell to Cuba and board your flight to Miami.

Meals | Breakfast

PRICES STARTING AT
\$3,595

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JAZZ *in* HAVANA

HAVANA MATANZAS

6 DAYS | 5 NIGHTS

CUBA'S WORLD-FAMOUS MUSIC SCENE IS one of its strongest draws. That's why we make sure to take you deep into the groove with our Jazz in Havana tour. We've teamed up with Cuba's leading jazz artists and aficionados to offer this rare insider plunge into the thriving Cuban music scene.

Immerse yourself for six music-rich days of Afro beats, free-wheeling jazz, and swirling salsa. When you're not swaying to a toe-tapping performance, your Cuban guide will usher you behind the scenes to discover where the beats are rooted and to engage in meaningful, memorable dialogue with musicians, music teachers, producers, and engineers. It's an extraordinary tour that goes well beyond what you'll find in any guidebook.



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Engage with **experts in Cuban jazz**
- ▶ **Take in a private concert** with a renowned Cuban jazz musician
- ▶ Enjoy a **private concert at La Zorra y El Cuervo** jazz club
- ▶ Watch a **paper mâché artist** create smiles and bundles of joy with local children
- ▶ Visit with AfroCuba de Matanzas, Cuba's most respected **African song and dance group**.

*In eras past, jazz musicians
in the U.S. and Cuba would travel
on the twice-daily ferry between
Havana and New Orleans.*



► Cuba's most famous song, "Guantanamera," has several reported origins, including a poem. Its title means "woman from Guantánamo."

SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAY 1 : MIAMI

Your trip begins in Miami at the Sofitel Miami Airport hotel, where your small group of traveling companions will gather for an important early evening briefing and cocktail reception.
Meals | Enjoy dinner on your own and at your leisure

DAY 2 : MIAMI : HAVANA

Following breakfast at the hotel, board your charter flight to Havana. After clearing immigration and customs, you'll be accompanied to lunch by your Cuban guide and insightCuba tour leader. Then, take a short drive to the small town of Jaimanitas to meet renowned artist Jose Fuster. Known as the Picasso of the Caribbean, he has turned his home and community into a living art gallery that has transformed old facades into colorful murals. Following an afternoon program orientation, celebrate your arrival with a welcome dinner at the hotel.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 3 : HAVANA

After breakfast, you'll begin with a walking tour of Old Havana, a famous UNESCO heritage area, en route to the Abdala recording studio, where famous musicians, including Nat King Cole and the Buena Vista Social Club, recorded some of their best music. Later, you'll visit a renowned artist in his studio. After lunch, you'll join Cuban musicians at the famous jazz club La Zorra y El Cuervo for a private gathering. Next, you'll have a very special visit with a friend and self-taught Cuban artist who opens his home to teach neighborhood children the art of papier mâché. Tonight, you'll dine on your own at a *paladar*, a private, family-owned restaurant. Your insightCuba tour leader, who is an expert in the dining scene, will make the best recommendations. After dinner, visit a jazz or music club at your leisure. (Your tour leader can also recommend the best clubs.)
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 4 : HAVANA : MATANZAS

This morning, you'll depart for Matanzas, where your first stop will be a unique book publisher that makes handmade paper and hand-bound books. Signed copies of books can be purchased for a small fee. After lunch, you'll visit a dance-and-performing-arts center to meet with the performers and learn about rumba and other folkloric dance forms. The beat goes on during a special visit with AfroCuba de Matanzas, one of Cuba's most-respected folklore groups, performing traditional African dances, percussion, and songs. After, you'll take a leisurely journey back to Havana on the northern coast.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 5 : HAVANA

This morning, you'll meet with one of Cuba's most-respected jazz musicians and professors to learn about Cuban jazz and its history. Later in the morning, you're in for a special visit to a cultural center, where our friends will introduce you to some real Cuban hospitality, song and dance. For lunch, you'll dine at El Aljibe, made famous by Anthony Bourdain. After lunch, you'll visit two artists in their studio. Later, you'll meet a renowned jazz musician (and personal friend of insightCuba) for an afternoon of listening, learning, some discussion, and live playing. You'll wrap up the day with a farewell dinner at a local *paladar*.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 6 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

Following breakfast and hotel checkout, you'll meet with an art specialist for an incredible tour of Havana's Museum of Fine Arts. Then, you'll enjoy lunch before heading to the airport for your return flight to Miami.
Meals | Breakfast

PRICES STARTING AT
\$3,295

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WEEKEND *in* HAVANA

HAVANA

5 DAYS | 4 NIGHTS

LIKE THE SIZZLING SALSA RHYTHMS that ripple through its cobblestone streets, Havana springs to life with warmth and vivaciousness that never stops taking you by surprise. Cuba's largest city is a place of rambling colonial architecture, endless adventure, and unfettered discovery. It's where a trip to this Caribbean country, long forbidden to U.S. travelers, truly begins.

Our Weekend in Havana tour is more than a brush with exotic culture. It's an immersive journey that lets you experience Cuba's dynamic rhythm and color, and to dive in and become part of the canvas.



TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ▶ Enjoy lunch at **La Bodeguita del Medio**, a restaurant made famous by Ernest Hemingway
- ▶ Allow the photos at the **Fototeca** to transport you
- ▶ Hear an insider's view on **Africa's fascinating influence on Cuban culture**
- ▶ Hold a discussion with an **editor from one of Cuba's newspapers**



*Cuba's capital city is home to approximately
2.5 million residents,
15 municipalities,
and a UNESCO World Heritage site
in its Habana Vieja neighborhood.*



SAMPLE ITINERARY*

DAY 1 : MIAMI

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Meals | Enjoy dinner on your own and at your leisure

DAY 2 : MIAMI : HAVANA

Following breakfast at the hotel, we'll board our charter flight to Havana. After clearing immigration and customs, you'll begin your experience right away with a visit to La Plaza de la Revolución (Revolution Square), one of the world's largest city plazas, where the monument to Jose Marti overlooks the city. Then, it's off to lunch at La Bodeguita del Medio, a bar and restaurant made famous by Ernest Hemingway, and arguably the birthplace of the mojito, the drink he favored. After lunch, you'll experience the artistic side of Havana with a visit to Callejón de Hamel, a street in Centro Habana featuring hundreds of art displays and public music performances. After, we'll check in to our hotel in the heart of Havana, and meet up again for an orientation program. This evening, we'll celebrate your arrival with a welcome dinner at the hotel.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 3 : HAVANA

This morning, you'll meet with students and professors from La Escuela Taller Gaspar Melchor de Jovellanos to learn about the school's effort to preserve Cuba's cultural and architectural heritage. Later, get a snapshot into the lives and work of Cuban photographers at Fototeca in Havana, which houses one of the city's few darkrooms and is a photographer hub. On your way to lunch, you'll continue your walking tour of Old Havana's cobblestone streets and sixteenth-century Spanish colonial architecture. After lunch, you'll have a very

special visit in Centro Habana with a friend and self-taught Cuban artist who opens his home to teach neighborhood children the art of papier-mâché. We'll wrap up the day by visiting the Abdala recording studio, where famous musicians, including Nat King Cole and the Buena Vista Social Club, recorded some of their best music. Tonight, you'll dine on your own at a *paladar*, a private, family-owned restaurant. Your insightCuba tour leader, who is an expert in the dining scene, will make the best recommendations.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch

DAY 4 : HAVANA

We'll kick off the day by meeting the editor of a popular Cuban newspaper for a presentation on Cuban social issues, economic reforms, and the impacts of U.S.-Cuba policy in Cuba. Afterwards, we'll gather with farmers at Vivero Organopónico to learn how organic farming efforts provide food to urban areas and how Vivero is taking the lead regarding farm-to-table dining. For lunch, we'll enjoy an authentic Cuban sandwich at Havana's legendary Sloppy Joe's. After lunch, you'll visit with an internationally known choral group and finish the day at a local farmers market, where you'll see firsthand Cuba's dual currency at work. In the evening, share your favorite stories about your time in Cuba with your travel mates during a farewell dinner.
Meals | Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

DAY 5 : HAVANA : MIAMI ¡Adios, Cuba!

After breakfast, bid farewell to Cuba as you board your flight home.
Meals | Breakfast

PRICES STARTING AT
\$2,595

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CUSTOM GROUP TRAVEL

OUR SINGLE FOCUS AT INSIGHTCUBA IS to create the most memorable, engaging, and authentic Cuba travel experiences. Our Group Travel department and in-country staff are unmatched in their ability to craft the ideal trip tailored to your group's schedule, needs, and interests. No one does group travel to Cuba better than insightCuba.

Whether you choose one of our six Signature Cuba tours or customize your own, insightCuba will ensure that your group receives superior programming, seamless service, and an experience your guests will talk about for years. As a group organizer, you'll enjoy peace of mind knowing that our staff will work tirelessly to handle every detail, so you don't have to. Our group marketing kit will provide you with the tools to proudly promote your tour to your group.



INSIGHTCUBA CUSTOM GROUP BENEFITS

- ▶ Choose from our six signature tours
- ▶ Online booking for your guests
- ▶ We take care of everything, so you don't have to
- ▶ Excellent fundraising opportunity for your organization
- ▶ Group marketing kit

*“The depth of my
gratitude is endless
for the opportunity that you gave me
and the 14 Americans on the tour.”*

– LUCIA, CUBA LIBRE CUSTOM GROUP





YOUR GROUP IS IN THE BEST OF HANDS

Our expert Group Travel team is ready to help you plan your trip. We've designed hundreds of tours for a variety of clients, including:

- ▶ Alumni Associations
- ▶ Historical Societies
- ▶ Universities
- ▶ Families
- ▶ Travel Clubs
- ▶ Professional Associations
- ▶ Museum Groups
- ▶ Affinity Groups
- ▶ Art Groups
- ▶ Music Societies
- ▶ Women's Groups
- ▶ Lifelong Learning Groups

Our Group Travel Value

YOUR PARTNER IN TRAVEL

InsightCuba is your partner in providing your group with a travel experience they will talk about for years to come. Simply leave the details to us.

HANDPICKED EXPERIENCES FOR YOUR GROUP

You'll be working with a team of experts who have traveled extensively on the island, personally led numerous tours to every province in Cuba, and know how to create a trip that your group will reminisce about for years. Our knowledge of Cuba and the relationships we've cultivated for more than 15 years ensure unique access to people and places the average tourist rarely sees.

SUPERIOR CUSTOMER SERVICE

You'll have peace of mind knowing our dedicated and expert team will be with you from the first time you contact us until the moment you return home. In Cuba, an insightCuba tour leader and a Cuban guide will provide highly personal guidance, and our U.S.-based travel specialist team will make sure your trip goes smoothly.

EXCELLENT FUNDRAISING OPPORTUNITY

Many associations and organizations use their trips as a way to raise funds to support their work. It's an all-around win: Your organization provides a unique member benefit and generates funding for the organization, and everyone gets to discover Cuba! Our Custom Group Travel team will work with you on how to accomplish all of your goals.

**Call a Group Travel specialist
at 800-450-CUBA (2822) to get
started today.**

GROUP TRAVEL MARKETING KIT

Your group's success depends on properly promoting and marketing your trip. Since 2000, we've been successfully promoting licensed travel to Cuba and have won numerous HSMIA (Hospitality Sales & Marketing Association International) awards. Our marketing team is ready to share our expertise and has created our Group Travel Marketing Kit, which includes:

- ▶ Branded and customized eight-page digital brochure
- ▶ Branded and customized webpage
- ▶ Webinar co-hosted with insightCuba to excite your members
- ▶ Professional call center service provided by our own expert Cuba travel specialists
- ▶ Award-winning public relations (when applicable)







TRAVEL WITH CONFIDENCE

Flights & Accommodations

InsightCuba handles all the logistics of your trip to Cuba. When you book online or over the phone, we automatically confirm space on your tour, handle hotel reservations in Miami and Cuba, and reserve your seat on the charter flight to Havana. It's that simple.



FLIGHT INFORMATION

InsightCuba has blocked a select number of seats on international flights for guests registered on our tours. Once your booking has been made, we will secure your seat on the flight and prepare your flight package including:

- ▶ Round-trip air from Miami to Cuba
- ▶ Priority check-in at Miami International Airport
- ▶ Cuban visa
- ▶ Baggage fee for first checked bag from Miami to Cuba**

Your air and flight package costs are separate from your tour fee. Flight package costs vary according to tour and departure date. Current prices are available on our website or by calling an insightCuba travel specialist. All guests are responsible for domestic airfare to Miami International Airport.



Meliá Cohiba
HAVANA

ACCOMMODATIONS

Since 2000, insightCuba has carefully sought out accommodations that are centrally located and provide the best rooms and service available. In Miami, you will be staying at the renowned Sofitel Miami Hotel near the airport. In Havana, you'll find your oasis, and excellent service, at the Meliá Cohiba, a five-star member of the Meliá chain of hotels, located on the famous Malecón, Havana's winding seaside esplanade.

In Santiago de Cuba and Cayo Santa Maria, you'll enjoy the fabulous Meliá Santiago and Meliá Las Dunas. In the provinces, hotel selections are limited and are more representative of the region. While the hotels we've selected provide great service and are often charming, hotel standards in Cuba differ from those elsewhere around the world — so it's important to keep in mind that traveling there isn't about your hotel stay; it's the opportunity to visit Cuba, and the unforgettable experiences you will have.

**Classic Cuba, Scenic Cuba, Weekend in Havana, and Jazz in Havana tours fly between Miami and Havana. The Vintage Cuba tour flies from Miami to Santa Clara and then from Havana to Miami. The Undiscovered Cuba tour flies from Miami to Havana and departs from Santiago de Cuba or Holguín on the return flight to Miami.*

***Additional baggage fees beyond the first checked bag are levied by the charter company at the time of check-in and are charged by the pound.*



Meliá Santiago
HAVANA




TRAVEL WITH CONFIDENCE

Your Travel Dollars Make a Difference

When you travel with insightCuba, you directly support the independent, not-for-profit work of our parent company, Cross-Cultural Solutions (CCS), a recognized leader in international volunteering.

All of our proceeds supplement volunteer travel programs for community development initiatives worldwide. More than 30,000 people have participated in CCS' programs since its inception in 1995. Your trip with insightCuba not only gives you a lifetime of memories, it also enables CCS volunteers to affordably travel to marginalized communities around the world. There, volunteers build bridges of cross-cultural understanding and help people help themselves.



*“I love traveling with insightCuba
because I know my money
always goes to a
great source.”*

— RICHARD E.



TRAVEL WITH CONFIDENCE

Mentions in the Media

Noted for our expertise and unwavering commitment to providing a unique travel experience, insightCuba has received hundreds of accolades from the most trusted and prestigious sources in travel.



► Many Cuban children like to pose for photos – and especially love to see themselves on the digital screen of the camera.

The New York Times

“As part of a newly approved ‘people to people’ tour in Cuba last summer, a group of Americans met with 40 blind Havana residents, who welcomed them with poetry and conversation. Then, Cubans being Cubans, four of them pulled out instruments and within minutes, arms and legs were intertwined as Americans and Cubans danced with abandon in the front yard of Cuba’s National Association for the Blind.”

– DAMIEN CAVE, NEW YORK TIMES



“For half a century the vast majority of Americans have been barred from traveling to Cuba...With insightCuba visitors interact with ordinary Cubans and get a taste of the forbidden fruit.”

– SHASTA DARLINGTON, CNN



“Within minutes of our arrival in the living-room-turned-museum, we’re comrades in arms – picking up the finer points of swing, boogieing to vinyl recordings of Sonny Rollins and Dizzy Gillespie, and discovering the true meaning of people-to-people.”

– LAURA BLY, USA TODAY

ALSO SEEN IN

InsightCuba has also received high praise from these well-known outlets:

San Francisco Chronicle

Los Angeles Times

The Washington Post



Fodor’s

**TRAVEL+
LEISURE**

Frommer’s

The Miami Herald



AP Associated Press



*“Cuba was remarkable,
insightCuba was outstanding,
and I couldn’t wait to book my
next trip before I got home.”*

– P. LEAHY

TRAVEL WITH CONFIDENCE

Travel Again Program

At insightCuba, our goal is to put a smile on your face with everything we do. Starting with your first inquiry through the moment you fondly recall your trip, we’re always working to ensure that you have a great travel experience.

When you choose to travel with us again, we know we’ve done our job. As a way of saying thanks to our loyal travelers, we’ve developed our *insightCuba Travel Again* program, which includes:

\$400 off any of our tours 8 days or more in length

OR

\$200 off any of our tours 7 days or less in length

TO REDEEM

Simply call one of our travel specialists at 800-450-CUBA (2822) and say you want to Travel Again, and you’ll receive the discount on your tour.

TERMS & CONDITIONS

Travel Again program discounts are applied to the final balance for your specific tour. Only one discount can be applied to any one person. For the discount to apply, the person must have traveled with insightCuba in the past.

Discount cannot be combined with any other offers. This program may be changed or withdrawn without notice. For new bookings only, made directly with insightCuba. All Travel Again program discounts will be verified. If there are questions regarding qualification, a travel specialist may contact you.







TRAVEL WITH CONFIDENCE

Frequently Asked Questions

InsightCuba offers an unmatched level of travel expertise. Here are answers to a few of your questions, from how to handle your money in Cuba to more info about our excellent guides. For the most comprehensive list, please visit the [FAQ](#) section of our website.

WHAT ARE THE TRAVEL RESTRICTIONS FOR AMERICANS?

Since the introduction of travel restrictions as part of the US Embargo against Cuba in 1963, travel to Cuba for American citizens has been highly regulated. On December 17, 2014, President Obama loosened some of these restrictions. Traveling to Cuba as an individual for tourism or a beach vacation is still prohibited. The most accepted way for Americans to visit Cuba legally is through people-to-people tours, authorized by the US Department of the Treasury, Office of Foreign Assets Control. Registering for one of our Signature or Specialty Cuba tours ensures that your travel is 100% legal, and will allow you to discover this island nation in ways never before possible.

WHAT IS PEOPLE-TO-PEOPLE TRAVEL?

People-to-people travel is an authorized way to see Cuba while fostering connections with the Cuban people. But it's so much more.

Travelers consistently tell us that their favorite travel experiences are the connections they forge with local people. They're ours, too! On our Cuba tours, we provide our guests with unique access to people and places the average tourist rarely sees. You'll discover Cuba through its people, from an insider's perspective. You'll get to know extraordinary individuals who will inspire you, share their stories and listen to yours. We'll take you into the heart of this fascinating country. You'll walk away with memories you'll cherish forever.

WHO ARE INSIGHTCUBA'S TOUR LEADERS AND CUBAN GUIDES?

Our insightCuba tour leaders and Cuban guides are handpicked for their expertise, and serve as excellent resources for questions about Cuban society, history, and culture. Your Cuban guide will open doors to a Cuba that few Americans have seen. Your insightCuba tour leader will walk through those doors with you, ensuring you the experience of a lifetime.

DO INSIGHTCUBA PARTICIPANTS TRAVEL IN GROUPS?

Yes. Our average group size is 16, but you'll never find more than 24 guests. This allows you the opportunity to travel with like-minded people while sharing intimate experiences with our friends in Cuba.

IS CUBA SAFE FOR AMERICANS?

Yes. Cuba is very safe. In fact, Cuba has the lowest crime rate in Latin America. The average traveler has little reason to worry about personal safety in the streets, hotels, or any other places he or she might visit. While petty crime does exist, it occurs only rarely and poses little problem for attentive travelers.

CAN I EXCHANGE MONEY IN CUBA?

Yes. In Cuba, airports, hotels, banks, and CADECA bureaus exchange currency (U.S. and Canadian dollars, Euros, British pounds, and other types). Hotels are often the most convenient places, and offer similar rates to banks and CADECA bureaus. Be sure to carry proper ID (typically, a passport).

WHAT CAN I BRING BACK TO THE U.S. FROM CUBA?

Currently, Americans are allowed unlimited quantities of informational or educational materials, such as books, films, artwork, posters, photographs, and CDs. As of December 17, 2014, Americans are also allowed to bring back as much as \$400 worth of other goods, including up to \$100 worth of cigars and rum.

WHY INSIGHTCUBA?

We focus on only one destination: Cuba. Since 2000, we've helped thousands discover this island paradise—all the while, forging connections with the people who make this place so special.

For more answers to your questions, please visit our [Frequently Asked Questions page at \[insightcuba.com/faq\]\(http://insightcuba.com/faq\)](#) or call to speak with an insightCuba travel expert.

DISCOVER CUBA

¡Vamos a Cuba!



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*“Such a rich variety of experiences
and contacts with people there.
It truly is a trip of a lifetime.
I am so glad I chose
this tour and insightCuba.”*

– DAWN L., SCENIC CUBA TOUR



*“Cuba takes a hundred lifetimes
to understand, but only
a moment to fall in love.”*

— D. SMITH



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13 DAYS | 12 NIGHTS



**HAVANA
SANTA CLARA
CAMAGÜEY** **BAYAMO
SANTIAGO DE CUBA
BARCOA**



DATE	DOUBLE OCCUPANCY PP
Oct 4, 2015 – Oct 16, 2015	\$5,995
Nov 8, 2015 – Nov 20, 2015	\$6,395
Nov 29, 2015 – Dec 11, 2015	\$6,295
Dec 20, 2015 – Jan 1, 2016	\$6,595
Jan 3, 2016 – Jan 15, 2016	\$6,595
Jan 17, 2016 – Jan 29, 2016	\$6,595
Feb 7, 2016 – Feb 19, 2016	\$6,595
Feb 21, 2016 – Mar 4, 2016	\$6,595
Mar 6, 2016 – Mar 18, 2016	\$6,595
Mar 20, 2016 – Apr 1, 2016	\$6,595
Apr 3, 2016 – Apr 15, 2016	\$6,595
Apr 17, 2016 – Apr 29, 2016	\$6,395
May 22, 2016 – Jun 3, 2016	\$6,295
Jun 26, 2016 – Jul 8, 2016	\$6,295
Sep 11, 2016 – Sep 23, 2016	\$6,295
Oct 30, 2016 – Nov 11, 2016	\$6,295
Nov 13, 2016 – Nov 25, 2016	\$6,395
Nov 27, 2016 – Dec 9, 2016	\$6,595
Dec 11, 2016 – Dec 23, 2016	\$6,595
Dec 20, 2016 – Jan 1, 2017	\$6,595

For single occupancy, add \$700



**UNDISCOVERED CUBA
FLIGHT PACKAGE** **\$665**

- Includes:
- Air from Miami to Havana
 - Air from Santiago de Cuba to Miami
 - Priority check-in at Miami International Airport
 - Cuban visa
 - Baggage fee for first checked bag
 - Cuban airport departure tax

Add \$100: Departures Dec 20 – Jan 7. Flight package is subject to change unless accompanied by a confirmed booking.

**To book a tour or for more dates visit us at
insightCuba.com or call 800-450-CUBA (2822)**

8 DAYS | 7 NIGHTS

HAVANA
VIÑALES VALLEY

PINAR DEL RÍO
LAS TERRAZAS



DATE

DOUBLE OCCUPANCY PP

Oct 2, 2015 – Oct 9, 2015	\$4,695
Oct 23, 2015 – Oct 30, 2015	\$4,595
Nov 13, 2015 – Nov 20, 2015	\$4,795
Nov 20, 2015 – Nov 27, 2015	\$4,795
Nov 27, 2015 – Dec 4, 2015	\$4,795
Dec 11, 2015 – Dec 18, 2015	\$4,795
Dec 18, 2015 – Dec 25, 2015	\$4,795
Dec 28, 2015 – Jan 4, 2016	\$5,095
Jan 8, 2016 – Jan 15, 2016	\$4,795
Jan 15, 2016 – Jan 22, 2016	\$4,795
Feb 5, 2016 – Feb 12, 2016	\$4,795
Feb 26, 2016 – Mar 4, 2016	\$4,795
Mar 11, 2016 – Mar 18, 2016	\$4,795
Apr 1, 2016 – Apr 8, 2016	\$4,695
May 6, 2016 – May 13, 2016	\$4,595
Jun 10, 2016 – Jun 17, 2016	\$4,495
Jul 15, 2016 – Jul 22, 2016	\$4,395
Aug 12, 2016 – Aug 19, 2016	\$4,395
Oct 7, 2016 – Oct 14, 2016	\$4,495
Nov 25, 2016 – Dec 2, 2016	\$4,695
Dec 27, 2016 – Jan 3, 2017	\$5,095

For single occupancy, add \$500

“One of the best trips I have ever taken.”

~Melissa J.
Chicago, Illinois

To book a tour or for more dates visit us at
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**LEGENDARY CUBA
FLIGHT PACKAGE**

\$645

Includes:

- Round-trip air from Miami to Havana
- Priority check-in at Miami International Airport
- Cuban visa
- Baggage fee for first checked bag
- Cuban airport departure tax

Add \$100: Departures Dec 20 – Jan 7. Flight package is subject to change unless accompanied by a confirmed booking.

6 DAYS | 5 NIGHTS



HAVANA
MATANZAS



DATE	DOUBLE OCCUPANCY PP
Sep 22, 2015 – Sep 27, 2015	\$3,395
Oct 20, 2015 – Oct 25, 2015	\$3,295
Nov 17, 2015 – Nov 22, 2015	\$3,495
Dec 16, 2015 – Dec 21, 2015	<i>Havana Jazz Festival</i> \$3,795
Dec 29, 2015 – Jan 3, 2016	\$4,195
Jan 19, 2016 – Jan 24, 2016	\$3,895
Feb 9, 2016 – Feb 14, 2016	\$3,895
Mar 1, 2016 – Mar 6, 2016	\$3,895
Apr 5, 2016 – Apr 10, 2016	\$3,795
May 3, 2016 – May 8, 2016	\$3,595
Jun 14, 2016 – Jun 19, 2016	\$3,595
Jul 5, 2016 – Jul 10, 2016	\$3,595
Aug 16, 2016 – Aug 21, 2016	\$3,495
Oct 11, 2016 – Oct 16, 2016	\$3,495
Nov 22, 2016 – Nov 27, 2016	\$3,895
Dec 13, 2016 – Dec 18, 2016	\$3,895
Dec 28, 2016 – Jan 2, 2017	\$4,295

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New York, New York

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- Cuban airport departure tax

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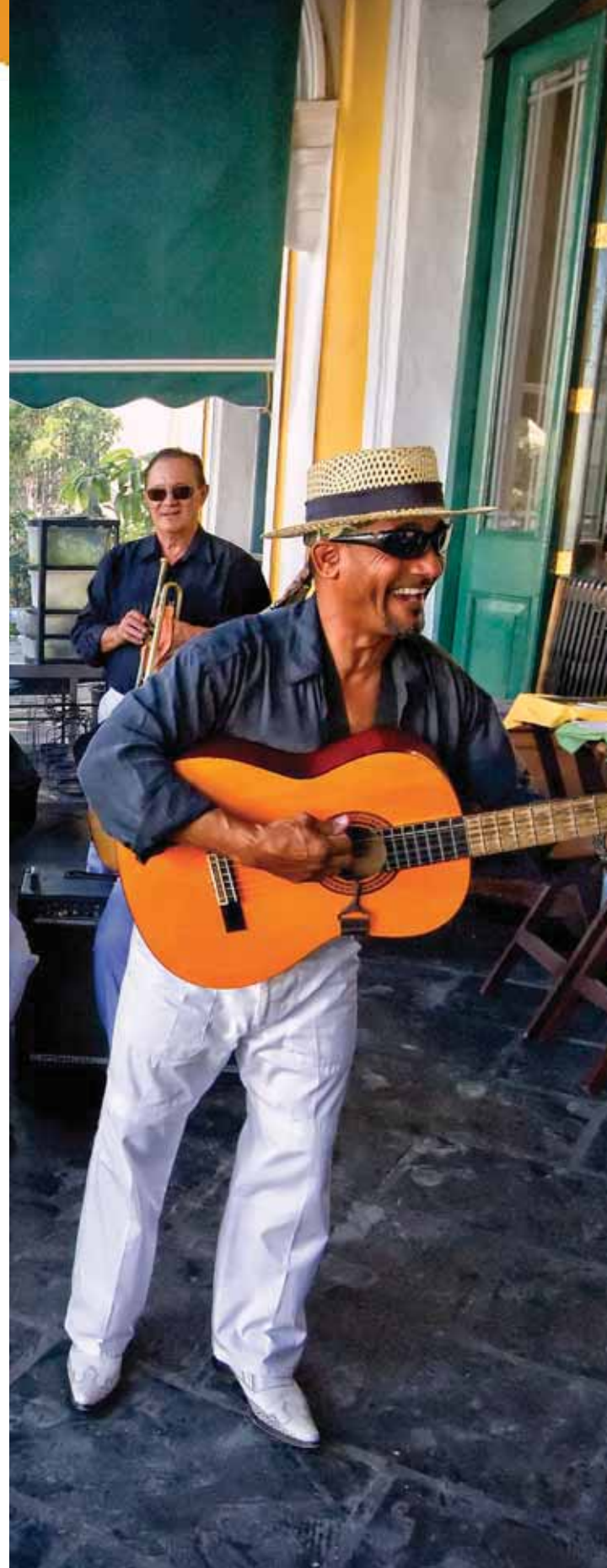


HAVANA

DATE	DOUBLE OCCUPANCY PP
Sep 30, 2015 – Oct 4, 2015	\$2,695
Oct 14, 2015 – Oct 18, 2015	\$2,695
Oct 21, 2015 – Oct 25, 2015	\$2,695
Oct 28, 2015 – Nov 1, 2015	\$2,695
Nov 4, 2015 – Nov 8, 2015	\$2,795
Nov 11, 2015 – Nov 15, 2015	\$2,895
Nov 18, 2015 – Nov 22, 2015	\$2,895
Nov 25, 2015 – Nov 29, 2015	\$2,895
Dec 2, 2015 – Dec 6, 2015	\$2,895
Dec 9, 2015 – Dec 13, 2015	\$2,895
Dec 16, 2015 – Dec 20, 2015	\$2,895
Dec 23, 2015 – Dec 27, 2015	\$3,295
Dec 29, 2015 – Jan 2, 2016	\$3,595
Jan 6, 2016 – Jan 10, 2016	\$3,295
Jan 13, 2016 – Jan 17, 2016	\$3,295
Jan 20, 2016 – Jan 24, 2016	\$3,295
Jan 27, 2016 – Jan 31, 2016	\$3,295
Feb 3, 2016 – Feb 7, 2016	\$3,295
Feb 10, 2016 – Feb 14, 2016	\$3,295
Feb 17, 2016 – Feb 21, 2016	\$3,295
Feb 24, 2016 – Feb 28, 2016	\$3,295
Mar 2, 2016 – Mar 6, 2016	\$3,295
Mar 9, 2016 – Mar 13, 2016	\$3,295
Mar 16, 2016 – Mar 20, 2016	\$3,295
Mar 23, 2016 – Mar 27, 2016	\$3,295
Mar 30, 2016 – Apr 3, 2016	\$3,295
Apr 6, 2016 – Apr 10, 2016	\$3,195
Apr 13, 2016 – Apr 17, 2016	\$3,195
Apr 20, 2016 – Apr 24, 2016	\$3,195
Apr 27, 2016 – May 1, 2016	\$3,195
May 4, 2016 – May 8, 2016	\$3,195
May 11, 2016 – May 15, 2016	\$3,195
May 18, 2016 – May 22, 2016	\$3,195
May 25, 2016 – May 29, 2016	\$3,195
Jun 8, 2016 – Jun 12, 2016	\$3,195
Jun 22, 2016 – Jun 26, 2016	\$3,195
Jun 29, 2016 – Jul 3, 2016	\$3,195
Jul 13, 2016 – Jul 17, 2016	\$3,195
Jul 20, 2016 – Jul 24, 2016	\$3,095
Jul 27, 2016 – Jul 31, 2016	\$2,895

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