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# Rock the Boat!

## Women's Retreat Cruise with Drexel Gilbert

### January 26 - 30, 2023



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Sometimes we are called to go with the flow and other times to rock the boat! Abigail did it. Esther did it. So did Ruth and Naomi! Why, even Jesus was known to “rock the boat” from time to time. Christian speaker and author Drexel Gilbert’s spirited and interactive presentations will demonstrate the synergy between taking leaps of faith and finding the joy in occasionally shaking things up for the cause of Christ. Come to her sessions prepared to learn, to share, and most of all to laugh and find the fun in building each other up for a more fulfilling walk of faith.



## SESSION 1: Seas the Day: Lessons I’ve Learned from the Beach

God speaks to us through his creation. We just have to be still enough to listen and learn. Come “stroll the beach” with Drexel, who’s spent years living on Florida’s coastline, and let her share with you the faith and life lessons she’s learned from the beach, including you can’t learn to swim in the shallow water; saltwater stings and heals; breathing underwater, really?, and it’s okay to be a bird brain! You will leave this session feeling refreshed, restored, and ready to embrace your life!



## Session 2: New Year’s Revolution

As we cruise into a brand-new year, what if you could radically revolutionize the way you think? The way you pray? The way you love? The way you live? You CAN! In this session, we turn to the Apostle Paul, who tackles virtually every real-life situation Christians encounter day-to-day. Paul wasn’t afraid to rock the boat! He knows the importance of encouraging each other and of staying true to our faith. He doesn’t mince words, but he speaks with love. His teachings can revolutionize the way we live and bring joy and confidence into our walk with Christ and our relationships with others. Let’s get this ‘revolution’ started!



## Session 3 (if time permits) Who Do You Think You Are? What God Says About Our Christian Identity, Image & Influence

Based on her popular Sunday School curriculum, this session helps women navigate through the many roles, labels and expectations that are put on them. This session includes topics such as “Big Girls DO Cry”, “When You Wish Upon a Star”, “Worry Wart” and “Strength in Numbers” Come prepared to receive encouragement from your fellow cruise mates.

Retreat Leader



## DREXEL GILBERT

Drexel Gilbert has more than 40 years of experience as a television journalist and public speaker. A life-long Christian who says she’s an unabashed “Jesus Freak”, Drexel is a sought-after speaker in both the faith-based and corporate worlds. Her high-energy presentations often have the audience out of their seats and moving their feet! Her messages, books and bible studies tackle tough subjects with a light touch and with practical advice for living a better life and doing so with enthusiasm! In her journalism work, Drexel focuses on stories of overcomers and encouragers and the lessons they can teach us all. Drexel is married to the Rev. Dr. Wesley Wachob and is mother to two grown daughters.

### January 26 - Tampa, Florida, USA

Depart 4:00 p.m.

Cruise from Tampa, FL and kick off the morning with a café con leche in the historic Cuban-Spanish neighborhood of Ybor City. Then take the TECO Line Streetcar into the Channel District where you can explore the Florida Aquarium or the SS American Victory, a World War II era ship turned museum.

### January 27 - Key West, Florida, USA

Arrive 11:00 a.m. / Depart 5:00 p.m.

The southernmost city in the United States is laid-back, eclectic and brimming with island charm. Discover Key West's 19th-century character in Old Town, whose leafy streets are lined with Victorian homes, quaint cottages and grand mansions.

### January 28 - Nassau, Bahamas

Arrive 10:00 a.m. / Depart 8:00 p.m.

Bustling markets and placid beaches are like the yin and yang of this capital of The Bahamas. The Nassau Straw Market, three blocks from the port, presents a riot of vendors, shoppers, and pirates, while the broad white beaches, minutes from town, feature sun-kissed sands, turquoise waters, and coral reefs. In between, there are activities to suit the whole family—observing sharks, swimming with dolphins, plunging down water slides. Browse the duty-free shops and Nassau Straw Market downtown. You'll find authentic Cuban cigars and one-of-a-kind artworks. On Paradise Island, across the bridge, shop for couture and upscale brands. Nassau's culinary bounty emerges from the ocean—dishes like fried snapper served with grits and grouper drizzled with butter. Try conch, the marine mollusk of the iconic shell, presented as conch fritters, conch chowder, cracked conch, even raw conch in fresh lime juice.

### January 29 - At Sea

### January 30 - Tampa, Florida

Arrive 7:00 a.m.

Arrive in Tampa and disembark the ship with memories to last a lifetime!



## ABOARD THE

# BRILLIANCE OF THE SEAS

The Brilliance of the Seas offers endless opportunities to scope out the scenery and appreciate the sights as you sail through the Caribbean - from high atop on the rock-climbing wall or relaxing in one of the Solarium's whirlpools. For every discovery you make onshore, you'll find countless thrills to keep you immersed in the journey onboard the Brilliance of the Seas.



## CRUISE PRICING\*

4V - Interior Stateroom	\$359*
4N - Ocean View Stateroom	\$389*
4D - Ocean View Balcony Stateroom	\$599*

Additional \$99 per person for Program Fee

\*All prices reflect a 4% discount for full payment via check.

\*Rates are per person, based on double occupancy

\*Does not include airfare, excursions, transfers to/from the port, cruise taxes onboard gratuities and program fees.

# TRAVEL REGISTRATION FORM

Mail to: **EO Tours** • P.O. Box 6098, Lakeland, FL 33807-6098  
800-247-0017 • email: [eo@travelwithus.com](mailto:eo@travelwithus.com) • [www.eo.travel](http://www.eo.travel)

## PROGRAM CONDITIONS

### INCLUDED IN PRICE:

• Cruise Accommodations • Breakfast, lunch & dinner daily, on board the ship • Port charges \$110

### NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE:

- Optional Travel Protection Program (see premium schedule) • \$99 Program Fee
- Cruise Government Taxes \$115 (Increases in cruise tax and fees are subject to change)
- Airfare to Tampa and Transfers to and from the ship for guests • Optional activities and excursions
- Miscellaneous fees such as passports, laundry, meals off of the ship, beverages at meals & baggage fees
- Alternative restaurants with additional fees • \$100 Document fee for Non-US/Canadian residents
- Additional fuel surcharges which may be imposed by the cruise line or other suppliers

### ACCOMMODATIONS:

Price is based on double occupancy. When available, single rooms/cabins are often smaller than doubles. While EOT will try to match roommates, EOT cannot guarantee one will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure and, if one is not available or if you request a single, the following single room/cabin charges apply: (4V) - \$359; (4N) - \$389; (4D) - \$599. Single staterooms are extremely limited and subject to confirmation.

### PAYMENT INFORMATION:

All prices reflect a 4% discount for full payment via check.

### PAYMENT SCHEDULE:

Payment Amount	Payment Due Dates & Notes
\$100	Due at the time of registration
\$100	2nd Deposit due on 05/31/22. Guests registering after this date must submit a total deposit of \$200
Full Payment	Final Payment is due for all guests on 09/28/22. If paid after the due date, a late payment fee of \$100 will be assessed.
Travel Protection Premium Amount	The Travel Protection Plan premium will be due no later than 09/28/22 to be in full effect. Travel protection premiums must be paid in addition to your deposits and in advance of the final payment for coverage to be in effect.
Cabin Availability	After 05/31/22 or once we have sold out of our allotment of cabins we can no longer guarantee cabin pricing. Cabins purchased after this date will be subject to availability and may require a supplemental charge.

### REGISTRATIONS RECEIVED after September 28, 2022:

We welcome registrations after 09/28/22. Registrations received between 09/29/22 - 10/28/22 will incur a \$100 per person fee. Registrations received between 10/29/22 - 11/12/22 will incur a \$200 per person fee. Registrations received between 11/13/22 - 11/27/22 will incur a \$400 per person fee. Registrations received 11/28/22 to departure or later will incur an additional fee based on air availability. Additional fees will be advised upon registration.

### CANCELLATION FEES:

100% of Cancellation Fees are covered by the optional Travel Protection Program provided premium has been paid and reason for cancellation is coverable. Those who do not take travel protection should be aware of the following per-person cancellation penalties: From day of registration to 240 days prior to departure, you will be charged a \$100 non-refundable cancellation fee plus any airline fees. Additionally, thereafter, you will be charged any airline penalties and a single room supplement if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single plus the following per-person charges: 239-121 days = \$150; 120-91 days = 50% of total cost; 90-61 days = 75% of total cost; 60-day of departure = 100% of total cost. Submit cancellation in writing. On or after day of departure, there will be no refund for any services not used.

### STATEMENTS OF RESPONSIBILITY

EOT does not accept responsibility for losses or additional expenses due to delay or changes in air schedules, hotel overbookings, other hotel related problems or causes, and/or travel supplier cancellations or postponements. Travel suppliers include all tour operators, cruise lines, airlines, hotels, bus companies, entertainment venues, and any other travel supplier used to operate the tour. All such losses or expenses will be the responsibility of the passenger. EOT reserves the right to make adjustments to the itinerary as deemed desirable by EOT, and EOT reserves the right to cancel any tour prior to departure. If a tour is canceled beyond the control of EOT, EOT will provide a refund or a future travel credit to be used two years from the date of issuance for the value of all funds paid by the passenger less nonrefundable travel supplier prepaid deposits, travel supplier change fees, nonrefundable travel protection premiums, and a \$150 administration fee.

### ABILITY TO TRAVEL STATEMENT:

Passengers registering for the tour accept the responsibility for being in good health and able to walk and travel on the tour. Many of the sites are not accessible to the physically challenged. Those needing oxygen, wheelchairs, or other ambulatory assistance will find the tour extremely limiting to their experiences. If you have questions, please contact Educational Opportunities Tours Inc. for more details. EOT reserves the right to refuse or revoke travel to anyone who is, in the sole judgment of EOT, incapable of group travel without causing undue demands upon the staff or other tour participants. Accessible rooms/cabins are limited and subject to confirmation after receiving the passenger's written request.

### PASSPORT INFORMATION & CHECK IN PROCESS:

Passport information must be submitted to our office no later than 09/28/22. Failure to provide your passport information to our office by this date may result in change fees or denial of travel. Discrepancies in information may result in change fees, delays in receiving travel documents for your trip, or denial of travel. Any fees incurred due to discrepancies are the responsibility of the passenger. You will also be required to check in with the cruise line prior to travel and according to the cruise line's requirements and instructions provided in your final documents.

### PRICE INCREASES

All prices quoted in this brochure are subject to change prior to payment in full due to currency fluctuations, fuel surcharge increases, government taxes and fees increases or unforeseen circumstances. In addition, you may be subject to a price increase after payment in full has been received due to potential government imposed taxes and fees.

### ON OWN DEVIATIONS:

On Own Deviations from the standard tour program must be submitted in writing and are subject to additional airline fees, if applicable. Transfers for passengers who deviate are not included.

### ITINERARY CHANGES:

Every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of this brochure. While EOT will make every effort to ensure you will see all sites listed in this brochure, the availability of sites, the order of sites and/or days and number of days may not accommodate changes in cruise line, airline, hotel schedules, and local conditions. No changes to the itinerary are effective unless approved in writing and signed by an authorized officer of the tour operator. Except as stated herein, no other person is authorized to cancel, modify or vary the tour arrangements or to make any representation of warranty concerning the tour. The cruise line has the ultimate control over your voyage and may, without notice, alter the length of the cruise and the order of and/or inclusion of ports. EOT is in no way responsible for these changes and does not make reimbursement for such changes.

### PREGNANCY/INFANT REGULATIONS

As to pregnancy, a woman cannot have begun her 24th week of pregnancy at any time before or during the cruise. If you are pregnant, please provide a medical note upon arrival at the pier for check-in from your physician stating your expected due date and medical fitness to travel. If you are in the 24th week or have completed it you will not be allowed to board. Due to the limited medical facilities, infants must be at least one year old on the first day of the cruise.

### VALIDITY DATE:

This brochure is valid until 01/08/22. If validity date has passed, current brochures may be found at [www.eo.travel](http://www.eo.travel). Registrations will still be accepted after the validity date.

### RELEASE INFORMATION

Payment of deposit indicates permission for EOT or its agents to record the registrant's participation and appearance on video tape, audio tape, film, photograph, or any other medium and to use the registrant's name, likeness, voice, comments, submitted documentation, written papers, and/or biographical material without restrictions or limitation for any advertising, marketing, publicity, educational or promotional purpose which EOT or its agents deem appropriate, unless the registrant or guardian otherwise notifies EOT in writing prior to departure.

Enrollment in, payment of deposit and/or acceptance of financial documents, vouchers, or tickets shall be deemed to be consent to the Passenger Agreement and Program Conditions of the brochure. Prices are based on tariffs in effect as of January 1 of the previous year and are subject to adjustment without notice in the event of any change or currency fluctuation.

Except where otherwise stated, EOT acts only as agent for the relevant supplier in securing hotels, transportation and other travel services and in no event shall EOT be liable for failure by any such supplier to render any transportation, lodging or other travel service to be provided on the tour. The passenger agrees that EOT assumes no liability for injury, death, damage, loss, theft, accident, delay, any lost or damaged luggage, or irregularity which may occur by reason of any negligent or willful act or omission of any suppliers of service.

EOT does not own or operate any of the suppliers of services to your tour. Similarly without limiting the foregoing, passenger agrees to hold EOT harmless for any defect in any vehicle, plane, boat, bus, car, van or other vehicle, act of war or insurrection, terrorist activity, revolt or other civil uprising, military action, strikes or labor unrest or any Act of God or for any other act of any third party. Florida law will be applicable to any dispute which arises out of or concerns this brochure or your tour. Any and all litigation must be brought only in and for courts in Polk County, Florida to the exclusion of litigation anywhere else in the world.

Educational Opportunities Tours is the tour operator and is solely responsible for the travel program. Educational Opportunities Tours is registered with the State of Florida as a Seller of Travel. Registration No. ST24130. CST2027682-40.

**Host:** \_\_\_\_\_ **ID#:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Tour:** **CC23**

**Departure City:** Tampa, FL **Departure Date:** 01/26/23 (W)

**First, Middle & Last Name must be submitted as it appears on your passport:**

**Guest 1: First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Preferred Name) \_\_\_\_\_

**Middle Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **P.O. Box:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alt. Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_  Send me emails about my trip/EO promos

**Birth Date:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ **State of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:**  Male  Female

**Emergency Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alt. Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you learn about this tour?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guest 2: First Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ (Preferred Name) \_\_\_\_\_

**Middle Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Last Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Title:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Street Address:** \_\_\_\_\_ **P.O. Box:** \_\_\_\_\_

**City:** \_\_\_\_\_ **State:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Zip Code:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alt. Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_  Send me emails about my trip/EO promos

**Birth Date:** \_\_\_/\_\_\_/\_\_\_ **State of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Sex:**  Male  Female

**Emergency Contact:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Alt. Phone:** \_\_\_\_\_

**How did you learn about this tour?** \_\_\_\_\_

**Cabin Selection:**  Interior Stateroom (4V)  Ocean View Stateroom (4N)  
 Ocean View Balcony Stateroom (4D)  
Alternate: \_\_\_\_\_ (Required, only used if 1<sup>st</sup> choice is unavailable)

**Roommate(s):** \_\_\_\_\_

**If No Roommate:**  Try to Match Me  Single Room (availability limited)

Important Information Regarding Travel Protection Plan:	Guest 1:
1 Travel Protection coverage cannot be added after you have paid in full.	<input type="checkbox"/> I Accept <input type="checkbox"/> I Decline
2 Premium is based on TOTAL cost of trip and is non-refundable.	
3 Coverage begins when your premium payment is received by EOT (separate from deposit & clearly designated as your travel protection premium).	<b>Guest 2:</b>
4 Premium must be paid in full no later than 09/28/22.	<input type="checkbox"/> I Accept <input type="checkbox"/> I Decline

## \$100 DEPOSIT PER PERSON REQUIRED

**Payment:** \$ \_\_\_\_\_ **Check #** \_\_\_\_\_ (Payable to Educational Opportunities Tours)

**To Register via Credit Card, you must go to [www.EO.travel](http://www.EO.travel)**

### PASSENGER AGREEMENT

By signing and submitting the registration form, I/we certify that I/we have read Passenger Agreement, Program Conditions, and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure, understand its content, and agree to its terms including but not limited to the potential for price increases that may apply before payment in full has been received as set forth in the Program Conditions and Statements of Responsibility of the brochure and potential price increases after payment in full has been received due to government imposed taxes and fees.

**Guest 1 Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Guest 2 Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Tour:** **CC23** **Date:** **012623** **Code:** **W** v. 004 11/08/21

### Travel Protection Plan - Premium Rates

For a full description of the plan, go to: [www.tripmate.com/wpF427X](http://www.tripmate.com/wpF427X)

Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost	Trip Cost	Plan Cost
\$ 0 to \$1000	\$ 99	\$2501 to \$3000	\$299	\$4501 to \$5000	\$499	\$6501 to \$7000	\$699
\$1001 to \$1500	\$149	\$3001 to \$3500	\$349	\$5001 to \$5500	\$549	\$7001 to \$8000	\$799
\$1501 to \$2000	\$199	\$3501 to \$4000	\$399	\$5501 to \$6000	\$599	\$8001 to \$9000	\$899
\$2001 to \$2500	\$249	\$4001 to \$4500	\$449	\$6001 to \$6500	\$649	\$9001 to \$10,000	\$999

### Schedule of Coverages

Schedule of Coverages	Maximum Benefit
<b>Part A *</b>	
Trip Cancellation	Trip Cost
<b>Part B</b>	
Trip Interruption	Trip Cost
Missed Connection	\$500
Travel Delay (Up to \$100 Per Day)	\$500
<b>Medical Expense / Emergency Evacuation</b>	
Accident and Sickness Medical Expense	\$25,000
Emergency Evacuation and Repatriation	\$50,000
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$25,000
Baggage and Personal Effects	\$1,000
Baggage Delay	\$100

THIS IS A BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE PLAN, FOR FURTHER INFORMATION ASK FOR THE TRAVEL PROTECTION CERTIFICATE WHICH FULLY DETAILS THE COVERAGES, PROVISIONS, LIMITATIONS AND EXCLUSIONS OF THE PLAN OFFERED AND IS AVAILABLE TO YOU, UPON REQUEST, AT ANY TIME.

Part A - Travel Arrangement Benefits are provided by Educational Opportunities Tours. Part B - Travel Protection Benefits are provided by United States Fire Insurance Co. For New York Residents Only: Part A Benefits are travel arrangement benefits underwritten by United States Insurance Company.

### Conditions and Limitations

This is a brief description of the plan available for all Travel Protection sales for Trips departing January 1, 2013 and after. Certain exclusions and limitations apply and are detailed in the Certificate of Coverage. For example, coverage does not apply to: any Sickness or condition of you, a Traveling Companion or a Family Member traveling with you that existed during the 60 days prior to the effective date of the coverages (The Pre-Existing Condition Exclusion is waived if payment for this plan is received by Educational Opportunities Tours, Inc. at or before the final payment due date for Your Trip or 105 days before departure date, whichever occurs first), suicide, normal pregnancy, war or any act of war. Other Covered Reasons, as defined, includes the following events or their consequences: Cancellation or Interruption of your Trip due to: Inclement Weather, unannounced Strike, mechanical breakdown that causes complete cessation of services of Your Common Carrier for at least 12 consecutive hours; a documented traffic accident while en route to departure; being hijacked or quarantined; jury duty; destruction of your home or destination by fire, flood, burglary or natural disaster; being called to the emergency services of government to provide aid or relief in the event of a natural disaster; a documented theft of passports or visas; a transfer of employment of 250 miles or more; or Revocation of military leave. For further information ask for the Certificate of Coverage which fully details the coverages, provisions, limitations and exclusions of the plan offered and is available to you, upon request, at any time prior to your purchase of the plan. This plan is underwritten by: United States Fire Insurance Company, Eatontown, NJ. Benefits are administered by: Trip Mate, Inc., 8225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO, 64114, 1-800-888-7292 (\*in CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency).