

COLORS OF PROVENCE

April 24 – May 7, 2023



**& MAINE TOWNSHIP MAINSTREAMERS
& AMERICAN CLASSIC TOURS**



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7 Night Rhone River Cruise aboard the AmaKristina
3 Night Pre-Cruise in Paris
3 Night Post-Cruise in Barcelona

YOUR ITINERARY

DAY 1 FLIGHT TO PARIS, FRANCE.

DAY 2 PARIS Arrive in Paris for a 3-night stay. Evening at leisure.

DAY 3 PARIS Guided tour of Paris to see signature sites including Arc de Triomphe, Eiffel Tower, and more. (B)

DAY 4 PARIS Visit Montmartre, the city's premier artist's enclave. Evening illumination tour of Paris, the "City of Light." (B)

DAY 5 CRUISE BEGINS – EMBARKATION IN LYON, FRANCE Board the TGV high-speed train from Paris to Lyon. Embark the ship in Lyon for your Colors of Provence Cruise. (B, D)

DAY 6 LYON 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)

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

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





DAY 7 VILLEFRANCHE-SUR-SAONE, 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 8 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 9 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 10 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 11 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 well-preserved medieval walls surrounding the historic center of town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. (B, L, D)

DAY 12 CRUISE ENDS – DISEMBARKATION IN AVIGNON – BARCELONA, SPAIN Disembark your ship in Avignon. Take a high-speed train from Avignon to Barcelona. Arrive in Barcelona for a 3-night stay. Evening at leisure. (B)

DAY 13 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 Gaudí’s imaginative architectural creations including La Sagrada Família. (B)

DAY 14 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 15 FLIGHT HOME FROM BARCELONA, SPAIN.

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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: 11/15/22

TOUR: 15 DAYS/13 NIGHTS

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

PASSPORT REQUIRED

WHAT'S INCLUDED IN YOUR TOUR?

- ★ Free Chicagoland Area Home Pickup & Return
- ★ Private Group Airline Check-In
- ★ Round Trip Airfare & 1 Checked Bag
- ★ Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation
- ★ Deluxe Hotel Accommodations
- ★ Fine-Dining (see pg. 3 for exact meal count)
- ★ All Attractions, Tours, Admissions
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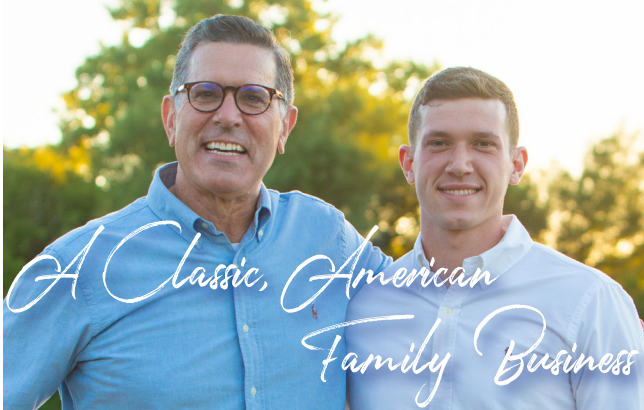


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