



Lake Windermere

## YOUR PRICE INCLUDES

- ✓ Executive coach travel
  - ✓ Dinner, bed and full English breakfast
  - ✓ Porterage
  - ✓ Entertainment most evenings
  - ✓ Entry to Holker hall
  - ✓ Cruise on Lake Windermere
  - ✓ Excursions as described in the itinerary
- Entry fees not included unless otherwise stated



# Lakeland Magic

5 DAY TOURS

The Lake District is an area of outstanding natural beauty and home to the five tallest mountains and deepest lake in England and two national parks. Impressive rugged peaks rise majestically and reflect in the still deep waters. Lush green valleys lay waiting to be explored. Undulating hills are decorated with every shade of green while moorland and peat bogs add their own colours and textures to the fabric of the fells. Woods and forests nestle into the hillsides and along the coast, sandstone cliffs meet sandy dunes bathed by the constant ebb and flow of the tide.



Holker Hall

## The Cumbria Grand Hotel ★★ ★ EE

The Cumbria Grand, built in 1880, is set in 20 acres of private gardens and woodlands. All en-suite bedrooms have radio, satellite television, telephone, tea, coffee-making facilities and central heating. With commanding views of the Bay the Hazelwood Restaurant offers you an attractive setting in which to enjoy your meal. The hotel has a cosy lounge bar and a lift provides easy access to all floors. [www.strathmorehotels.com](http://www.strathmorehotels.com)

### Departure Dates

Monday	24th May	5 days	£279
Monday	21st June	5 days	£289
Monday	26th July	5 days	£299
Monday <b>ww</b>	13th Sept	5 days	£289

Single room supplement £32

### ITINERARY

**Day 1** Depart South Wales travelling to the Lake District.

**Day 2** An excursion to Holker Hall and Kendal. Holker Hall is the home of Lord and Lady Cavendish and is one of the best-loved stately homes in Britain and set in exceptionally beautiful countryside with gardens that merge into Parkland framed by the Lakeland Hills. We continue to Kendal, offering a unique blend of history, culture and shopping. The town's most famous export must be Kendal Mint Cake when a Joseph Wiper came up with the original recipe for the Everest conquering energy bars.

**Day 3** A full day tour travelling to Bowness-on-Windermere, the Lakes most popular tourist destination where visitors come to enjoy the lake, the atmosphere and delightful setting. We then enjoy a Lake cruise to Lakeside. We meet up with the coach and continue to the picturesque Conistone Water and the village of Hawkshead with its quaint alleyways and timber framed houses.

**Day 4** A full day tour travelling via Windermere and the Kirkstone pass to Keswick nestled between the North Lakeland fells and Derwentwater, England's widest and most stunning lake. At the heart of Keswick is its Market Place, ringed with shops and hotels, now renovated into a pedestrian priority area. We return via Grasmere, once the home of the famous poet William Wordsworth; you can visit two of his former homes - Dove Cottage and Rydal Mount. Also in the centre of Grasmere is St. Oswalds Church, the churchyard of which contains the Wordsworth family graves.

**Day 5** Sadly we depart our hotel for the return journey home.



Kendal