



  
**Oct 21-23, 2022**  
**RIM2RIM**  
**Grand Canyon**  
**Hiking Trip**

- Legendary Rim2Rim Hike
- Tour of both Rims
- Lodging in Hotels
- All Transportation from Vegas
- All Food

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The itinerary is tentative and could be changed at any time.

*This trip is not a commercial trip. You are joining a group of friends on your own risk.*

### Itinerary:

#### Friday, October 21st

10:00 am - We will meet in Las Vegas (the exact location will be given later) and board a transportation vehicle. We will drive to the North Rim with stop for lunch.

4:00 pm - We arrive at North Rim, visit the visitor center and enjoy spectacular views of the Grand Canyon from Bright Angel Point Trail (between 1-3 miles hike)

6:00 pm - We will arrive at our hotel (located 30 mins from the North Rim), will settle in, eat dinner, prepare backpacks for tomorrow's trip and enjoy the evening

9:00 pm - Lights out...

#### Saturday, October 22nd

3:00 am - Rise and Shine, eat breakfast

3:30 am - Leave the hotel

4:00 am - arrive at North Kaibab and start the Rim2Rim hike

We will first descend down to the Colorado River via the North Kaibab trail with a stop at Ribbon Falls. (15 miles, 6,000 ft descent)

We should be by Phantom Ranch around 9:30-10:00 am. Here we will stop to refill the water, with an option to get souvenirs and lemonade... We will spend some time at the beach by the river for our brunch

10:30 am - start our ascend to the South Rim via Bright Angel Trail (9 miles, 4,600 ft ascent).

We will stop at Indian Garden Campground for lunch and a water refill

6-8:00 pm - arrive at the Bright Angel Trailhead at Grand Canyon Village. We will eat dinner and arrive at our hotel located at the Grand Canyon Village.

<https://www.alltrails.com/trail/us/arizona/rim-to-rim-north-kaibab-to-grand-canyon-village>

#### Sunday, October 23rd

6:00 am - rise

6:30 am - will get to Mather Point to watch the sunrise and will walk to Yavapai Point via Rim Trail (total 1-1.6 miles)

9:00 am - breakfast and check out

10:00 am - will start our drive back to Vegas with a stop to see Hoover Dam

4:00 pm - approximate time of arrival. Optional group dinner at Vegas (not included :)

Get back to our cars and drive back to San Diego...

Things to bring:

- Day backpack
- Favorite Snacks for the hike
- Headlight (very important! It will be dark at start and at finish!)
- Sun hat
- Sunscreen
- Sunglasses

- Microfiber towel (optional)
- Trekking Poles
- Water bladder or water bottles enough for 3 liters
- Layers clothing (expect around 35F in the early morning and the evening and 80F during the day at the bottom)
- Picnic lunch for Friday (not included)
- Electrolytes (powder/pills/tablets - whatever works best for you)
- Extra Socks for the hike