

George Geary Tours Presents:

Hollywood Market & Bowl Tour July 19th, 2009

Stats on this tour:

45% had been on a tour prior

10% had been on a European tour

5 % had been on more then 5 of my tours.

3 Came from Northern California and drove down

1 Came from Texas

2:00pm

A nice warm day heading out of Yorba Linda, Danish Cultural Center.



Loaded the bus with 47 tour-goers. 2 cases of Almond Champagne, and lots of bottled water.

3:30 pm:

Arrived at the Original LA Farmers Market. It was the anniversary weekend. (75 years). One lady on our tour had worked years ago and it was her first time back. I gave out maps with highlights of my favorite stores and places to eat.



Magee's Nut House: Almond, Cashew and other nut Butters



Littlejohn's English Toffee House:
The BEST English toffee on the planet!
They were dipping chocolates in the window.



Bob's Donuts:

The best fresh donuts on the planet! I used to buy a few dozen for the crew on the morning show when we were taping. Coffee was 75 cents today..



Bennets Ice Cream.

Homemade Ice Cream you can watch in the back of the sales area.

Here are a few shots of the tour-goers enjoying the foods of the market:



We packed up the bus at 5:00pm and headed to MILK:



We had samples of Vanilla Bean Ice Cream while Bret Owner/Chef talked about his concept and how he has grown.



Great on a warm day (about 80°F)

We loaded up our Bowl Bags from MILK



We headed to the World Famous Hollywood Bowl. Reserved Picnic Area #15 with our BowlBags and Champagne.



After a relaxing dinner. All headed up to the seat... Nice cushions for the tush too!



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The Hollywood Bowl Getting ready for Faith Hill
(Yes that's the Hollywood Sign in the foreground).



The Hollywood Bowl Orchestra Performed for about 45 minutes. Then we had intermission with Home-made cookies. Then Faith came on and sang for about 1-1/2 hours. We left toward the bus, got back home after traffic at 1am.

Long tour day.. but well worth sharing the world of Hollywood with so many great new people.!

Next Hollywood Bowl Market Tour: Summer 2010

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