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## Rider Profiles

Below are profiles and photos of some of the 200+ cyclists taking part in Odyssey 2000®.

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**Barb S.**

**From:** Greensboro, North Carolina

**Age:** 36

**Occupation:** Chemist

**Riding Odyssey 2000® with:** friends, Susan I. and Diane S.

### Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?

Because I would never plan a bicycle ride around the world on my own. This was the perfect opportunity.

### What are you most looking forward to?

What can I say? Bicycling in Scandinavia, New Zealand, Australia, Malaysia, etc.!!

### How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?

As with my other extended bicycle tours, I imagine this one will just make the fire inside me want to see more of the world.

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**Bill W.**

**From:** Aurora, Colorado

**Age:** 67

**Occupation:** Commercial real estate broker.

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

An opportunity to see people in 45 countries face-to-face, eat their food, ride their roads, sleep in their parks and schools, and to get a feel for their economy.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

A chance for a close-up look at the world.

**How do you Think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

To provide a better understanding of conditions in 45countries.

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**Bob B.**

**From:** Arcata, California

**Age:** 46

**Occupation:** Work at local airport

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

To see the world and ride.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Traveling by bike with lots of people.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

For the better.

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**Bill G.**

**From:** Hamilton, New Jersey

**Age:** 42

**Occupation:** 1) St. Mark United Methodist Church, 2) Parudigmil, Inc.

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

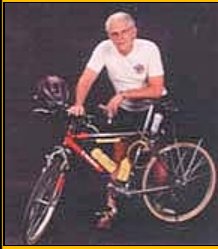
The thrill of riding in places all over the world. I've never been overseas and this is absolutely the best way of going.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

The opportunity of riding so many days during the year; meeting others who enjoy bicycling.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I'm planning to ask myself lots of questions on this trip.



**Bob M.**

**From:** Mequon, Wisconsin

**Age:** 57

**Occupation:** Manufacturing engineer

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

Personal goals, and I needed a reason to retire.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Seeing the world at 20 miles an hour.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

Upon retiring I have seen more of the world than I ever thought I would. I will have more compassion for others.



**Brenda P.**

**From:** Sheboygan, Wisconsin

**Age:** 41

**Occupation:** Dental brace technician

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

I've been thinking about this trip for nearly five years., I enjoy bicycling, traveling, and meeting people so I decided to just do it! I plan to stop and the smell the roses.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

To see how the rest of the world lives.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I'm sure I'll have a different outlook on people, places, and things, and life in general.



**Bruce T.**

**From:** Golden, Colorado

**Age:** 39

**Occupation:** Work at a computer software company

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

To explore that big ball you're standing on.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Forming new life-long friendships! Seeing the world.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I'll form a better understanding of the other people and cultures in the world, and I won't take this country for granted.

**Bruce T.**

**From:** Bellevue, Washington

**Age:** 47

**Occupation:** Bus driver

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

Ride bike, see sties. It was something I "had" to do.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

EVERYTHING!

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I'm a shy person in a loud aloha shirt. When I return, I'll be a shy person in a loud, but smaller, aloha shirt. But on future rides I will be a manly man like Hans and Franz: speed by little girle mans spinning their baby gear; be first into camp, drink beer, talk sports, compare thighs.



**Cammy C.**

**From:** Santa Ana, California

**Age:**35

**Occupation:** Sportswriter

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

To explore the world, take on a new challenge, learn more about myself, and have a whole lot of fun with many new friends.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Going to the Olympics in Sydney and going to Vietnam.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I have no idea, but I can't wait to find out.



**Candace B.**

**From:** Bisbee, Arizona

**Age:** 52

**Occupation:** Quality Manager

Riding Odyssey 2000® with: Robert B.

**Why are you participating in Odyssey**

**2000®?**

I want to see the world and bike the world, but I don't want to worry about the logistics involved.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Seeing something different every day.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

I think I will be physically stronger but even more important I will have accomplished something of which to be proud.

**Caroline L.**

**From:** Fort Collins, CO

**Age:** 65

**Occupation:** Jack of all trades, master of all!

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

Trip of a lifetime! Love to cycle so what better way to see the world.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Meeting people from all over the world. Historical aspect will also be a priority.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

Physically, I'll be in great shape; mentally, I'll be challenged by all the changes; spiritually, I hope to be touched deeply by the people and places we visit.

**Carissa C.**

**From:** Big Sur, California

**Age:** 39

**Occupation:** Sales and marketing for Chappellet Vineyards

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

Couldn't miss it! My favorite part of my day the past three years has been my morning bike ride.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Endless days of riding. Making 250 new, incredible friends. Experiencing 45 countries on a bike.

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

First, I'm sure it will greatly affect my body. A year of riding I'm sure will change my perspective on the world and my own life.

**Cathy B.**

**From:** Costa Mesa, California



**Age:** 38

**Occupation:** Bartender extraordinaire

**Why are you participating in Odyssey 2000®?**

My life is now.

**What are you most looking forward to?**

Exploring new and exotic places with people who enjoy bicycling as much as I do

**How do you think Odyssey 2000® will affect/change you?**

Although I couldn't possibly begin to fathom just how many ways this trip will affect/change me, I would expect at the very least to become a more grateful, appreciative and loving human being.

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