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- 1. Escape to **Alcatraz**
- 2. Raft the **American River**
- 3. Ferry to **Angel Island**, where immigrants waited
- 4. Enter a world of poppies in **Antelope Valley**
- 5. Crunch the crusty plains of **Badwater** in Death Valley
- 6. Flop by the lily pond in **Balboa Park**
- 7. Walk to **Battery Point's** lighthouse at low tide
- 8. Eat well on **Bell Street** in Los Alamos
- 9. Munch a burger with **Big Sur** at your feet
- 10. Let the **Bob Baker Marionette Theater** pull your heartstrings
- 11. Anticipate the apocalypse at **Bombay Beach**
- 12. Soak up the mist from **Burney Falls**
- 13. Grab pole position on a San Francisco **cable car**
- 14. Inspect cabooses at the **California State Railroad Museum**
- 15. Trace the roots of modern California at the **Carmel Mission**
- 16. Sail to **Catalina Island** (and watch for dolphins)
- 17. Find **César Chávez's** legacy tucked into the Tehachapis
- 18. Roll slowly through **Chandelier Tree** in Leggett
- 19. Sample something fresh at **Chez Panisse**
- 20. Gape at the murals of a movement at **Chicano Park**
- 21. Catch the dawn of a new era in San Francisco's **Chinatown**
- 22. Spoon chili at **Cold Spring Tavern** near Santa Barbara
- 23. Chase the gold rush in **Columbia**, a town time forgot
- 24. Nibble and sip at **Downtown SLO's farmers market**
- 25. Connect your kid to Hollywood at Disney's **El Capitan Theatre**
- 26. Stand high above Lake Tahoe's **Emerald Bay**
- 27. Inspect insects and Endeavour at **Exposition Park**
- 28. Cover the **Ferry Building** and waterfront in San Francisco
- 29. Confront **'Forever Marilyn'** as she moons the Palm Springs Art Museum
- 30. Salute **General Sherman** and Sequoia's other big trees

- 31. Ascend to the **Getty**
- 32. Trace the line between junk and nature at **Glass Beach** in Fort Bragg
- 33. Hover over **Golden Gate Park** in a semi-secret museum tower
- 34. Savor the arts on **Grand Avenue** in DTLA
- 35. Nosh and schmooze at **Grand Central Market**
- 36. Spy sun, moon and stars at **Griffith Observatory**
- 37. Refuel (or dodge taxes) at **Harris Ranch**
- 38. Count rooms and whisper "Rosebud" at **Hearst Castle**
- 39. Hop on rocks at **Hidden Valley** in Joshua Tree
- 40. Pack a picnic for the **Hollywood Bowl**
- 41. Stretch out below (and above) the stars at **Hollywood Forever Cemetery**
- 42. See the **Hollywood sign** in myriad ways
- 43. Wiggle your toes in white sand at the **Hotel del Coronado**
- 44. Surround yourself with blossoms and books at the **Huntington Library**
- 45. Order off the menu at the flagship **In-N-Out**
- 46. Roam Coachella Valley's **Indian Canyons** under native palms
- 47. Bathe in sound at the **Integratron** in Landers
- 48. Paddle the **Klamath** in a Yurok dugout canoe
- 49. Sweat in a **Koreatown** spa
- 50. Lose yourself in the **Last Bookstore**, L.A.'s best book nook
- 51. Dine over water on the **Malibu Pier**
- 52. Hurtle down **Mammoth Mountain**
- 53. Never forget what happened at **Manzanar**
- 54. Let loose a grito in L.A.'s **Mariachi Plaza**
- 55. Gulp the great oysters of **Marshall Store** in Tomales Bay
- 56. Stroll between headlands and **Mendocino's Main Street**
- 57. Tour Europe while never leaving Riverside's **Mission Inn**
- 58. Cozy up to a Flapjack octopus at **Monterey Bay Aquarium**
- 59. Cruise **Moonstone Beach Drive** in Cambria
- 60. Walk or paddle in **Morro Rock's** shadow
- 61. Meander **Mt. Tamalpais**
- 62. Climb California's highest peak, **Mt. Whitney**
- 63. Sip and savor aboard the **Napa Valley Wine Train**
- 64. Rise and fall with the 37th president at the **Nixon Presidential Library**
- 65. Taste Italy in **North Beach**, San Francisco
- 66. Gobble grove-to-spoon ice cream at Strathmore's **Orange Works Cafe**
- 67. Dunk doughnuts at L.A.'s **Original Farmers Market**
- 68. Peruse the pickles at Napa's **Oxbow Public Market**
- 69. Gawk at the living art of Laguna Beach's **Pageant of the Masters**
- 70. Ski (or board) on the path of Olympians at **Palisades Tahoe**
- 71. Zip from desert floor to mountain snow on the **Palm Springs Aerial Tramway**
- 72. Frolic at the **Pantages Theatre**
- 73. Smell the grill and hear a band at **Pappy & Harriet's** Pioneertown roadhouse

- 74. Marvel at the massive creatures of **Piedras Blancas Elephant Seal Rookery**
- 75. Creep through caves and chase condors at **Pinnacles National Park**
- 76. Hang with flighty royalty in a **Pismo Beach** monarch grove
- 77. Greet a grizzled veteran at **Point Lobos** near Carmel
- 78. Wander San Luis Obispo's **Poly Canyon** full of architects' dreams
- 79. Wave like POTUS from the **Reagan Library's** Air Force One
- 80. Stalk **Ricardo Breceda's** metal beasts in Borrego Springs
- 81. Shop and gawk on **Rodeo Drive**
- 82. Haggle at the **Rose Bowl Flea Market**
- 83. Kayak the sea caves (and fend off the foxes) of **Santa Cruz Island**
- 84. Disappear into the scenery at **Sea Ranch**
- 85. Get lit (or illuminated) at **Sensorio** in Paso Robles
- 86. Cross Oculus Bridge at **SFMOMA**
- 87. Chow down at a **626 Night Market**
- 88. Pedal past redwoods on **Skunk Train** tracks in Fort Bragg
- 89. Remember the Republic of California in **Sonoma's** Plaza
- 90. Spend madly (or browse for days) at **South Coast Plaza**
- 91. Bask in modernist glory at **Sunnylands** in Rancho Mirage
- 92. Float over **Temecula** wine country
- 93. Soar (or have a sandwich) atop the **Torrey Pines** cliffs
- 94. Haunt the halls of **Union Station**, the last grand train station in America
- 95. Pace the flight deck of the **USS Midway** in San Diego
- 96. Walk, bike or flex your muscles on the **Venice Beach** boardwalk
- 97. Crane your neck at **Watts Towers**
- 98. Stand inside and feel the outside at **Wayfarers Chapel**
- 99. Watch **whales** off San Diego
- 100. Queue up for art, tar, cars and films on **Wilshire Boulevard**
- 101. Feel small in **Yosemite Valley**