

The Ultimate Guide:

TRAVEL

ANYWHERE

for

FREE

Free quick-start guide: Travel anywhere
for free - in as little as 90 days*

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Dear traveler,

Have you ever found yourself in a bind because you need to go somewhere specific at a specific time and you can't find flights for less than \$500? \$800? Possibly even \$1500?

Examples:

- Weddings, Funerals (or other last-minute family emergencies)
- Family reunions, guy trips, girl trips, etc.
- Trips to exotic destinations that rarely go on sale

To make matters worse, Murphy's law usually says you're not just talking about one ticket, but four or five. *I don't care how well off you are financially -- having to buy 4 or 5 tickets at triple or quadruple what you were hoping to pay is ALWAYS frustrating.*

99% of the time, it's too late to do anything about it and

- A travel agent can't help you...
- Travelocity, Google Flights, or Kayak can't help you...

Unless you have a backup plan - you're pretty much screwed. Although it's too late to do anything for trips in the next one or two months, you CAN prepare a very simple backup plan for any time after that so it NEVER happens again...

What is a backup plan?

Frequent flyer points. I know what you're thinking. *"I don't want to go through the trouble of switching to a new card for a few frequent flyer points."*

But compared to the *hours* you typically spend trying to find cheap trips that simply don't exist, spending 10 or 20 minutes - applying the tips in this quick-start guide is a breeze.

Read the "quick start guide" on the following page and I'll show you how to have an "emergency stash" of 100,000 frequent flyer points in the next 90 days.

Any time you don't like the prices you're finding for flights or hotels, those points can be redeemed for a minimum of \$1250 and as much as \$10,000 in *free** travel benefits. (Not bad for 10 minutes of work, eh?)

Happy travels!

Joel McDonald

Founder: Just Get Out Of Town (AKA "JGOOT")

Joel's Quick-Start Point-Hacking Guide

A quick-start guide to flying & staying anywhere in the world for free*.



Free* flights to Hawaii courtesy of Chase Sapphire Preferred

1. Check your credit on CreditKarma.com
2. Once you verify your score is higher than 675, go to Chase.com and [apply for the Chase Sapphire Preferred Card](#).
3. If you already have a Sapphire card - get the [AMEX Platinum](#).
4. Put your old card in a drawer when the new one arrives
5. Spend (and immediately pay off) the minimum spend requirement (\$4k to \$6k) within the required time period. (*DO NOT carry a balance. ALWAYS pay off the balance on your card.*)
6. Once you spend (and pay off) a few thousand dollars, you'll be given over 60,000 to 100,000 frequent-flyer points worth \$750 to \$10,000 in future travel benefits (literally).
7. Save your valuable miles for an emergency when you can't find a trip at 60% to 95% below normal rates.

That's it! There is no reason to keep reading. In fact, the more you over-analyze this... the less likely you'll get started... the more likely you'll find yourself NEEDING to travel somewhere, HATING the prices the airlines are charging, and without points - there won't be a thing you can do about it.

Seriously...

There is no need to keep reading.

Print out the previous page and follow the 7 simple steps.

There are no actionable steps in the rest of this guide.

Just examples & proof.

And the longer you put off getting those valuable points...

the more you'll be kicking yourself next time you need to book an expensive
flight or hotel

Didn't get automatically approved?

This actually happens quite often and when that happens, they usually say you'll receive a letter via US mail within 10 to 14 days.

Don't wait for that letter!

Instead, call Chase's reconsideration line, and politely ask if there is any other info you can provide.

9 times out of 10, they just need to verify the spelling of your name, get verbal verification of income, or something very trivial, and you can almost always resolve the issue right there on the phone.

*Another common reason you might get declined is if you already have a few cards with Chase. It could be that they've already extended you as much credit as you're eligible for.

If that's the case, just ask them to move some of your credit from another card to your new card, and voila - problem solved!

Chase's reconsideration line is 888-270-2127

Amex's reconsideration line is 800-567-1083

Good luck!

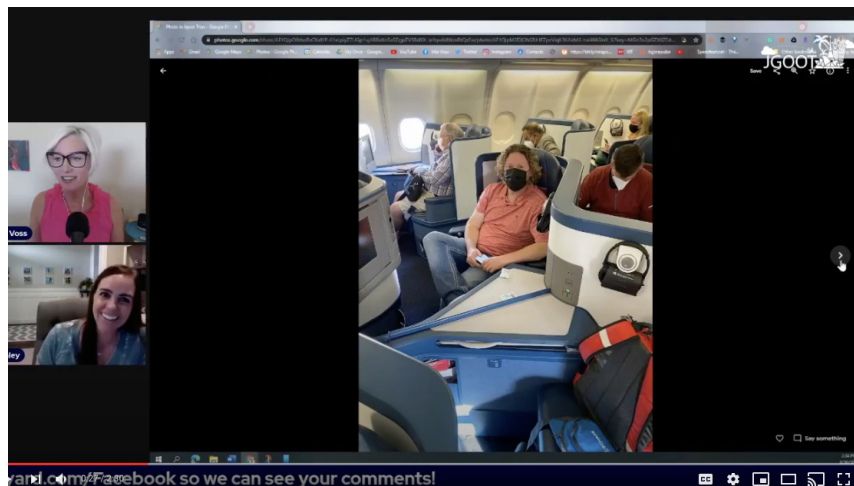
Still reading?

OK, fine... Watch this 5 minute video. It's about both sets of my parents - who put off point-hacking for years (and were then surprised to find out it took less than 5 minutes to get tens of thousands of valuable points just for trying out a new card.)



*If the the above link doesn't work, visit youtube.com/watch?v=AppK05K7t_Y

Or this two minute clip from a coaching client who can say that she (and her family of 5) will NEVER go back to "the old way" of travel.



youtube.com/watch?v=2QMImeeIYHA

Why the Chase Sapphire Preferred?

Because too many people get overwhelmed trying to find the “best” card for their needs. The whole point of this “quick start guide” is to get you started ASAP - so you have a backup plan in place when that unexpected expensive trip comes up.

The [Sapphire Preferred](#)** (CSP) is one of the best (and most flexible) travel cards in the industry. It costs \$95 per year, and by simply adding this card to your wallet - you can earn frequent flyer points worth a *minimum* \$750. Even better - if you're smart about how you redeem them - they can be worth as much as \$9,000 in travel benefits!

Already have a Sapphire card?

If you already have a Sapphire Preferred or Reserve card - there are a few workarounds for this, but that's a more advanced problem for another day. If you want to get a ton of points in a hurry - an EVEN BETTER card for your needs is the [American Express Platinum card](#)**.

It's a bit pricier with an annual fee of \$695, BUT - instead of thinking of it as a “fee” - think of it as pre-paying for things you most likely already pay for anyway.

With the AMEX Platinum card, you get perks like:

- \$200 per year in free Uber rides
- \$360 per year in Paypal reimbursement
- Free lounge access (which can be worth over \$100 in free food & drink every time you visit one of thousands of airport lounges around the country.)
- TSA Pre-Check, CLEAR, or Global Entry reimbursement.
- And plenty of other free perks that are worth a combined \$1400

Best of all - in addition to giving you 100,000 points after meeting your minimum spend requirement - Once you learn *how* to use those points - 100,000 Amex points can be worth anywhere between \$3000 and \$20,000 in free travel!

Note that points from the AMEX Platinum card are **not to be confused with Delta's Platinum AMEX card. (There is a reason Delta Sky Miles are also referred to as "Sky Pesos")*



Free* United Polaris first-class flights to Beijing courtesy of points from American Express

Concerned about being able to responsibly spend several thousand in 3 months for either of the above cards?

[Try a Southwest card**](#). They only require you to spend \$1000 in 3 months, but it won't have *nearly* as much flexibility or value as the points you get from a Chase Sapphire or AMEX Platinum card.

But seriously - don't get hung up trying to pick "the best card". Otherwise, the next thing you know, several months will pass, you'll need to go on a trip, you won't have any frequent flyer points at all, you'll waste hours trying to find affordable flights that don't exist, and you'll be kicking yourself for not spending 10 minutes just applying for one of the cards above.

STILL not convinced?

Here is a sample of 10 flights my family and I have taken through a simple combination of:

Rule 1: Looking for bargain trips every day, and planning vacations around them.

Rule 2: When I don't like the prices I'm finding - I use points and I go for free* (paying only taxes/mandatory fees).

Destination	Normal Cost (Per Person)	Our Cost (Per Person)	Below Market
Turks & Caicos	\$550	\$96	83%
Indianapolis/Ohio	\$350	\$11	97%
Puerto Vallarta	\$475	\$86	82%
Raleigh, NC	\$300	\$84	72%
Los Angeles, CA (Last minute for a funeral)	\$390	\$11	97%
Kauai, HI	\$1,326	\$22	98%
New York, NY	\$465	\$11	98%
Detroit, MI	\$291	\$77	74%
Indianapolis, IN	\$275	\$29	89%
Las Vegas	\$220	\$84	62%
	\$4,642	\$511	89%

Oh yeah...

Then there's this \$12,000 flight that we booked for \$26 in taxes, and the points we got from ONE Chase Sapphire card:



Don't want to manage a bunch of credit cards?

Then Don't.

Travel as often as possible on 60% to 90% off fares that you find by looking every day (rule 1 of The JGOOT Way), and *only use points as a backup plan* when you NEED to get somewhere specific and don't like the prices you're finding (rule 2 of The JGOOT Way).

(We teach you how to find 60% to 90% off deals every day in our paid coaching program, but that's a different topic for a different time.)

For now - take 10 minutes and go and get yourself enough points to use for \$1250 to \$30,000 in free* travel benefits (*literally*). Those benefits will go a LONG way when you **need** to go somewhere and don't like the prices you're finding.

Worried about your credit score?

This strategy doesn't hurt your credit, it *improves* it.



Chris Foland I agree. Honestly if it wasn't for your advice I wouldn't of attempted this. Also the 2 new cards upped our credit scores over 40 points. That was pleasantly shocking bonus to this whole process. Nerdwallet analyser showed this might happen but I thought this was to good to be true. Can't wait to share my travels with everyone.

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STILL thinking it's not worth the trouble?

I understand.

Just don't come crying to me when you *need* to take a trip and you've wasted hours trying to find affordable prices. Unless you have a time-machine to travel back 3 or 4 months and apply the tips in this quick-start-guide (that take about 10 minutes to implement), you'll be forced to pay whatever price the airlines/resorts are charging.

Here are those 3 links again.

1. [Chase Sapphire Preferred**](#)
2. [American Express Platinum**](#)
3. [Chase Southwest Card**](#)

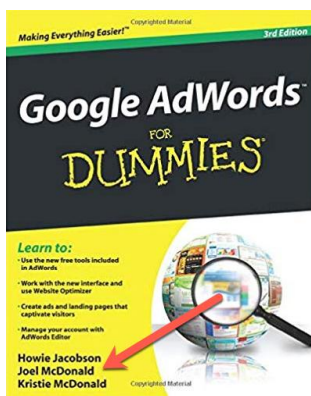
Now quit overthinking it!

Pick one of the above cards and get started! (Because every day you put it off is like driving your car without having insurance and just *hoping* that no emergencies come up.)

It's only a matter of time before you find yourself **NEEDING** to fly somewhere, you won't be able to find affordable flights "the traditional way", and you'll be kicking yourself for not having taken 10 minutes to go and get points that could have gotten you there for **FREE***.

Happy travels.

--Joel



Joel McDonald is the co-author of several "For Dummies" books teaching advertisers how to beat Google's advertising algorithm.

In 2017, he decided beating the airline/hotel pricing algorithms was more fun and he started Just Get Out Of Town (AKA "JGOOT")

Now, he coaches savvy travelers on how to travel in luxury - for less than what they used to pay for basic economy travel (WITHOUT juggling lots of credit cards.)

Testimonials From Our Travel Coaching Clients

“I’m traveling in business class for cheaper than the economy I used to book before”



Stanimira McKnight

Oh my. I have and because of the Lounge I've traveled every month this year. Not only that, I'm traveling in business class for the first time ever and cheaper than the economy I used to book before.

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Eric Martin

Short Answer is Yes! My 2 favorite takeaways were that the time and money I've invested in the Lounge already paid for themselves and the Lounge community is so amazing I've met a few Loungers and had an amazing time. One of the best investment in 2021!

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“learn a skill that will allow you to travel well the rest of your life...”



Armando Zamora

I was skeptical about joining at first. Personally I have all the travel cards I want/need, and already travelled a bunch and lived overseas/in multiple states. I mostly focus on one credit card (CSR).

The methods, principals, expert community, and real time information are what make this worth joining.

To be honest, it seems like a lot of people that have negative perceptions of JGOOT are penny pinchers and don't want to pay for education or expect low cost travel to be handed to them.

If those are your expectations, then the lounge probably isn't for you. But if you want to learn a skill that will allow you to travel well the rest of your life, then I say it's worth it. I thought I was savvy until I started going through the material and realized how little I knew- and I'm still in the intermediate videos.

I'm not a coach or an expert, just a convert after joining a few months ago. Feel free to DM me if you have any other questions from someone that joined recently.

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“We are able to go on vacation and feel like royalty”



Shannon LeBleu

Yes! So many amazing lessons and so much more travel than I ever thought possible. My family is continually impressed how we are able to go on vacation and feel like royalty. Best investment I ever made is joining the Lounge and learning how this works.

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Already have 2 trips planned & I've only been a member for a few weeks



Jessica Keeton

Yes it works! I already have 2 trips planned the JGOOT way and I've only been a lounge member for a few weeks. Cancun and a Boston/NYC trip. JGOOT changed my life!

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In my 93rd country RIGHT NOW because of JGOOT



Daniel Streske

I'm people watching, sitting in a street cafe, having white chocolate coffee in Kiev, Ukraine (my 93rd country) right now, because of JGOOT. Joel and the program rocks, just sayin.

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Daniel Streske

The bumper cars here are the tiniest bit outdated though...



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Here's some more inspiration from other JGOOT clients:


 **Melany Smith Radel**
August 10 at 1:32 PM · 🌐



I am just having a surreal moment! I am staying in an ocean front room in Waikiki! Our room was covered by points! Since I am a globalist with Hyatt, we got this amazing view! I flew the 4 of us here for less than \$1000 from Baltimore (using points and cash). We are having an amazing time and loving the beautiful blue ocean!!! Thank you JGOOT Lounge for teaching me the way to have amazing trips with my family of 4! Even my parents are wondering how I do this! My answer, I took a course that showed me how! 🙌 percent worth the investment to travel like this!!!



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“7 trips so far this year”

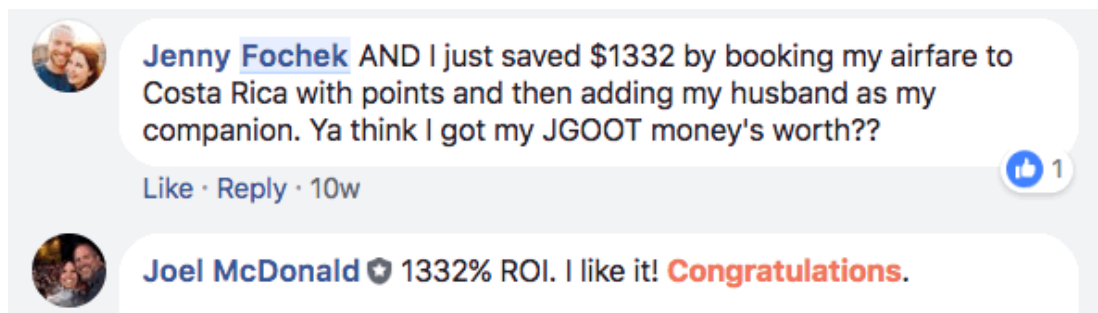
 **Ashley Moyes**
I was able to go on 7 trips this year using the skills I learned in the lounge after I joined early January. I've gotten airport lounge access, delta one seats and the nicest hyatt rooms ever each time. I've saved thousands.

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Savvy traveler introducing herself



90 days later:



It's not just about cheap credit card hacks. It's not just about airline/hotel status. It's about having a proven SYSTEM for traveling as often as you like, and as well as you like.



Watch at youtube.com/watch?v=9ubHFkarA00

*All testimonials in this guide are from actual members of our paid travel coaching group. Although we teach dozens of strategies guaranteed to stretch **any** travel budget 3 to 10 times farther, juggling lots of credit cards is not one of those strategies. The majority of our clients use one of the cards mentioned in this guide for the majority of their credit-card spending.*

Want to discover how to travel well for *the rest of your life*?

(*WITHOUT* breaking the bank, and *WITHOUT* juggling tons of credit cards?)

Take our 30-second travel-quiz at JGOOTlounge.com/quiz

Whether you only travel once or twice a year, or take more than half-a-dozen trips a year...

We'll offer custom-tailored advice that will help you to stretch YOUR travel budget 5 to 10 times as far.

"I'm a CPA... the return on investment is 10-fold!"



John Santarpia

Yes! Thanks to Joel and his team, I have taken a minimum of one trip per month in 2021. I've learned to get upgraded suites, stay at wonderful airport lounges, travel in business class/lie flat seats, get free premium show tickets and much much more. I'm a CPA and can tell you the return on investment is 10 fold!

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Disclosures: *Flying on points is free, but the user is still responsible for taxes & surcharges. **1, or one of the travel coaches on my team may receive frequent flyer points for referring you via the links in this quick-start-guide.

Know a friend who wishes they could travel in more luxury? Feel free to forward this information to them. Travel changed my life, and my mission is to help 10,000 families to stop saying "I wish I traveled more".

--Joel McDonald: Founder