

# **COLORS OF PROVENCE**

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*7 Night Rhone River Cruise aboard the AMAKristina*

*3 Night Pre-Cruise in Barcelona*

*3 Night Post-Cruise in Paris*

## YOUR ITINERARY

**DAY 1 FLIGHT TO BARCELONA, SPAIN.**

**DAY 2 BARCELONA** Arrive in Barcelona for a 3-night stay. Evening at leisure.

**DAY 3 BARCELONA** Barcelona, bustling capital of Catalonia, is an artist's, architect's, foodie's, historian's and culturist's dream. Tour the cobblestoned lanes of the Gothic Quarter in the medieval city center and Las Ramblas. See Antoni Gaudi's imaginative architectural creations including La Sagrada Familia. (B)

**DAY 4 BARCELONA** Excursion to the mountain, Montserrat, home to the Benedictine monastery of Santa Maria de Montserrat, officially founded in 1025. View the famous Black Madonna sculpture. Once atop the mountain, experience an indescribable view of the Catalonia landscape. (B)

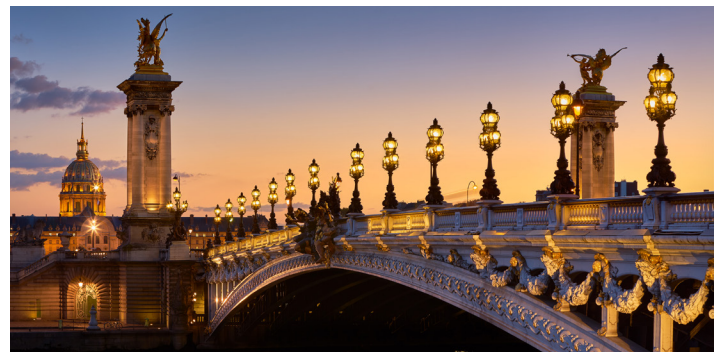
## DAY 5 CRUISE BEGINS

### – EMBARKATION IN AVIGNON, FRANCE

Board the TGV high-speed train from Barcelona to Avignon. Embark the ship in Avignon for your Colors of Provence Cruise. (B, D)

## TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- ★ Santa Maria de Montserrat
- ★ La Sagrada Familia
- ★ Barcelona Guided Tour
- ★ Pont du Gard – Roman Aqueduct
- ★ Avignon Papal Palace
- ★ Camargue National Park
- ★ Van Gogh Walking Tour
- ★ Castle of Tarascon
- ★ Ancient Roman Ruins of Arles
- ★ Gorge du Doux Scenic Train
- ★ St. Pierre Abbey
- ★ Augustus and Livia Roman Temples
- ★ Beaujolais Wine Region
- ★ Lyon Guided Tour
- ★ Atelier des Lumieres
- ★ Montmartre
- ★ Arc de Triomphe & Eiffel Tower
- ★ Paris Evening Illumination Tour







**DAY 6 AVIGNON** Avignon, aptly named the “City of Popes,” was the center of the Catholic Church in the 14th century when its “Palais des Papes” was the equivalent of today’s Vatican. Avignon guided walking tour including the Papal Palace and wellpreserved medieval walls surrounding the historic center of town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. (B, L, D)

**DAY 7 ARLES – TARASCON, FRANCE** Provençal town Tarascon is known for its medieval architecture and charming tales. Walking tour of the Roman ruins of Arles such as its Roman Amphitheater and the Church of Saint Trophime or special Van Gogh walking tour. See the enchanting medieval fortress, Castle of Tarascon. Visit Camargue National Park, a protected natural territory that lines the Mediterranean Sea south of Arles. Enjoy an evening illuminations cruise in Avignon. (B, L, D)

**DAY 8 TOURNON, FRANCE** Scenic train ride past magnificent landscapes carved along the Gorge du Doux, or visit Le Château de Tournon for a presentation and tasting on the pairing of red wine and chocolate. (B, L, D)

**DAY 9 VIENNE, FRANCE** Tour of ancient Roman ruins including the amazingly well preserved Augustus and Livia Temple. See Saint Maurice Cathedral, a Gothic church that took more than 500 years to build, and St. Pierre Abbey—one of the oldest surviving churches in France. (B, L, D)

**DAY 10 COLLONGES, FRANCE** Beaujolais wine region—known as the Pays d’Or or “land of the golden stones.” Wine tasting at a traditional winery and learn about the history of the vineyard. (B, L, D)

**DAY 11 LYON, FRANCE** Discover dynamic Lyon, starting in Fourvière Hill, a designated UNESCO World Heritage Site and home to the 19th-century basilica Notre-Dame de Fourvière. Guided walking tour through the St. Jean district with its unique covered walkways, known as “traboules.” (B, L, D)

**DAY 12 CRUISE ENDS – DISEMBARKATION IN LYON – PARIS, FRANCE** Disembark your ship in Lyon. Take a high-speed train through the French countryside to Paris. Arrive in Paris for a 3-night stay. Evening at leisure. (B)

**DAY 13 PARIS** Guided tour of Paris, including Arc de Triomphe, Eiffel Tower and Montmartre, the city’s premier artist’s enclave. Evening illumination tour of Paris, the “City of Light.” (B)

**DAY 14 PARIS** Immersive digital experience with art, sound and history displayed throughout the rooms and walls of the the Atelier des Lumières, formerly an 18th-century steel factory. (B)

**DAY 15 FLIGHT HOME FROM PARIS** (B)

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### PRICES

**\$10,998** Double Occupancy Per Person

★ + \$791.86 to Add Travel Insurance

**LIMITED** Single Occupancy

★ Call for Availability

**DEPOSIT: \$1,500** Per Person

**FINAL PAYMENT DATE: 11/15/21**

**TOUR: 15 DAYS/13 NIGHTS**

**26 MEALS: 13 BREAKFASTS,  
6 LUNCHESES, 7 DINNERS**

**PASSPORT REQUIRED**

# WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR?

- ★ Free Chicagoland Area Home Pickup & Return
- ★ Private Group Airline Check-In
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- ★ Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- ★ Deluxe Hotel Accommodations
- ★ Fine-Dining (see pg. 3 for exact meal count)
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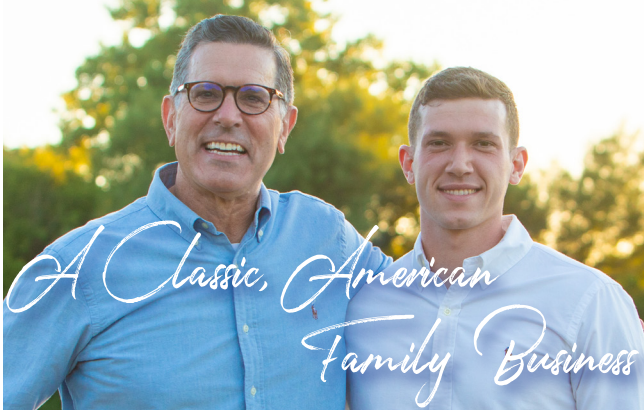


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