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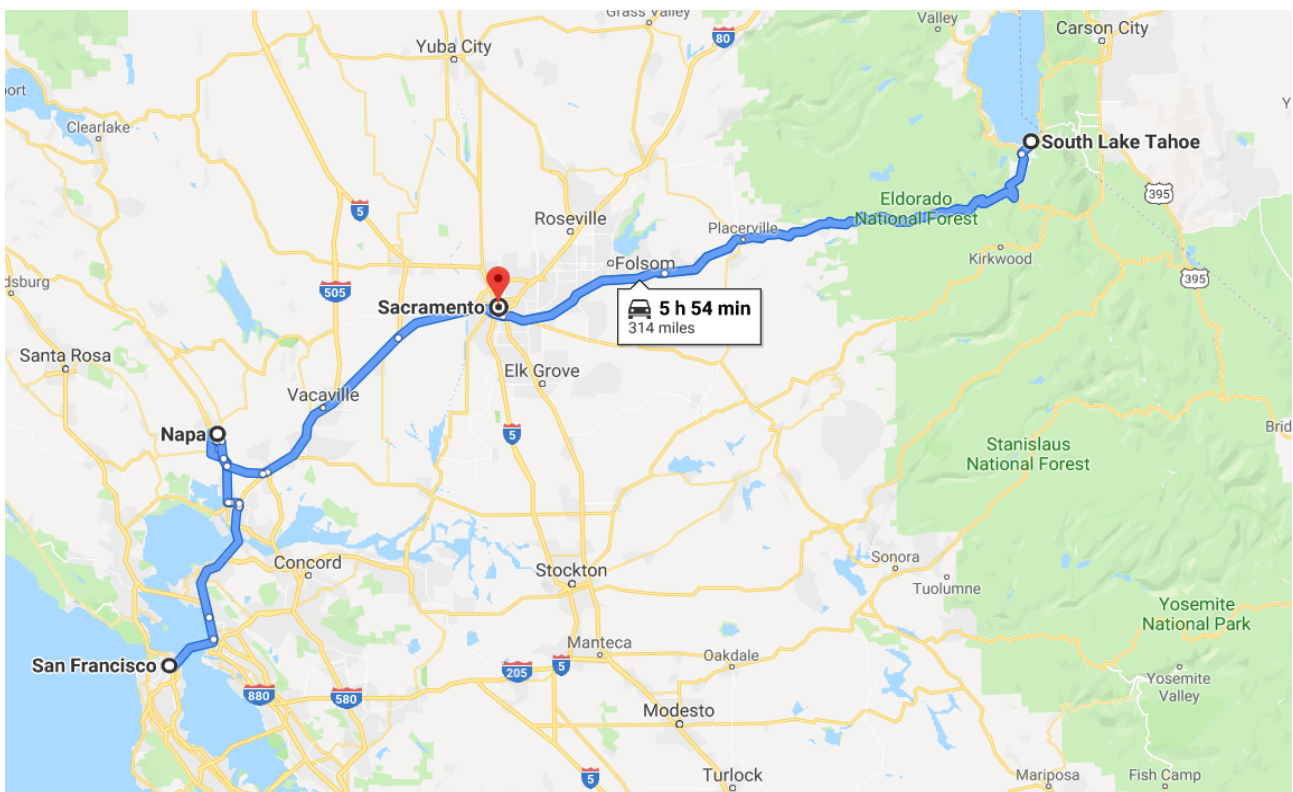
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Day 1

10.50am



Arrival to SFO from home gateway

12pm



Pick Up Hire Car - drive to Napa Valley (1.15 hour)

1.15pm



Arrive Napa Town - Lunch at [Oxbow Markets](#)
610 1st St, Napa, CA 94559

2.15pm



Depart Napa - Drive to Calistoga (45mins)

3pm



Check into [Calistoga Motor Lodge and Spa](#)
1880 Lincoln Avenue Calistoga, CA
Bright, modern rooms feature rainfall showerheads, Keurig coffeemakers and mini-fridges, plus iPod docks, flat-screen TVs and free Wi-Fi. Suites add living rooms and pull-out sofas.

Amenities include complimentary continental breakfast and parking, plus mineral-water pools and a mineral-water Jacuzzi.

4pm



Wine tasting at Hotel

6pm



[Sam's Social Club](#) - Dinner (5 mins walk from hotel)
1712 Lincoln Ave, Calistoga, CA 94515, USA
Upscale New American fare in a bright eatery with a fireplace, a bar for local drinks & a patio.

Overnight



At [Calistoga Motor Lodge and Spa](#)

Day 2

9.30am



Breakfast at hotel.

[Platypus Wine Tasting Tours](#) - pick up from hotel

10.30am



[Join-in Wine Tours](#): \$110 Wine tour. *Join us on a fun and truly memorable small-group wine tour of the Napa Valley or Sonoma wine country. You'll visit four charming, backroads wineries, picnic at a winery, hear stories and learn tidbits of local history, culture and wine making. Our tours are sure to entertain with a very approachable and easy-going style. Discover and savour new experiences while tasting some of the world's most celebrated wines.*

[Private Wine Tours](#) are a great solution for intimate parties 1-8 guests. *You'll get a dedicated car or van with your own tour guide/driver. You may choose the wineries you will visit, the types of wine you would like to taste or your guide will be happy to plan a tour day for you based on your preferences. Make the most of your day in the wine country!*

6pm



Dinner in Calistoga/St Helena

Overnight



At [Calistoga Motor Lodge and Spa](#)











Day 3

9am		Breakfast at hotel
10am		Check out and depart Napa
2pm		Arrive South Lake Tahoe - Check into Tahoe Lakeshore Lodge & Spa 930 Bal Bijou Road, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150 <i>Enjoy the stunning lake, right outside the hotel.</i>
6pm		Dinner at Hard Rock Hotel - Harveys Lake Tahoe
Overnight		At Tahoe Lakeshore Lodge & Spa



Day 4

		Breakfast at Heidi's Pancake House - 5 minute walk from hotel 3485 Lake Tahoe Blvd, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150
7am		<i>Signature pancakes, fluffy 4-egg omelets, fresh roast coffee, eggs your way, crispy bacon, locally made sausage, home fried potatoes, fruit waffles, stuffed crepes, skilletts, burgers, salads, sandwiches...we've got it all! Since 1964, Tahoe has started its day with breakfast at Heidi's Pancake House. The distinctive yellow Swiss chalet building in South Lake Tahoe has been the home of quality ingredients and plentiful portions for as long as most of us can remember. Whether you are spending your day on the lake, exploring the mountains, or hitting the slopes, there is no better way to start your day than breakfast at Heidi's Pancake House in Lake Tahoe.</i>
8am		Meet in the Lobby to drive to Emerald Bay - 20 minutes 138 Emerald Bay Rd, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150
8.30am		Emerald Bay and Eagle Falls with 1 mile walk down to Vikingsholm Castle
11am		Drive Emerald Bay to Zephyr Cove Resort - 35 minutes
12pm		Zephyr Cove Resort , M.S. Dixie II Scenic Sightseeing Emerald Bay Cruise, including lunch.
2.30pm		Return to Zephyr Cove and drive to Tahoe Lakeshore Lodge & Spa - 15 minutes
3pm		Head back to hotel
6pm		The Loft - Live Theatre, Lounge, Dining - 6 minutes 1001 Heavenly Village Way, South Lake Tahoe, CA 96150
Overnight		At Tahoe Lakeshore Lodge & Spa

Day 5

8am		Breakfast at hotel
9.30am		Depart Tahoe to Sacramento
11am		Arrive Folsom Premium Outlets - Shopping and lunch
1pm		Drive from Outlets to Hotel in Sacramento
2pm		Arrive Sacramento Check into Best Western Sutter House 1100 H St, Sacramento, CA 95814, USA
3pm		Welcome to Sac at the TenTen Room 1010 10th St, Sacramento, CA 95814, USA <i>Enjoy Sacramento's most famous cocktail the White Linen</i>
4pm		Tour the State Capitol Building - Sacramento's mini Whitehouse
5.30pm		Happy Hour at the pool deck and bar at Sawyer Hotel - by Kimpton
7pm		Dinner in town
Overnight		At Best Western Sutter House

Day 6

8am		Breakfast at hotel on own (Included) and check out Full Day Sacramento - Mystery Tour
4pm		Depart Sacramento to SFO Fly home
