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TO: Our Fast Lane Travel Family in Australia, Brazil, Canada, China, Dubai, Ecuador, all of Europe, Iceland, Iceland, Japan, Kuwait, New Zealand, South Africa, and the USA!



Hello Fast Lane Travel Family

I'm writing to you from our Oldsmar, Florida office, near the beautiful Tampa Bay — and as always, grateful for your enthusiasm, your friendship, and your love of adventure.

Before we begin, many of you have written asking about Peter, and he wants you to know how much he appreciates your warm wishes. He is still healing from his recent carpal tunnel surgery, taking it one day at a time, and he's eager to be back typing at full speed very soon. Until then, he's supervising with his good hand and his signature humor.

Many of you have reached out regarding the unrest in the Middle East and how global tensions might impact travel. While the situation continues to evolve, please be assured that our team is closely monitoring all developments worldwide, maintaining direct communication with partners, tour operators, and authorities across Europe and beyond.

Your safety is always — and will always remain — our highest priority.

Trip of the Week: Twelve Alpine Passes Tour (June 14-24, 2026)

We still have space available!

This thrilling PORSCHE adventure takes you through twelve of the most spectacular Alpine passes across Germany, Austria, Switzerland, and northern Italy — all while enjoying luxurious accommodations, incredible cuisine, and breathtaking scenery.

From the Hahntennjoch to the Stelvio, Bernina, Furka, Grimsel, and more, it's an adrenaline-rich experience designed for passionate drivers and lovers of the Alps.



Nurburgring Track Experience



For those who want even more excitement, you can add the **Nürburgring Experience**, including laps on the legendary Nordschleife and a stay overlooking the track at the Dorint Hotel.

If this tour has been on your bucket list . . . this is ***the year!***

Alpine Cows by Catherine Moore

Some of my lasting memories of my time in the Alps are the sound of cow bells ringing throughout the valleys and the sight of elaborate flower headdresses on parading cows.

During the summer months, Alpine farmers take their cows up into the mountains where the cows graze on the sweet grass of the mountain

pastures. To ensure against loss of the cows, the farmers place large bells around each cow's neck with each bell having its own unique tone. As the cow's graze, their gentle gait causes the bells to clang, a sound that carries far in the Alpine air. With a herd of cows, this clanging becomes a summertime symphony of bells.

In September, the farmers bring their cows back down to the valley for the winter. This descent of the cows is complete with a cow parade and celebration. The colorful parade of cows with their flower headdresses and clanging bells hanging from their necks is accompanied by the farming families wearing their traditional Alpine attire. If you witness this event, you forever remember the beautiful cows, musical bells, and the charming celebration of bringing the cows home for the winter. It's a memory that I cherish.



USA Driving Tours

Southern Fall Colors Tour - <https://tri.ps/qXekk>

Interest has surged in this seasonal favorite, and it's easy to see why: crisp autumn air, winding scenic roads, and landscapes painted in fiery reds and golds. If you're dreaming of a classic American fall road adventure, now is the time to secure your place.

Romantic Wild West Tour -

<https://tri.ps/LDzsr>

Another guest favorite this year. This tour blends cinematic Western landscapes, historic towns, and luxurious accommodations — perfect for couples or anyone craving a little frontier romance with modern comfort.



If either of these tours is calling your name, reach out to us soon — spots are filling quickly.

Please visit our website www.fastlanetravel.com

As Always...

Stay healthy, stay adventurous, and keep dreaming of the road ahead. Peter, our entire team, and I are excited for the unforgettable experiences we'll share with you in 2026 and beyond.

If you need help with flights, cruises, pre- or post-tour arrangements, Ellie is ready to assist at 813-475-5989 or Ellie@fastlaneluxurytravel.com.

Warm regards,

Christina

On behalf of Peter & the Fast Lane Travel Team



Please stay healthy and happy. I'm looking forward to the great times we will have together again with my Team on one of the fabulous tours we are planning for 2026. All the best to you, **Peter**