

# Germany & Austria

September 16 - 30, 2014

## Cornet Chop Suey Jazz Band



**T**alk about a great jazz band! **Cornet Chop Suey** applies its own exciting style to traditional jazz, swing, blues and "big production" numbers. You get it all! This is a chance of a life time. Tour to some of the most beautiful areas on the planet and enjoy daily excellent live traditional jazz, swing, ballads, ragtime, novelty tunes along with spontaneous and outrageous humor. This is not a typical rushed whirlwind European tour, dragging suitcases on and off buses daily with endless city tours. Pack your bags only once. Stay in one modern Bavarian style hotel in the picturesque village of Grassau, located between Munich and Salzburg, nestled on the edge of the Alps with an elevation of just under 1800 feet. Tour by luxurious motor coach daily to places of interest and later to return to our hotel. Our goal is to make this vacation your best ever. This holiday tour allows time to enjoy the very best of the beautiful alpine region of southern Bavaria and Austria. You will learn about the area, its people, their customs and traditions. You'll be catered to a personally guided tour, tailored especially for the Traditional Jazz fan at one low price with no surprise add-ons, all inclusive, no extra upgrades, no added tax, and no added excursions.

**Your tour hosts, Tom & Gina** have lead tours to Grassau over 25 years – they know the area, both speak German. They can show you places of interest that most tourists miss and make all tour arrangements directly with the hotels and the bus company in Grassau. Gina comes from Koenigsdorf, a small Bavarian village just south of Munich. Tom retired from the USAF in 1986 after 26 years of service - half that time stationed in Germany. He especially enjoys vintage jazz and calling square dances. Tom & Gina make their home in Tucson where they operate a self-care horse ranch.

**This is a full two-week holiday**, which also allows plenty of time for shopping, hiking, exploring, dining or just relaxing. The total price for this two week vacation is the best part, only **\$5,750** per person, based on double occupancy. That's it - one price includes round trip airfare from most US cities, all taxes, all your breakfasts, all your evening meals except three, all transportation, all jazz entertainment, plus all entrance fees to all the attractions listed. Compare this tour with any cruise or other European trip and it can't be beat for price, entertainment value and personal attention. Extended stays are available upon request. Space is limited to just **two buses**. With an exciting tour package like this, we expect another sellout. Don't be disappointed – call today to hold your space.

(See reverse for registration form)



**Tom & Gina**

### Includes:

- ◆ Live jazz daily with the **Cornet Chop Suey Jazz Band**
- ◆ Tour personally escorted throughout
- ◆ Round trip airfare from most international airports
- ◆ All taxes, transfer fees & luggage handling
- ◆ All ground transportation by luxurious motor coach
- ◆ Three Star Bavarian Style Hotel with private showers
- ◆ Admission to all concerts & places of interest
- ◆ Full continental breakfast buffet throughout
- ◆ All evening dinners included except three
- ◆ Welcome drink upon arrival
- ◆ World renowned **München Hofbräuhaus**
- ◆ The original Munich **Oktoberfest** & opening parade
- ◆ **Berchtesgaden** Salt Mines
- ◆ **Eagle's Nest** - Berchtesgaden Alpine Kehlsteinhaus
- ◆ **Rattenberg am Inn**, famous for Swarovski Crystal
- ◆ City tours in **Munich, Salzburg & Innsbruck**
- ◆ **Lake Chiemsee** cruise with live jazz
- ◆ Amerang historical **Farmers' Museum**
- ◆ Farmer's **Schnapps Tasting Tour**
- ◆ King Ludwig's **Chiemsee Castle** on Herren Island
- ◆ **Oberammergau**, world renown wood carving capital
- ◆ King Ludwig's fairytale **Neuschwanstein Castle**
- ◆ **Alpine ski lift** - hang-gliders favorite launching site
- ◆ **Veterinary Street Jazz Band & CCS** joint concert
- ◆ **Mozart Dinner Concert** in Salzburg
- ◆ **Concert with Grassau's Teachers' Grove Big Band**
- ◆ **Schuhplattlers** local Traditional Bavarian Show
- ◆ Visit the scenic alpine village of **Reit im Winkl**
- ◆ **Mystery Bus Tour** to spectacular alpine scenery
- ◆ Free time to explore on your own, shop or just relax
- ◆ Special "Aufwiederschen" **Farewell Banquet**
- ◆ Tour with friends of live **Traditional Dixieland Jazz**

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Call Tom & Gina today – toll free 1-800-901-8044

**Cornet Chop Suey Jazz Tour to Germany - Sep 16 - 30, 2014 - Terms, Conditions & Registration Form**

**Registration Tour Cost**

**\$5,750 per person, double occupancy**

**Includes – Round trip airfare & land package**

**Registration** is based on first come first served. These tours can sell out early, so we strongly suggest you register early to reserve your space.

**Registration deposit:** To reserve your space, send a minimum of **\$250 per person** registration deposit. You may cancel anytime for any reason with a full refund on all deposits, except for a **\$50 per person** admin fee up to **February 1, 2014**. **We do not accept credit cards.** This helps keep costs at a minimum, saving you money.

**After February 1, 2014 - Second payment is due:** A total of **\$3,000 per person** is now due which includes the registration deposit. All deposits are refundable before **June 1, 2013** except **\$1,500** per person. **Cancellation & medical travel insurance** is highly recommended at this point. Once your 2<sup>nd</sup> payment is received, we will be purchasing your nonrefundable airfare.

**After June 1, 2014 - Final payment is due:** Total tour cost is now due - 100% non-refundable.

Tour prices are based on two persons sharing one room. **Single supplements** are available for a **private room** for **\$400 per person** additional.

**Tour Cancellation / Interruption and Medical Insurance:** We strongly urge favorable consideration to coverage after **February 1, 2014** when your second payment is due. This will provide financial protection for expenses related to cancellation, interruption and medical expenses caused by a covered reason as stated in the policy. This coverage pays for loss of deposits and additional expense due to unforeseen illness, injuries to you, a traveling partner or immediate family member. It also covers lost baggage, travel documents, medical expense, emergency assistance and accidental death. We recommend **Allianz Global Assistance** at [www.allianztravelinsurance.com](http://www.allianztravelinsurance.com), 1-800-284-8300, formally known as **Access America**. The easiest way to get signed up is to simply call us. We can give you a quote and get you enrolled using your credit card. If you chose to purchase this coverage yourself, be sure to include our agency number **F027712** so they know it's with **Crisp Tours**.

**Foreign exchange:** The major risk factor in pricing your trip is based on the cost of the Euro. For every .01 increase above 1.40 Euro to the dollar, there will be an increase of \$25 per person. For example, if the exchange rate becomes 1.42 to one dollar when you make your final payment, there will be an increase of \$50 per person. To lock in your tour price, you may wish to **prepay your trip early**. This will enable us to move your money into Euros and your trip cost will not increase if the Euro increases in value to the dollar.

**Not included:** Entrance fees to optional attractions not listed as advertised, ground transportation costs when doing own air arrangements or missed connections, personal items, telephone calls, trip cancellation & medical insurance, laundry, gratuities, beverages, lunches, three dinners, food and drink items not on our scheduled menus.

**Responsibility:** We have made arrangements with airlines, hotels and other independent suppliers to provide you with the services you purchased. We have taken all reasonable steps to ensure that proper preparations have been made for your vacation. However, we do not accept any liability for the actions

or omissions of these independent suppliers, over whom we have no direct control. Please understand also that we cannot control such factors as weather, government travel restrictions, mechanical breakdowns, your physical, medical or mental disabilities, your failure to obtain proper travel documents or your failure to follow travel instructions. Every effort will be made to provide you with the service and places of interest we have described to you, however, all prices, descriptions, activity scheduling and places of interest are subject to change without notice if we feel it would be beneficial to the group. If services included in this tour cannot be supplied, or there are changes in the itinerary for reasons beyond our control, we will attempt to arrange for other provisions of comparable services.

**Airline Tickets:** We will notify you by e-mail of your airline itinerary as soon as we have made your reservations. These are your tickets. It is important that you immediately check over your tickets to make sure everything is correct, especially the spelling of your name as it appears on your passport. It is your responsibility to have valid ID, passports and ticket information available at your port of departure.

**Tour Extensions:** If you plan to depart before or return later than the scheduled tour, or wish to purchase the land package only, you must let us know before **February 1, 2014**. We can usually arrange for a later return date at no extra cost if returning from Munich.

**Land Package Only:** If you decide to make your own air arrangements, wish to include an overnight between flights, upgrade to Business or 1<sup>st</sup> Class; then subtract **\$850 per person** for doing your own air. You will then be responsible to meet our busses at the Munich Airport or at your hotel in Grassau. If you are unable to meet our busses because of your schedule, we can arrange to have you picked up from the airport at your expense. Our hotels are: **HOTEL SPERRER, Ortenburger Strasse 5, 83224 Grassau, Germany, Tel: 011-49-(0)8641-2011. Fax: 011-49-(0)8641-1881 & GRASSAUER HOF, Kirchplatz 18 83224 Grassau, Germany Tel: 011-49-(0) 694 740. Fax: 011-49-(0) 8641 694 74 200.** (The zero (0) is only used preceding the local number when in Germany.) Please note this information for family contacts and directions to your hotel.

**Participants:** **Crisp Tours** reserves the right to accept or reject any person as a tour participant and the right to expel from the tour any time a participant whose conduct is deemed incompatible with the interests of the tour group. We regret that **Crisp Tours** cannot always provide individual assistance to tour members for walking, getting on and off busses, special dining requests or other special personal needs.

**Cornet Chop Suey - Meet Band**

**Brian Casserly** - Trumpet, vocalist & Band Leader: Goes by the name "Big B" plays trumpet, trombone and is also a vocalist with the band. A professional musician since the age of 14, Brian has played for many greats in the music business, including Tony Bennett, Tex Beneke, Stan Kenton, Chuck Berry and even Tiny Tim. He has also played the prestigious Monterey Pops Festival for several years. An in-demand session musician, Brian has performed in many commercials, recordings and musicals in the U.S. and Canada and is the past musical director for the S.S. Admiral, a riverboat on the St. Louis riverfront.

**Tom Tucker - Trumpet & Co-Band Leader:**

Tom began playing trumpet at age 11. He played in high school and college, did a 4-year tour in the Navy and then went into the finance and auto dealership business for 25 years. After Tommy sold the dealership and retired, he decided to get back into the music scene. He started a band called "All That Jazz" and progressed from there, becoming a fixture in the St. Louis traditional jazz scene.

**Paul Ried - Piano:** Paul is an all-round entertainer who's done just about everything in the business. His experience runs the gamut from playing solo piano in bars to performing with big bands, writing advertising jingles to performing voice-overs for commercials, reading music production for cartoons to composing songs and lyrics. He was a member of the Night Blooming Jazzmen from 1988 to 2001.

**Jerry Epperson - Reeds:** Jerry's professional career began in 1959 performing in local dance bands, and continued at Truman State University playing in Dixieland and jazz bands. He was fortunate enough to have the chance to meet Louis Armstrong at this time. Jerry was a music educator for several years, and was active in several area jazz bands. Jerry makes frequent appearances at jazz festivals, and performs regularly in the St. Louis area.

**Jim Lawlor - Drums:** Jim got his start in music in 1979 while broke and hungry in Atlantic City NJ, as the city made its first steps into its years as the east coast gambling mecca. Borrowing a snare drum from a local drummer he talked his way into a band and played simple rhythms for little money. He has since played in every casino, club and "joint" in the town. For the last 22 years Jim has enjoyed an exclusive role as drummer with the Midiri Brothers. Jim and his family make their home in Moorestown, NJ, just outside of Philadelphia.

**Brett Stamps - Trombone:** Brett is a retired Professor of Music at Southern Illinois University Edwardsville, taught jazz trombone, composition, arranging, improvisation, pedagogy, history and directed a Concert Jazz Band and Jazz Combo. He founded the jazz studies program in 1979 and served as the director until 2011. He continues to teach trombone, arranging and Concert Jazz Band. A well-respected trombonist internationally, Brett is based in the St. Louis area. On the Trad circuit with the St. Louis Rivermen and now Cornet Chop Suey.

**Jay Hungerford - Bass:** Jay, the newest member of Cornet Chop Suey, received his degree in Music Education from SIU-C. He performs at jazz festivals and clinics across the country. He has taught at numerous collages. Jay is a member of the St. Louis "Fox Orchestra" and has performed with numerous national tours. He has over 60 recordings to his credit including 26 Integrity Worship recordings.

**Or call us toll free 1-800-901-8044**

**To register & save your space, send \$500 per couple to: Tom & Gina Crisp, 4231 S. Pauline Lane, Tucson AZ 85730**

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Last Names	Full first names & middle initial, as shown on passports	First names for your badges
Address	City	State
E-mail address – print clearly	1 <sup>st</sup> Choice International Airport	Zip
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		Home Phone
		Cell Phone
		Signatures - I/We agree to the conditions above