

## Southwest Airlines Offers Nationwide Fare Sale

Book a Romantic Getaway for You and Your Sweetie

DALLAS, Jan. 27 /PRNewswire-FirstCall/ -- You really *can* buy me LUV! Take advantage of low fares from Southwest Airlines to whisk away your sweetie while keeping the cost cheap! Southwest is announcing a nationwide fare sale. Fares are available as low as \$49 one-way for travel on Tuesdays and Wednesdays or \$59 one-way for travel Thursdays through Mondays when purchased by Feb. 19, 2009. These fares are available on *southwest.com* only and require 14-day advance purchase for travel by May 20, 2009. To get these special online fares, click here. Examples of fares include (see Additional Fare Rules below):

- -- \$49 one-way between Dallas Love Field and New Orleans
- -- \$69 one-way between Denver and Seattle-Tacoma
- -- \$89 one-way between Baltimore/Washington and Houston Hobby

Southwest Airlines is also offering outrageously low fares between specific cities for travel Mondays through Thursdays or Saturdays. Customers can travel within the Northeast from Baltimore/Washington for \$49 one-way or flee the Windy City (Chicago) and head to California for only \$99 one-way. Customers also can go west or northwest from Phoenix for \$49 to \$99 one-way. These fares are available on *southwest.com* only and require 14-day advance purchase for travel by May 20, 2009. To get these special online fares, click here. Examples of fares include (see Additional Fare Rules below):

- -- \$49 one-way between Minneapolis/St. Paul and Chicago Midway (service begins March 8, 2009)
- -- \$49 one-way between Baltimore/Washington and Pittsburgh
- -- \$99 one-way between Chicago Midway and Los Angeles

After 37 years of service, Southwest Airlines, the nation's leading low-fare carrier, continues to differentiate itself from other airlines--offering a reliable product with exemplary Customer Service. At Southwest Airlines, fees don't fly. Customers can check their first two bags for free (size and weight limits apply), there are no change fees (you must rebook if your plans change, which could cost more, but we have no additional change fees), no fees for a window or aisle seat, and, as always, snacks, sodas, and smiles are all complimentary!

Southwest Airlines is the most productive airline in the sky and offers Customers a comfortable traveling experience. Southwest offers a very comfortable ride with all premium leather seats and plenty of legroom with a young all Boeing 737 fleet. Southwest Airlines (NYSE: LUV), the nation's largest carrier in terms of domestic passengers enplaned, currently serves 64 cities (with service to Minneapolis/St. Paul starting March 8, 2009) in 32 states. Based in Dallas, Southwest currently operates more than 3,200 flights a day and has more than 35,000 Employees systemwide.

ADDITIONAL FARE RULES

Fares are only available on <a href="www.southwest.com">www.southwest.com</a>. Southwest Airlines fare sales are available with a 14-day advance purchase Jan. 27, 2009, through Feb. 19, 2009, 11:59 PST, and travel must take place between Feb. 10, 2009, and May 20, 2009. Fares do not include a federal segment tax of \$3.60 per takeoff and landing. Fares do not include airport-assessed passenger facility charges (PFC) of up to \$9.00 and U.S. government-imposed September 11th Security Fee of up to \$5.00 one-way. Travel to/from Florida, Orange County, Calif., or Washington, D.C. (Dulles), not included in either sale. Seats are limited. Fares may vary by day of travel and will not be available on some flights that operate during very busy travel times and holiday periods. Fares are available for one-way travel. Fares may be combined with other combinable fares. Fares are not combinable with Senior Fares. When combining fares, all rules and restrictions apply. Fares are nonrefundable by may be applied toward future travel on Southwest Airlines. Fares are not available through the Group Desk. Any change in the itinerary may result in an increase in fare. Standby travel requires an upgrade to the Anytime fare. Fares are subject to change until ticketed. Fares are valid on published, scheduled service only.

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