

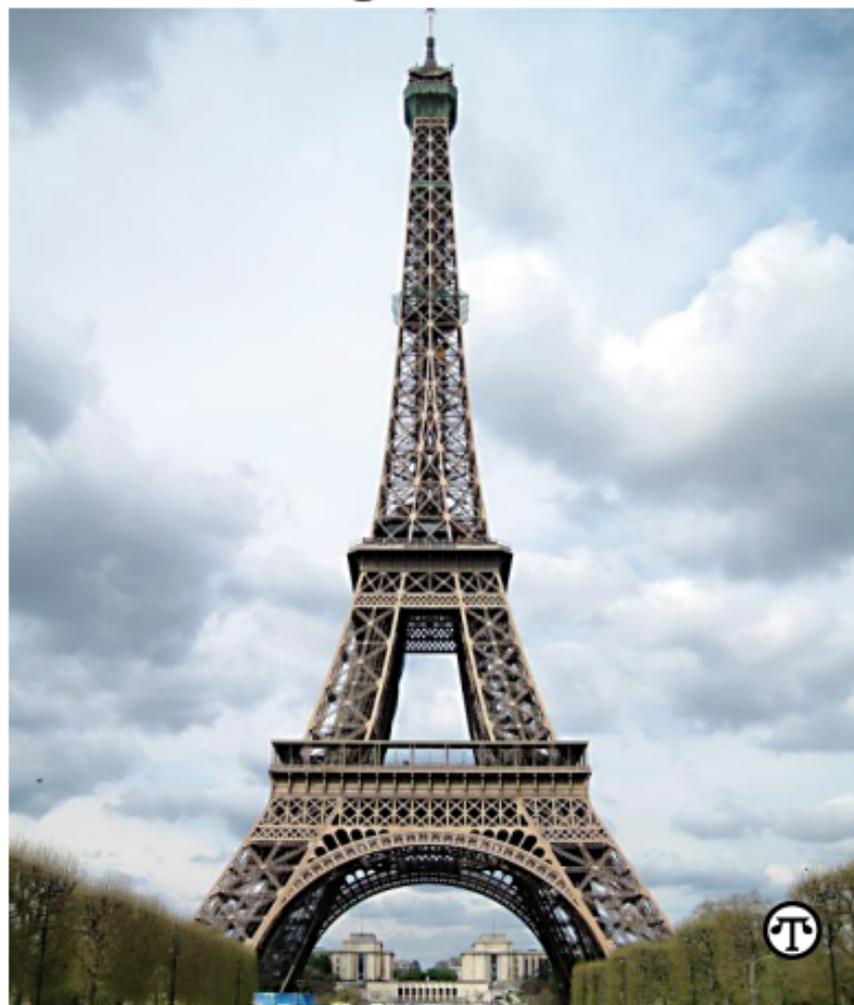
## Money-Saving Travel Tips

(NAPSA)—There are several innovative ways to spend less while traveling.

**1. Know what's on**—Many of the best events around the world are free. Major travel destinations have festivals, public concerts and exhibitions almost every weekend.

**2. Ditch the crowds**—Expenses increase the closer you get to tourist hot spots. Look for off-the-beaten-path and off-season destinations and activities.

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**3. Skip the rental car**—Rely on public transportation, taxis, even walking.

**4. Use the Web**—Why spend \$30 on a guidebook when you can find everything you need online?

Sites such as [www.NileGuide.com](http://www.NileGuide.com) help you create a custom itinerary and print your own personalized guidebook for free.

**5. Stay (at a) home**—Book a vacation rental. Equip yourself with a kitchen and cut your bills. Try [VRBO.com](http://VRBO.com) or [HomeExchange.com](http://HomeExchange.com).