



GENEALOGY TRAVEL

One of the biggest reasons older Americans are traveling relates to genealogy research. This is not surprising, considering that genealogy is the second most popular hobby in the U.S. (after gardening). Specialized tours have become quite popular:

fattiretours.com/genealogy-research-in-europe
familytreetours.com
ancestorseekers.com
bridgetosweden.com
genealogytoursofscotland.ca
genealogytrips.com



COMPANION TRAVEL

Travel companion services are available for seniors who need (non-medical) travel assistance—and for seniors who are well versed in travel and would like to help others as a companion. To become a travel companion or to secure one:

tlcfly.com
tripcompanion.com
flyingcompanions.com

3 WAYS SENIORS CAN STRETCH THEIR TRAVEL BUDGET

1. Host travelers – Use extra space in your home to be an Airbnb host and meet new people from all over the world, to help finance retirement, or to make it possible to travel. Even if you don't have extra space in your house, you may be able to earn money by becoming a neighborhood co-host or hosting a unique experience in your area:

airbnb.com/host

2. House swap or home exchange – To make travel more affordable, especially for long-term trips, this could be a budget-friendly and adventure-rich option.

homeexchange50plus.com
ivhe.com/seniors-home-exchange
homebase-hols.com/page/Seniorshomeexchange

3. National parks – If traveling domestically, a Senior Pass (\$20) provides lifetime access to 59 national parks and over 2,000 recreational facilities managed by the National Park Service. The pass also offers discounts on expanded services in some areas, like camping, swimming, guided tours, etc.

store.usgs.gov/senior-pass

