



Bassguideservice BASS FISHING

BOOKINGS/MEETING LOCATION/TIME: Every day is a fishing day so book it soon (call John 630 918 9642). We will meet at a close location convenient to you usually 1 hr. before sunrise. We want to be on the water right at sunrise. We will ride to the water together unless you want to take your own vehicle.

FISHING LOCATION: We will fish on any freshwater lake you prefer. Locally within a 1 hr. drive we can fish on the Des Plaines River south near Joliet, IL-Illinois River near Morris, IL, Braidwood cooling lake in Braidwood, IL, Mazonia lakes, or north near Fox lake Chain of lakes or any combination. In Wisconsin we can fish Delevan or Lake Geneva approx 1.5 hrs. away.

TRAVEL DESTINATIONS: I will travel wherever you want to go. Travel more than 1.5 hrs. one way requires overnight stay. Multiple day or weekend trips can be planned to any lake you might want to fish. Which can include travel back and forth, lodging, meals and all equipment? Weekend trips start as low as \$1000.00. Whether you like to camp or stay in a motel I will accommodate. Just ask and I will plan your trip.

BOAT: We will be fishing from a 22 ft Nitro Pro Bass boat. This boat has a big motor Mercury 250 hp and reaches speeds of up to 70 mph. If you are afraid of speed let me know. It is equipped with all the latest sonar technology, 36-volt trolling motor and live wells.

SPECIES: The species of fish we will be fishing for is largemouth and/or smallmouth bass. It is not uncommon to catch small mouth bass, catfish, blue gill, northern, carp and/or drum. Most of the fish will be in the 1-2 lb. range although there are 5 pounders.

CATCH & RELEASE: I encourage catch & release to preserve the species. But you can take home the legal limit. I will clean your fish.

SAFETY: Life jackets must be worn when on the boat (which I can supply). You must watch where you are always casting so that you do not hook someone. You may take a dip on those hot days at your own risk. Also, it is imperative that you are seated when the big motor is on.

EQUIPMENT: You must have your own fishing license. You can use my rod and reel(s) with 12 lb. test line or bring your own. We fish with artificial lures, but you may bring live bait. If you bring live bait you also need the terminal tackle. If you lose my artificial bait that is ok. If you lose my rods or reels that is not ok, and you will be asked to pay for them.

LESSON: If you know how to fish, I will teach you how to catch these fish, if not I will show you how to fish

PHOTO'S: I will furnish all the photo's you want me to take then send to you via email SNACKS,

SANDWHICHES & DRINKS: On the boat I will supply snacks, food and drinks. No alcoholic beverages are allowed. Please let me know what your favorite snack, sandwich and drinks are.

WHAT YOU SHOULD BRING:

1. Bring something warm (sometimes cool in the morning or evening especially @ 70 mph)
2. Hat & Sunglasses
3. Sun lotion, bug repellent
4. Rain suit
5. If you want to fish with live bait bring it!
6. Your fishing license, you can buy online at <https://www.il.wildlifelicense.com/start.php#>
7. Life jacket if you have one (if not I will furnish).
8. Your list of your favorite snack, sandwich's and drinks
9. Camera (I will take photos, or you can bring your own).



Fishing For Fun

RATES: (full payment due when trip is booked, I accept all major credit cards)

HALF DAY RATE: \$350.00 Fish from sunrise until 12:00 PM or 12:00 PM until dark

FULL DAY RATE: \$450.00 Fish from sunrise until you are ready to quit.

OVERNIGHT HALF DAY RATE: \$500.00 + (\$.30/MILE) traveling more than 1.5 hrs. driving time one way requires overnight stay. This pays for half day on the water, gas, motel. Fish from sunrise until 12:00 PM or 12:00 PM until dark.

OVERNIGHT FULL DAY RATE: \$600.00 + (\$.30/MILE) traveling more than 1.5 hrs. driving time one way requires overnight stay. This pays for full day on the water, gas, motel. Fish from sunrise until you are ready to quit.

WEEKEND TRIPS: As low as \$1000.00

BARTER RATES: Ask for details

BOOKED TIMES; Please understand that all captains are always busy and once you book a time then the captain cannot take on any more clients out in that time frame. Therefore, if you cancel that is money lost not under his control!

CANCELLATION: Cancellations can be done for any reason **but at a cost** (see below). Should the cancellation be due to lightning or other inclement weather (not counting rain) that creates an unsafe condition on the water then captain will call for cancellation.

IN SUMMARY:

- A. If you cancel it cost only **\$100.00 paid directly to the captain** unless we are at the destination already.
- B. Once boat and captain are at the water site, meaning he has traveled then charges of \$.30/mile for total traveled miles to and from the water will be charged to the client. Plus, ½ half of the money of the total booked trip cost plus any other costs incurred by the captain.
- C. If there were motel accommodation reserved which cannot be cancelled, then client will pay that charge also.
- D. If there are other unexpected expenses due to cancellation, then client will pay that charge also.

Example:

Half the cost of a 1/2 half day trip \$350.00	\$175.00
100 miles travelled @.30/mile	\$ 30.00
Motel expense	.00
Plus, any other cost	<u>.00</u>
Total due captain	\$205.00

RESCHEDULE; Deposit non-refundable under normal circumstances. If the captain cannot run the trip due to unsafe weather conditions, your booking can be moved to another date or canceled free of charge if boat and captain are not near the water site already. The charge for that is also **\$100.00**.

Thanks

John Angel

Owner Bassguideservice

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Bassguideservice Angler Liability Release Form

Acknowledgement of Indemnity, Waiver of all claims, Release from Liability and Assumption of Risks

I, on this ____ day of _____, _____

In consideration of Bass guide John Angel taking the participant(s) on the excursion participant(s) do hereby:

1. Recognize that the sport fishing excursion participant(s) has requested takes place in a natural environment, possibly including hazardous waters. The "excursion" involves risks, dangers and hazards resulting from many different circumstances, including but not limited to: collision with man-made and natural objects; changing weather conditions; changing water conditions, equipment faults and other circumstances not referred to herein but inherent in the hazards which may be encountered in subject environments.
2. Understand and accept that the "excursion" involves risks, which may include, but is not limited to, personal injury or death and damage to or loss of property.
3. Assume responsibility for and the risk of swimming should you enter the water.
4. Assume responsibility and the risk of, personal injury, death or property damage or loss resulting from any participation in the services provided.
5. Participant(s) agrees to hold harmless and indemnify all guides, employees, workers, servants and agents from any and all liability for any loss, damage, personal injury, death, or expenses sustained by me or any third party which in any way arises out of, or relates to participation in the excursion, however caused, natural or otherwise.
6. Any loss or damage to John Angel's equipment by the participant(s) will result in charges to the participant for said equipment (other than lures or line).

I have carefully read and clearly understood this release of liability prior to signing it, and I am aware that by signing this release of liability, I am waiving certain legal rights which I, or my heirs, next of kin, executors, administrators, and assigns may have against the release.

Name _____ (please type or print, print out, sign and give to me)

Street _____

City _____ State _____ ZIP _____

PH# _____

Participant(s) Signature; (maximum 3) if 18 or over must sign

Name _____ Signature _____ Date _____ Lic # _____ Illinois

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Fishing Certificate

If you have fished with me before I fully enjoyed having you! If not, I welcome the opportunity to do so. For you that have fished I'm giving you this certificate as a token of my appreciation to use as you wish. It is valid for use on a weekend, multiple day, full or half day trip.

Perhaps use as a gift for a family member or a friend. For every trip I book with someone you referred you will get another certificate.

This certificate is worth \$100.00 towards another fishing trip with Bassguideservice.

_____ Date _____

_____ Date _____

Thanks John Angel