

AN AMAZING AMERICAN ROAD TRIP

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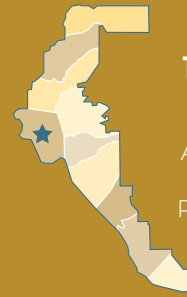
CALIFORNIA'S GOLD COUNTRY, home to the Gold Rush in 1849, combines history, nature, authentic American West small towns, festivals, a sensational culinary scene, wine, microbreweries and majestic scenery in a captivating way that no other California region rivals.



Highway 49 offers an Amazing American Road Trip winding through historic gold rush towns from the north in Sierra County to the south in Oakhurst – approximately 480 kilometers.



Family-friendly:
From outdoor activities to cool historical sites



10 Counties connected by Highway 49:

Amador, Calaveras, El Dorado, Madera, Mariposa, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, Sierra and Tuolumne Counties.



White-water rafting
Class III-IV+



Sacramento, America's Farm-to-Fork Capital with proximity to 1.5 million acres of farms and ranches that grow more than 160 crops for markets here and around the world



Lake Tahoe



Stellar **Summer Recreation:**
Hiking, cycling, rock climbing, golf, water sports, ziplining and camping



Gold discovered in 1849



Wonderous **Winter and All Season Recreation:** Skiing, snowboarding, cave exploring, fishing, historical sites



Lodging options from quaint B&B's, lodges, glamping to full-service resorts



Sacramento **International Airport** gateway



35 California State Parks and Recreation Areas



Yosemite National Park:
Entrances from three counties: Madera, Mariposa and Tuolumne



Fabulous **culinary scene** using local produce



More than 150 wineries:
You might meet the wine maker in the tasting room



Backdrop for many Hollywood Films



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