



**Item:** Fast Lane News #50 in 2024 (Issue #250 since 2020) On December 14, 2024, I'm writing from our offices in beautiful Oldsmar, Florida, along the shores of Tampa Bay & the beautiful scenic Gulf of Mexico  
**To:** Our Fast Lane Travel Family in Australia, Canada, Dubai, Europe, Iceland, Israel, Japan, New Zealand, Singapore, South Africa and in the USA!



**Subjects:** Photo contest; How about a special Travel Gift instead of that sweater. Trip of the Week: The legendary annual Twelve Alpine Passes Adventure; Nürburgring; Discover the Magic of Europe; My Final Thoughts: Pre-Christmas edition; Plus: Some more happy memories.

## **I. Announcing the Fast Lane Travel 2024 Photo Contest!**

Are you ready to showcase your favorite travel photo memories? Fast Lane Travel is excited to announce **our 2024 Photo Contest**, where you can win valuable prizes while sharing your adventures with us!

### **How It Works:**

Submit your favorite top three (3) travel photos from any Fast Lane Travel Tour over the past 50 years! Each photo entry received will have



the opportunity to win a \$1,000 Travel Voucher for any of our scheduled 2025 Fast Lane Travel tours.

**Voting:** All submitted images will be posted on our Facebook page at [www.facebook.com/FastlaneTravel](https://www.facebook.com/FastlaneTravel) where our community will comment on their favorites.

**Grand Prize:** The photo with the most votes will win a \$3,000 Travel Voucher toward any scheduled 2025 Fast Lane Travel tour! \*Terms and conditions apply

**How to Enter:** Please e-mail your top three (3) photo entries to [April@FastLaneTravel.com](mailto:April@FastLaneTravel.com) Use the **subject line:** FLT Photo Contest 2024 We can't wait to see your favorite memories with us on tour. So, start digging through those photos! I know, I know, to just select three images will be a monumental challenge. Good luck...GO!!! Extra points for humor.

Visit us at [www.facebook.com/FastlaneTravel](https://www.facebook.com/FastlaneTravel) for updates and to participate in the voting! Please submit your photos by January 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025 no later than 5:00 pm EST – that's 17:00 for you pilots. Peter will also publish the most compelling entries in his weekly "literary accomplishment," the Petergram.

## **II. Make your Holiday Presents a Fast Lane Travel Gift.**

Picture this: Instead of the usual gifts, why not give the ultimate present to your loved ones this year — **the gift of travel?** Dive into the new year with these essential tips for a remarkable adventure across Europe in 2025 under the tree. **Gift Presentation:**

Please call us ASAP because the "present" is custom designed for your recipient. Either a beautiful **hand-written travel voucher** for the trip gift amount you select, or, time permitting, a hand-crafted **custom plaque** with a Porsche on it! Lastly, we also have a limited selection of large or small **chocolate Porsches** we brought back from the PORSCHE Factory Museum in Stuttgart. **Your choice:**

1. **Gift wrapped voucher** in little Christmas Box. No charge.
2. **A chocolate Porsche** \$50 or \$150 – shipped w. dry ice.
3. **Engraved Award Plaques with a Porsche on it** suitable as a memory wall décor – building anticipation every time the recipient walks past it, about \$450, including shipping.



## **A. Select Your Favorite PORSCHE Trip and/or Dream Destination:**

Europe is unbeatable when it comes to dazzling markets and authentic celebrations. Choose destinations that reflect your spirit and interests. From the quaint charm of little Austrian villages to the sparkling lights of Vienna and the romance of staying in breathtaking castles, luxury 5-star hotels and so much more.



Each location offers a distinctive way to experience our tours. There are so many destinations to choose from on our tours. Each city brings its unique traditions, ensuring every moment will be special. With Europe being a prime destination, planning ahead is essential.

## **B. Immerse Yourself in Local Traditions**

Make your vacation even more special by connecting with local customs. Partake in candlelit services, concerts, an Opera in Vienna or vibrant community events that showcase regional traditions. Savor the flavors of Europe by indulging in local specialties—whether it's Austria's Wiener Schnitzel, Italy's finest wines, or Croatia's Istrian Yota Stew — and experience the cultural delights that each destination offers.

## **C. Explore the Enchantment of Christmas Markets in 2025**

On our Christmas in Europe 2025 tour, enjoy the wonderful Christmas markets in Stuttgart, Munich, Salzburg and Vienna. They are the heart and soul of our holiday in Germany and Austria. Wander through enchanting stalls filled with handmade gifts, delicious foods, and festive cheer. Warm yourself with a cup of mulled wine or hot cocoa as you soak in the lively atmosphere around you. These markets often feature entertainment, ice skating, and activities that you can only experience in Europe, making them ideal for making unforgettable memories.



## **D. We keep you Informed About Travel Regulations**

Fast Lane Travel keeps you updated on any travel advisories, restrictions, or requirements for your chosen destinations. Ensuring you have an “**I don’t have to think**” vacation and will ease your travel experience and ensure a smooth adventure

## **E. Capture Every Moment**

Documenting your trip will cherish those memories for a lifetime. Take photos, keep a travel journal, or compile a holiday video to capture the essence of your journey. Sharing these stories with friends and family will allow you to relive the joy of your holiday long after it’s over.

## **F. Give the Gift of a Fast Lane Travel Experience**

This year, think outside the box when it comes to holiday gifting. **Consider presenting travel in 2025 as a gift** — whether it's a surprise trip or a collaborative venture with family and friends, the chance to create lasting memories together is truly invaluable. The experience of exploring, learning, and enjoying new cultures with loved ones is a priceless gift.

Make 2025 a year unlike any other by exploring the enchanting charm of Europe. With our thoughtful planning, a connection to local traditions, and a spirit of adventure, your vacation can become a treasured experience, not just for you but for those you cherish most. So, pack your bags and prepare for an unforgettable journey that promises joy, adventure, and countless memorable moments!



**Call NOW to purchase the gift of travel at +1-813-343-3001**

### III. TRIP of the Week – **Please register ASAP** –

#### **Twelve Alpine Passes Adrenaline Adventure 2025**

This tour will take you **over twelve of the most spectacular passes in the Alps** in a new model, PORSCHE. Along the way, you will stay in luxurious hotels nestled in some amazing and scenic areas with views of mountains and Alpine lakes. This tour will take you to the Alpine areas of **Germany, Austria, and Switzerland** plus the lovely **Black Forest** of southwest Germany and the South Tyrol of **Northern Italy**. You will enjoy exquisite cuisine, and in the evenings, the beer and wine will flow.

<https://fastlanetravel.com/2025-adrenaline-adventure/>



Arrive early or stay late, and add on the famous **Nürburgring Experience**, including the **Nordschleife**. Drive four laps on the Nordschleife in a race-prepared car – from a **PORSCHE Cayman** to a **PORSCHE 991** and take a **Race Lap** with a professional driver in a **991 Turbo S** or **GT3**. You will stay in a junior suite at the **Dorint Hotel**, overlooking the track from your terrace. Contact us about this add-on!



### IV. **My Final Thoughts: Pre-Christmas Edition**

Source: April Pappas' Research

*"I've learned that you can tell a lot by a person by the way he handles three things: a rainy day, lost luggage and tangled Christmas tree lights." – Maya Angelo*

*"Christmas: the one time of year when you can't avoid the nuts in your family muesli." —Charles Stross*

*"There are 17 more shopping days until Christmas. So, guys, that means 16 more days till we start shopping, right?" —Conan O'Brien*

*"Can I refill your eggnog for you? Get you something to eat? Drive you out to the middle of nowhere, leave you for dead?" —National Lampoon's Christmas Vacation*

*"Santa Claus has the right idea. Visit people once a year." —Victor Borge*

*"My mother-in-law has come round to our house at Christmas seven years running. This year we're having a change. We're going to let her in." —Les Dawson*

*"Christmas is awesome. First of all, you get to spend time with people you love. Secondly, you can get drunk and no one can say anything." —The Office*

*"I have my own holiday tradition. It's like the 12 days of Christmas, but it's one day with 12 bottles of wine." —Schitt's Creek*

*"Let's be naughty and save Santa the trip." — Gary Allan*

*"The worst gift is a fruitcake. There is only one fruitcake in the entire world, and people keep sending it to each other." — Johnny Carson*

*"The main reason Santa is so jolly is because he knows where all the bad girls live." — George Carlin*

*"Mail your packages early so the post office can lose them in time for Christmas." — Johnny Carson*

*"The Supreme Court has ruled that they cannot have a nativity scene in Washington D.C. This wasn't for any religious reasons. They couldn't find three wise men and a virgin." — Jay Leno*

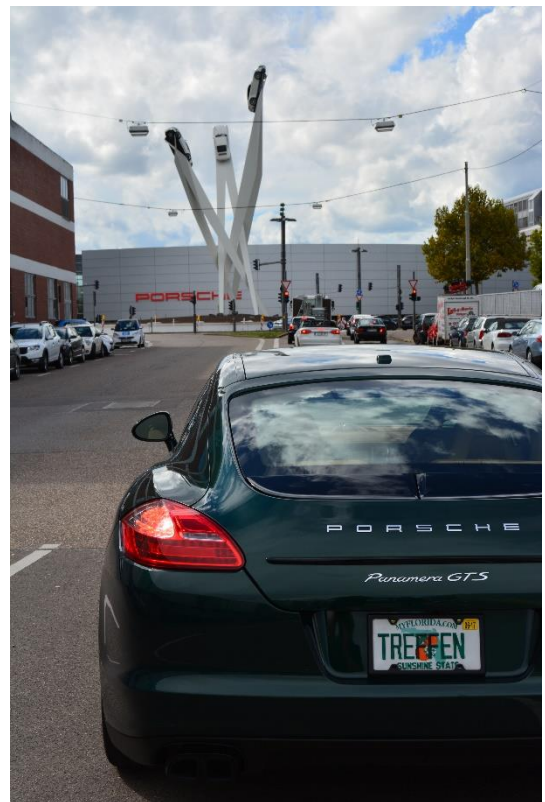


*"A Christmas miracle is when your family doesn't get into a single argument all day." — Melanie White*

#### **IV. SOME OF MY HAPPY MEMORIES**











**Please stay healthy and stay young; be happy and take good care of yourself..... Let's look forward to the great times we will have together again on one of our fabulous PORSCHE Tours this year and let's look forward to 2025. I will see you soon in Stuttgart. Can't wait. - Peter**

