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Balloons during the Balloon Fiesta in Albuquerque, New Mexico



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Dear Traveler,

The last few weeks have been presenting us all with a difficult set of challenges. In fact, for a company that exists to inspire and enable our guests to experience the world, it has been an unprecedented situation.

With travel currently on hold, you might wonder: why is YMT publishing a new catalog? Why would I think about travel now? Our answer is that our love for travel is not going away. We may not be able to travel today — but

once the crisis is over, we hope to, once again, enjoy exploring the world. So, this catalog is meant to inspire hope for future travel: fall, winter and especially 2021. We want you to keep dreaming!

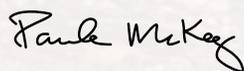
With this issue, we are starting to announce more 2021 travel opportunities. We want you to be the first to know about these great new itineraries and continue to find experiences and bucket list destinations in these pages that inspire and delight.

In this issue, we are launching our 2021 European river cruise itineraries. Castles on the Rhine River Cruise takes you to real life fairytale castles throughout Germany, Netherlands, and Belgium. On the Enchanting Danube River Cruise, you'll fall in love with Germany, Austria, Budapest, and Slovakia as you slowly float past their prettiest sights. Finally, our 2021 Rhine River Cruise in Tulip Season promises to be a flower-filled journey through Northern Europe in bloom. YMT offers the best value in river cruising and we hope you take advantage of our new tours next year.

In addition to our European river cruises, we have four new European land tours in 2021. Starting in northern France, with the scenic beauty and cultural majesty of the brand-new Paris, Normandy & Loire Valley. Best of Southern Spain celebrates Spain's spectacular food, culture, history, and scenery, while Best of Portugal focuses on uniquely Portuguese art, architecture, traditions, and nature. Finally, Majestic Europe is a truly epic journey; discover Europe in one tour - from London to Rome on a tour through the culture, history, natural beauty, and cuisine of 7 stunning countries. Whichever you pick, these new tours of Europe are guaranteed to check off numerous bucket list experiences.

Despite the present challenges, we know that brighter days lie ahead. Our over 50 years of experience ensure we'll be here for you, and we look forward to experiencing the world together soon. In the meantime, please stay safe at home and know that the wellbeing of our guests and teams continue to be our priority.

Paula McKay



President



**LIMITED-TIME FEATURED OFFER:
SAVE \$50 ON SELECT TOURS WHEN YOU BOOK BY 5/29**

Look for this icon on the next page to see if your favorite tour is eligible! See page 6 for more details.

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WHY CHOOSE YMT?

OUR PROMISE OF VALUE Your vacation means as much to us as we know it means to you. It's your time to get away from it all, to explore new places and cultures, and to meet new people. We also know that you have many options

when it comes to arranging your travel, and we thank you for entrusting YMT. Making your vacation perfect and offering you the best value for your dollar is our goal. Our Lowest Price Guarantee means that if you find the same tour and itinerary advertised at a lower price somewhere else, we pay you the difference, PLUS 10% of the difference. We offer full travel packages, and even offer the opportunity to combine some of our itineraries so you get two tours in one, with a connecting flight or a sightseeing excursion for free. And if you choose to book your air travel with us, a YMT representative will greet you at the airport and transfer you to your hotel—now that's service!

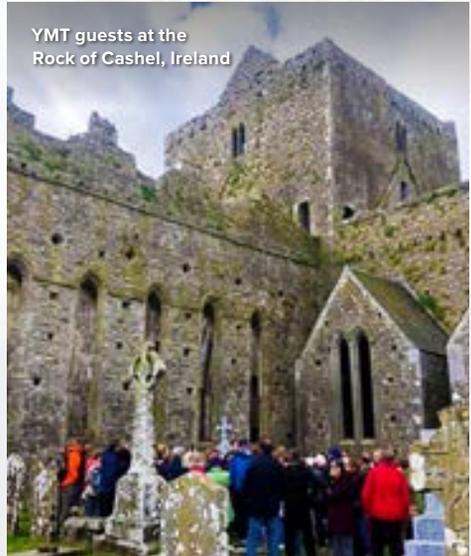
ABSOLUTE PEACE OF MIND

Trust your vacation to YMT's capable hands and relax—we've been guiding guests on affordable group tours since 1967!

Over 50 years of experience are behind every part of your trip. From the comfort, fun, and convenience of guided group travel, to our easygoing pace, everything we do is designed with you in mind, including our payment plans! Just pay a \$250 deposit to reserve your spot, a \$250 second deposit 180 days before departure, and a final payment 100 days before your tour departs. Call for full details.

A COMMUNITY OF FRIENDS

When you choose YMT for your vacation, you're not just choosing a travel company—you're joining a community of mature travelers who, like you, appreciate the luxury of worry-free travel at an extraordinary value. Whether you travel solo, with a partner, or with a small group, your tour allows you to branch out and get to know many interesting, adventurous, active fellow travelers. You'll come home with wonderful memories, and a world full of friends. Your YMT vacation includes so much more than just a tour—the connection and spirit of community you experience are priceless.



YMT guests at the
Rock of Cashel, Ireland



THE HIGHEST COMPLIMENT

Most of our travelers are either repeat guests looking for another vacation adventure, or first-time YMT travelers referred by a satisfied YMT guest. Many guests report that their YMT tours have been the best of their life thanks to our experienced Tour Directors, well-planned itineraries, and of course, the friendships they made along the way. We're proud of all of the great reviews many of our happy guests have written, and we'll do our very best to give you an equally wonderful experience, ensuring that your first YMT trip will be one of many!

A TRADITION OF HOSPITALITY

YMT Vacations started out as Your Man Tours in 1967 with the goal of making travel to Hawaii affordable to all. Dedicated to personal attention and excellent service, we were "your man" on the islands. And today, our popular Hawaii tours are escorted throughout by our friendly local guides who will give you an insider's tour of the islands and show you what the warm Aloha spirit is truly all about!

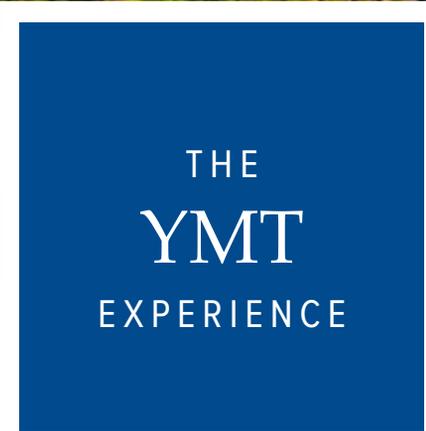


YMT guests enjoying Iceland
Credit: Terrie Welsh

In the more than 50 years since our beginning, we've grown into more than just Hawaii's friendliest diplomats—YMT Vacations has taken our aloha spirit across the globe. Our team of Tour Directors has decades of experience leading mature travelers on dream vacations to Alaska, Europe, the continental United States and beyond, and we are proud to build on the wonderful tradition of hospitality started in Hawaii so many decades ago.



YMT guests at the Grand Canyon National Park
Credit: Sandy Gross



WE'RE PROUD THAT OUR VACATIONS ARE THE EASIEST, most engaging, affordable, social, and fun way for mature travelers to see the world. We've designed guided land and cruise tour packages that give guests more of what they want. When you travel with YMT, you'll be accompanied by other YMT guests, which enriches your travel experience even more. Wherever your vacation dreams take you, and however you decide to travel, all of your arrangements on our vacations—accommodations, transportation on tour via modern motor coach, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing and attraction entrance fees, professional Tour Directors, select meals, even independent air travel with transfers to and from your hotel at no extra cost—will be taken care of with one simple phone call.

And while you're on your trip, you can do as much or as little as you like. We arrange our group tours with a great variety of optional side trips you might enjoy. Perhaps even more importantly, we've built in plenty of free time you can use any way you like—bond with the group, relax with your partner, or explore your new surroundings by yourself! After all, it is your vacation, where the hardest thing you have to do is choose where to go!

THOUGHTFULLY CURATED ITINERARIES

You won't find a more flexible, easy-going vacation than a YMT guided land tour or cruise tour. Our trips are designed with you in mind. The destination, stops, pacing, accommodations, and optional tours are all planned to enable mature travelers to get the most out of their time away. You can expect frequent rest stops on land tours, clean and comfortable lodging, baggage handling throughout, climate-controlled modern motor coaches, included entrance to attractions and sightseeing, plus plenty of time built in for rest and relaxation. And, our tours even offer you the freedom to choose what and when you'd like to eat (instead of charging you up front for food you may not even want)—now that's value and convenience that can't be beat!





EXPERT TOUR DIRECTORS AND DRIVER GUIDES

We're proud to have some of the most experienced, dedicated Tour Directors and driver guides in the industry. The men and women that lead YMT's tours are true experts, with passion and experience leading mature travelers all over the world. Several of our tours are handled exclusively by local Tour Directors and driver guides, whose pride and enthusiasm for their home is infectious. These leaders will show you what makes the area you're visiting special to the people who live there.

You'll enjoy a deeper connection, appreciation, and understanding of the local culture and your experiences. We believe this insider's perspective, that only a member of the community can provide, makes travel just that much richer. Since the beginning in 1967, YMT has been proud to employ local Tour Directors on all of our Hawaii vacations, and our guests can't say enough wonderful things about them. And the local driver guides on our Ireland tours are one of the many reasons guests rate our Ireland tours more than 4 out of 5 stars.



Hawaii Tour Directors
Nox, Pita, Leon, Oz, and Vetti



YMT guests & guide
outside restaurant in Spain



YMT guests in Sequoia National Park



LIMITED-TIME
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OFFER

YMT VACATIONS OFFERS UNBEATABLE VALUE EVERY DAY but we've introduced a new way to save: our Limited-Time Featured Offer! It's only available during the listed booking window, and then it's gone forever. This

special deal may vary and can be anything from a discount to a value add-on, but it only applies to new bookings, and only until the published expiration date. Be sure to read below for more details on our current Limited-Time Featured Offer, and don't wait to reserve your spot!



SAVE \$50 ON SELECT TOURS WHEN YOU BOOK BY 5/29

For a limited-time only, we're offering an extra \$50 off per person on a fantastic selection of tours!

Tours that are eligible for this offer:

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- Majestic Europe - Page 68
- Castles on the Rhine River Cruise - Page 102
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- Enchanting Danube River Cruise - Page 106
- Rhône River Cruise in Lavender Bloom - Page 108



Offer good for new bookings only, made before May 29, 2020. Additional \$50 off is per person and only available for tours listed above. Please call for details.



WHAT OUR
GUESTS
 ARE SAYING

HERE AT YMT, WE'RE A FAMILY. One of the best parts of your YMT vacation is making connections. You'll connect with your fellow travelers, and share once-in-a-lifetime experiences as you discover the world together. And you'll connect with the special places and people you see in your destinations—from the guides who conduct your tours to the sights, scenes, and sounds of the places you'll visit. YMT vacations are truly exceptional and go beyond pretty pictures; they're magical moments and amazing experiences that you'll cherish forever. But don't just take our word for it. Here are just a few of the many wonderful things our guests have shared with us about their YMT vacations. So come along. You're going to love it!

“ **We booked a trip to Hawaii** and had Kalili as our tour Director. **we could not have asked for a better trip.** Everything was planned meticulously and we had so much fun with our new ohana. Thank you Kalili!!! ”

~ Steph J.

“ **Everything about this trip was well planned and enjoyable.** Our tour guide was great and the hotel was nice. Also the hotel provided one of the best breakfast buffets I've ever eaten. Iceland is just as beautiful and interesting as its reputation. ”

~ Carol B.



YMT guests at the Ring of Kerry, Ireland

“ **YMT listens to their clients.** When a trip is suggested, they listen and plan one to that destination. Great people to work with. We have been on three trips and will soon leave on our 4th. We can hardly wait. ”

~ Eva S.

“ **YMT offers well organized guided tours at affordable price.** They're suitable for people who like to save time and money. ”

~ Charles L.

WANT TO BE FEATURED IN OUR NEXT BROCHURE? We're always looking for guest testimonials and photos. Send yours to marketing@ymtvacations.com and you could be in our next issue! **#YMTVacations**

FREE SET SAIL OFFERS ON ALL CRUISE TOURS

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FREE BALCONY UPGRADE

Valued up to \$1,000* per couple!

On select tours book an Ocean View cabin and we'll upgrade you to a Balcony cabin for no extra charge! Don't wait to take advantage of this amazing offer as we only have so many Balcony Cabins—they will be sure to sell out fast and once they are gone, they are gone.



CHOICE OF FREE ULTIMATE BEVERAGE PACKAGE OR FREE INTERNET PACKAGE

Valued up to \$3,060 per couple!**

When you book an Inside cabin, automatically enjoy your choice of either a FREE Ultimate Beverage Package for the duration of your cruise, or a FREE Internet Package giving you 250 minutes of WiFi Internet access for your cabin! Receive BOTH FREE when you book an Ocean View Cabin or a Balcony Cabin.



FREE ONBOARD CREDIT

Valued up to \$200+ per cabin!

Spend onboard your cruise on whatever you like—on select ocean cruises we are offering onboard credit of up to \$200 per cabin. Please check the yellow Set Sail boxes on individual cruise spreads for cabin eligibility. Note that max credit awarded per cabin is two times per person amount shown.

All Set Sail offers apply to the cruise portion of a tour only, to 1st and 2nd guests occupying a cabin and to the stated cabin categories only. See ymtvacations.com for full details of applicable Set Sail Offers. Where applicable, all guests in a cabin must choose the same offer. Internet package is per cabin for 250 minutes, one login per stateroom. Additional service charges are required and payable to YMT with final balance for Free Ultimate Beverage Package on ocean cruises. Those service charges are subject to change. Minimum age for Free Ultimate Beverage Package is 21. Free Ultimate Beverage Package and Internet Package are provided by Norwegian Cruise Line and their product definitions and terms & conditions apply and are subject to change; see ymtvacations.com/setsailoffers for details. All offers valid for new bookings made before 5/29/20.

*Based on Wonders of Iceland with Prague & Transatlantic Cruise.

**Based on Jewels of Arabia cruise.

Based on Balcony Cabins for Alaska cruises.

FANTASTIC VALUE ADDED!

Look for these icons in the yellow boxes for more details on which *Set Sail* offers are available on your favorite tour.

BALCONY UPGRADE



CHOICE OF BEVERAGE AND / OR INTERNET



ONBOARD CREDIT



Offer applies to these cabin categories	See Page	Ocean View	All Cabin Categories	Select Cabin Categories
Grand Alaskan Cruise & Tour	14			✓
Alaska Cruise & West Coast Train Tour	16			✓
Alaska Cruise & Canadian Rockies Tour	18			✓
Majestic Alaska Cruise & Tour	20			✓
Hawaiian Islands Cruise & Tour	28		✓	
Pacific Coast Cruise & Tour	30	✓	✓	
New Orleans and Western Caribbean Cruise	32		✓	
New England and Canadian Maritimes Cruise & Tour	34		✓	
Rose Parade & Hawaii Cruise	60		✓	
European Highlights Cruise & Tour	70	✓		✓
Mediterranean Escape	72	✓		✓
Russia & Baltic Sea Cruise and Tour	74		✓	
Ancient Empires of Italy & Greece Cruise	76	✓		
Grand European Cruise with Swiss Alps	78	✓		✓
Norwegian Fjords Explorer	80	✓		
New York & Gems of Europe Cruise	124	✓	✓	
Panama Canal Cruise & Coastal California	126	✓	✓	
Islands of the Pacific: Seattle to Sydney	128	✓		
Highlights of Australia & New Zealand Tour	130	✓		✓
Jewels of Arabia	132		✓	
Spectacular South America Cruise	134	✓	✓	
Wonders of Iceland with Prague & Transatlantic Cruise	136	✓		✓

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Available in all cabin categories	See Page	\$	🍷	📶	15%
Castles on the Rhine River Cruise	102	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rhine River Cruise in Tulip Season	104	✓	✓	✓	✓
Enchanting Danube River Cruise	106	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rhône River Cruise in Lavender Bloom	108	✓	✓	✓	✓
Elegant Danube River Cruise & Tour	110	✓	✓	✓	✓
Rendezvous on the Rhône	112	✓	✓	✓	✓
Portugal & the Douro River Valley	114	✓	✓	✓	✓

*Based on Portugal & the Douro River Valley River Cruise



TOUR ACTIVITY LEVELS

HERE ARE OUR ACTIVITY LEVELS EXPLAINED We want to help make choosing your perfect vacation as easy as possible. On the individual tour pages, you'll find a designated activity level as well as detailed itineraries. Read the descriptions below to learn more about the activity levels and understand which tours are right for you.

RELAXED

Traveling at a leisurely pace, this itinerary requires a small amount of physical activity. Depending on the itinerary details, guests will need to be prepared to board a plane, bus, boat, ferry, or ship. There will be some walking to rooms, cabins, or restaurants, and general points of interest. This may also include an occasional flight of stairs or some steps during transfers and stops.

EASY GOING

This tour requires light physical activity combined with shorter travel days. Activities may include an occasional city or nature walking tour with stops along the way. Guests should be able to climb a set of stairs, walk up or down slight slopes, and navigate some uneven terrain or cobblestone.

MODERATE

To enjoy this tour, guests should be prepared to walk slightly longer distances, climb stairs, and tolerate periods of standing. The daily pace and timing can fluctuate significantly between longer and shorter travel days, with additional activities possibly occurring in the early morning or evening. There may be some changes in altitude or temperatures.

ACTIVE

To fully take advantage of all this tour has to offer, guests need to be able to walk longer distances, climb several flights of stairs, and navigate steps and uneven terrain. Your itinerary can include significant changes in temperature and altitude and may require a higher number of longer travel days with morning and/or evening activities.

VERY ACTIVE

Likely to feature many attributes of our active level, this is very much an on-the-go tour with a complete itinerary involving a full, normally daily program of travel, sightseeing, or events. We would consider this our fastest tour pace and free time at leisure will be more limited, in some cases just to evenings.





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AND EARN
MONEY!

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GUESTS
ARE
REWARDED

THERE'S NO LIMIT TO HOW MUCH YOU CAN EARN!

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Fill out a form at ymtvacations.com/referafriend, or call **1-800-789-7273** and mention **promo code O7001**, and we will send your friend or family member an Experience the World brochure. If they book any trip, you will receive \$100 for every guest on that reservation! So that's \$200 to you for every couple booked—just for referring them to us!

*Referral discount can only be added at the time of initial booking. Referrer must be in YMT's database—subject to verification of past guest referrer details. Certain restrictions apply to \$100 referral discount. Call for full details.

SAVE UP TO 5% WITH OUR LOYALTY DISCOUNT

Once you travel with YMT, you automatically become part of our family. As a thank you for placing your trust in us, we work hard to offer you additional savings, like our Loyalty Discount. If you've traveled with us within the past year, you're eligible to receive a discount on the base price of your next vacation! After your return from your YMT vacation, you qualify for **an extra 5% savings** on the prices shown in this brochure, good toward your next vacation when you book and travel within 12 months of your return. If it's been a little bit longer—up to 3 years—since your last trip with YMT, you may still be eligible to receive 3% savings on your next trip (if booked and traveled within 3 years of your return).

Loyalty discounts are off the base tour price only, after any applicable discounts have been applied. Certain conditions apply, please call for details.



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INSURANCE THROUGH ALLIANZ**

Protect yourself and your booking with travel insurance. We partner with Allianz Travel Insurance to provide comprehensive protection. Ask your YMT Travel Consultant for more information.

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- ✓ **TRIP CANCELLATION, DELAY, OR INTERRUPTION**
- ✓ **LOSS/DELAY OF BAGGAGE**



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- Visit one of the world’s great frontiers for wilderness adventure during a Denali National Park Tour
- See bears, elk, bison, and caribou at the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms *Westerdam*, 4-night land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage-handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Seattle • Vancouver • Ketchikan • Juneau • Skagway • Glacier Bay • Anchorage • Denali National Park • Alaska Inside Passage and Gulf of Alaska Cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms *Westerdam*

On this spectacular itinerary, you can visit Denali National Park and Glacier Bay National Park on the same trip! Cruise both the Gulf of Alaska and the Inside Passage and discover the best of the Frontier State by land and by sea—we know it like it's our home.

✈ Day 1 • Arrive in Seattle

Today your Alaskan Cruise Tour adventure begins in Seattle. If you booked your flight with YMT, a representative will greet you at the airport and transfer you to your hotel.

◆ *Crowne Plaza Seattle Airport or similar*

🚗 🚢 Day 2 • Seattle to Vancouver and Embarkation (4:30 PM)

We drive north and across the Canadian border to Vancouver, Canada's third largest metropolitan area. After a brief city tour and lunch on your own, you will board the ms *Westerdam*, your floating hotel for the next week, with time to settle into your stateroom before dinner.

🚢 Day 3 • Scenic Inside Passage Cruising

Cruise along the Alaska Inside Passage and the west coast of Vancouver Island. The famous Inside Passage is one of the most scenic sea lanes in the world. The scenery is breathtaking with forests in a hundred shades of green, turquoise glaciers, and evocative towns.

🚢 Day 4 • Ketchikan (7:00 AM – 3:00 PM)

This distinctive and eye-catching city is built on stilts over the water, with a boardwalk and weathered stairways that cling to the granite cliffs. Stroll Creek Street, the former “Red Light”

district with its gold shops, gift boutiques, and restaurants, or visit the Totem Pole Park at Saxman Native Village.

🚢 Day 5 • Juneau (10:00 AM – 10:00 PM)

Today's port of call is Alaska's state capital city, nicknamed “Little San Francisco” because of its narrow streets and multicolored houses that hug the hillside. Sitting at the foot of snowcapped Mt. Juneau and next to the massive Mendenhall Glacier and Juneau Icefields, this remote yet developed city offers a variety of activities like the Mt. Roberts Tramway, ascending 1800 feet for incredible panoramic views.

🚢 Day 6 • Skagway (7:00 AM – 9:00 PM)

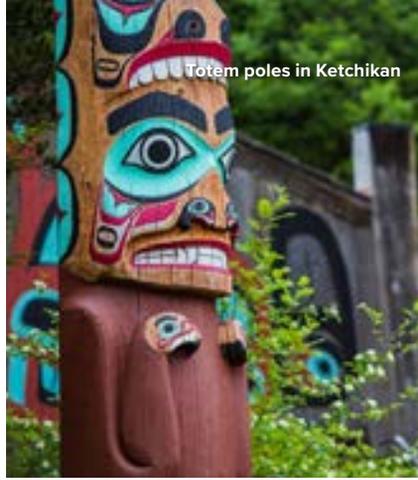
Where the Gold Rush began, Skagway was the turbulent staging point for prospectors hell-bent on getting to the Klondike gold fields; even in modern day, Skagway's well-preserved history and culture brings to life the 1898 gold rush atmosphere like no other Alaskan port of call. Go ashore to stroll the weathered boardwalks, drop in at old-time saloons, or shop for gold nuggets.

🚢 Day 7 • Scenic Cruising Glacier Bay National Park

The overwhelming grandeur of glaciers, exotic wildlife, and pristine environment combine to



Denali



Totem poles in Ketchikan



..... Cruise Route
 ——— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop

ALASKA



Grizzly Bear



Glacier calving



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 SAVOR THE JOURNEY

offer a breathtaking view of raw nature. Spend the entire day cruising a 60-mile passage, passing glaciers galore, abundant wildlife and scenic beauty unique in all the world. Experience the spectacle of glacier calving, where great chunks of ice are continually falling into the bay with a deafening roar, which enhances the fascinating scene.

Day 8 • At Sea

Cruise through the Gulf of Alaska and enjoy a relaxing day at sea as the ms Westerdam sails from the Alaska Panhandle to South Central Alaska and Seward. Take full advantage of your last night aboard the ship; the daily newsletter outlines a variety of shipboard activities and the experienced crew will be happy to help with suggestions.

Day 9 • Seward to Anchorage
 (Arrive 7:00 AM)

We disembark this morning in Seward where the land portion of your Alaskan cruise tour begins. Meet your Tour Director for a brief tour of this popular fishing village surrounded by the unrivaled beauty of the Kenai Fjords National Park. Then, travel north on your comfortable motor coach to Anchorage. Visit the Alaska Wildlife Conservation Center en route to see Alaska's wildlife up close.

◆ Crowne Plaza Anchorage - Midtown or similar

Day 10 • Denali via Talkeetna and Wasilla

We leave Anchorage in the morning, traveling north toward Talkeetna. We'll visit the Iditarod Sled Dog Headquarters near Wasilla where you can learn about the "Last Great Race."

OPTION: ALASKA RAILROAD UPGRADE



Upgrade to a scenic 4-hour train ride along the famous Alaska Railroad from Talkeetna to Denali Park. Enjoy 360° views in upper-level seats on Deluxe Dome Railcars for \$189 p/p. Alaska Railroad upgrade must be prebooked. Please add this option at time of booking. *Train may travel on Day 11.

Rail and coach travelers meet up in Denali and transfer to the hotel. Spend the rest of the day at leisure or participate in an optional tour.

◆ Denali Grizzly Bear Resort or similar

Day 11 • Denali National Park to Anchorage

This morning embark on a Denali National Park Tour. Travel 30 miles into the park aboard a park bus to explore one of the world's largest frontiers for wilderness adventure. Your dedicated naturalist will provide a great introduction to the conservation efforts and history of the park. In the afternoon depart for Anchorage.

◆ Crowne Plaza Anchorage - Midtown or similar

Day 12 • Depart Anchorage for Home

Note: Most flights from Anchorage are non-direct with at least one or two connections. Departure flights from Anchorage to most cities are overnight and arrive the following day; some flights depart Anchorage after midnight.

FREE ONBOARD CREDIT
 For Ocean View Cabins – \$50 per person**
 For Balcony Cabins – \$100 per person**
 **See page 8 for details. Must book by 5/29

MUST BOOK BY 5/29
 PRICES STARTING AT \$1,949*
\$1,699*

2020 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Jul 30*	\$2,049	\$2,499	\$3,149
Book by 4/21	\$1,799	\$2,249	\$2,899
Extra \$100 off	\$1,699	\$2,149	\$2,799
Aug 8	\$1,949	\$2,399	\$2,949
Book by 4/30	\$1,699	\$2,149	\$2,699
Aug 13*	\$1,949	\$2,399	\$2,949
Book by 5/5	\$1,699	\$2,149	\$2,699
Aug 22	\$1,949	\$2,399	\$2,949
Book by 5/14	\$1,699	\$2,149	\$2,699
Aug 27*	\$1,949	\$2,399	\$2,949
Book by 5/19	\$1,699	\$2,149	\$2,699
Sep 5	SOLD OUT	\$2,199	\$2,749
Book by 5/29	SOLD OUT	\$1,949	\$2,499

Single Supplement from \$1,250

*Per person based on double occupancy plus \$299 tax/service/gov't fees. See page 139 for terms & conditions.

Add-on airfare with transfers available. Call for details.

SOUTHBOUND ITINERARY
 OPERATES IN REVERSE AND STOPS AT HAINES INSTEAD OF SKAGWAY

11 DAYS
-from-
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\$1,699*

ALASKA CRUISE & WEST COAST TRAIN TOUR

Featuring


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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour San Francisco Harbor by boat and take in the city's highlights from the water
- Travel up the scenic coast to Seattle on the famous *Coast Starlight* Superliner train
- Take a guided city tour of Seattle's highlights
- Watch for sea lions and breaching whales as you cruise through Stephens Passage
- Witness thunderously calving chunks of ice off the mighty Hubbard Glacier
- Stop in the charming Alaskan ports of Juneau, Sitka, and Ketchikan

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms *Oosterdam*, 3-night land tour with hotels, 1 dinner, professional driver-guide, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



San Francisco • Amtrak's *Coast Starlight* • Seattle • Stephens Passage • Alaska Inside Passage • Juneau • Hubbard Glacier • Sitka • Ketchikan • Victoria • aboard Holland America Line's ms *Oosterdam*

This brand new itinerary features a scenic coastal train ride from San Francisco to Seattle and a spectacular cruise of Wild Alaska! You'll never forget the heart-stopping spectacle of a calving glacier, or the beauty of the West Coast—see nature at her mightiest on this grand adventure.

Day 1 • Fly to San Francisco

Today, your Alaskan adventure begins with your flight to San Francisco. If you booked your flight with YMT, you will meet a YMT representative at the airport for your transfer to the hotel.

◆ *Four Points by Sheraton Bay Bridge or similar*

Day 2 • San Francisco Sightseeing and Board Amtrak's *Coast Starlight*

Wake up and smell the salty sea air of the City by the Bay! The morning is at your leisure, after which you will embark on an afternoon sightseeing cruise through the legendary San Francisco Bay. Highlights include the beautiful Golden Gate Bridge, likely the world's most photographed suspension bridge, and the notorious Alcatraz Federal Penitentiary.

Alcatraz was one of the 20th century's most feared prisons—both because of the dangerous criminals it housed, and because over its 29-year history not a single inmate successfully escaped. Next, sit down with your fellow guests to an included Welcome Dinner. Finally, board the legendary *Coast Starlight* train this evening, which will take you hundreds of coastal miles to Seattle. (D)

Day 3 • *Coast Starlight* to Seattle

As your train takes you to Seattle, enjoy Amtrak's doubledecker Superliner, which includes a Sightseer Lounge car with panoramic windows, perfect for watching the magnificent scenery pass you by. (B, L, D)

◆ *Hilton Bellevue or similar*

Day 4 • Seattle City Tour and Board Holland America's ms *Oosterdam*

(Departs at 4:00 PM)

Discover the Emerald City, arguably the crown jewel of the Pacific Northwest, on a guided morning tour of Seattle. See Pike Place Market, a landmark since 1907, the iconic 605-foot-tall Space Needle, and Pioneer Square, where you will learn about the history of the Great Seattle Fire of 1889. Board Holland America's ms *Oosterdam* this afternoon. An experienced crew is on hand to outline the many available amenities and activities.

Day 5 • At Sea

The winner of multiple prestigious awards, including Best Overall from the Cruisers' Choice Awards, excellence is the default for the ms *Oosterdam*. This full day at sea promises to be an enjoyable one!



Coast Starlight



Seattle, Washington



ALASKA



Ketchikan, Alaska



Totem poles in Ketchikan



Victoria, BC



ms Oosterdam

Holland America Line
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Day 6 • Stephens Passage Scenic Cruising and Juneau (1:00 PM – 11:00 PM)

As you travel the waters of Stephens Passage next to densely forested mountains, remember to keep an eye on the sea. Stephens Passage is well known for having some of the best whale watching in Alaska, and the Passage's massive sea lions love nothing more than basking on rocks and bellowing at passing vessels. Today's port of call is Juneau. Nestled at the feet of snowcapped Mt. Juneau and Mt. Roberts, Alaska's state capital is nicknamed "Little San Francisco" because of its narrow streets and flights of wooden steps that hug the rolling landscape. Admire the multicolored houses built into the hillsides as you wander and completely immerse yourself in the Alaskan lifestyle.

Day 7 • Hubbard Glacier (2:00 PM – 6:00 PM)

Today, cruise along Hubbard Glacier, the largest calving glacier on the North American continent. Witness the spectacle of glacial calving, when large chunks of ice crash into the water, creating a gloriously booming sound the native Tlingit people called "white thunder." Hubbard is more than 70 miles long; the cliff face you sail along is six miles wide and over 300 feet high.

Day 8 • Sitka (8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Widely considered one of Alaska's greatest small towns, Sitka is an interesting hybrid of Native America and Russian cultures. Don't miss

the stunning St. Michael's Cathedral or Sitka National Historic Park, where you will learn how the Southeast Alaska Native Culture and Alaska's strong Russian heritage combine.

Day 9 • Ketchikan (7:00 AM – 1:00 PM)

Nicknamed the "Salmon Capital of the World," this important fishing port is also home to the world's largest collection of Native American totem poles. You can enjoy a stroll through the picturesque waterfront district of this quaint boardwalk city built on stilts.

Day 10 • Victoria, BC (6:00 PM – 11:30 PM)

As the sun begins to set, explore British Columbia's idyllic capital city that proudly sports more than a bit of that good English charm. Much of this former British colony's Victorian architecture still stands, including the grand Craigdarroch Castle Mansion, and magnificent Parliament Buildings. This highly walkable city is also a mecca for food lovers—try out highly creative restaurants right on the waterfront.

Day 11 • Disembark in Seattle and Depart for Home (7:00 AM)

This morning we return to Seattle as your Alaska adventure comes to an end.

FREE ONBOARD CREDIT
For Ocean View Cabins – \$25 per couple**
For Balcony Cabins – \$50 per couple**
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PRICES STARTING AT ~~\$1,949*~~
\$1,699*

AFTER \$250 INSTANT REBATE EACH PERSON PAYS

2020 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Aug 6	\$2,149	\$2,549	\$2,949
Book by 5/8	\$1,899	\$2,299	\$2,699
Sep 3	\$1,949	\$2,349	\$2,749
Book by 5/29	\$1,699	\$2,099	\$2,499

Single Supplement from \$1,099
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14 DAYS
-from-
\$2,049*
\$1,799*

ALASKA CRUISE & CANADIAN ROCKIES TOUR

Featuring



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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Gaze in awe at the epic scenery of Banff National Park and Lake Louise
- Explore Jasper National Park and see its diverse and abundant wildlife
- Take a remarkable excursion on the massive Ice Explorer on the Athabasca Glacier
- Cruise the world famous Inside Passage and Gulf of Alaska
- Enjoy the views of Glacier Bay from your luxury cruise ship

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms *Westerdam*, 6-night land tour with hotels, professional driver-guide, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Calgary • Lake Louise • Banff National Park • Jasper • Kamloops • Vancouver • Alaska Inside Passage • Ketchikan • Juneau • Skagway • Glacier Bay • Seward • Anchorage • aboard Holland America Line's ms *Westerdam*

Explore both the spectacular Canadian Rockies and Alaska on this unique "best of both worlds" cruise tour. You get to cruise the Inside Passage and the Gulf of Alaska while also taking in the splendor of Banff National Park, Lake Louise, and the Alaskan Coast.

✈ Day 1 • Fly to Calgary, AB

If you booked your flight with YMT, you will be met by a representative at the airport and transferred to the hotel.

◆ *Sandman Inn or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • Banff National Park

Start your tour through the majestic Canadian Rockies by traveling north and enjoy a stop at Bow Falls; take in the sparkling water dancing in the sunlight and hear the sound of crisp sparkling water as it cascades down the limestone ledges. Then, pass through the charming town of Banff and enter Banff National Park. See Canada's "Diamond in the Wilderness," Lake Louise, known for its turquoise, glacier fed waters. The tranquil waters that mirror the magnificent peaks and lush forest all around will leave you speechless, making Lake Louise a perfect location to take a picture worth much more than 1,000 words!

◆ *Canmore Inn & Suites or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Jasper via the Icefields Parkway and Icefields Glacier Experience on the Athabasca Glacier

This morning, travel along the Icefields Parkway en route to stunning Jasper National Park. Stop to experience the breathtaking Athabasca Glacier, the most visited glacier in North America, nestled at the bottom of the Columbia

Icefield. Board a massive Brewster Ice Explorer and take a remarkable excursion onto the surface of the Athabasca Glacier. Experience the full magnitude of this enormous icefield as you take in the view and feel the glacier underfoot. You'll also have the opportunity to step onto the "Glacier Skywalk," a glass floor observation platform suspended 918 feet over the Sunwapta Valley (at an additional cost). In the afternoon, arrive in Jasper.

◆ *Best Western Jasper or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Kamloops, BC

Today we travel to British Columbia. Along the way, enjoy stunning views of Mt. Robson and the surrounding provincial nature reserves. Characterized by a unique combination of energizing recreational activities and a warm, welcoming culture, you'll soon understand why Kamloops is known as British Columbia's friendliest city.

If you choose to take advantage of our fantastic *Rocky Mountaineer* upgrade, you'll part from the group and board the train this morning for an unforgettable ride down from the mountains. Enjoy awe-inspiring vistas and explore areas otherwise inaccessible for a magical journey unlike any other. Your ride aboard the luxurious train continues through the evening and into tomorrow, when you'll reconnect with the rest of the group at your hotel in Vancouver. (B)

◆ *Ramada Kamloops or similar*



Glacier Bay



Vancouver



Pika in Jasper National Park



Ice Explorer



Icefields Parkway



ms Westerdam

Holland America Line
SAVOR THE JOURNEY

OPTION: ROCKY MOUNTAINEER UPGRADE - ONLY FOR 8/31 DEPARTURE



Take a 2-day ride on the world-famous "Journey through the Clouds" Rocky Mountaineer train from Jasper to Vancouver and enjoy scenery only visible from the train route. This truly luxurious experience is available for \$1,499 p/p and must be prebooked. Please add this option at time of booking. Only available for guests departing on Aug 31.

Day 5 • Vancouver, BC

This morning it's off to Vancouver, regarded as one of the world's most livable cities. Vancouver is a place where the mountains and the oceans come together in a picturesque city with plenty of historical sites, including Gastown.

◆ Sandman Hotel Vancouver Airport or similar

Day 6 • Vancouver City Tour

Discover vibrant Vancouver on a guided city tour! The city is renowned for its clear mountain views, incredible cuisine, and overall wonderful quality of living. See why so many people love to visit and live in this fabulous city. The afternoon is yours to explore at your leisure.

◆ Sandman Hotel Vancouver Airport or similar

Day 7 • Board Holland America's ms Westerdam (4:30 PM)

This afternoon, board Holland America's ms Westerdam. Discover the many facilities aboard and enjoy the striking vistas that surround you!

Day 8 • Scenic Inside Passage Cruising

Sail through the Inside Passage, a complex labyrinth of fjords and bays where whales and sea lions find refuge during the summer months.

Day 9 • Ketchikan (7:00 AM–3:00 PM)

Nicknamed the "Salmon Capital of the World," this important fishing port is also home to the world's largest collection of Native American totem poles. You can enjoy a stroll through the picturesque waterfront district of this quaint boardwalk city built on stilts.

Day 10 • Juneau (10:00 AM–10:00 PM)

Nestled at the feet of snowcapped Mt. Juneau and Mt. Roberts, Alaska's state capital is nicknamed "Little San Francisco" because of its narrow streets and flights of wooden steps that hug the rolling landscape. Admire the multicolored houses built into the hillsides as you wander and completely immerse yourself in the Alaskan lifestyle.

Day 11 • Skagway (7:00 AM–9:00 PM)

Where the Gold Rush began, Skagway was the turbulent staging point for prospectors determined to find riches in the Klondike gold fields. Even today, Skagway's well-preserved history and atmosphere can transport you back to the 1898 gold rush like no other Alaskan port.

Day 12 • Glacier Bay

The overwhelming grandeur of glaciers, exotic wildlife, and pristine environment combine to offer a breathtaking view of raw nature. Spend the entire day cruising a 60-mile passage, passing glaciers galore, abundant wildlife and scenic beauty unique in all the world. Experience the spectacle of glacier calving, where great chunks of ice are continually falling into the bay with a deafening roar, which enhances the fascinating scene.

Day 13 • At Sea

Day 14 • Disembark and Depart for Home (7:00 AM)

Disembark in Seward and enjoy a tour of this quaint city before ending in Anchorage for a farewell dinner and your evening departure. (D)

FREE ONBOARD CREDIT
For Ocean View Cabins – \$50 per person**
For Balcony Cabins – \$100 per person**

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PRICES STARTING AT ~~\$2,049*~~
\$1,799*

AFTER \$250 INSTANT REBATE EACH PERSON PAYS

2020 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Jul 20	\$2,049	\$2,499	\$3,149
Book by 4/21	\$1,799	\$2,249	\$2,899
Aug 17	\$2,049	\$2,499	\$3,149
Book by 5/9	\$1,799	\$2,249	\$2,899
Aug 31	SOLD OUT	\$2,299	\$2,949
Book by 5/23	SOLD OUT	\$2,049	\$2,699

Single Supplement from \$1,350

*Per person based on double occupancy plus \$299 tax/service/gov't fees. See page 139 for terms & conditions.

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\$2,799*



MAJESTIC ALASKA CRUISE & TOUR

Featuring

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Fairbanks • Denali National Park • Seward • Kenai Fjords National Park • Homer • Anchorage • Glacier Bay National Park • Haines • Juneau • Ketchikan • Vancouver • Alaska Inside Passage and Gulf cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms Westerdam

Leave no sight unseen on this Alaskan vacation! Start off with gold mining in Fairbanks, wildlife in majestic Denali, colorful coastal villages, and a cruise through Kenai Fjords. Then, sail aboard the ms Westerdam—passing stunning glaciers and pristine coastline, with the spectacularly scenic Inside Passage for a grand finale.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore Seward and Homer, two very different quaint and remote fishing communities
- Visit historic Denali National Park and sail Kenai Fjords National Park, two of Alaska's most majestic natural treasures
- Included visit to Gold Dredge #8 where you'll relive the Frontier State's gold rush history
- Cruise the Inside Passage and Gulf of Alaska

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Holland America Line's ms Westerdam, 7-night land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, 2 lunches on the land tour and all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL



✈ Day 1 • Arrive in Fairbanks

If you purchased your airline tickets from YMT, you will be welcomed by a representative and transferred to your hotel.

◆ SpringHill Suites Fairbanks or similar

🚗 Day 2 • Gold Dredge #8 Visit

Explore the area's gold mining history as we visit the restored Gold Dredge #8. Learn to pan for gold and take a picture with the Trans-Alaskan pipeline. In the afternoon, explore more of Fairbanks on your own.

◆ SpringHill Suites Fairbanks or similar

🚗 Day 3 • Denali Natural History Tour

We leave Fairbanks and travel on the Parks Highway en route to Denali National Park. At 6 million acres, Denali National Park is one of the world's great frontiers for wilderness adventure. Get a deeper look at this amazing park as we embark on a Denali Natural History Tour. With a focus on the rich, cultural history of Denali National Park, the Denali Natural History Tour provides insight into the diverse native and early pioneer influences in and around Denali. Visit Savage Cabin, the original cook's cabin in the park's first tourist camp, and still a ranger patrol cabin used by the Park Service. The balance of the day is yours to explore more of the area at your own pace.

◆ Denali Park Village or similar

🚂 OPTION: ALASKA RAILROAD UPGRADE



Upgrade to a scenic 4-hour train ride along the famous Alaska Railroad from Fairbanks to Denali Park. Enjoy 360° views in upper-level seats on Deluxe Dome Railcars for \$189 p/p. Alaska Railroad upgrade must be prebooked. Please add this option at time of booking.

🚗 OPTION: TUNDRA WILDERNESS TOUR



Upgrade to the 7-8 hour Tundra Wilderness Tour for a more in-depth Denali National Park experience for only \$95 p/p. Travel up to 53 miles into the park where opportunities for wildlife viewing increase. Please note that the park road is unpaved

and riding on the elementary park bus for a longer duration may be strenuous for some. Please add this option at time of booking.

🚗 Day 4 • Iditarod Sled Dog Headquarters and Anchorage City Tour

Travel through Matanuska-Susitna Valley, one of the most important agricultural areas in Alaska. En route, we will visit the Iditarod Sled Dog Headquarters near Wasilla where you will have the opportunity to learn about "The Last Great Race." Afterwards, continue to Anchorage for an included lunch stop and a city tour of downtown. (L)

◆ Crowne Plaza Anchorage or similar



Denali National Park



Homer spit lighthouse



..... Cruise Route
 — Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop

ALASKA



Humpback Whale



Ketchikan, Alaska



Glacier Bay

Day 5 • Anchorage to Homer

This morning, continue across the Kenai Peninsula to Homer. Upon arrival, your Tour Director will take you to the Homer Spit, which features the longest road into ocean waters in the entire world! Enjoy a guided walk along the Homer Docks and see the infamous Salty Dawg Saloon, which is constructed out of several of the city's historic buildings.

◆ Best Western Bidarka or similar

Day 6 • Homer Leisure Day

Enjoy this day at leisure in the quaint town of Homer, the Halibut Fishing Capital of the World.

◆ Best Western Bidarka or similar

Day 7 • Kenai Fjords National Park Glacier & Wildlife Cruise

Today, board a catamaran for another highlight: a 6-hour cruise through Kenai Fjords National Park to see marine wildlife, witness tidewater glacier calving, and feast on an included Alaskan Salmon and prime rib lunch buffet. The remainder of the day is free for you to explore Seward. (L)

◆ Breeze Inn or similar

Day 8 • Embarkation in Seward

(8:00 PM)

Enjoy a leisurely morning in Seward today before we board Holland America's ms *Westerdam*, your floating hotel for the next week. Discover the ship's many available amenities and activities and settle in for a spectacular cruise ahead!

Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Scenic Cruising Glacier Bay National Park

The overwhelming grandeur of glaciers, exotic wildlife and pristine environment combine to offer a breathtaking view of raw nature. Witness glacier ice "calve" (break off) and fall into the bay with a deafening roar as you spend the day cruising a 60-mile passage.

Day 11 • Haines (6:30 AM – 9:00 PM)

Use the day to explore the town and its native art galleries, local shops, and the historic Sheldon Museum and Cultural Center.

Day 12 • Juneau (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Nicknamed "Little San Francisco" because of its narrow streets and multicolored houses, Juneau is Alaska's state capital. Inaccessible by roads, visitors and goods are brought to Juneau by either sea or air.

Day 13 • Ketchikan (11:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

This distinctive and eye-catching city is built on stilts over the water. Stroll Creek Street, the former "Red Light" district with its gold shops, gift boutiques, and restaurants or visit the Totem Pole Park at Saxman Native Village.

Day 14 • Inside Passage Cruising

Cruise along Alaska's famous Inside Passage, one of the most scenic sea lanes in the world, and the west coast of Vancouver island.

Day 15 • Disembark in Vancouver and Depart for Home (7:00 AM)

Note: Departure flights from Vancouver to some cities are overnight and arrive the following day.

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 For Balcony Cabins – \$100 per person**
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PRICES STARTING AT ~~\$3,049*~~
\$2,799*

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2020 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Jul 26	\$3,049	\$3,499	\$4,149
Book by 4/24	\$2,799	\$3,249	\$3,899
Aug 9	\$3,049	\$3,499	\$4,149
Book by 5/8	\$2,799	\$3,249	\$3,899
Aug 23	\$3,049	\$3,499	\$4,149
Book by 5/22	\$2,799	\$3,249	\$3,899
Sep 6	SOLD OUT	\$3,399	SOLD OUT
Book by 5/29	SOLD OUT	\$3,149	SOLD OUT

Single Supplement from \$1,650
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8 DAYS

-from-

\$1,949*

\$1,699*

ALASKAN DISCOVERY TOUR

Fairbanks • Denali National Park • Anchorage • Seward •
Homer • Kenai Fjords National Park

From panning for gold in Fairbanks to spotting wildlife in Denali and sailing past glaciers in Kenai Fjords, this is the real Alaska that locals share with their summer guests. From Fairbanks to Anchorage, see the 49th state's most iconic sights on this 8-day land tour.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit historic Denali National Park and sail Kenai Fjords National Park, two of Alaska's most majestic natural treasures
- Explore Seward and Homer, two quaint yet distinctively different remote fishing communities, during your combined 3-night stay on Alaska's Kenai Peninsula
- Included visit to Gold Dredge #8 where you'll relive Alaska's gold rush history
- Tour Fairbanks and Anchorage, the two largest cities in the state

INCLUDES

7 nights hotels, 2 lunches, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Arrive in Fairbanks

Today your adventure begins upon arrival in Fairbanks, the largest city in the interior of Alaska. If you purchased your airline tickets from YMT, you will be welcomed by a representative and transferred to your hotel.

◆ *SpringHill Suites Fairbanks or similar*

Day 2 • Gold Dredge #8 Visit

Explore the area's gold mining history as we visit the restored Gold Dredge #8. The visitor center offers a great perspective with artifacts from the gold rush era, bringing to life the history of Fairbanks. To round off your visit here you can learn to pan for gold and take a picture with the Trans-Alaskan pipeline, an American engineering marvel. In the afternoon, explore Fairbanks on your own.

◆ *SpringHill Suites Fairbanks or similar*

Day 3 • Denali Natural History Tour

Today we travel on the Parks Highway to Denali National Park. Learn about how permafrost presents a challenge here to road construction and maintenance, as you travel through the sparsely populated Alaskan Interior. At 6 million acres, Denali National Park is one of the world's great frontiers for wilderness adventure. Get a deeper look at this amazing park as we embark on a Denali Natural History Tour. With a focus on the rich, cultural history of Denali National

Park, the Denali Natural History Tour provides insight into the diverse native and early pioneer influences in and around Denali. Your driver/naturalist will provide a great introduction to the landscape, geology, and history of Denali National Park. Visit Savage Cabin, the original cook's cabin in the park's first tourist camp, and still a ranger patrol cabin used by the Park Service. The rest of the day is yours to explore at your own pace.

◆ *Denali Park Village or similar*

OPTION: ALASKA RAILROAD UPGRADE



Upgrade to a scenic 4-hour train ride along the famous Alaska Railroad from Fairbanks to Denali Park. Enjoy 360° views in upper-level seats on Deluxe Dome Railcars for \$189 p/p. Upgrade must be prebooked.

Please add this option at time of booking.

OPTION: TUNDRA WILDERNESS TOUR



Upgrade to the 7-8 hour Tundra Wilderness Tour for a more in-depth Denali National Park experience for \$95 p/p. This tour travels up to 53 miles into the park. Opportunities for wildlife viewing increase as you travel farther into the park, and

additional viewpoints enhance your chances of spotting Denali, formerly known as Mt. McKinley. Tundra Wilderness Tour includes a snack. Option must be prebooked. *Please add this option at time of booking. Please note that the park road is unpaved and riding on the elementary park bus for a longer duration may be strenuous for some.*



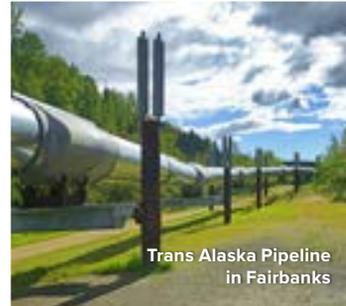
Salty Dawg Saloon



Grizzly bear in Alaska



Kenai Fjords National Park



Trans Alaska Pipeline in Fairbanks



Panning for gold

Day 4 • Iditarod Sled Dog Headquarters and Anchorage City Tour

We leave Denali this morning to continue our journey south, traveling through Matanuska-Susitna Valley, one of the most important agricultural areas in Alaska. En route, we will visit the Iditarod Sled Dog Headquarters near Wasilla where you will have the opportunity to learn about "The Last Great Race." Afterwards, continue to Anchorage for an included lunch stop and a city tour of downtown. (L)

◆ *Crowne Plaza Anchorage or similar*

Day 5 • Anchorage to Homer

This morning, we continue by motor coach and travel across the Kenai Peninsula to Homer, the Halibut Fishing Capital of the World. Upon arrival in Homer, your Tour Director will take you to the Homer Spit, which features the longest road into ocean waters in the entire world! Enjoy a guided walk along the Homer Docks and see the infamous Salty Dawg Saloon, which is constructed out of several of the city's historic buildings. Originally one of the first cabins built in Homer in 1987, the landmark has served as a post office, railroad station, grocery store, and school house throughout the years. You may recognize the Saloon with its distinctive lighthouse tower from the Discovery Channel's *Deadliest Catch*. Be sure to bring a dollar bill to sign and leave on the wall alongside the thousands of other bills that line the bar!

◆ *Best Western Bidarka or similar*

Day 6 • Homer Leisure Day

Enjoy this day at leisure in the quaint town of Homer. Your Tour Director will be happy to help you plan your day to make the most of your time in this versatile destination; whether you decide to head out on an optional tour or take the ferry to the remote town of Seldovia, perhaps Alaska's best kept secret, you are sure to enjoy the breathtaking scenery!

◆ *Best Western Bidarka or similar*

Day 7 • Kenai Fjords National Park Glacier & Wildlife Cruise

Today, board a catamaran for another highlight on your Alaskan Discovery: enjoy a 6-hour cruise through Kenai Fjords National Park to see marine wildlife, witness tidewater glacier calving, and feast on an included Alaskan Salmon and prime rib lunch buffet. The remainder of the day is free for you to explore Seward. (L)

◆ *Breeze Inn or similar*

Day 8 • Depart for Home

Today, bid farewell to Alaska. Transfers to Anchorage's airport are included for guests who purchased their air from YMT.

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Waikiki Beach



Oahu • Maui

HAWAIIAN ESCAPE

Take a week off to unwind, relax, explore, and enjoy the incredible beauty of 2 of Hawaii's most popular islands! Your local Tour Director will take you through the best parts of paradise on Oahu and Maui, where you can immerse yourself in Hawaiian culture and bask in the Aloha spirit!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Visit Oahu and Maui, the 2 most popular Hawaiian Islands, with plenty of leisure time to relax or enjoy the islands your way
- Take a city tour of Honolulu, Hawaii's charming capital city
- Visit the National Cemetery of the Pacific in Punchbowl Crater
- Stroll the world-famous Waikiki Beach and enjoy the view of Diamond Head
- See the USS *Arizona* Memorial and visitor center at Pearl Harbor
- Tour the historical town of Lahaina, home to the largest Banyan tree in the United States

INCLUDES

6 nights beachfront or centrally-located hotels, knowledgeable driver guide, baggage handling at hotels, inter-island flight and sightseeing per itinerary. Your tour is accompanied throughout by one of our local Tour Directors.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Arrive in Honolulu

Welcome to paradise! Guests arriving at Daniel K. Inouye International Airport who arranged their flights with YMT will be met by a representative and transfer to the hotel. The evening is yours to enjoy—Waikiki is a great walking city, with wonderful restaurants, fabulous shopping, and a pristine beach, all close to the hotel.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East Hotel by Outrigger or similar*

🚌 Day 2 • Visit to Pearl Harbor and Honolulu City Tour

This morning you will go on the most popular tour in Hawaii—the included Pearl Harbor and Honolulu city tour. We head first to Pearl Harbor to see the USS *Arizona* Memorial. Explore the visitor center, view the 23-minute film, and pay your respects before heading off to Honolulu. Next, visit Punchbowl Crater, set in a dormant volcano, and home of the National Cemetery of the Pacific. This unique national cemetery was created in 1948 as a memorial to the brave men and women who served in the American Armed Forces, and it serves as the final resting place of over 53,000 veterans and their dependents. The next stop is Downtown Honolulu. You will see the

State Capitol, an 18-foot tall bronze sculpture of Hawaii's beloved King Kamehameha I, and Iolani Palace before returning to your hotel.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East Hotel by Outrigger or similar*

Day 3 • Waikiki Leisure Day

Today is yours to enjoy! Whether you choose to enjoy the view of Diamond Head at Waikiki's beautiful white sand beach, world-class dining, or incredible shopping at the Ala Moana Center, the world's largest open-air shopping mall, you're sure to enjoy your time on Oahu.

Before you leave, be sure to save some time to make it to an optional luau! The experience isn't one you'll soon forget, with an authentic imu ceremony and delicious local foods like kalua pork, poi, haupia, and purple taro rolls.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East Hotel by Outrigger or similar*

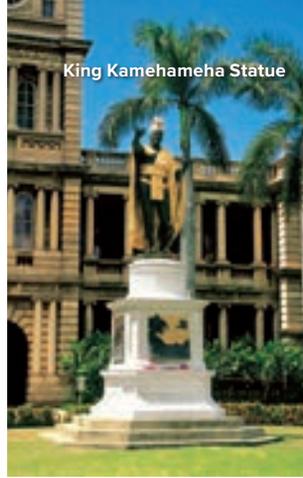
OPTION: POLYNESIAN CULTURAL CENTER



Visit Hawaii's #1 paid attraction! Enjoy a guided villages tour, premier seats at a live show, a canoe ride, and a buffet dinner at an experience you'll never forget. *Not sold prior to departure; available for purchase on tour.*



Kaanapali Beach



King Kamehameha Statue



Humpback Whale



Banyan tree in Lahaina



USS Arizona Memorial

✈️ 🚌 Day 4 • Fly to Maui

Your day starts with a short flight to Maui, the second largest of the Hawaiian Islands. Known as the “Valley Isle,” this majestic island has 2 main peaks over a mile high, thousands of breathtakingly beautiful waterfalls and pools, 120 miles of shoreline, and more than 80 golden beaches. Maui is also the best place in the Hawaiian Islands for whale-watching in the winter months. Majestic humpback whales and their calves are common sights, acrobatically breaching in the warm, shallow waters just off the coast. Learn about the Iao Valley and Lahaina on a guided tour after you land at Kahului Airport. See Courthouse Square, home to the oldest Banyan tree in the United States, which has grown to a towering 60 feet high with a canopy that covers an entire city block. The afternoon and evening are yours to enjoy and get settled at your leisure.

◆ *Kaanapali Beach Hotel or similar*

Days 5 & 6 • Kaanapali Leisure Days

Kaanapali Beach could be the most relaxing stretch of sand in the world—and its white sands, clear water, and calm waves have earned it the title of most beautiful beach more than once! Get settled into the resort life, where anything you want is within walking distance. Enjoy open-air shopping at Whalers Village, where you can also experience the center’s highly regarded whaling museum, fantastic dining, and free authentic Hawaiian entertainment.

Make the most of your final full day in paradise by having some authentic Hawaiian fun! Your hotel offers a variety of classes and presentations every day on Hawaiian cultural practices, traditions, and foods that you may want to participate in. If you want to see more of the island, we offer several of our most popular optional tours today. Ask your Tour Director about our optional bus tour to Haleakala.

◆ *Kaanapali Beach Hotel or similar*

✈️ Day 7 • Farewell Feast and Depart for Home

Today we are including a fabulous morning event for you—a Hawaiian Farewell breakfast. Enjoy a leisurely morning with your Tour Director and newfound friends, bidding aloha to paradise. Those with later departures may take an optional tour before being dropped off at Kahului Airport. (B)

Note: *Most flights to the mainland arrive the next day.*

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- See the USS *Arizona* Memorial and visitor center at Pearl Harbor
- Enjoy a full-day island tour and another full day at leisure to explore Oahu
- Stroll the world-famous Waikiki Beach
- Visit Hawaii's Volcanoes National Park
- Walk the iconic Punaluu Black Sand Beach
- Witness the mystical Fern Grotto on a Wailua Riverboat cruise
- 6 included sightseeing tours

INCLUDES

12 nights beachfront or centrally-located hotels, knowledgeable tour driver-guide, baggage handling at hotels and most airports, special events and sightseeing per itinerary, and inter-island airfare. Your tour is accompanied throughout by one of our friendly local Tour Directors.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

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This value-packed Hawaii vacation features many fantastic inclusions at prices you won't find anywhere else! Enjoy a fascinating Pearl Harbor experience, 4 different island tours, a river cruise, and a Farewell Feast. One of our friendly local Tour Directors will accompany you the entire way, and show you the best of Hawaii in an intimate experience!

Day 1 • Fly to Honolulu, Hawaii

Guests who have made their flight arrangements with YMT will met by a representative and transferred to the hotel.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East by Outrigger*

Day 2 • Pearl Harbor and National Cemetery of the Pacific

Following the Guest Welcome this morning is an exciting highlight—a tour of Pearl Harbor Experience Tour. Stop at the Pearl Harbor Visitor Center and learn about the events that brought the United States into WWII. Watch a short film before heading out on a Navy launch to the USS *Arizona* Memorial, then enjoy some time at the Visitor Center gift shop for unique souvenirs. We continue on a slow drive through the National Cemetery of the Pacific, set in a dormant volcano known as the Punchbowl Crater.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East by Outrigger*

Day 3 • Oahu Leisure Day

Enjoy a leisure day in paradise from your centrally located Waikiki hotel, just a few minutes' walk from famous Waikiki Beach and shopping on Kalakaua Avenue. You may also visit the Hawaii Army Museum, which tells the military story of Hawaii; admission is free.

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East by Outrigger*

Day 4 • Oahu Island Tour

Take an included full-day tour and discover the true island feel of Oahu! See famous surfing beaches, stunning Hanauma Bay, and the Dole Pineapple Plantation—with fantastic stories from your driver guide!

◆ *Ohana Waikiki East by Outrigger*

Day 5 • Fly to Kauai

This tropical island paradise is known as the "Garden Isle" because of its daily rainbows, lush forests, majestic mountains, and emerald valleys. Visit the magnificent Opaekaa Falls before taking a leisurely boat cruise along the Wailua River to the tropical Fern Grotto.

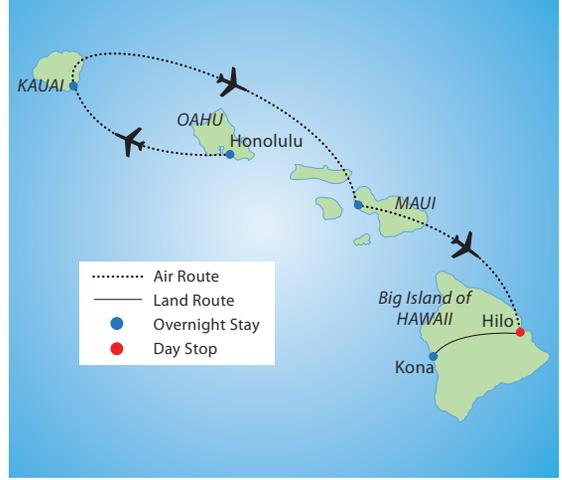
◆ *Kauai Shores Hotel*

Days 6 & 7 • Kauai Leisure Days

If ever there is a place to have an experience-of-a-lifetime, it's here on Kauai! It's no wonder that an impressive list of Hollywood productions have used this emerald island as a setting, including *Jurassic Park*, *South Pacific*, and *Fantasy Island*. It is here that you will find tropical rain forests, forking rivers, and cascading waterfalls. Spend these two days however you'd like, perhaps even take a spectacular optional helicopter sightseeing flight and circle the entire island and see spectacular scenery, waterfalls, and the Na Pali coastline.

◆ *Kauai Shores Hotel*

National Cemetery of the Pacific



Waimea Canyon



USS Arizona Memorial



Sea Turtle

✈️ 🚗 Day 8 • Fly to Maui

Discover Maui on a sightseeing tour of the island and a visit to the stunning Iao Valley. You'll also get to explore the small town of Lahaina, the picturesque old whaling capital of the Pacific. Discover Front Street and see one of the largest banyan trees in the US—it spans an entire city block and stands over 60 feet tall!
◆ *Kaanapali Beach Hotel*

Day 9 • Maui Leisure Day

Kaanapali is one of the best beaches in Hawaii and between the months of December and March you'll see whales swimming offshore.
◆ *Kaanapali Beach Hotel*

✈️ 🚗 Day 10 • Fly to Hawaii (Big Island)

Arrive in Hilo on the Big Island of Hawaii for a day of unique experiences. Visit the Mauna Loa Macadamia Nut Visitor Center to sample the many scrumptious products and shop for gifts. Take a short tour at the Akatsuka Orchid Gardens, a prominent grower, breeder, and retailer and home to over 500 varieties of orchids. Then discover Hawaii Volcanoes National Park and the Halemaumau Crater. The day continues at the iconic Punaluu Black Sand Beach, where many Hawaiian green sea turtles, or honu, rest on the lava and black sand. And to end this exciting day, stop at the Royal Kona Coffee Center, where you can sample several Kona coffees and buy some to take home.
◆ *Courtyard by Marriott King Kamehameha's Kona Beach Hotel*

Day 11 • Hawaii (Big Island) Leisure Day

Nearing the end of your stay in Hawaii, relax by the beach or stroll along the bay to explore the

quaint waterfront old town of Kona.

◆ *Courtyard by Marriott King Kamehameha's Kona Beach Hotel*

Day 12 • Farewell Feast and Leisure Day

We are including a fabulous evening event for you—our Hawaiian Farewell Feast. Entertainment, dinner and a drink are included at this event, right on the grounds of your hotel!
◆ *Courtyard by Marriott King Kamehameha's Kona Beach Hotel*

✈️ Day 13 • Depart for Home

Transfer to Ellison Onizuka Kona International Airport at Keahole for your flight home. Most flights leave in the evening or at night and arrive on the mainland the next day.

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- Tour Downtown Honolulu, including the National Cemetery of the Pacific in Punchbowl Crater
- Stroll Waikiki Beach in Honolulu
- See the USS *Arizona* Memorial and visitor center at Pearl Harbor
- Cruise in style aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America* with its 14 restaurants, 9 bars, and numerous entertainment facilities
- Visit the 4 main Hawaiian Islands

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America* and 4 nights in Waikiki with hotels, knowledgeable tour driver-guide, local Tour Director in Oahu, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise, and special events and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

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Oahu • Maui • Hawaii • Kauai • 4 nights in Oahu and
7-night Cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America*

Relax in paradise as you cruise Hawaii for 8 days and 7 nights on Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America*. You'll visit spectacular sights on Kauai, Maui, and the Big Island, and enjoy 4 nights on Oahu before your cruise with plenty of leisure time.

✈ Day 1 • Fly to Honolulu

Guests arriving in Honolulu who have made their flight arrangements with YMT will be met by a representative and transferred to the hotel.

◆ *Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Alana Waikiki Beach or similar*

🚌 Day 2 • Pearl Harbor and Honolulu City Tour

Enjoy a Guest Welcome meeting at the hotel to hear about the exciting days ahead. Then, you will go on the most popular tour in Hawaii—the included Pearl Harbor and Honolulu city tour! We head first to Pearl Harbor where you can explore the visitor center and view a 23-minute film before we take a Navy launch out to the USS *Arizona* Memorial. Next, we head off to see the sights of Honolulu. Set in a real dormant volcano, we visit Punchbowl Crater, home of the National Cemetery of the Pacific, before continuing on to Downtown Honolulu. You will see the State Capitol and Iolani Palace.

◆ *Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Alana Waikiki Beach or similar*

Days 3 & 4 • Oahu Leisure Days

Spend two full days in Oahu to do as you wish. Whatever you choose, you'll have plenty of time to enjoy the famous Waikiki beach and shopping on Kalakaua Avenue. During your stay in Waikiki, we recommend you visit the Hawaii

Army Museum, a museum that tells the military story of Hawaii, from ancient times to the Gulf War and the War in Iraq. Admission is free. Your Tour Director has also arranged a variety of popular optional tours. Be sure to join us for our optional luau (additional cost). Experience the aloha spirit at a casual luau right on the beach!

◆ *Doubletree by Hilton Hotel Alana Waikiki Beach or similar*

🚌 Day 5 • Board Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America*

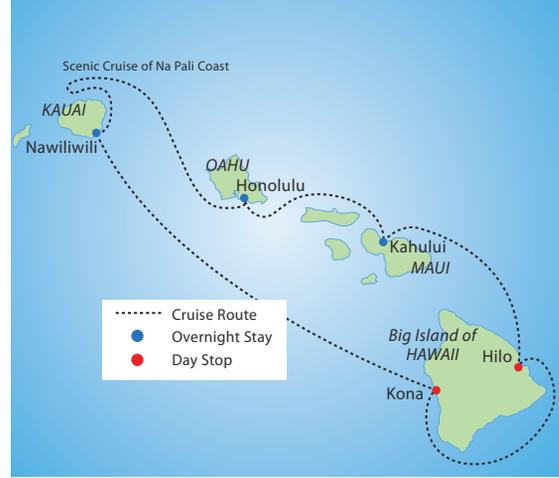
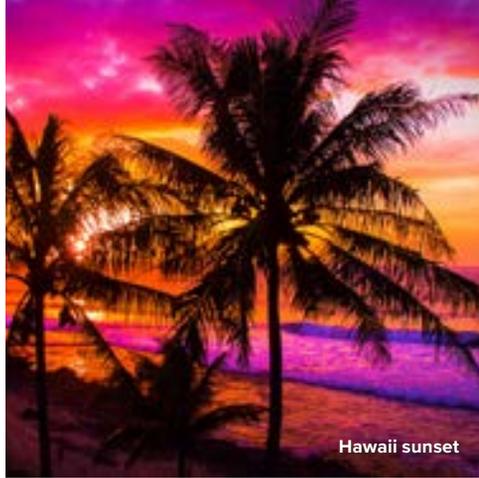
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Travel the short distance to the port of Honolulu to board *Pride of America* for the start of your Hawaiian Islands experience. This vibrant, Americana-themed ship offers freestyle cruising and a variety of activities. Whatever your pleasure, a warm and friendly crew is ready to assist you to make sure your cruise is just right.

🛳 Day 6 • Kahului, Maui

(8:00 AM – Overnight)

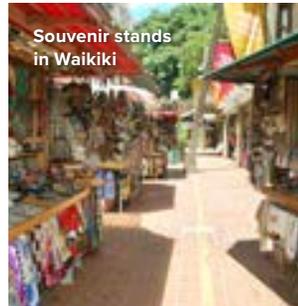
Maui is the second largest of the Hawaiian Islands and you will have almost 2 full days to explore! Known as the "Valley Isle," this majestic island has two main peaks more than a mile high, thousands of breathtakingly beautiful waterfalls and pools, 120 miles of shoreline and more than 80 golden beaches. Highlights include Iao Valley, Haleakala Crater, and Lahaina, a traditional old whaling town full of character, shops, and restaurants.



Waikiki Beach, Oahu



Hawaii waterfall



Souvenir stands in Waikiki



Iao Valley

Day 7 • Kahului, Maui

(Overnight – 6:00 PM)

After the overnight stay in Maui, you may wish to make the journey to the town of Hana. Drive along the gorgeous winding coastal roads as you experience the natural wonder of Maui! For beach lovers, visit the fabulous golden sand beaches of Kaanapali, where between the months of December and March each year you are almost guaranteed to see whales, without even leaving the beach.

Day 8 • Hilo, Hawaii (7:00 AM – 5:30 PM)

Brimming with Hawaiian tradition, Hilo takes you back to an earlier island culture. The town will charm you with its quaint buildings and unique shopping. Hilo is the flower capital of Hawaii, and gardens and blossoms are everywhere. Perhaps spend your leisure day here visiting Liliuokalani Gardens, King Kamehameha I Statue, Rainbow Falls, Akaka Falls, or Hawaii Tropical Botanical Garden!

Day 9 • Kona, Hawaii (7:00 AM – 5:30 PM)

Welcome to Kona! Spend your day exploring the “Gold Coast” in a wide variety of ways—riding in a horse-drawn carriage, skimming the seas in a glass bottom boat, or snorkeling below the waves. If you prefer to keep your feet on dry land, you may choose to take a leisurely walking tour through historic Kailua Town or one of the many island coffee plantations.

Day 10 • Nawiliwili, Kauai

(8:00 AM – Overnight)

This verdant little isle exudes peace and tranquility. Nature has been good to Kauai, creating craters, mountains, rivers, canyons, and glorious stretches of palm-fringed beaches.

Nicknamed the “Garden Island,” Kauai is the least populated and developed of the four main islands. The spectacular scenery including canyons, cliffs, and waterfalls, makes it a firm favorite to take a helicopter flight-seeing tour!

Day 11 • Nawiliwili, Kauai and the Na Pali Coast (Overnight – 2:00 PM)

It’s no wonder that an impressive list of Hollywood productions have used this emerald island as a setting. The Na Pali Coast, featured in the film *Jurassic Park* and many others, is one of the most distinctive geological features of Kauai. Kauai is famous for Waimea Canyon, known as the Grand Canyon of the Pacific.

Day 12 • Disembark from the Cruise Ship (7:00 AM) and Depart for Home

Transfer to Honolulu airport for your flight home. If you are on a later departing flight from Honolulu, we do offer an optional Island Tour to show you Oahu’s highlights before returning you to the airport.

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Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day. All meals on cruise are included.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

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Los Angeles • San Francisco • Victoria • Seattle • Vancouver •
aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Encore*

Watch the gorgeous scenery of the West Coast unfold in front of you on this cruise tour up the Pacific Coast. From the glamour of Hollywood to the misty history of San Francisco to welcoming Vancouver, each stop on your journey along the coast promises to be special.

✈ Day 1 • Arrive in Los Angeles

If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a YMT representative will welcome you at Los Angeles International Airport and transport you to the hotel. After taking some time to relax, the first event of your tour starts at The Proud Bird, one of Los Angeles' most unique restaurants and event centers. Located right across from LAX, The Proud Bird opened in 1967 as a delicious restaurant with an aviation theme and an incredible view of the planes approaching the runway for landing. Take a tour of the iconic eatery, including its fascinating gallery of historic airplanes and aviation memorabilia, before sitting down for a delicious Welcome Buffet with the YMT team and your fellow guests. (D)

◆ *Four Points by Sheraton LAX or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • Los Angeles City Tour

Your first full day begins with a guided tour of Los Angeles and Hollywood, featuring many of LA's can't-miss highlights. View the ornate TCL Chinese Theatre, the Dolby Theatre—annual home of the Academy Awards—Beverly Hills, and the Hollywood Walk of Fame. The afternoon is at your leisure, or you can sign up for an optional studio tour of Paramount Pictures. (B)

◆ *Four Points by Sheraton LAX or similar*



OPTION: PARAMOUNT PICTURES STUDIO TOUR
Explore over a century of Hollywood history and witness more in the making with an intimate tour of the Paramount Pictures Studio lot. A knowledgeable guide will lead your small group on a behind-the-scenes look at the longest operating major studio in Hollywood. \$69 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

🚢 Day 3 • Long Beach and Embarkation

Head to the Long Beach Harbor for a morning tour of the legendary *Queen Mary*, the most luxurious ship in the world when she was first launched in 1936. Today, more than 80 years and 4 million miles later, her opulence and long, exciting history continues to draw visitors. Take a tour behind the scenes of the *Queen Mary*, where you will learn about her construction, service in WWII, and life as the world's most elegant ocean liner. (B)

You'll be welcomed aboard the *Norwegian Encore* this afternoon.

🚢 Day 4 • At Sea

Take full advantage of the "freestyle" life aboard the brand-new *Norwegian Encore*, and make sure you get a chance to try all of the fun onboard activities at least once!



The Queen Mary



Space Needle in Seattle



--- Cruise Route
 — Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Vancouver



Victoria, BC



San Francisco



NCL NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE

Norwegian Encore

Day 5 • San Francisco (8:00 AM–7:00 PM)

Wake up and smell the salty sea air of the City by the Bay! Highlights of San Francisco include Nob Hill, the beautiful Golden Gate Bridge, likely the world's most photographed suspension bridge, and the notorious Alcatraz Federal Penitentiary. Alcatraz was one of the 20th century's most feared prisons—both because of the dangerous criminals it housed, and because over its 29-year history not a single inmate successfully escaped.

Day 6 • At Sea

Day 7 • Victoria, BC

(12:00 PM–8:00 PM)

Explore British Columbia's idyllic capital city that proudly sports more than a bit of good English charm. Much of this former British colony's Victorian architecture still stands, including the grand Craigdarroch Castle Mansion, and magnificent Parliament Buildings. This highly walkable city is also a mecca for food lovers—try out highly creative restaurants right on the waterfront.

Another great option is a tour of the perennially popular Butchart Gardens. The 55-acre garden has been a beloved oasis in the heart of Victoria for over a century, and is a thriving, fragrant, colorful year-round destination for nature loving locals and tourists alike.

Day 8 • Seattle

(7:00 AM–6:00 PM)

Discover the Emerald City, often considered the crown jewel of the Pacific Northwest. Some of the most popular sights include Pike Place Market, a landmark since 1907 where flying

fish are one of the biggest draws, the iconic 605-foot-tall Space Needle, and Pioneer Square, where you can learn about the history of the Great Seattle Fire of 1889.

Day 9 • Disembarkation in Vancouver

(Disembark at 6:00 AM)

This morning you'll disembark in Vancouver, regarded as one of the world's most livable cities. Vancouver is renowned for its clear mountain views, incredible cuisine, and overall wonderful quality of living. You'll see why so many people love to visit and live in Canada's third largest metropolitan area during a city tour, which includes the Vancouver Lookout. Enjoy the evening at your leisure. Perhaps spend some time in Stanley Park, or visit the Capilano Suspension Bridge to admire Vancouver's great cedar forest, or even take a water taxi to Granville Island.

The evening is yours to relax or to join us on a final optional tour.

◆ Sandman Signature Vancouver Airport or similar

Day 10 • Depart for Home

Return home with plenty of memories from your journey up the West Coast.

FREE BALCONY UPGRADE
 Valued at \$800 per couple

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MUST BOOK BY 5/29

PRICES STARTING AT \$1,599*

\$1,349*

AFTER \$250 INSTANT REBATE EACH PERSON PAYS

2021 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
April 23	\$1,599	\$2,099	\$2,499
Book by 5/29	\$1,349	\$1,849	\$1,849

FREE BALCONY UPGRADE

Single Supplement from \$1,000

*Per person based on double occupancy plus \$299 tax/service/gov't fees. See page 139 for terms & conditions.

Add-on airfare with transfers available. Call for details.

10 DAYS

-from-

\$1,549*

\$1,299*

Jackson Square



New Orleans • Costa Maya • Harvest Caye • Roatán • Cozumel •
aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Breakaway*

NEW ORLEANS & WESTERN CARIBBEAN CRUISE

Featuring

NCL NORWEGIAN
CRUISE LINE®

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a delicious Jazz Brunch with traditional New Orleans cuisine and a live jazz trio in the French Quarter
- Tour the French Quarter, Bourbon Street, the Mississippi River and the Mardi Gras route
- Visit Harvest Caye, Norwegian Cruise Line's private island
- Relax on unspoiled beaches across the Caribbean

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Breakaway*, 3-day land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, 1 brunch and all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day. All meals on cruise are included.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Laissez les bon temps rouler — or let the good times roll — in the lively and historic city of New Orleans, then embark for paradise on a relaxing Western Caribbean cruise on Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Breakaway*. Warm weather, flavorful cuisine and the good life await!

✈ Day 1 • Fly to New Orleans

Welcome to New Orleans! If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a friendly YMT representative will greet you at the airport and transport you to your centrally located hotel. Tonight is yours to enjoy—take an evening stroll through the famously lively city that takes its French motto, “laissez les bon temps rouler,” which means “let the good times roll,” very seriously!

◆ *Wyndham French Quarter or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • New Orleans City Tour

Enjoy a half-day included tour of “The Big Easy,” one of the country’s oldest and most interesting cities. You’ll see the French Quarter with Jackson Square, along with St. Louis Cathedral and colorful Bourbon Street during a short walk. Visit one of the famous old cemeteries, then continue to the shore of Lake Pontchartrain. View the longest bridge in the world and see the new flood gates and rebuilt levees, as well as antebellum mansions. Finally, we’ll follow the Mardi Gras route on St. Charles Avenue.

◆ *Wyndham French Quarter or similar*

OPTION: NEW ORLEANS SCHOOL OF COOKING



Take an optional visit to the New Orleans School of Cooking. Learn how to make and then savor New Orleans cuisine. \$59 p/p. *Please add this option at time of booking.*

🚢 Day 3 • New Orleans and Embarkation

The morning starts with a spectacular meal—the Jazz Brunch at The Court of Two Sisters, a stunning open-air restaurant in the heart of the French Quarter. Enjoy complexly flavored Creole and Louisiana dishes while a live jazz trio play their soulful tunes in the middle of the charming courtyard.

After brunch, we will head to the cruise port to board the *Norwegian Breakaway*, where you’ll have plenty of time to relax, settle into your stateroom, and get acquainted with the ship before dinner. The cruise departs the port of New Orleans in the late afternoon. (B)

🚢 Day 4 • At Sea

Now that you’re at sea, there’s nothing to do but, unwind, rejuvenate, and breathe in the warm ocean air. The *Norwegian Breakaway* was built for your enjoyment, so do take advantage of its many onboard facilities, entertainment and dining choices.

🚢 Day 5 • Costa Maya, Mexico

(10:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

This unspoiled coastal paradise in the Yucatán is full of brilliant butterflies, exotic tropical birds, pristine white sand beaches, and delicious dining options. The port at Costa Maya is a



Cozumel, Mexico



Norwegian's private island, Harvest Caye



Costa Maya, Mexico



Norwegian Breakaway

destination in itself, with a welcoming tropical aesthetic and plenty of restaurants, shopping, and excellent opportunities to swim in either the pool or the warm Pacific. For an unforgettable cultural experience, you don't want to miss the chance to visit Costa Maya's 3,000-year-old Mayan ruins, which were only rediscovered in the past few years.

Day 6 • Harvest Caye
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Relaxation is the name of the game at Harvest Caye, a 75-acre private island open exclusively to guests of Norwegian Cruise Lines. Designed to showcase the Caribbean's stunning natural beauty, unique wildlife, and dynamic culture, your time on Harvest Caye is a vacation within a vacation.

The Nature Center is one of Harvest Caye's most unique features. It's free to visit, and is a great place to see massive boa constrictors and colorful toucans and scarlet macaws. The enclosed Blue Morpho Butterfly Sanctuary is nothing short of marvelous—you'll be surrounded by countless native butterfly species and more than a few intrepid iguanas whose disinterest in humans is truly a sight to behold.

Day 7 • Roatán, Bay Islands, Honduras
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Welcome to Roatán, the jewel of the Bay Islands, located just off the north coast of Honduras. The beaches here are second to none, and the warm water is teeming with exotic fish, coral, and gentle sea turtles who thrive here in the world's second largest barrier reef. Come hungry, because Roatán is famous for

offering a wide variety of world-class cuisine. Fresh fish and lobster are always a tasty choice, but if you want to eat like a true local, you have to give a freshly fried conch fritter a taste.

Day 8 • Cozumel, Mexico
(9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

The island of Cozumel off the tip of the Yucatan Peninsula has done a fine job of retaining its cultural character over the years despite an explosion of popularity in its tourism sector. It has everything that visitors want—gorgeous beaches, warm waters, incredible reefs, friendly locals, and perfectly spicy cuisine—but has also managed to keep much of its authentically vibrant Mexican-Caribbean personality intact. There is nothing so perfectly refreshing as a bowl of fresh fruit paired with an ocean view, so we strongly encourage guests to stop at a fresh fruit stand whenever they get thirsty. Ask “¿Qué nos recomienda?” or “What do you suggest?” to guarantee the best variety of the tastiest fruit.

Day 9 • At Sea

During the day catch up on some reading, or just enjoy the warm winter Caribbean weather from the sun deck. After dinner try your luck at the casino, or catch a stage show which are designed to dazzle and dazzle; this final night is yours to enjoy!

Day 10 • Depart for Home

Say adios to the *Norwegian Breakaway* and depart for home. Guests that didn't book their flight with YMT should plan to fly out after 1PM.

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\$1,299*

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2020 Date	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Dec 4	\$1,549	\$1,749	\$1,949
Book by 5/29	\$1,299	\$1,499	\$1,699
2021 Date	INSIDE CABIN	OCEAN VIEW CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Feb 26	\$1,649	\$1,849	\$2,049
Book by 5/29	\$1,399	\$1,599	\$1,799

Single Supplement from \$700

*Per person based on double occupancy plus \$299 tax/service/gov't fees. Prices shown are after free cabin upgrade offer. See page 139 for terms & conditions.

Add-on airfare with transfers available. Call for details.

15 DAYS

-from-

\$2,499*

\$2,249*

Bass Harbor lighthouse
in Acadia National Park

NEW ENGLAND & CANADIAN MARITIMES CRUISE AND TOUR

Featuring

NCL NORWEGIAN
CRUISE LINE®

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- See Boston, Quebec City and Montreal on narrated city tours
- Stay 2 nights on Cape Cod and tour one of Newport's famous mansions
- Enjoy stops at the following ports: Bar Harbor, Halifax, Sydney, Charlottetown, and La Baie
- Witness the brilliant fall colors during peak foliage season while on your motor coach tour through New England's Green Mountains

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Gem*, 7-night land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Boston • Newport • Cape Cod • Bar Harbor • Halifax • Sydney • Charlottetown • La Baie • Quebec City • Montreal • Green Mountains
aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Gem*

Explore New England and Coastal Canada's famous and fascinating sites, resplendent in an Autumnal eruption of golds, reds, and oranges. Tour Boston, visit a famous Newport mansion, and enjoy the shores of Cape Cod before boarding the *Norwegian Gem* for your relaxing 7-night cruise.

✈ Day 1 • Arrive Boston

Today you will arrive in Boston. Guests who have purchased their airline tickets through YMT will be greeted by a YMT representative and transferred to their hotel.

◆ *Courtyard by Marriott Woburn North or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • Newport and Cape Cod

Newport, Rhode Island was the favorite summer playground of America's most legendary tycoons and titans during the Gilded Age of the late 19th century. The Vanderbilts and Astors were among the wealthy families who summered in these opulent "cottages." Enjoy a Newport Mansion tour to start the day, then continue east to Cape Cod, known for its charming small towns, lighthouses, and wild cranberry bogs.

◆ *Cape Codder Resort or similar*

🏖 Day 3 • Cape Cod Leisure Day

Spend the day at leisure and discover more of Cape Cod on your own. You are also free to join your fellow travelers on an optional excursion to the famed Martha's Vineyard. This prosperous island off Cape Cod is renowned for its broad, sandy beaches—the setting for *Jaws* but in actuality some of the most placid stretches of sand anywhere on the East Coast.

◆ *Cape Codder Resort or similar*

🚗🚢 Day 4 • Boston and Cruise Embarkation

This morning we head north to Boston, the cradle of modern America. Enjoy a morning sightseeing tour of many of the city's best historic landmarks, including the Paul Revere House, Quincy Market, and Boston Common. Spend some time strolling the Freedom Trail to appreciate the city's nickname, "The Walking City." After time for lunch on your own, you'll board the *Norwegian Gem*.

🚢 Day 5 • Bar Harbor (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Bar Harbor has retained much of its charm since its glory days of the 1900s, when it became a popular vacation destination for America's richest and most powerful families. Surrounding the rocky harbor is the world-famous Acadia National Park.

🚢 Day 6 • Halifax (9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

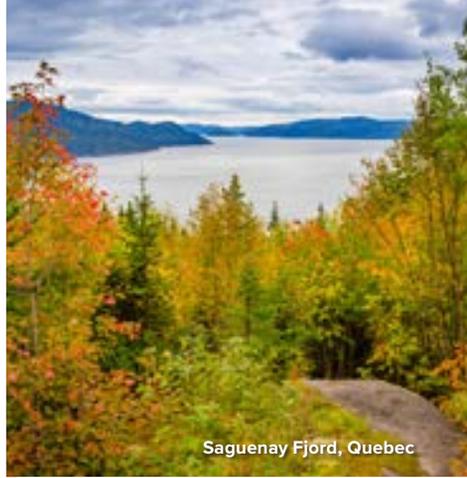
Nova Scotia's exquisitely preserved capital city was founded in 1749; go back in time with a visit to The Citadel to see the Old Town Clock. You also won't be able to resist admiring the rugged coastline surrounding Halifax.

🚢 Day 7 • Sydney, Nova Scotia (9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Located on Cape Breton Island, Sydney is surrounded by scenic beauty. Step back in time to 1744 by visiting the Fortress of Louisbourg as



Martha's Vineyard



Saguenay Fjord, Quebec



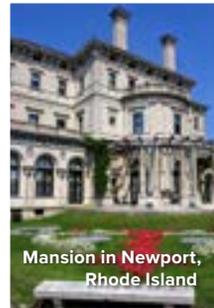
--- Cruise Route
 - Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop
 ● Start/End



View from Mount Royal in Montreal



Boston Common



Mansion in Newport, Rhode Island



Norwegian Gem

part of an optional shore excursion where you will relive the fruitful past relationship between France and the American Colonies.

Day 8 • Charlottetown

(9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Opulent clapboard villas lead the way toward Charlottetown's beautiful Victoria Park. Color is everywhere—from the Victorian architecture to the red sandstone cliffs. Sample scrumptious homemade island jams, visit the Anne of Green Gables homestead, and stroll the boardwalk.

Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • La Baie (Saguenay River)

(9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Sitting on the bank of the Ha! Ha! Bay, the borough of La Baie is part of a small pocket of development surrounded by deep Canadian wilderness. Enjoy this oasis encircled by a dense, nearly uninhabited back country.

Day 11 • Disembarkation in Quebec City

This morning, disembark in Quebec City, one of North America's first settlements. Old Quebec's ramparts are Canada's last remaining fortified city walls, with sections back to at least the 1690s. Enjoy a panoramic city tour of Old Quebec led by a guide, where you will see the Château Frontenac and the Plains of Abraham.

◆ *Hotel Plaza or similar*

OPTION: SUGAR SHACK DINNER



Enjoy the "all you can eat" maple sweets of this French-Canadian dinner and learn how syrup is made. After dinner, stop at the base of the beautiful Montmorency Falls. Just \$59 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

ALTERNATE ITINERARY



In lieu of Old Quebec city tour, Sep 1 departure includes visit to the eastern side of the Island of Orleans. This trip includes the villages of Saint François and Sainte-Famille.

Day 12 • Montreal

Today we drive south along the St. Lawrence River to Montreal, the world's second-largest French speaking city. Enjoy a panoramic city tour this afternoon, including Mount Royal and Old Montreal, with its cobblestone streets, charming shops, and imposing Notre Dame Cathedral.

◆ *Hilton Montreal Laval or similar*

Day 13 • Green Mountains and Rutland

Today is all about the glorious fall foliage colors! As we drive south across the border into Vermont, you will be inspired by the scenic drive through the Green Mountains. The highways and byways are ablaze with vibrant reds, oranges, yellows and greens.

◆ *Comfort Inn Trolley Square or similar*

Day 14 • Shaker Village and Boston

En route back to Boston, we'll visit a fascinating Shaker Village; these living history museums provide insight to the "Shakers," a centuries old religious community known for its unique style of music and furniture. (B)

◆ *Courtyard by Marriott Woburn North or similar*

Day 15 • Depart for Home

Note: This tour crosses into Canada and does require that guests obtain a passport.



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PRICES STARTING AT \$2,499*

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2020 Dates	INSIDE CABIN	PORCHOLE CABIN	BALCONY CABIN
Sep 1	\$2,499	\$3,049	\$3,549
Book by 5/29	\$2,249	\$2,799	\$3,299
Sep 15 & 29	\$2,599	\$3,149	\$3,649
Book by 5/29	\$2,349	\$2,899	\$3,399

Single Supplement from \$1,300

*Per person based on double occupancy plus \$299 tax/service/gov't fees. See page 139 for terms & conditions. Passport required.

Add-on airfare with transfers available. Call for details.

13 DAYS

-from-

\$1,949*

\$1,699*

Fall foliage in the Catskills

AUTUMN LEAVES TOUR

New York City • Cooperstown • Niagara Falls • Kingston • 1000 Islands • Adirondacks • Lake Placid • White Mountains • Green Mountains • Maine • Boston • Cape Cod

Imagine taking a tour through the heart of America's history while enjoying the spectacle of fall colors in the Northeast. This 13-day itinerary takes you from New York City to Niagara Falls, Boston and then back to New York, against a backdrop of the rich colors of fall.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Drive in comfort through the stunning Catskill Mountains, home to some of the most brilliant foliage
- Enjoy a visit to Cooperstown, New York, where you will explore the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum, and the historic Fly Creek Cider Mill
- See the spectacle of the astonishing Niagara Falls in Canada
- Explore Kingston, Canada's first capital
- Enjoy a sightseeing cruise through the 1000 Islands
- Drive through the beautiful scenery of Adirondack Park, the White Mountains, and the Green Mountains

INCLUDES

12 nights hotels, 8 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Arrive in New York City

Welcome to the Big Apple! Guests who have booked their flights through YMT Vacations will be greeted at the airport by a YMT representative and transferred to their hotel.

◆ *Hampton Inn & Suites Newark-Harrison-Riverwalk or similar*

Day 2 • Cooperstown

From the hustle and bustle of the greatest city in the world, take a leisurely scenic drive through the extravagantly colorful Catskill Mountains en route to the charming village of Cooperstown. This quintessentially American town, established in 1786, is said to be the birthplace of baseball; enjoy a stop for lunch, then learn about America's pastime on your tour of the National Baseball Hall of Fame and Museum. (B)

◆ *Comfort Inn Cooperstown or similar*

Days 3 & 4 • Niagara Falls

Start your day with a fascinating self-guided tour of the Fly Creek Cider Mill, a 164-year-old water-powered cider mill set directly atop the swift-moving Fly Creek just outside of Cooperstown. Experience firsthand what goes into making delicious sweet apple cider the old-fashioned way. Be sure to try a sample in the gift shop, and maybe pick up some of their famous homemade fudge. Travel through the

autumn landscapes of New York. Later, you will cross the border to Canada for a two-night stay at awe-inspiring Niagara Falls. Millions of gallons of water fall over the horseshoe-shaped falls every second, creating a powerful sight and sound! On day 4, choose between an array of optional excursions to experience Niagara Falls even closer, including a boat tour to the base of the Falls, a "Journey behind the Falls," or a helicopter flight above the falls (all at additional cost). (B)

◆ *Clifton Victoria Inn or similar*

Day 5 • Kingston and 1000 Islands Region

Continue along the shores of Lake Ontario to Kingston, Canada's first capital from 1841-1844 and home to Fort Henry and the Royal Military College of Canada, amongst many other historic landmarks. In Gananoque, you'll board a 2.5 hour boat cruise through the heart of the 1000 Islands, a true vacation highlight! Enjoy the fascinating narrative as you cruise through narrow channels, over historic sunken wrecks, and by magnificent summer homes of the rich and famous, including Boldt Castle, where you will learn about its romantic, yet tragic story! (B)

◆ *Comfort Inn Gananoque or similar*

Day 6 • Rutland via Lake Placid

After crossing back into the U.S., continue through the beautiful Adirondack region,



Niagara Falls



Flume Gorge in Franconia Notch State Park



— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop
 ● Start/End



Boston Common Park



Central Park, NY



1000 Islands



Cooperstown, NY
 credit: Destination Marketing Corporation of Otsego County

a six-million-acre civilized wilderness, dotted with quaint towns and charming lakeside villages. It is the largest protected area in the contiguous United States, larger than the parks of Yellowstone, Yosemite, Glacier, Grand Canyon and the Great Smokies combined. Travel along the stretches of the Olympic Byway, High Peaks Byway, and Lakes to Locks Passage—an all-American road. En route we will stop in Lake Placid, home to the 1932 and 1980 Winter Olympics. Your day will end in the heart of the Green Mountains in Rutland, VT. (B)

◆ *Comfort Inn Trolley Square or similar*

Day 7 • Ogunquit/Wells via White Mountains

Leave the Green Mountains and enter another spectacular forest area: The White Mountains! Visit Franconia Notch State Park and stop at Flume Gorge for an opportunity to walk through this beautiful scenery. Next, enjoy a scenic drive along Kancamagus Highway, a National Scenic Byway where covered bridges and waterfalls enhance the magnificent landscape. Your day ends in southwestern Maine. (B)

◆ *Ogunquit River Inn or similar*

Day 8 • Boston

Travel south along the New England coast to visit beautiful and historic Boston. En route, we stop at an iconic lighthouse. Enjoy an afternoon city tour of Boston, where you will follow parts of the Freedom Trail and see Boston Common, Paul Revere House, Quincy Market, Faneuil Hall, Old North Church, Old State House and many more historic sites. Take some time and picture the lives of our founding fathers during the pinnacle of the independence movement. (B)

◆ *Courtyard Marriott Woburn North or similar*

Days 9 & 10 • Cape Cod

On day 9, after a brief stop in Plymouth where the *Mayflower* first landed, follow the New England coastline until you reach the peninsula of Cape Cod. Enjoy local sightseeing and explore the history and art scene of this famous summer playground of the rich and famous. As we drive along the outer Atlantic side of the Cape, we will visit Cape Cod National Seashore known for its pristine sandy beach, lighthouses and wild cranberry bogs. On day 10, you may join your fellow travelers on an optional excursion to Martha's Vineyard.

◆ *Holiday Inn Hyannis or similar*

Day 11 • Bridgeport

En route to Connecticut, we stop in America's smallest state, Rhode Island. In Newport, you will enjoy an included tour of one of the area's famous mansions, once home to the likes of Astors and the Vanderbilts. Today these impressive villas are beautifully restored, preserved by the Newport Preservation Society, and made accessible to the public. Marvel at the intricate, often Italian-inspired architecture, built in the late 1800s by families with plenty of means and an eye for luxurious detail as "summer cottages" in prime locations with astonishing views. Continue south and overnight in Bridgeport, CT.

◆ *Holiday Inn Bridgeport or similar*

Day 12 • New York City

Today, a short drive from Bridgeport, you will arrive in New York City. You will have time to see the major sights of the Big Apple on a panoramic city tour, including the Empire State Building, Rockefeller Center, the Chrysler

Building, Central Park and many more. Enjoy the last night of your tour at leisure.

◆ *Hampton Inn & Suites Newark-Harrison-Riverwalk or similar*

Day 13 • Depart for Home (B)

Note: This tour crosses into Canada and does require that guests obtain a passport.

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PRICES STARTING AT ~~\$1,949*~~
\$1,699*

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2020 Dates

Sep 11, 18, & 25	\$2,049
Book by 5/29	\$4,799
Extra \$100 off	\$1,699
Sep 13, 20, & 27, Oct 4 & 11	\$1,949
Book by 5/29	\$1,699

Single Supplement from \$1,000

**Per person based on double occupancy plus \$199 tax/service/gov't fees. See page 139 for terms & conditions.*

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10 DAYS
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\$1,649*
\$1,399*

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta
credit: Bennie Bos



ALBUQUERQUE
BALLOON
FIESTA
&
SOUTHWESTERN
TOUR

Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta • Santa Fe • Carlsbad Caverns •
White Sands National Monument • Roswell • Las Cruces •
Tombstone • Tucson • Scottsdale • Phoenix

This incredible fall tour has it all: historic Western towns, out-of-this-world intrigue in Roswell, Native American culture, the incredible beauty of the desert, stunning sunsets and of course, the not-to-be-missed spectacle of the Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Witness the Albuquerque Hot Air Balloon Fiesta, the largest in the world
- Enjoy a once-in-a-lifetime opportunity to ride a Hot Air Balloon (optional and at additional cost)
- Soak up the history and culture of New Mexico in Albuquerque and Santa Fe
- Tour Roswell with its fascinating exhibits of the alleged UFO crash
- Visit Carlsbad Caverns, some of the largest caves in the world
- See the expansive and striking White Sands National Monument
- Visit Tombstone and the O.K. Corral

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 9 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and park entrance.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Albuquerque

Your tour begins with arrival in Albuquerque. Guests who have purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations will be welcomed in the baggage claim area by a YMT representative who will arrange your transfer to the hotel. If you made other flight arrangements, please make your own way to the hotel.

◆ Ramada Plaza by Wyndham or similar

🚌 Day 2 • Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta

Get up early to witness the famed Hot Air Balloon Fiesta's mass ascension. See hundreds of colorful balloons inflate with giant fans then slowly rise to float into the clear blue sky. Learn the history of this unique Fiesta, and the simple mechanics of hot air ballooning, while witnessing it with your own eyes.

As you proceed for some Albuquerque sightseeing, keep an eye peeled for these balloons – as they land in the most unexpected places! We explore historic Old Town - secluded gardens and patios nestled between winding brick paths full of charming shops, galleries and delicious New Mexican cuisine (meals on your own). The Old Town Plaza has been the focal point of the community since 1706. At night we return to the balloon launch site for the "After Glow," when all the balloons fire their burners at the same time, illuminating the night sky. This

event is followed by a spectacular fireworks display that you will surely enjoy to watch. (B)

◆ Ramada Plaza by Wyndham or similar

🚌 Day 3 • Bandelier National Monument & Santa Fe

In the morning we will cross the Santa Fe National Forest and continue to Bandelier National Monument. Bandelier protects Ancestral Pueblo archaeological sites within a wild and beautiful landscape and connects the modern Pueblo people to their past in a monument covering 33,000+ acres and over 70 miles of trail. The day ends in Santa Fe. (B)

◆ The Lodge at Santa Fe or similar

🚌 Day 4 • UFO Museum & Roswell

This morning we head to Roswell, best known for the Roswell alleged UFO sightings. Guests can enjoy a short visit to the International UFO Museum & Research Center, with its eclectic collection of space objects and dioramas depicting the story of the purported 1947 UFO crash just outside town. (B)

◆ Holiday Inn Express or similar

🚌 Day 5 • Carlsbad Caverns

This morning we drive south through the Chihuahuan Desert, filled with prickly pears, chollas and agaves, to visit incredible Carlsbad



Bandelier National Monument



Albuquerque Balloon Fiesta
credit: Paul Deberjeois



Carlsbad Caverns National Park



O.K. Corral



Roswell

Caverns National Park, with 100 of the largest caves in the world. These limestone caverns were formed 250 million years ago - the stalagmite and stalactites that abound in this subterranean world are truly a wonder to explore. At night we will return to Roswell once more. (B)

◆ *Holiday Inn Express or similar*

Day 6 • White Sands National Monument & Las Cruces

See the unusual and beautiful White Sands National Monument! After an orientation at the Visitors Center, we drive through wave-like dunes of gypsum sand – brilliant snow-white dunes whose color changes with the sun and topography. (B)

◆ *La Quinta Las Cruces or similar*

Day 7 • Tombstone & Tucson

This morning, travel through ranches and towns that claim a colorful history of Apache raids, outlaws and gunfights, stopping in the most famous of them all – Tombstone! Walk the same historic streets as Wyatt Earp and Doc Holiday, which are preserved with their original 1880's buildings. See the famed OK Corral, the Tombstone Epitaph newspaper office, and Crystal Palace. Then upon arrival in Tucson this afternoon, visit the San Xavier del Bac Mission. Known as “the White Dove of the Desert,” it is considered one of the finest examples of mission architecture in the USA. (B)

◆ *Best Western Tucson Foothills or similar*

Day 8 • Casa Grande National Monument & Phoenix

Today, we depart the “Sunshine City of the Southwest” for Phoenix, the “Valley of the Sun.” En route we will stop to explore the ancient Native American ruins at Casa Grande National Monument, our nation’s first archaeological preserve. This evening, perhaps you’ll want to join your group for a rustic cowboy style dinner (optional and at an additional cost). (B)

◆ *Embassy Suites Phoenix-Downtown North or similar*

Day 9 • Scottsdale & Phoenix Leisure Day

Today is your day to explore the Scottsdale area on your own. This city just outside of Phoenix is known for its spa resorts and golf courses, and has a wonderful Old Town— the perfect place to shop and browse art galleries. As an appropriate ending to your Southwestern Tour with Balloon Fiesta, you also have the opportunity today to take an optional Sunrise Balloon Flight! Enjoy the fresh air as you glide over the beautiful and just awaking flora and fauna at sunrise. This magnificent experience is not to be missed! (B)

◆ *Embassy Suites Phoenix-Downtown North or similar*



OPTION: SUNRISE HOT AIR BALLOON RIDE

Glide into the air high above the Sonoran Desert and enjoy the views of nature awakening as the sun rises on this 1-hour (approx) flight, just \$225 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 10 • Depart for Home

Depart for home with fond memories of newfound friends and plenty of photographs of the varied scenery seen on this tour. (B)

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Route 66, Arizona

HISTORIC ROUTE 66

Chicago • St. Louis • Branson • Oklahoma City •
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Get your kicks on a tour of the Mother Road, historic Route 66. America's most famous road connected the country using miles of concrete, unique attractions, and an identity built on the ideals of freedom and individuality.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Stand at the official start and end points of Route 66 in Chicago and Santa Monica
- Visit the 8 states that comprised historic Route 66
- Photo ops at roadside oddities including Cadillac Ranch, Elmer's Bottle Tree Ranch, and "the world's largest catsup bottle."
- See the Painted Desert, Petrified Forest, and Grand Canyon
- Travel to the top of St. Louis' Gateway Arch
- Enjoy an architecture tour on the Chicago River

INCLUDES

13 nights hotels, 13 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 2 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Arrive in Chicago

The intersection of E. Adams and S. Michigan in Downtown Chicago is the official starting point of Route 66—look for signs during your stop at the place where millions of people have set off down the Mother Road since 1926. Take a seat and enjoy an included pizza welcome feast. Connect with your new travel companions over big slices of Chicago's famous deep-dish pizza at one of the Windy City's most popular pizza parlors. (D)

◆ Hampton Inn Magnificent Mile or similar

Day 2 • Chicago

Enjoy an educational morning architecture tour on the Chicago River where you will learn about Chicago's colorful past from a unique vantage point. Expert docents will explain the history of more than 50 buildings, and how they played a part in Chicago's thrilling story. Spend the afternoon at leisure. (B)

◆ Hampton Inn Magnificent Mile or similar

Day 3 • Chicago to St. Louis via Pontiac

Grab your sunglasses and your favorite snacks—today you hit the open road. Travel west to Pontiac, home of the Route 66 Hall of Fame & Museum. Enjoy the nostalgic exhibits, then have lunch on your own. Fans of condiments and quirky roadside attractions alike will enjoy the quick stop in Collinsville, home of the Brooks Catsup Bottle Water Tower.

Pull into St. Louis late in this afternoon, where you will ride a tram 630 feet up to the top of the Gateway Arch. (B)

◆ Drury Inn & Suites Convention Center or similar

Day 4 • St. Louis to Branson

Enjoy a leisurely morning in St. Louis, then set off for Branson, the "Live Music Capital of the Universe." Relax on your own this evening, and be sure to seek out a live show! (B)

◆ Fairfield Inn & Suites or similar

Day 5 • Branson to Oklahoma City

Travel from Branson to Oklahoma City by way of Galena, Kansas. Route 66 goes right through Galena's historic district. Oklahoma City, known locally as OKC, is renowned for its cowboy culture and excellent barbecue. (B)

◆ Wyndham Garden Hotel Oklahoma City Airport or similar

Day 6 • Oklahoma City to Amarillo

Continue to Elk City, where you will see the National Route 66 & Transportation Museum, famous for its murals and vignettes. Enjoy lunch on your own in the charming town, then pull into Amarillo, TX for dinner at The Big Texan Steak Ranch, a technicolor roadside attraction that's served Texas-sized portions since 1960. Look for a giant steer, and a bright blue sign on the restaurant's signature yellow building. You can't miss it, we promise. (B, D)

◆ La Quinta Inn MidCity or similar



Chicago River



Petrified Forest National Park, Arizona



St. Louis Arch, Missouri



Santa Monica Pier

Day 7 • Amarillo to Albuquerque

Stop by Cadillac Ranch on your way out of town. One of Route 66's stranger art exhibits, Cadillac Ranch consists of ten graffiti-covered Cadillacs buried nose-deep in the hard dirt. After a short pit stop in Adrian, Route 66's halfway point, walk through the Tucumcari Historical Museum. Enjoy lunch on your own in town before heading to Albuquerque. (B)
 ♦ *Howard Johnson Albuquerque Midtown or similar*

Day 8 • Albuquerque to Flagstaff

Enjoy lunch in Gallup, home to the flamboyant Hotel El Rancho that hosted many Golden Age movie stars while they shot classic westerns in the surrounding desert. Continue to the Painted Desert and Petrified Forest National Park, which is full of colorful petrified wood in a wide array of shocking hues. The dramatic landscape is full of windswept buttes, barren mesas, and breathtaking vistas. (B)
 ♦ *Days Hotel or similar*

Day 9 • Grand Canyon National Park

The beauty of the Grand Canyon is the complex and breathtaking result of billions of years of geographic tumult. It is a dramatic, dynamic display of earth's power. Spend most of the day exploring the Grand Canyon on your own. Return to Flagstaff in the evening. (B)
 ♦ *Days Hotel or similar*

Day 10 • Flagstaff to Las Vegas

Your first stop today is Seligman, the "historic birthplace of Route 66," and a perfect example of the quaint, charming, Americana aesthetic that the Mother Road is so famous for. Radiator

Springs, the town in *Cars*, was originally inspired by the quiet streets of Seligman. Kingman, Arizona, is full of murals dedicated to Route 66, and is a great place to grab lunch en route to Las Vegas. Arrive in Sin City this afternoon, and enjoy a photo op at the Las Vegas sign followed by a tour of the Las Vegas Strip. Enjoy an optional tour tonight, or spend the evening at your leisure. (B)
 ♦ *Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino or similar*

OPTION: VEGAS! DINNER & SHOW
 Join us for a musical story about Las Vegas, the entertainment capital of the world. Includes an all-you-can-eat Brazilian rodizio dinner at Pampas, all for just \$129 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 11 • Las Vegas to Laughlin

Start the morning in Las Vegas before continuing to Laughlin for the afternoon and evening. A darling city on the border of Nevada, Arizona, and California, Laughlin is comparable to Las Vegas in every way but the crowds. (B)
 ♦ *The New Pioneer Hotel Casino or similar*

Day 12 • Laughlin to Los Angeles

After lunch in Barstow, visit Elmer's Bottle Tree Ranch—one of Route 66's quirkiest roadside attractions. This pitstop is home to a manmade forest of discarded pipes and bottles. Elmer Long created over 200 trees and cacti—artful, eye-catching, and exquisite when illuminated by the hot desert sun. Join us this evening for an optional dinner and tour at The Proud Bird, Los Angeles' iconic restaurant with airplanes and aviation memorabilia. (B)
 ♦ *Holiday Inn LAX or similar*

Day 13 • Santa Monica

Today we take a guided tour of Los Angeles and Hollywood, seeing many of the highlights of the City of Angels, including the Sunset Strip and Hollywood and Highland. Enjoy an included farewell lunch on the Santa Monica Pier, the end point of Route 66. Celebrate the miles you've traveled and the sights you've seen by looking out at the ocean and up to the sign marked, "End of the Trail." (B, L)
 ♦ *Holiday Inn LAX or similar*

Day 14 • Depart for Home (B)

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GOLDEN CALIFORNIA NATIONAL PARKS TOUR

San Francisco • Sutter's Mill • Sacramento • Yosemite National Park • Kings Canyon National Park • Sequoia National Park • Las Vegas

Get to know the Golden State on this brand-new itinerary through California's famous cities, gold rush history, and magnificent national parks. And as the perfect end to this fabulous tour, you'll also get to spend a full day in the sparkling city of Las Vegas!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a guided tour of San Francisco, then take a tour of the city's harbor by boat to see the skyline, Alcatraz, and the iconic Golden Gate Bridge from the water
- Relive the Gold Rush at Sutter's Mill in Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park
- Explore California's capital city, Sacramento
- See the impressive Half Dome and El Capitan in Yosemite, a crown jewel of America's National Park System
- Drive through the forest in Kings Canyon National Park and see spectacular trees
- See the impressive General Sherman, the largest tree in the world
- Spend 2 nights in exciting Las Vegas

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 5 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and park entrance.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Arrive in San Francisco

Guests who book their air through YMT will be greeted by a representative and transferred to their hotel. The night is yours to enjoy!

◆ *San Francisco Marriott Fisherman's Wharf or similar*

Day 2 • San Francisco City Tour

This morning, discover the "City by the Bay" on a guided tour. Cross the Golden Gate Bridge, see Nob Hill, catch a glimpse of Lombard Street, and see many more highlights! Then, embark on an included sightseeing cruise through the San Francisco Bay. Highlights include viewing the Golden Gate Bridge and the Alcatraz Federal Penitentiary. Alcatraz was one of the 20th century's most feared prisons—both because of the dangerous criminals it housed, and because over its 29-year history not a single inmate successfully escaped. The rest of the day is yours to explore on your own and enjoy this city, known for its iconic bridge, cable cars, and Victorian houses, however you wish. We recommend joining us on an optional tour.

◆ *San Francisco Marriott Fisherman's Wharf or similar*

OPTION: SAN FRANCISCO CABLE CAR & CHINATOWN DINNER



- Take an optional visit to Treasure Island to ride a historic cable car. Next, enjoy a family style Chinese Dinner in Chinatown. \$49 p/p. *Please add this option at time of booking.*

Day 3 • Sacramento via Sutter's Mill

Experience the birthplace of the California Gold Rush, Sutter's Mill. It was the discovery of gold at this sawmill that brought hundreds of thousands of people into the Golden State. Visit Marshall Gold Discovery State Historic Park where the mill is located, and relive the 1848 Gold Rush. This afternoon we arrive in the capital city of Sacramento, one of California's most historic places, boasting an array of landmarks.

◆ *Arden Star Hotel or similar*

Day 4 • Sacramento Sightseeing

Spend the morning in Old Sacramento, an historic waterfront that served as California's first thriving business district. See the California State Capitol, which was listed as a California Historical Landmark in 1974. The area also features a number of museums and plenty of shopping and entertainment opportunities. Don't be fooled, while Old Sacramento is a global tourist destination, this charming town still retains much of its Old West character! Continue to your hotel near Yosemite National Park for a two-night stay. (B)

◆ *America's Best Value Inn Oakhurst or similar*

Day 5 • Yosemite National Park

Spend most of the day visiting one of the crown jewels of the National Park System: Yosemite! This magnificent and diverse land, with



Capitol Building in Sacramento



GENERAL SHERMAN



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 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Golden Gate Bridge in San Francisco



Yellow bellied Marmot



Sawmill in California



elevations ranging from 2,000 to over 13,000 feet, abounds with spectacular granite cliffs, giant waterfalls, grand meadows, and towering trees. The area was designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1984.

Discover Yosemite Valley, placed between Half Dome and El Capitan summits. Rising more than 4,700 feet above the valley floor, Half Dome is named for its one sheer face and three smooth and round faces, which make it appear like a dome that has been cut in half. The 3,000-foot-tall El Capitan is a sight to behold, and attracts many serious climbers from around the world. It is the subject of the 2018 documentary *Free Solo*, which follows Alex Honnold's incredible free solo ascent, a magnificent feat that he is the only person to have ever achieved. Enjoy the day at leisure before returning to your hotel for another night just outside this glorious park! (B)

◆ *America's Best Value Inn Oakhurst or similar*

Day 6 • Kings Canyon National Park

Enjoy panoramic vistas as you explore Kings Canyon National Park. See the ancient giant sequoias and redwoods in Grant Grove. At the center of Grant Grove is the General Giant Tree, the second largest tree in the world. This 3,000-year-old wonder stands almost 270 feet tall and has a base circumference of 107 feet! Take in the forest as your coach drives through Kings Canyon and stop for a picnic break at one of its countless dazzling vistas. (B)

◆ *Comfort Inn & Suites Visalia or similar*

Day 7 • Sequoia National Park

Continue through the forests of Sequoia National Park. Designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site and administered by the National Park Service

with Kings Canyon National Park, Sequoia is home to the largest living single-stem tree in the world, General Sherman. Standing 275 feet tall with a diameter of 25 feet, the towering tree is marvelous! The Giant Forest, where you'll find General Sherman, also contains an impressive five of the ten largest trees on Earth. Continue to Bakersfield for your overnight stay. (B)

◆ *Four Points Bakersfield or similar*

Day 8 • Drive to Las Vegas

The scenery changes today as you travel along Route 66 through the mesmerizing and colorful Mojave Desert, with a stop in the historic town of Barstow. This evening will be your first of two nights in fabulous and exciting Las Vegas. (B)

◆ *Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino or similar*

Day 9 • Las Vegas Leisure Day

Take in this glittering city however you choose! Perhaps explore the reinvigorated downtown, try your luck at winning millions in the casinos, or spend some time at the world-famous Las Vegas Strip. It is constantly abuzz, and its reputation as a place where anything is possible is well earned. Its 4.2 miles contain tens of thousands of hotel rooms, hundreds of dining options, world class shopping, golf, gaming, and an endless variety of entertainment!

◆ *Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home

On certain tour dates, you may choose to combine this with our other national parks tours. If you are joining us for our Ultimate California & Canyons tour or our Ultimate National Parks tour, you can enjoy a museum visit in Las Vegas before continuing to our Crimson Canyons & Mesas itinerary.

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CRIMSON CANYONS & MESAS NATIONAL PARKS TOUR

Las Vegas • Grand Canyon National Park • Bryce Canyon National Park • Zion National Park • Capitol Reef National Park • Arches and Canyonlands National Park • Grand Junction • Denver

America's National Parks system is the envy of the world, and on this exciting value-packed itinerary, you will visit 6 spectacular national parks. Most Americans only see one or two of these parks in their lifetime, so seeing so many of them in just one trip is truly amazing!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Witness the awe-inspiring landscapes of 6 of America's popular National Parks
- Enjoy the Grand Canyon at sunset or sunrise
- Witness the stunning views at Horseshoe Bend and Lake Powell
- See the incredible hoodoos and sandstone monuments of Bryce and Zion National Parks
- Explore the diverse landscape of Capitol Reef National Park, unlike any other in Utah
- Visit the fascinating rock formation in Arches and Canyonlands National Parks
- Drive through the beautiful Rocky Mountains and the Arapaho National Forest

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 6 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and park entrances.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Las Vegas

Welcome to fabulous Las Vegas! Guests who book their air through YMT will be greeted by a YMT representative and transferred to their hotel. The night is yours to enjoy this city. Just outside your hotel's doorstep await neon lights, the famed Fremont Street Experience, gambling, or glamorous shows. The choice is yours!

◆ *Golden Nugget Hotel & Casino or similar*

Day 2 • The Grand Canyon

Start your tour with the grandest of all parks in the West—the Grand Canyon! Travel via I-40, crossing historic Route 66 before you enter the spectacular Grand Canyon, and end your day by the South Rim. The park shuttle system makes it easy to take it all in at your own pace. The evening and the sunset, which lights the canyon in many hues of red and purple, is yours to enjoy!

◆ *Yavapai Lodge West or similar*

Day 3 • Page/Lake Powell via Horseshoe Bend

Wake up to a spectacular sunrise over the canyon this morning! For an unforgettable experience, join us for an optional helicopter tour over the canyon (additional cost). Today we see Horseshoe Bend, a u-shaped area of the Grand Canyon along the Colorado River near Page, Arizona. Marvel at the view of this stunning

rock from 1,000 feet above—be sure to bring your camera for a spectacular shot! Our drive then continues to Lake Powell. Supported by the Glen Canyon Dam, Lake Powell is a beautifully situated water reservoir on the Colorado River, surrounded by red rocks.

◆ *Best Western View of Lake Powell or similar*

Day 4 • Page Leisure Day

Spend the day in Page how you wish. Your time in this small, friendly town offers a chance for you to unwind, or perhaps join the relaxing Lake Powell dinner cruise or the exciting Antelope Canyon tour (optionals at additional cost)! (B)

◆ *Best Western View of Lake Powell or similar*



OPTION: ANTELOPE CANYON

Join us on a tour of this awe-inspiring slot canyon and see the magnificent upper canyon, known as "The Crack," all for just \$70 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 5 • Bryce Canyon via Zion National Park

This morning, we head west to Zion National Park. The half-mile deep park floor is lush with foliage, as well as mule deer, wild turkeys, gray foxes, and the occasional porcupine. After lunch, continue to Bryce Canyon. Despite its name, Bryce is not a canyon but a collection of giant natural amphitheaters. Its distinctive geological



Lake Powell



Delicate Arch in Arches National Park



Desert Bighorn Sheep in Zion National Park



Canyonlands National Park



Denver, Colorado



The Grand Canyon

structures, called hoodoos, were formed by frost weathering and stream erosion from the river. Standing at the rim, you are offered spectacular views in red, orange and white that will surely be spellbinding. (B)

◆ *Best Western Plus Ruby's Inn or similar*

Day 6 • Capitol Reef National Park

Discover Capitol Reef National Park. The area boasts a diverse landscape unlike anywhere else in Utah—stunning red rock formations and canyons, pristine meadows, alpine forests, and lush green valleys. Also throughout the park, you'll find the Capitol Reef Petroglyphs, impressive rock art figures created by ancient Native Americans. Continue to your hotel in Moab this evening, the ideal gateway for a visit to both Arches and Canyonlands National Park. (B)

◆ *Fairfield Inn Moab or similar*

Day 7 • Arches National Park

A stunning highlight awaits! For the past 150 million years, the more than 2,000 natural sandstone arches of Arches National Park have been sculpted by the natural erosion of wind, water, sun, and frost—creating an unmistakably unique landscape. See Balanced Rock, one of the park's most iconic features; the impressive 52-foot tall Delicate Arch; and the Windows Section, a unique area with many arches that is considered the beating heart of the park. (B)

◆ *Fairfield Inn Moab or similar*

Day 8 • Canyonlands National Park

Explore Canyonlands National Park, a magical outdoor wonderland of enchanting vistas! The colorful park is divided into four districts—Island

in the Sky, The Needles, The Maze, and the combined Green and Colorado Rivers, which carved two large canyons into the Colorado Plateau. Marvel at the wild beauty and drama of this spectacular landscape unlike anywhere else in the world. This evening, we make our way to our hotel in Grand Junction, the hub of Colorado's wine country. (B)

◆ *Hampton Inn Grand Junction or similar*

Day 9 • Grand Junction to Denver

Take in the beautiful Rocky Mountains today on our drive through Colorado. Enjoy a change of scenery as you travel through Arapaho National Forest, which straddles the Continental Divide in the Front Range west of Denver. Stop for lunch on your own in the resort town of Vail, a popular getaway at the base of Vail Mountain. This evening we arrive for an overnight stay in Denver, one of the most up-and-coming cities in the U.S. The Mile High City is Colorado's buzzing capital, where urban sophistication meets outdoor adventure! (B)

◆ *Sheraton Denver Tech or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home

On certain tour dates, you may choose to combine this with our other national parks tours. If you are joining us for our Ultimate Canyons & Rocky Mountains tour or our Ultimate National Parks tour, you can enjoy Denver today, including entrances to the city's top attractions, before continuing on our Rocky Mountains & Black Hills itinerary.

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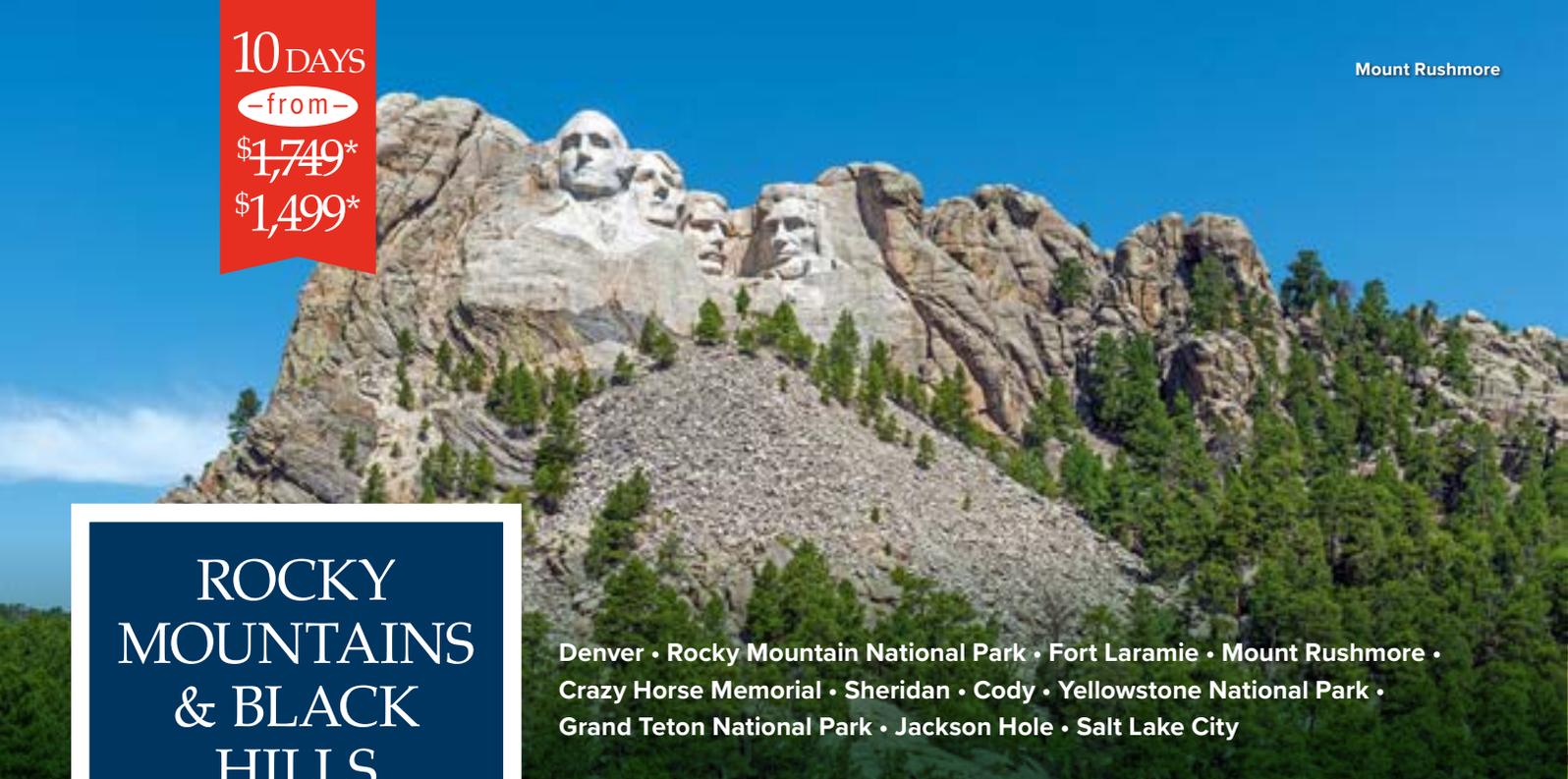
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ROCKY MOUNTAINS & BLACK HILLS NATIONAL PARKS TOUR

Denver • Rocky Mountain National Park • Fort Laramie • Mount Rushmore • Crazy Horse Memorial • Sheridan • Cody • Yellowstone National Park • Grand Teton National Park • Jackson Hole • Salt Lake City

Immerse yourself in America's beautiful western landscapes. Discover quaint towns, historic sights, and majestic landscapes as you journey to Mt. Rushmore, Yellowstone, the Grand Tetons, and Salt Lake City. This tour is sure to leave you captivated!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the frontier territory of the Oregon Trail at Fort Laramie
- Take in the fantastic landscape of Rocky Mountain National Park
- Marvel at the stone carvings of Mount Rushmore and Crazy Horse Memorial
- Visit charming mountain towns and discover the spirit of the Wild West
- Learn about Buffalo Bill and the history of the Prairie Indian tribes
- Witness glorious geysers and mountain ranges in Yellowstone National Park
- Enjoy spectacular views on a scenic drive through majestic Grand Teton National Park

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 5 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and park entrance.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

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✈ Day 1 • Denver

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◆ *Sheraton Denver Tech or similar*

🚌 Day 2 • Rocky Mountain National Park to Cheyenne

On our first morning together, we'll enjoy a city tour of Denver before traveling to spectacular Rocky Mountain National Park. Discover scenic mountains, majestic alpine lakes, and an abundance of wildlife that call this park home. Then, continue to Cheyenne, Wyoming and learn about the rodeo and railroad capital of the Old West, which became the epicenter of westward rail expansion. Enjoy a leisurely evening tonight—perhaps stop at the Cheyenne Depot Plaza and Museum. (B)

◆ *Red Lion Cheyenne or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Fort Laramie and Rapid City

Your first stop en route to South Dakota will be the Fort Laramie Historic Site, along the Oregon Trail. Originally a private fur trading fort, the "grand old post" became the largest and best known military post on the Northern Plains. We'll also visit The Mammoth Site, a museum and paleontological site, before we end the evening in Rapid City. (B)

◆ *Howard Johnson Rapid City or similar*

🚌 Day 4 • Mount Rushmore, Crazy Horse Memorial, and Custer State Park

Today begins with a wonderful scenic drive through the Black Hills. You'll have opportunities for sightseeing at Mount Rushmore National Monument and Crazy Horse Memorial, incredible and iconic stone carvings in the rock formations of South Dakota. End the day with leisure time in Custer State Park, South Dakota's first state park, famous for its bison herds, historic sites, fishing lakes, scenic drives, and more! (B)

◆ *Howard Johnson Rapid City or similar*

BONUS: FRONTIER DAYS



July 12, 2020 departure will visit Cheyenne during the Frontier Days and includes a visit to the "Daddy of 'em all" PRCA Rodeo and the Frontier Days Fair, as well as an opportunity to partake in the legendary public Frontier Days pancake breakfast.



OPTION: BISON SAFARI JEEP TOUR

Take a guided open-air jeep ride through Custer State Park in search of pronghorns, elk, and bison! Just \$75 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.



Old Faithful



Cody, Wyoming



Church in Salt Lake City, Utah



Bison in Yellowstone National Park



Grand Teton National Park

Day 5 • Deadwood and Sheridan

Immerse yourself in Wild West history; we'll begin with a morning stop in the frontier town of Deadwood, South Dakota. This city at the heart of the Black Hills Gold Rush is where Old West figures "Calamity Jane" once lived and where "Wild Bill" Hickok played his last game of cards. Then travel to the quaint town of Sheridan, Wyoming. This charming town is where western history and dramatic mountain vistas meet modern comforts in a serene setting. Set against an awe-inspiring backdrop of the Bighorn Mountains, it's no secret why Sheridan is known as the "heart of Ruby Valley." (B)

◆ *Best Western Sheridan Center or similar*

Day 6 • Cody

Drive through Big Horn National Forest this morning before visiting the Buffalo Bill Center of the West, a complex of five museums where you can learn more about the American icon "Buffalo Bill" Cody, as well as the art and history of the Plains Indian tribes. Explore this quaint Western town tonight on your own and enjoy our overnight stay in lovingly-restored rustic cabins. (B)

◆ *Buffalo Bill Village Cabins or similar*

Day 7 • Yellowstone National Park

This morning, continue early on to nearby Yellowstone, our nation's first national park. See spectacular geysers, lakes, and mountains during your visits here today and tomorrow morning! Have your camera ready for likely sightings of buffalo, elk, moose, gray wolves, or bears. Take in the tranquility of Hayden

Valley and the vibrant colors of the geysers—Yellowstone is a feast for the eyes!

◆ *Gray Wolf Inn & Suites West Yellowstone or similar*

Day 8 • Grand Teton National Park and Jackson Hole

Today we pay a morning visit to Old Faithful, Yellowstone's most famous geyser whose 20 daily eruptions attract many of the park's 4 million annual visitors. Afterwards, we'll continue south to Grand Teton National Park to enjoy a spectacular landscape rich with majestic mountains, pristine lakes, and wildlife. Overnight in Jackson Hole, one of the most quaint, yet upscale, mountain resort towns in the west.

◆ *Elk Country Inn or similar*

Day 9 • Salt Lake City

This morning, we'll travel to Utah's grand capital. This beautiful city played host to the 2002 winter Olympics, and you can still enjoy many of the improvements designed to make the city welcoming. Salt Lake City has the hospitable feel of a friendly mountain town, and is full of stunning parks, wonderful restaurants, and opportunities to shop, enjoy art, or take in live theatre and music.

◆ *Sheraton Downtown Salt Lake City or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home

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COMBINE FOR THE ULTIMATE TOUR!

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Lake Louise in
Banff National Park

CANADIAN ROCKIES TOUR

Seattle • Spokane • Glacier National Park • Banff National Park •
Jasper National Park • Icefields Parkway with Ice Explorer Excursion •
Yoho National Park • Kamloops • Whistler • Vancouver

Straddling the Continental Divide is a section of the Canadian Rockies that is home to some of the world's most picturesque mountain landscapes. On this tour, you will enjoy a scenic drive past snow-capped mountains in a landscape so pristine it will take your breath away.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- See Glacier National Park and its Canadian sister park, Waterton National Park
- Cross the Continental Divide on the Icefields Parkway, and enjoy an included tour with the Ice Explorer onto the glacier
- Stay in Whistler, the beautiful Mountain Resort that hosted the 2010 Winter Olympics events
- Explore beautiful Vancouver during your 2-night stay
- Discover Banff National Park and see the stunning waters of Lake Louise

INCLUDES

13 nights hotels, 4 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and park entrance.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Seattle

Travelers booking air through YMT will be greeted by a YMT representative and transferred to the hotel. Enjoy the afternoon and evening at leisure—perhaps take the nearby light rail system to visit Pike Place Market or the Space Needle in downtown Seattle.

◆ *Red Lion Hotel Bellevue or similar*

Day 2 • Seattle and Spokane

Start your morning with a stunning drive through the lush forestlands of the Pacific Northwest. En route, visit the Grand Coulee Dam and Dry Falls before arriving in Spokane for the night. (B)

◆ *Ruby River Hotel or similar*

Day 3 • Kalispell

Pass by the beautiful lakeside communities of Coeur d'Alene and Flathead Lake as your tour takes you to "Big Sky Country" in Montana. Stay overnight by Glacier National Park in Kalispell, perfect for exploring Glacier and Waterton Lakes National Parks the next day.

◆ *Red Lion Kalispell or similar*

Day 4 • Glacier & Waterton Lakes National Parks

Drive the scenic routes of Glacier and Waterton Lakes National Parks. Enjoy the scenery along the "Going to the Sun" road in small vehicles

(subject to availability and road accessibility) before stopping for lunch in Waterton. (B)

◆ *St. Eugene Golf Resort or similar*

Day 5 • Banff National Park

This morning, travel by way of scenic Highway 93 through stunning Kootenay National Park and along pristine lakes like Columbia Lake. Cross the Continental Divide by Radium Hot Springs before you enter the northern part of the Highway which will turn into the famed Icefields Parkway further north. Visit Bow Falls and Lake Louise north of Banff before arriving in Canmore for a two-night stay. At Lake Louise, take a short stroll along the lake shore to enjoy the stunning views and also see the famous Château Lake Louise Hotel.

◆ *Coast Canmore Hotel and Conference Centre or similar*

Day 6 • Banff National Park

Enjoy a day of leisure or perhaps head into nearby Banff to take the Banff Gondola up the mountain, or enjoy some shopping time in this picturesque town. (B)

◆ *Coast Canmore Hotel and Conference Centre or similar*

Day 7 • Icefields Parkway and Jasper

Travel north on the Icefields Parkway, the sensational scenic route through the Canadian Rockies and see Lake Louise. En route stop

Bighorn Sheep



Seattle, Washington



NORTH AMERICA



Historic Steam Clock in Vancouver, BC



Ice Explorer



Banff town

for an included tour with special Ice Glacier vehicles to take you onto the Icefields. You will be driven out onto the glacier where your massive Ice Explorer will stop and give you time to walk around and enjoy this breathtaking experience. As an optional activity at additional cost, you may choose to also visit Western Canada's newest attraction: the Glacier Skywalk, a glass bottom bridge built into the mountain, offering thrilling views! Your day ends in picturesque Jasper, a small resort in Jasper National Park.

◆ Lobstick Lodge or similar

Day 8 • Yoho National Park and Revelstoke

Today drive south along the Icefields Parkway and stop in Yoho National Park before you head west to the resort town of Revelstoke.

◆ Sandman Revelstoke or similar

Day 9 • Lake Okanagan Region to Kamloops

As you travel west through Salmon Arm and then South, you will enter the beautiful scenery of the Lake Okanagan region. Surrounded by beautiful mountain ranges, the crystal clear waters and lake views will not disappoint! Continue on to Kamloops, consistently named Canada's friendliest city.

◆ Sandman Signature Kamloops or similar

Day 10 • Whistler

Today you travel on Canada's scenic Highway 99 as you climb from the arid Okanagan desert into the Coast Mountain range to reach the resort town of Whistler. It was the main alpine venue of the 2010 Olympic Winter Games and has received much attention and praise for its

charm and attractive facilities since. Visit the Olympic Plaza where medal ceremonies took place. Stroll through the pedestrian village and enjoy some time shopping for souvenirs.

◆ Pinnacle Hotel or similar

Day 11 • Vancouver

Enjoy a leisurely morning in Whistler before departing for Vancouver. Once in Vancouver, you get to settle into your hotel for a 2-night stay, with plenty of time to explore this beautiful and cosmopolitan city on your own.

◆ Sandman Hotel Vancouver Airport or similar

Day 12 • Vancouver at Leisure or Optional Tour to Victoria

Enjoy a day at leisure. If you choose to stay on the mainland, perhaps spend some time in Stanley Park, and take a walk or bike ride on the seawall there. Visit the Capilano Suspension Bridge and admire Vancouver's great cedar forest or take a water taxi to Granville Island. Alternatively, join your fellow travelers on the optional excursion to Victoria and transfer via BC Ferry to the island and visit Butchart Gardens as well as downtown Victoria.

◆ Sandman Hotel Vancouver Airport or similar

OPTION: SPACE NEEDLE, CHIHULY GARDENS, & ITALIAN AMERICAN DINNER



Join us for an informal Italian dinner at a Seattle restaurant. Later, ascend the Space Needle and see the Chihuly Gardens. Starting at \$85pp. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 13 • Seattle

Say goodbye to Vancouver with a panoramic city tour, enjoying commentary about the city.

Then head back to the US and enjoy a tour of Seattle, with time at famed Pike Place Market.

◆ Red Lion Hotel Bellevue or similar

✈ Day 14 • Depart for Home (B)

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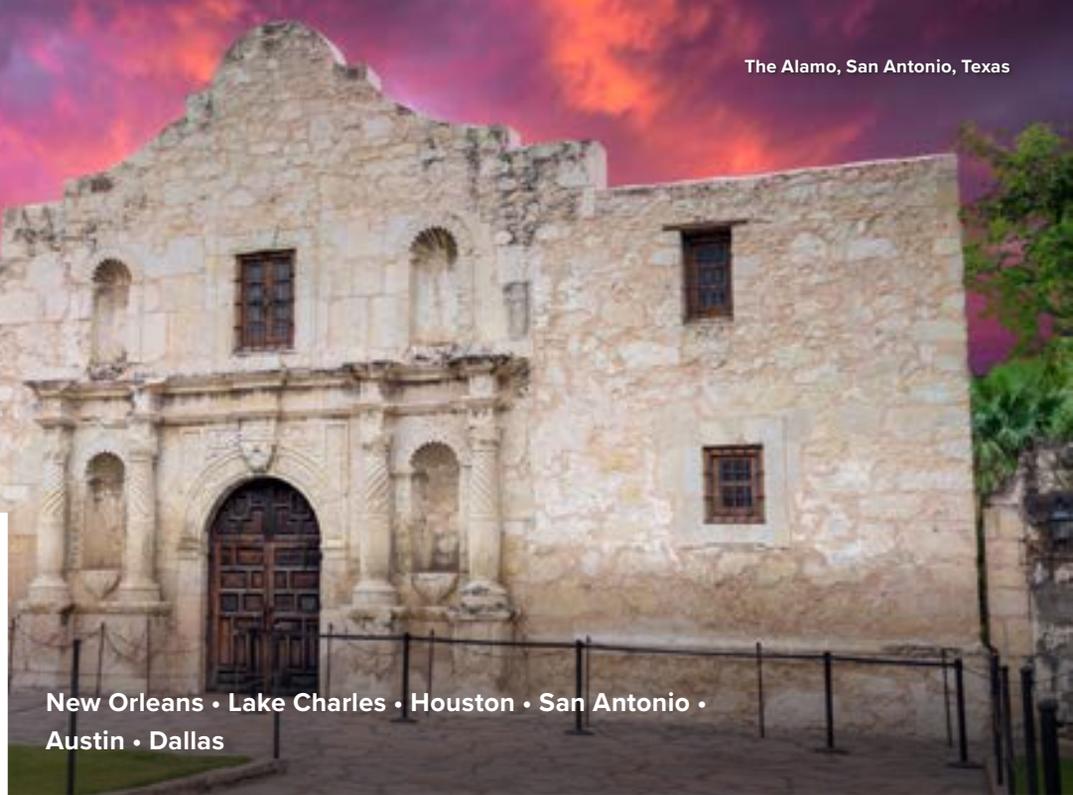
11 DAYS

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The Alamo, San Antonio, Texas



New Orleans • Lake Charles • Houston • San Antonio • Austin • Dallas

HEART OF TEXAS & NEW ORLEANS

Experience the charm of New Orleans and the Lone Star State's 4 largest cities on this incredible tour up the Gulf Coast from Louisiana to the heart of Texas. Experience a more gracious way of life as you learn about the region's history and culture over 11 wonderful days!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- City tours of New Orleans, Houston, San Antonio, Austin, and Dallas
- Jazz Brunch featuring traditional New Orleans cuisine and a live jazz trio at the Court of Two Sisters in the French Quarter of New Orleans
- Guided tours of historic landmarks including the Alamo and Oak Alley Plantation
- Visit the Houston Space Center and the LBJ Presidential Library
- Explore the famed Southfork Ranch—home to the infamous Ewing family, from the hit TV show *Dallas*, and enjoy a BBQ lunch

INCLUDES

10 nights hotels, 8 breakfasts and 1 lunch, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, sightseeing per itinerary, and entrance fees.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Arrive in New Orleans

Welcome to New Orleans! If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a friendly YMT representative will greet you at the airport and transport you to your centrally located hotel. Tonight is yours to enjoy—take a balmy evening stroll through the famously lively city that takes its French motto, "laissez les bon temps rouler," which means "let the good times roll," very seriously.

◆ Wyndham French Quarter or similar

🚗 Day 2 • New Orleans

The morning starts with a spectacular meal—the Jazz Brunch at The Court of Two Sisters. Enjoy authentic Cajun and Creole specialties as a jazz trio plays. Next, take a tour of "The Big Easy," one of the country's oldest and most interesting cities. You'll experience the French Quarter with Jackson Square, St. Louis Cathedral, and colorful Bourbon Street. Visit one of the old famous old cemeteries, then continue to Lake Pontchartrain. View the longest bridge in the world and see the new flood gates and rebuilt levees, as well as antebellum mansions. Finally, we'll follow the Mardi Gras route on St. Charles Avenue. (B)

◆ Wyndham French Quarter or similar

🚗 Day 3 • Oak Alley Plantation

Begin your day with a tour of Oak Alley Plantation, a historic 25-acre plantation built in the 1830's. Your tour will take you through the grounds, including the "Big House," Civil War Tent, Sugarcane Theatre, and the People of Oak Valley Exhibit. Continue to Lake Charles for your overnight stay.

◆ Best Western Plus Prien Lake Inn & Suites or similar

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🚗 Day 4 • Houston Space Center

Bid a fond adieu to Louisiana, and say howdy to Texas! After an included breakfast at the hotel, take a ride into Houston, Texas' most populous city. Tour Houston's top attraction, the Houston Space Center, where you will learn about the history and the future of America's space program. Experience over 400 space artifacts, traveling and permanent exhibits, and attractions. Your tour includes the NASA Johnson Space Center and astronaut training center. (B)

◆ Home2 Suites by Hilton Houston/Webster or similar

🚗 Day 5 • Houston

Enjoy a guided city tour of this exciting Gulf Coast metropolis founded in 1837, and named the capital of the seceded Republic of Texas that same year. Houston's towering skyline,



Houston Space Center



San Antonio Riverwalk



Texas Longhorn



Dallas, Texas



French Quarter in New Orleans

numerous historic buildings, and green spaces (it's home to 337 parks) make this city a delight to explore. (B)

◆ *Home2 Suites by Hilton Houston/Webster or similar*

Day 6 • San Antonio

San Antonio, which locals insist should never be called "San Antone," was founded in 1718 and is home to five Catholic missions that were built through 1731. On top of its vibrant history, this quintessentially Texan city is renowned for its amazing Tex-Mex food, lively downtown, and the clean San Antonio River that slowly flows through its center. Today, you'll enjoy a city tour highlighting San Antonio's amazing culture and history. (B)

◆ *Hilton Garden Inn San Antonio-Live Oak Conference Center or similar*

Day 7 • The Alamo

The Alamo is known throughout the world as a symbol of bravery in the face of impossible odds, and the call of "Remember the Alamo!" still stands as one of the most stirring rallying cries in history. Take a tour of San Antonio's first mission, which stood for over a century before it was used as a fort for the badly outnumbered Texian Army, who defended the Alamo for a full 13 days until the last men fell on March 6, 1836. You'll always remember this fascinating experience. (B)

◆ *Hilton Garden Inn San Antonio-Live Oak Conference Center or similar*

Day 8 • Austin and the LBJ Library

Today starts with a tour of "The Live Music Capital of the World," stunning Austin. The capital of Texas is frequently named the best

big American city to live in—and with its unique beauty, many small businesses, and quirky culture, you're sure to see why. Next, enjoy a tour of the LBJ Presidential Library. Lyndon Baines Johnson's 30-acre presidential library on the University of Texas at Austin campus will take you through the life and tumultuous presidency of LBJ, who held the office from 1963-1969. Learn about the chaotic first days after President Kennedy's assassination, and LBJ's complicated relationship with Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. (B)

◆ *Crowne Plaza Austin or similar*

Day 9 • Dallas

Prepare for a fun day in the charming city of Dallas. This historically important city has long been a hub for the transportation and oil industries, among others, which you'll learn about on your guided morning tour. The rest of the day will be at your leisure to enjoy.

◆ *Courtyard Dallas Central Expressway or similar*

Day 10 • Southfork Ranch

Your final full day in Texas will be a fun one at "The World's Most Famous Ranch!" Southfork Ranch is the real-life location of the Ewing Mansion, rodeo arena, and ranch from *Dallas*, one of the most successful TV shows ever produced. Enjoy a guided tour of the Ewing Mansion, learn about the history of the ranch and the region, and stroll past horses and Texas longhorns, before sitting down for an included exceptional barbecue lunch. (B, L)

◆ *Courtyard Dallas Central Expressway or similar*

OPTION: FORT WORTH STOCKYARD COWTOWN COLISEUM
 Visit the Fort Worth Stockyard's Cowtown Coliseum, home of the world's first indoor rodeo. Experience bands, real cowboys and cowgirls, and food for purchase. Starting at \$39pp. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 11 • Depart for Home (B)

Wake up to one final Texas sunrise, before you depart for home with a suitcase full of memories. (B)

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HIGHLIGHTS OF AMERICAN HISTORY TOUR

Washington, D.C. • Mount Vernon • Williamsburg • Shenandoah National Park • Gettysburg • Philadelphia • New York

History comes alive on this wonderful adventure! This tour takes you from the nation's capital Washington, D.C. through America's past and present, including Colonial Williamsburg, Gettysburg, and Philadelphia all the way to the Big Apple—New York!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Sightseeing in Washington, D.C., Philadelphia & New York
- Full-day tour of Arlington Cemetery & National 9/11 Pentagon Memorial
- Tours at Mount Vernon, Jamestown Settlement, and Gettysburg Battlefield
- Traditional 18th-century dinner at a tavern and time to explore Colonial Williamsburg
- Scenic Skydrive at Shenandoah
- Iconic train ride on America's oldest short-line railroad including lunch
- New York boat cruise & visit the 9/11 Memorial

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 9 breakfasts, 1 lunch, 1 dinner, services of a professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Washington, D.C.

Welcome to the capital of the United States of America! Guests who booked air with YMT will be greeted by a YMT representative and transferred to their hotel.

◆ Falls Church Marriott or similar

Day 2 • Washington, D.C.

Enjoy a half-day city tour and learn about the history that surrounds Washington, D.C. Take in views of the powerful and awe-inspiring monuments and historic locations that pay tribute to the nation's past like the Washington Monument, and Lincoln, Vietnam Veterans, WWII and Korean War Veterans Memorials. Finally you'll have the chance to take a picture of the White House. The afternoon is at leisure—join one of the optional tours or wander off to explore this fascinating city on your own. (B)

◆ Falls Church Marriott or similar

Day 3 • Washington, D.C.

This morning we are heading to Arlington National Cemetery, an enduring tribute to those who've dedicated their lives to defending our nation. Enjoy an included self-guided tour with plenty of time: a 45-minute bus loop gives you the chance to hop on and off at 10 stops, including the grave site of President John F. Kennedy, the U.S. Coast Guard Memorial and

the Memorial Amphitheater. Learn about the cemetery's history, the heroes who rest there, and other stories from your knowledgeable guide onboard the bus. Don't miss the "changing of the guards" every half hour at the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier, guarded 24/7/365 by volunteer Sentinels from the 3rd U.S. Infantry Regiment headquartered at Fort Myer, VA. Afterwards the tour continues to the National 9/11 Pentagon Memorial. (B)

◆ Falls Church Marriott or similar

Day 4 • Washington, D.C. to Mt. Vernon to Williamsburg

Your tour continues to Mount Vernon, George Washington's famous mansion. Enjoy a self-guided tour and explore the grounds, including the reconstructed Slave Quarters, working Blacksmith Shop, immersive Pioneer Farm site, and stunning gardens. In the afternoon we will visit the Jamestown Settlement, America's first permanent English colony. Relive the experience through a re-created Powhatan Indian village, colonial fort and three replica ships that demonstrate daily life in early 17th century Jamestown. End the day with a traditional 18th century dinner experience in Williamsburg at the Kings Arms, famous for their peanut soup. (B, D)

◆ Holiday Inn & Suites Gateway Williamsburg or similar



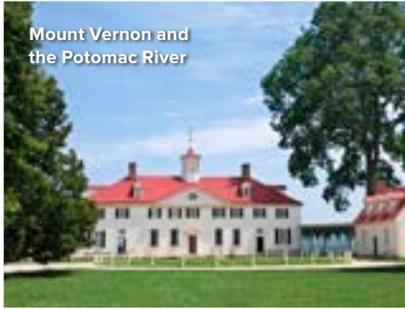
Shenandoah National Park



New York City



The Liberty Bell



Mount Vernon and the Potomac River



Lincoln Memorial



Amish Country, Pennsylvania

Day 5 • Williamsburg to Shenandoah National Park

Explore Colonial Williamsburg and enjoy four hours sampling some of the best of this Historic Area. Tour the Governor's Palace, Capitol, or Raleigh Tavern and learn of the debates that raged in the years leading to America's independence. Visit a trade shop or historic house and discover the everyday life of Williamsburg's 18th-century residents. Colonial Williamsburg will take you back in time to the dawn of America. In the afternoon, continue to Shenandoah National Park and enjoy stunning views from Skyline Drive along the Blue Ridge Mountains. This evening, stay at the historic Skyland Resort inside the National Park. (B)

◆ Skyland Resort or similar

Day 6 • Shenandoah National Park to Gettysburg

See the sun rise from Skyline Drive's highest elevation at 3,680 feet and enjoy a leisurely morning before we continue to Gettysburg. See the most important battlefield of the Civil War, brought to life by the stories you'll hear from your battlefield guide. Learn about the *Gettysburg Address*, Lincoln's 272-word speech that defined the meaning, value and price of freedom. (B)

◆ Courtyard by Marriott Gettysburg or similar

Day 7 • Gettysburg to Amish Country to Philadelphia

Today we will travel through Pennsylvania Dutch Country with a stop at an Amish outpost to learn more about this traditional way of living. Visit an Amish house and make sure to stop at the store for handmade quilts and jams. Then, continue to

the iconic Strasburg Rail Road, America's oldest short-line railroad, built circa 1832. Enjoy an included lunch aboard the restored dining car pulled by a steam-powered locomotive during a 45-minute ride through farmland. Then continue to Philadelphia, the cradle of American liberty. During a city tour you will see Independence National Historic Park, the Liberty Bell, Independence Hall, Franklin Court and more. This afternoon, visit the National Constitution Center and explore the many exhibitions including "Freedom Rising," a 360-degree theatrical production that tells the story of the U.S. Constitution and Signers' Hall, where you can sign the Constitution alongside 42 life-size bronze statues of the Founding Fathers. (B, L)

◆ Crowne Plaza Wilmington North or similar

Day 8 • Philadelphia to New York

Today we head to New York, the Big Apple. Upon arrival, enjoy an hour-long boat cruise with unparalleled views of Manhattan's iconic skyline and landmarks, including the Freedom Tower, the Empire State Building, the Statue of Liberty, Ellis Island, the Brooklyn Bridge and the Manhattan Bridge, and more! (B)

◆ Hampton Inn & Suites Newark-Harrison Riverwalk or similar

Day 9 • New York

The day starts with a fabulous city tour of New York—see the major sights of the "Big Apple," including views of the Empire State Building, Rockefeller Center, and the Chrysler Building. Stop at Central Park, one of world's most renowned green spaces, and drive by famous Times Square with its flashing neon lights and giant digital billboards—big, bright,

and unforgettable! Then your day continues with a visit to the 9/11 Memorial, a place of remembrance. The rest of the day is at your leisure to fill how you'd like—explore this city by yourself or perhaps join our optional tour. (B)

◆ Hampton Inn & Suites Newark-Harrison Riverwalk or similar



OPTION: ROCKEFELLER CENTER

Join us on an evening tour of the famous Rockefeller Center, followed by a journey to the Top of the Rock observation deck. Just \$69 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 10 • Depart for Home (B)

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9 DAYS

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\$1,399*

French Quarter in New Orleans

SOUTHERN MUSIC & DIXIELAND TOUR

Nashville • Lynchburg • Memphis • Tupelo • Byram • New Orleans

Travel down to the historic heart of the south in this music-filled trip through the birthplace of country music, jazz, the blues, and rock and roll. See the towns and streets that shaped America's greatest art forms—music and history buffs alike will love this tour, where the south comes alive!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Stay 3 nights at The Inn at Opryland and take a backstage tour of Grand Ole Opry House
- Tour the Jack Daniel's Distillery, the oldest working distillery in the US
- Enjoy a tour of Graceland—Home of the King of Rock 'n' Roll—and stay 2 nights at the Guest House at Graceland
- Tour Elvis Presley's birthplace, home and museum
- Visit the historic Oak Alley Plantation
- Stay in the French Quarter and take in the highlights of this remarkable city
- Enjoy brunch at Court of Two Sisters over live music performed by the jazz trio band

INCLUDES

8 nights hotels, 4 breakfasts, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Nashville

Welcome to Nashville, the "World Country Music Capital"! Guests who booked air with YMT will be greeted by a representative and transferred to their hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure.

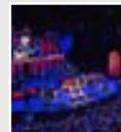
◆ *The Inn at Opryland or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • Nashville

Discover Music City and all it has to offer. In a city filled with music and rich with history, there is so much to see and do. Experience Nashville's most famous landmarks and sites, including the Historic Downtown District and "Honky Tonk Row," Riverfront Park, the Tennessee State Capitol, Bicentennial Capitol Mall State Park, the Parthenon, Vanderbilt University and Music Row. After lunch on your own, we head to the Grand Ole Opry House, which debuted in 1974. Experience a fully-guided backstage tour of the Grand Ole Opry House, where the world's longest-running live radio show is still performed. Walk in the footsteps of country music's legends and get an exclusive behind-the-scenes look at the world-famous show.

◆ *The Inn at Opryland or similar*

OPTION: GRAND OLE OPRY SHOW



See the Grand Ole Opry, the show that made country music famous, which features a dynamic line-up of new stars, superstars, and legends of country music. Balcony seating

just \$55 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking. Please note that artists and schedule are subject to change without notice.

🚗 Day 3 • Lynchburg

This morning we head to Lynchburg for a tour of the Jack Daniel's Distillery. The oldest working distillery in the US is located in the center of a "dry country," where alcohol cannot be sold. See firsthand how Tennessee whiskey is carefully crafted and hear how Jack Daniel discovered the clear, iron-free spring which was ideal for fashioning his smooth namesake whiskey. Hear stories of the distillery's past and learn how Jack's whiskey became famous the world over. We return to Nashville where the rest of the day is at your leisure.

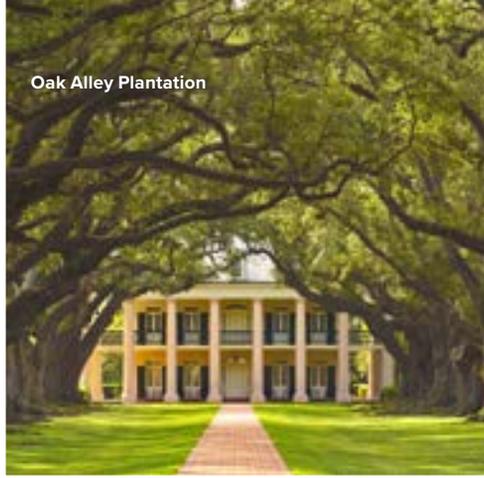
◆ *The Inn at Opryland or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Memphis

Say goodbye to Nashville as you journey to Memphis, home of the "King of Rock n' Roll." Named after the ancient Egyptian capital, Memphis is a mecca for music fans. Home to Sun Studios and Stax Records, visitors come from all around the world to visit the city that practically



Fountain at the Symphony Place in Nashville, TN



Oak Alley Plantation



Beale Street in Memphis



Carriage in the French Quarter, New Orleans



Graceland

invented the blues, soul, and Rock n' Roll. Enjoy the evening at leisure before you start your discovery into Elvis' eclectic life.

◆ *The Guest House at Graceland or similar*

Day 5 • Memphis

Every music lover must take the ultimate Rock 'n' Roll pilgrimage! Explore Graceland, the main residence of Elvis Presley. When Elvis Presley was a young boy, he promised his parents that he would make a lot of money and buy them the finest house in town, putting an end to years of struggle. For Presley, Graceland was the fulfillment of that childhood promise. Over the 20 years Elvis lived here, Graceland created countless memories for the many friends and relatives who were a part of his life. Because Graceland was so close to Elvis' heart, it also holds deep meaning to his legions of fans from around the world. For many, the Elvis Presley mansion embodies the American Dream—a poor small town boy who reached super stardom and changed pop culture, and the world, forever. As the front door to Elvis Presley's mansion opens, you are taken on an unforgettable journey into the private world of an American legend. Explore the famous Jungle Room with its green shag carpets, Polynesian feel and exotically carved woods, the trophy building, meditation garden, and much more. (B)

◆ *The Guest House at Graceland or similar*

Day 6 • Tupelo and Byram

This morning we leave Memphis behind and make our way to Tupelo, where "The King" himself was born! Visit the Elvis Presley Birthplace, a historical museum site designated as a landmark by the State of Mississippi. The landscaped grounds include the home in which

Elvis was born (a two-bedroom home built by his grandfather, father, and uncle), the childhood church where his family attended services, a museum, a memorial chapel, Elvis statues, and more. After your visit, we continue to Byram, for an evening at leisure. (B)

◆ *Holiday Inn Express Byram or similar*

Day 7 • New Orleans

As we make our way to New Orleans this morning, we stop at Oak Alley Plantation. Built over 150 years ago when the Southern sugar industry was flourishing, stately homes and plantations were built on the banks of the Mississippi. Many of these historic homes have now perished, but Oak Alley remains a testament to the struggles and triumphs of the South. Enjoy a guided tour of the Big House, see the exhibits, the blacksmith shop, and enjoy the beautiful grounds of this historic home. As we make our way to New Orleans, you'll see the French Quarter with Jackson Square, St. Louis Cathedral, and colorful Bourbon Street. Then we'll continue on to St. Charles Avenue, following the Mardi Gras parade route. (B)

◆ *Wyndham New Orleans French Quarter or similar*

Day 8 • New Orleans

You are in for a special treat this morning! Enjoy brunch at the Court of Two Sisters Restaurant while listening to jazz music being played by their jazz trio band. The restaurant is not only known for its lavish food, but also for its rich history. The charming gates at the entrance are said to have been brought in from Spain specifically for Court of Two Sisters. Legend says that Queen Isabella of Spain had them blessed so that their

charm would pass onto anyone who touched them. The rest of the day is at leisure; perhaps take advantage of our optional tour and join your fellow travelers on a real life adventure—a guided boat ride through the swamps and bayous of Louisiana (additional cost)! (B)

◆ *Wyndham New Orleans French Quarter or similar*

Day 9 • Depart for Home

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The Rose Parade



Los Angeles • Pasadena

ROSE PARADE & LOS ANGELES TOUR

Be fully immersed in the pomp and circumstance of the 132nd Rose Parade on this unforgettable tour of the City of Angels. As the Rose Parade's largest tour operator, YMT provides an experience like no one else, and includes numerous special extra events.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Experience the 132nd Tournament of Roses Parade from your reserved grandstand seats
- Enjoy a pre-parade viewing of the Rose Parade floats in Pasadena
- Tour Los Angeles and see the Walt Disney Concert Hall, the Chinese Theatre, and the Hollywood Walk of Fame
- Raise your glass to ring in the New Year with the east coast at a festive New Year's Eve reception
- Return to the parade route for an up-close look at the floats the afternoon of the parade

INCLUDES

4 nights hotels, 1 box breakfast, 1 dinner, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary. Complimentary YMT seat cushion, official Rose Parade program, and reserved grandstand seating at the Rose Parade.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



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Los Angeles



The Rose Parade



Walk of Fame on Hollywood Boulevard



White Suiters during evening presentation



The Rose Parade



ROSE PARADE



OPTION: POST-PARADE FLOAT VIEWING



At your own pace, see the spectacular Rose Parade floats up close after the parade. Learn more from Tournament volunteers – ‘White Suiters’ – on hand. \$45 per person! *Please add this option at time of booking.*

✈ Day 5 • Depart for Home

Today your Rose Parade & Los Angeles vacation comes to an end; you'll depart for home with new friends and lasting memories of a spectacular experience. We thank you for choosing YMT, and we hope to see you soon.



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REASONS TO SEE THE 132ND ROSE PARADE WITH YMT

- ✓ We have over 50 years of experience at the Rose Parade, and insider knowledge!
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Experience the spectacular stagecraft and creativity of the 132nd Rose Parade before traveling up the California coast from Los Angeles to San Francisco, exploring landmarks like Santa Barbara, Hearst Castle, Cannery Row, and Pebble Beach. You'll never have another New Year quite like this!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

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- Enjoy breathtaking views along the scenic California coastline
- Walk the halls and tour the expansive grounds of newspaper magnate William Randolph Hearst's palatial Hearst Castle
- Cross the San Francisco Bay for a tour of the infamous Alcatraz Prison

INCLUDES

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Santa Ynez Valley



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Day 5 • Santa Barbara, Solvang, and San Luis Obispo Area

Visit Santa Barbara—the American Riviera—and enjoy its Spanish mission style architecture, mild Mediterranean climate, and stunning ocean views. Situated on El Camino Real, the historic route connecting California’s chain of 21 missions, this once humble Catholic outpost has transformed into an upscale seaside resort that remains a popular escape for wealthy Angelenos. We’ll have a brief stop at the lovely Santa Barbara Mission, where you can enjoy a self-guided tour.

Continue your tour up the scenic road to Solvang, a Danish replica village situated in the Santa Ynez Valley. Be sure to taste the exquisite baked goods prepared by Solvang’s renowned bakeries before traveling north to end the day in the San Luis Obispo area.

◆ Shore Cliffs Hotel or similar

Day 6 • Pismo Beach, Hearst Castle, and Monterey

In the morning, tour famous Hearst Castle. The sprawling, beautiful former estate of media mogul William Randolph Hearst offers splendid views of the coast. Enjoy a 45-minute guided tour of the grand rooms inside the castle, with time to stroll the garden and pool areas while enjoying panoramic views. Head to Elephant

Seal beach and Ragged Point, where you should keep your eyes out for California Gray Whales migrating south along the coastline. Overnight in Monterey, home to the waterfront street immortalized by John Steinbeck’s classic novel, *Cannery Row*. Enjoy the evening at leisure in this former fisherman’s community.

◆ Hilton Garden Inn or similar

Day 7 • Monterey Leisure Day

Enjoy a leisurely day in this charming seaside town. Monterey is known throughout California for its excellent clam chowder (best in a bread bowl—and do ask for extra oyster crackers) and bustling Old Town Historic District. Monterey’s beaches are perfect for strolling, especially for guests hoping to run into a colony of seals or sea lions. Join an optional tour such as whale watching, or simply explore Monterey at your own pace. The evening is yours to enjoy.

◆ Hilton Garden Inn or similar

Day 8 • Monterey to San Francisco

This morning, head down the 17-Mile Drive. Enjoy views of Pebble Beach and Pacific Grove, taking the opportunity to snap a picture of the famed Lone Cypress on a quick stop before arriving in San Francisco. Enjoy the city on your own, or join your fellow travelers on an optional cable car ride and dinner in famed Chinatown.

◆ Holiday Inn Golden Gateway or similar

Day 9 • San Francisco - Alcatraz Visit

This morning, take the ferry to the notorious prison island of Alcatraz for an included visit. Situated on a small island just off the coast, the federal penitentiary that operated from 1934 to 1963 brought a dark mystique to “the rock.” The

presence of infamous inmates like Al “Scarface” Capone, and the “Birdman” Robert Stroud helped to establish the island’s notoriety. To this day, Alcatraz is known as one of the world’s toughest prisons. Then, we discover the “City by the Bay” during a city tour of San Francisco. Cross the Golden Gate Bridge, see Nob Hill, catch a glimpse of famed Lombard Street, and pass many more exciting sights! Finally, enjoy an optional farewell dinner on Pier 39.

◆ Holiday Inn Golden Gateway or similar

Day 10 • Depart for Home

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7-night Cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America*

Ring in the new year in two of America's most popular vacation destinations — Los Angeles and Hawaii — on this amazing cruise tour. Start at the spectacular Rose Parade in Los Angeles, then slow it down on a relaxing cruise through the breathtakingly beautiful Hawaiian Islands.

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- Visit the 4 main Hawaiian Islands

INCLUDES

7-night cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America* and 4 nights in Los Angeles with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals while on the cruise, and special events and sightseeing per itinerary.

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Turtle in Hawaii



The Rose Parade



Oahu



The Rose Parade

✈️ 🚢 Day 5 • Depart for Honolulu & Embark Norwegian Cruise Line's *Pride of America* (Departs at 7:00pm)

Today your Rose Parade & Hawaii Cruise vacation continues with an included flight to Honolulu and embarkation for your Hawaiian cruise.

🚢 Day 6 • Kahului, Maui
(8:00 AM – Overnight)

Maui is the second largest of the Hawaiian Islands and you will have almost 2 full days to explore! Known as the "Valley Isle," this majestic island has two main peaks more than a mile high, thousands of breathtakingly beautiful waterfalls and pools, 120 miles of shoreline and more than 80 golden beaches. Highlights include Iao Valley, Haleakala Crater, and Lahaina, a traditional old whaling town full of character, shops, and restaurants.

🚢 Day 7 • Kahului, Maui
(Overnight – 6:00 PM)

After the overnight stay in Maui, you may wish to make the journey to the town of Hana. Drive along the gorgeous winding coastal roads as you experience the natural wonder of Maui! For beach lovers, visit the fabulous golden sand beaches of Kaanapali, where between the months of December and March each year you are almost guaranteed to see whales, without even leaving the beach.

🚢 Day 8 • Hilo, Hawaii (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Brimming with Hawaiian tradition, Hilo takes you back to an earlier island culture. The town will charm you with its quaint buildings and unique shopping. Hilo is the flower capital of Hawaii,

and gardens and blossoms are everywhere. Perhaps spend your leisure day here visiting Liliuokalani Gardens, King Kamehameha I Statue, Rainbow Falls, Akaka Falls, or Hawaii Tropical Botanical Garden!

🚢 Day 9 • Kona, Hawaii (7:00 AM – 5:30 PM)

Welcome to Kona! Spend your day exploring the "Gold Coast" in a wide variety of ways—riding in a horse-drawn carriage, skimming the seas in a glass bottom boat, or snorkeling below the waves. If you prefer to keep your feet on dry land, you may choose to take a leisurely walking tour through historic Kailua Town or one of the many island coffee plantations.

🚢 Day 10 • Nawiliwili, Kauai
(8:00 AM – Overnight)

This verdant little isle exudes peace and tranquility. Nature has been good to Kauai, creating craters, mountains, rivers, canyons, and glorious stretches of palm-fringed beaches. Nicknamed the "Garden Island," Kauai is the least populated and developed of the four main islands. The spectacular scenery including canyons, cliffs, and waterfalls, makes it a firm favorite to take a helicopter flight-seeing tour!

🚢 Day 11 • Nawiliwili, Kauai and the Na Pali Coast (Overnight – 2:00 PM)

It's no wonder that an impressive list of Hollywood productions have used this emerald island as a setting. The Na Pali Coast, featured in the film *Jurassic Park* and many others, is one of the most distinctive geological features of Kauai. Kauai is famous for Waimea Canyon, known as the Grand Canyon of the Pacific.

🚢 ✈️ Day 12 • Disembark from the Cruise Ship (7:00 AM) and Depart for Home

Transfer to Honolulu airport for your flight home. If you are on a later departing flight from Honolulu, we do offer an optional Island Tour to show you Oahu's highlights before returning you to the airport.

CHOICE OF FREE INTERNET OR BEVERAGE PACKAGE FOR INSIDE CABINS

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover the beautiful city of Paris in a panoramic city tour
- Explore Claude Monet’s stunning home and gardens in Giverny
- Pay your respects at the beaches of Normandy
- Visit the magical Abbey of Mont Saint-Michel
- Tour the Loire Valley’s most famous châteaux
- Tour the quintessential Chambord Castle

INCLUDES

10-day land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, entrance fees, daily breakfasts, 3 dinners, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

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✈ Day 1 • Depart USA for Paris

Your trip to France begins with an overnight transatlantic flight to Paris.

✈ Day 2 • Paris

After your overnight flight, arrive in the "City of Light." Guests who have booked their air with YMT will be greeted at the airport and transported to their hotel. Tonight, enjoy the included welcome dinner at your hotel, with the rest of the night at leisure. (D)

◆ *Mercurie Paris La Defense V or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Paris

This morning your Tour Director will take you on a panoramic city tour of Paris, where you will have the chance to see its most iconic sites from the comfort of your temperature-controlled coach. See the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe in the center of the Etoile, or star, where 12 avenues come together in a big traffic roundabout; sightsee along the Champs-Élysées; and marvel at the Louvre, Musee d’Orsay, Saint Michael District, and Opera District. Visit the private Fragonard Musée du Parfum to learn about perfume, and then enjoy lunch on your own and free time in the Quartier de l’Opera. (B)

◆ *Mercurie Paris La Defense V or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Caen via Giverny

Travel to the home of Claude Monet in lovely Giverny, where the master of Impressionism’s house is a piece of art in itself. It features striking colors throughout its light-filled rooms, but the highlight of this unforgettable property is its grounds—particularly the rich gardens, whose peaceful elegance inspired so many of Monet’s pieces. After free time and lunch on your own in Giverny, see the Bayeux Tapestry. It graphically renders in cloth and thread the thrilling story of how William, Duke of Normandy became King of England in 1066 after the Battle of Hastings. Admission to the Bayeux museum is included. (B)

◆ *Hôtel Inspiration by Balladins Caen Mémorial or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Caen - Full Day Normandy Tour

Spend the day exploring Normandy’s beaches, where on June 6, 1944, Allied forces landed and began operations to liberate Nazi-occupied Europe in what became known as D-Day. Your first stop will be Sainte-Mère-Église, which was one of the first towns liberated when a division of American paratroopers landed downtown and retook the town from its Nazi occupiers in Operation Boston. Admission to the Airborne Museum is included.

Spend the late morning and afternoon visiting the memorials and museums of Utah Beach, Pointe du Hoc Ranger Monument, and Omaha



Claude Monet Gardens



Chartres Cathedral



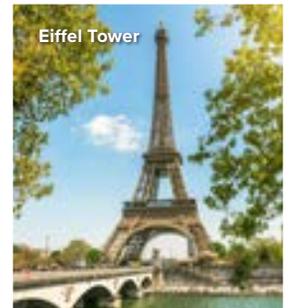
Amboise, France



Palais Garnier Interior



Omaha Beach Memorial



Eiffel Tower

Beach. After a full day of activity, spend the evening at your leisure back at your hotel. (B)

◆ *Hôtel Inspiration by Balladins Caen Mémorial or similar*

Day 6 • Mont-Saint-Michel

The Mont Saint-Michel Abbey is a one-of-a-kind island monastery and commune set in the bay between Brittany and Normandy. This UNESCO World Heritage Site is on an island about a half mile off the coast is only accessible during low tide, via a path that Celtic, Roman, and Christian worshipers have dutifully taken since at least the 6th century A.D. Admission to the Abbey is included.

When you cross the bay to tour the site, which consists of a Gothic Benedictine abbey and tiny village built between the 11th and 16th centuries, don't forget to look up. There is a golden statue of the Archangel Michael, who is said to have convinced a local bishop in the 8th century to build a holy site in his honor in this exact spot.

This evening, guests are invited to enjoy an included 3-course meal together back at the hotel. (B, D)

◆ *La Mère Poulard or similar*

Day 7 • Tours

Take a scenic drive to the glorious Loire Valley, home of grand châteaux, pristine rivers and forests, fertile vineyards, and some of France's most interesting history. Your first stop is a leading Loire Valley winery, where you will sample their most popular varietals, then take a guided tour followed by free time for lunch on your own. Next, explore the delightful city of Tours. Your two-hour panoramic and walking tour will include the mayor's office, Châteaux Royal, Saint-Gatien Cathedral, Wilson Bridge, Old Town,

the Saint-Pierre-Le-Puellier garden and stairs, Place Plumereau, and Carlemagne Tower. Spend more time making your way through Old Town, or take a shuttle back to the hotel. (B)

◆ *Ibis Tours Centre Gare or similar*

Day 8 • Tours

Today, we explore the finest châteaux in all of the Loire Valley! Your first stop is Chateau Chenonceau, a dazzling estate built in the 16th century that spans across the River Cher. It's one of the most famous châteaux in the country thanks to its striking design and iconic white façade made with locally quarried stones. Take a self-guided tour of the château and the lush gardens before transferring to Amboise for free time and lunch on your own.

Next, take an included video-guided tour of the breathtaking royal Château of Amboise that was built in ancient Roman times as a mighty fortress, and was transformed into a royal residence for Renaissance kings and their illustrious guests. In fact, when King Francis I lived at the château, he invited Leonardo da Vinci himself for an extended stay. Tour the castle and grounds on your own. (B)

◆ *Ibis Tours Centre Gare or similar*

Day 9 • Paris via Orléans

Your final day in France promises to be full of experiences you'll cherish forever. First, take a guided tour of Chambord Castle. Château de Chambord is the quintessential French castle—its French Renaissance architecture, imposing towers, and moat make it look like it was ripped right out of a book of fairytales. After lunch on your own in Orleans—which was liberated from the English by legendary teen Joan of Arc in

1429—take an audio-guided tour of Chartres Cathedral. The stained-glass windows, moving use of light, potent symbolism, and classically Gothic architectural elements such as flying buttresses and soaring ceilings make it France's ultimate high church. Continue to Paris for a delicious farewell feast at the hotel. (B, D)

◆ *Mercure Paris La Defense V or similar*

Day 10 • Paris for Home (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Take a panoramic tour of historic Madrid
- Tour the 13th century High Gothic Toledo Cathedral
- Walk the ancient cobblestones of Santa Cruz, Seville's medieval Jewish quarter
- Travel by funicular up to the Sanctuary of Montserrat Mountain near Barcelona
- Relax in the picturesque Costa del Sol

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◆ *Silken Torre Garden or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Madrid

Wake up in Madrid, the capital city of Spain. Today we will take you on a panoramic tour including photo stops at some of Madrid's most historic and iconic sights. See Plaza de España, Plaza de Colon, Plaza de la Independencia, Plaza Mayor, the Old City Center, Plaza de Toros de Las Ventas, Retiro Park, and the upscale Salamanca neighborhood. Enjoy a walking tour of Toledo Old Town including admission to the stunning Toledo Cathedral; Toledo Cathedral is considered by many to be the greatest example of Gothic architecture in the world, and

is just one of three 13th-century High Gothic cathedrals in all of Spain. The evening will be at your leisure to enjoy a delicious meal and the many museums, cafes, and pristine parks of this cultural hotspot. (B)

◆ *Silken Torre Garden or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Madrid to Seville via Córdoba

One the way from Madrid to Seville, travel to Córdoba in the history-rich region of Andalusia. Enjoy a walking tour of Córdoba's Jewish quarter, Calleja de las Flores, or flower street, and La Mezquita, an 8th century Mosque turned gorgeous Catholic Cathedral. Tour the breathtaking Mosque Cathedral, known as one of Europe's greatest works of Islamic architecture. You will be entranced by the detailed Moorish archways that line the prayer hall made of rich jasper, onyx, and marble. Continue to Seville for a relaxing evening on your own. (B)

◆ *AC Sevilla or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Seville

Spend the day in stunning Seville on a panoramic tour of Andalusia's capital where Gothic architecture, medieval history, and Arabian culture combine to create a truly unique setting. From the comfort of your coach, see Plaza de España, the Gothic Seville Cathedral,



Royal Chapel of Granada



Plaza de España, Seville



— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Jewish Quarter, Córdoba



Arc de Triomf



Plaza de Toros

and the medieval Alcázar de Segovia castle complex. Take a short walking tour of Santa Cruz, Seville's medieval Jewish quarter. Spend the evening at your leisure or join us on one of our unforgettable optional tours. (B)

◆ AC Sevilla or similar

Day 6 • Seville to Costa del Sol via Granada

Take a scenic drive down to Costa del Sol, Spain's phenomenal "Sun Coast," with a detour in Granada to explore this Moorish haven at the feet of the Sierra Nevada mountain range. Your walking tour includes Granada's Royal Chapel, old silk market, Corral de Carbón, and the picturesque Plaza Bib-Rambla—a gorgeous city square that buzzes with energy. Costa del Sol is one of the Mediterranean Sea's most stunning stretches of coastline. Don't miss your chance to enjoy a long walk and delicious meal right on the water. (B, D)

◆ Bahía hotels / Almuñecar or similar

Day 7 • Costa del Sol to Valencia via Alicante

Take a scenic journey to Valencia, with a lovely stop in Alicante for lunch on your own. Alicante is a perfect little beach town, and its fresh seafood is not to be missed. Look up to Mount Benacantil to see the sand-colored remains of Santa Bárbara Castle, the imposing fortress that protected Alicante dating back to the 9th century. Spend the evening in Valencia, where you can relax or find an outdoor cafe that serves Paella right here in the town where the famous dish was created! (B, D)

◆ Eurostars Acteon or similar

Day 8 • Valencia to Barcelona

Start your day with breakfast and a tour of Valencia; this former Roman colony is one of the most popular vacation destinations in Spain due to its appealing combination of culture and history. Your panoramic tour includes Plaza de Toros, Ciudad de las Artes y las Ciencias, L'Oceanogràfic Museum, port, and marina. Take a walking tour of Old Town, and of the towering Cathedral of Valencia. Continue to Barcelona, your home for the next two nights. (B)

◆ H10 Itaca or similar

Day 9 • Barcelona and Montserrat

Barcelona's over 7,000 years of history functions as a unique backdrop for this thoroughly modern city. The city of Barcelona boasts 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, not to mention a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, and terrific shopping. Take a city tour where you will see Montjuic, Sagrada Família, Passeig De Gracia with Gaudí buildings, Port Olympic, and the Arc de Triomf. Finally take an included funicular ride up to the site of the Sanctuary of Montserrat Mountain, an 11th century Benedictine monastery hidden in the towering Montserrat range high above Catalonia. Your night ends with an included farewell dinner. (B, D)

◆ H10 Itaca or similar

Day 10 • Depart Barcelona for USA (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the magnificent Sintra & Óbidos
- Visit the famous Shrine of Our Lady of Fátima
- Tour the historic city of Porto and enjoy an included port wine tasting
- Learn about how the cork industry maintains its centuries-long traditions on a guided factory tour
- Paint your very own Azulejo tile at a ceramics factory tour with workshop
- End your trip with a tour of Lisbon and discover its dazzling treasures

INCLUDES

10 day land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, entrance fees, flights in tour, daily breakfasts, 3 dinners, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart the US for Lisbon

Set off for your European adventure starting on an overnight transatlantic flight to Portugal.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Lisbon

Welcome to Lisbon, where your journey begins! If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The evening is yours to enjoy until guests are invited to sit down for a delicious dinner at the hotel. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Aldeia dos Capuchos or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Lisbon to Leiria

After an included breakfast, set off for Sintra. Enjoy a guided city tour of this charming town, located in the foothills of the Sintra Mountains, and famous for its pastel buildings and lush terrain. Next, continue to Óbidos for a short walking tour, where guests can explore Óbidos Castle on their own. You'll have some free time for lunch and photos before we head to Fátima for a self-guided tour of the Shrine of Our Lady of Fátima, the location of a 1917 miracle and an important Catholic pilgrimage site. After a memorable day of sightseeing, transfer to your hotel in Leiria for an evening at leisure. (B)

◆ *Hotel Tryp Leira or similar*

🚌 Day 4 • Leiria and Coimbra

Start your morning in Leiria, watched over for centuries by the magnificent Leiria Castle. Enjoy a self-guided tour of the UNESCO-listed Monastery of Batalha, commissioned in the 14th century by King John I and among Portugal's most beloved historic monuments. Continue to Coimbra, one of Portugal's loveliest college towns. Enjoy lunch on your own and perhaps visit the library and grounds of Universidad de Coimbra, originally founded in 1290. The university is dazzling, and you can visit many of its most impressive sites, including the Great Hall, Baroque Library, and Natural History Collection. (B)

◆ *Eurostars Heoismo or similar*

🚌 Day 5 • Porto with Wine Tasting

Porto is one of Portugal's oldest cities, and is a spectacular place to spend the day. First settled around 300 BC, it has since been captured by the Romans, the Moors, and even Napoleon; its historic center is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Enjoy a city tour with included admission to the 19th century Stock Exchange Palace and an included port wine tasting at Sandeman Cellars. After free time and lunch on your own, take a self-guided tour of Guimarães, whose medieval city center is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Spend the evening relaxing in Porto. (B)

◆ *Eurostars Heoismo or similar*



Batalha Monastery Courtyard



Street In Evora



EUROPE



Guimarães Castle



Sanctuary of Fátima



Coimbra, Portugal

Day 6 • Viseu, Belmonte, and Evora

Start your active day in Viseu, where during free time you will have the opportunity to walk around the history-rich birthplace of Alfonso I The Conqueror, Portugal's first king. Next, enjoy lunch on your own in Belmonte, plus an included olive oil tasting and admission to the Belmonte Jewish Museum. Dinner is included at your hotel in Evora. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Dom Fernando or similar*

Day 7 • Evora

After breakfast, take a guided tour of the Cortiçarte cork factory, a fascinating facility where cork is produced using traditional methods that haven't changed for hundreds of years. See everything from the trees whose bark is sustainably harvested every nine years, to the boiling vats where the cork is sterilized, to the gift shop selling a wide variety of gorgeous products. Next, travel to Evora, whose medieval town is one of Europe's finest. For even older history, just look for the easy-to-spot 14 surviving columns of the Roman Temple of Diana, built around the 1st century A.D. Enjoy free time for lunch and shopping, then taste local wines on an included winery tour. (B)

◆ *Hotel Dom Fernando or similar*

Day 8 • Evora to Lisbon

Start the day with a terrifically enjoyable tour of the Leiveira-Azulejos de Azeitão ceramic factory. Portugal's Azulejo tiles –tiny, often remarkably detailed pieces of art glazed in a striking blue –are one of the country's most beloved cultural signatures. Dating back to the 13th century, Azulejos are the result of all of Portugal's

influences: the Moorish invasion, the Roman Catholic church, the Age of Discovery, all the way up to the bustling country's modern needs and trends. Learn how the tiles are made, and even try your hand at creating one yourself under the tutelage of a master tile painter. After a stunning photo stop at Serra de Arrabida, enjoy free time on your own and a leisurely afternoon in Lisbon to relax on your own or sign up for one of our fabulous optional tours. (B)

◆ *Aldeia dos Capuchos or similar*

Day 9 • Lisbon

Spend the final day of your tour in Lisbon, Portugal's hilly coastal capital watched over by 7 picturesque hills. The peaks' view of Lisbon's historic cobblestoned streets and stately ruins, mixed seamlessly with the modern world that grew up around them, is one of Europe's prettiest. Take a guided tour of the city's highlights, including admission to the Jerónimos Monastery, a dazzling monument built in the 1500s as a potent symbol of Portugal's immense wealth and power at the peak of their global navigation period. Enjoy lunch on your own and an afternoon at your leisure before ending your tour with a delicious farewell feast. (B, D)

◆ *Aldeia dos Capuchos or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home (B)

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INCLUDES

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RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE

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✈ Day 2 • Arrive in London

Welcome to London, where your journey begins! If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to your hotel. Relax on your own until an included dinner is served at the hotel. (D)

◆ *Copthorne Tara or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • London

Enjoy a city tour of one of history's most influential capitals. From the comfort of your temperature controlled coach, see famous landmarks including Buckingham Palace, Big Ben, St. Paul's Cathedral, and the Houses of Parliament. After lunch on your own, visit the world-famous Tower of London. (B)

◆ *Copthorne Tara or similar*

🚆 Day 4 • Eurostar Train to Paris

Board the famous *Eurostar train* and head to Paris on a high speed journey across empires that takes approximately 2 ½ hours. En route, travel through one of history's most expensive and ambitious construction projects, the Channel Tunnel—or Chunnel. You'll have the chance to

see the Eiffel Tower on your own before settling into your hotel. (B)

◆ *Apogia Paris or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Paris

Take a panoramic city tour of Paris, where you will have the chance to see its most iconic sites from the comfort of your temperature-controlled coach. See the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs-Élysées, and the delightful Montmartre village. Tour the Palais Garnier, Paris' gorgeous national Opera House, then learn about perfume at the private Fragonard Musée du Parfum before enjoying lunch on your own and free time. (B)

◆ *Apogia Paris or similar*

🚗 Days 6 & 7 • Amsterdam via Brussels

Depart Paris for Brussels, where you will have free time to eat lunch on your own and enjoy the atmosphere of Belgium's cheery capital city. Your home for the evening is Amsterdam, which you get to enjoy on your own.

The next day, discover Amsterdam from a unique vantage point on an included canal cruise.

Continuing your city tour on foot, see Waterloo Square, the Opera House, City Hall, Rembrandt Square, Zuiderkerk, Moses and Arron Church, and the Portuguese Synagogue, a Sephardic synagogue that was completed in 1675. (B)

◆ *Dutch Hotel Artemis or similar*



Innsbruck, Austria



Venice, Italy



Amsterdam, Netherlands



Salzburg, Austria



Rome

Day 8 • Düsseldorf

Continue to Düsseldorf, the City of Fashion. After free time on your own for lunch, take a panoramic cruise on the Rhine River with an accompanying audio guide. Afterward, enjoy free time in town. (B)

◆ *Leonardo Hotel Mönchengladbach or similar*

Day 9 • Nuremberg Areas via Frankfurt

Enjoy lunch on your own and shopping in Frankfurt, a charmingly international city full of delightful museums, shops, and restaurants. Your day ends in the Nuremberg area, which is as historic as it is vibrant. (B)

◆ *Hotel Forsthaus Nürnberg-Fürth or similar*

Day 10 • Munich

Explore the highlights of Munich on a city tour, where you will see the Marienplatz, the heart of Munich's Old Town, the Olympic Park, the Artist's Quarter of Schwabing, and more. (B)

◆ *Leonard City Munich Olympiapark or similar*

Day 11 • Salzburg

Continue to Salzburg for a city tour of this stunning ancient capital that is home to the mighty Salzach River, and old town Altstadt area. Your day includes funicular to Hohensalzburg Castle and time in St. Peter's Monastery. (B)

◆ *Leonard City Munich Olympiapark or similar*

Day 12 • Innsbruck

Upon arrival, enjoy free time in the "Capital of the Alps." Take a self-guided tour of Old Town's most famous symbol, Goldenes Dachl, or Golden Roof. Completed in 1500, its roof is covered with 2,657 fire-gilded copper tiles. (B)

◆ *Austria Trend Hotel Salzburg West or similar*

Days 13 & 14 • Venice

This morning, transfer to Venice and enjoy a sightseeing tour of this World Heritage Site built on islands in a lagoon. Transfer by boat to St. Mark's Square where you'll begin your walking tour to see the Bridge of Sighs, the Rialto Bridge, Venice's oldest, and the exteriors of the lavish Doge's Palace. This afternoon you are free to wander through this historic city.

Spend the next day touring Murano and Burano, two of the most important islands in Venice. Murano is the longtime home of Venice's famous blown glass while Burano is renowned for its brightly colored fishermen's houses and spectacular seafood right from the lagoon. (B)

◆ *Smart Holiday Hotel or similar*

Days 15 & 16 • Florence via Bologna

After a lunch stop in Bologna, enjoy a guided walking tour of Florence where you will see the exteriors of Cathedral Santa Maria del Fiore, the Piazza della Signoria, and the Ponte Vecchio, the medieval bridge spanning the River Arno. (B)

The next day, enjoy morning tours of the famous Galleria Dell'Accademia and Basilica Santa Maria del Fiore. (B)

◆ *iH Hotels Firenze Business or similar*

Day 17 • Rome

A full-day panoramic sightseeing tour includes outside views of the highlights of this Eternal City. Today's sights include outside views of the Colosseum, Circus Maximus, the Arch of Constantine, the Spanish Steps, the fabled Trevi Fountain, and the Pantheon, which you may enter on your own, if you wish. (B)

◆ *iH z3 Roma or similar*

Day 18 • Rome

This morning, you'll tour the Vatican City, home of the Pope. Our guided tour explores the Vatican Museums, the Sistine Chapel, St. Peter's Basilica, and St. Peter's Square. Your trip ends with a delicious farewell feast. (B)

◆ *iH z3 Roma or similar*

Day 19 • Depart for Home (B)

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✈ **Day 1 • Overnight Flight to Switzerland**✈ **Day 2 • Arrive in Zurich**

Welcome to Zurich! If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a YMT representative will greet you at Zurich Airport and transport you to the hotel. This evening, relax on your own and then get to know your fellow travelers over dinner at your hotel, where you will learn about the exciting days ahead.

♦ *Radisson Blu Zurich Airport or similar*🚗 **Day 3 • Zurich, Switzerland**

Zurich is a welcoming place to visit that you're sure to remember long after you leave. Situated on the banks of Lake Zurich, beauty is everywhere. Enjoy a city tour of Zurich's highlights, including the Old Town and the Grossmünster, a 12th century Romanesque-style Protestant church which legend claims was commissioned by Charlemagne.

In addition, Zurich has a reputation for stellar food. Exquisite wine, magnificent cheese, and extraordinary chocolate are all here for the taking. Ask for a suggestion from one of the friendly locals—very good English is spoken nearly everywhere, and residents of Zurich are renowned for being welcoming to visitors. (B, D)

♦ *Radisson Blu Zurich Airport or similar*🚗 **Day 4 • Lucerne, Switzerland**

Enjoy even more incredible scenery today as you travel through the country by coach. Fall in love with Lucerne on a walking tour of this historic city on the banks of Lake Lucerne, and see the famous Chapel Bridge. Surrounded on all sides by the Alps, Lucerne's colorful Old Town is simply enchanting! (B)

♦ *Holiday Inn Express Lucerne or similar*🚗 **Day 5 • Lake Como, Italy**

Next, visit Lake Como. As sophisticated as James Bond himself—it was an important setting in 2006's *Casino Royale*—Lake Como is full of neoclassical villas, historic palaces, and magnificent views. The lush, fragrant, flower-covered village is surrounded by mountains, and it's a gloriously glamorous place to dine al fresco while looking out at the lake. (B, D)

♦ *Just Hotel Lomazzo or similar*🚗 **Day 6 • Embarkation in Genoa, Italy***(Departs at 6:00 PM)*

This stunning port city has maintained much of its Renaissance charm over the centuries. Snake through Genoa's famously narrow streets that make guests feel like they're traveling back through time. The striking, ornate, UNESCO-listed Palazzi dei Rolli is a must-see. This evening, you will embark on the MSC *Poesia*. (B)

Lucerne, Switzerland



Santiago de Compostela, Spain



EUROPE



Zurich, Switzerland



Barcelona, Spain



Berlin, Germany



MSC Poesia

Day 7 • Marseille, France

(8:00 AM–6:00 PM)

Marseille, your first port stop, was established in 600 BC, making it France's oldest city. Marseille is famous for its many terracotta-roofed buildings, including the Palais Longchamp and Cathedral of Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde.

Day 8 • Barcelona, Spain

(7:00 AM–3:00 PM)

Barcelona's over 7,000 years of human history functions as a backdrop where Roman ruins are woven into the fabric of a unique, contemporary city. There are 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites in Barcelona, not to mention a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, and terrific shopping.

Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Lisbon, Portugal

(10:00 AM–6:00 PM)

Welcome to Portugal's hilly coastal capital! Lisbon is watched over by 7 picturesque hills, and their view of an ancient city with cobblestoned streets and stately ruins, combined with all the light and noise of modern life, is one of Europe's prettiest.

Day 11 • Leixões / Porto, Portugal

(8:00 AM–5:00 PM)

Stay local in Leixões, or travel 5 miles into Porto, one of Portugal's oldest cities which was first settled around 300 BC. Its historic center has been named a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and is the perfect place to sample a glass of port wine—named after Porto itself.

Day 12 • Ferrol / Santiago de Compostela, Spain

(9:00 AM–5:00 PM)

Ferrol is a port town famous for its easygoing attitude, delicious cuisine, and maritime museum, the Museo de Construcción Naval. The cathedral of Santiago de Compostela is a sight to behold.

Day 13 • At Sea

Day 14 • Southampton/London, UK

(7:00 AM–8:00 PM)

Have an enjoyable day at port in this stone age city, or take one of our optional tours to one of England's best-known destinations like Stonehenge or London.

Day 15 • At Sea

Day 16 • Gothenburg, Sweden

(12:00 PM–6:00 PM)

Sweden's second largest city is charming, cheerful, and exceptionally walkable. Don't miss out on the Kronhuset, where you can purchase personalized souvenirs from local artisans, knows as the Kronhusbodarna.

Day 17 • Copenhagen, Denmark

(10:00 AM–6:00 PM)

Velkommen til København! The Danish capital was first established in the 10th century, and during your time in this vibrant city you'll have the chance to learn about its history while enjoying the cutting-edge technology it now embraces.

Day 18 • Disembarkation in Warnemünde and Transfer to Berlin

(Disembark at 8:00 AM)

Disembark this morning in Warnemünde, a

German seaside village with broad sandy beaches and a proud nautical tradition clearly on display in its 19th century lighthouse.

Continue to Berlin for a city tour. Berlin's history and culture from before and after WWII are on full display; from the Brandenburg Gate to Checkpoint Charlie, to the beautiful gardens and museums that pepper the capital. (D)

◆ Abba Berlin Hotel or similar

Day 19 • Depart for Home (B)

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✈️ Day 1 • Fly to Nice, France

Your journey begins on an overnight flight to France.

✈️ 🚗 Day 2 • Arrive in Nice

Arrive in Nice. If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at Nice Côte d'Azur Airport and transport you to the hotel. The evening is yours to enjoy. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead.

◆ *Nice Riviera or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Nice to Cannes

Today begins with a panoramic tour of this glamorous capital of the French Riviera. See Promenade des Anglais and the Notre Dame de Nice, then explore Nice's Old Town and stop at "marché aux fleurs," the flower market.

Continue to Cannes. It may be best known for its film festival, but on your tour of this resort town on the French Riviera, you will see that it is far more than just a chic place to watch a movie. Don't miss the palm tree lined Promenade de la Croisette, Cannes' most famous street. It has fabulous views of the white sand beach, as well as excellent restaurants, shopping, and cafes.

◆ *Nice Riviera or similar*

Day 4 • City tour of Monaco

Travel to Monaco, the world's second smallest country! Visit the Monaco Cathedral and see the changing of the guards. Transfer to Monte Carlo for a panoramic view of this magnificent city. Continue to Eze village for an included admission to the famous fragonard perfumery.

◆ *Nice Riviera or similar*

🚢 Day 5 • San Remo to Genoa and Embarkation (Embarks at 4:00 PM)

Your day starts with a walking tour of San Remo. The city produces some of the finest olive oil in the world—its coastal climate is ideal for olive trees, which dot the hillsides throughout the area.

Continue to Genoa, a port city which has maintained much of its Renaissance charm over the centuries. Snake through its twisty caruggi, the famously narrow streets that make guests feel like they're traveling back in time. The ornate, UNESCO-listed Palazzi dei Rolli is a must-see. Embark this evening on the *MSC Seashore*.

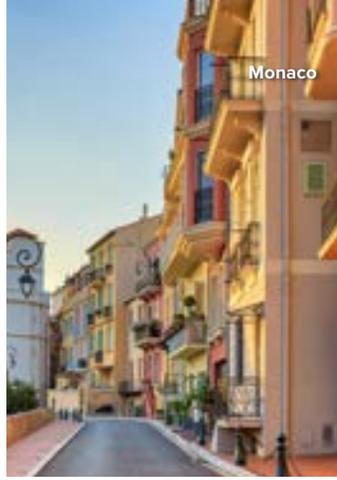
🚢 Day 6 • Naples, Italy

(1:00 PM–7:55 PM)

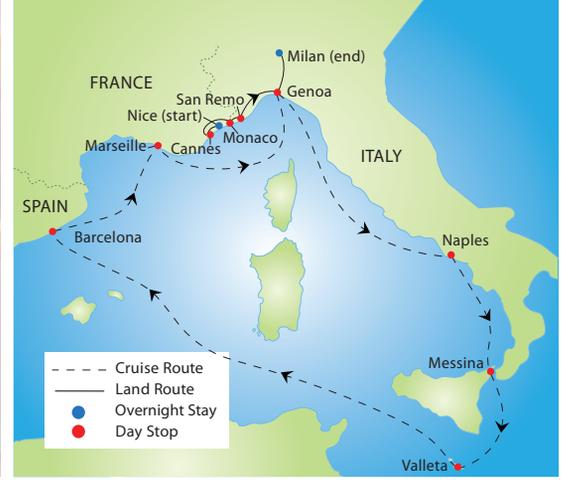
Naples was first settled by the Greeks over 3,000 years ago, making it one of the oldest continuously inhabited urban areas in the world. It's unsurprising that Naples has always been



Capri, Naples



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MSC Seashore

such a desirable location; it's perched 400 feet above the Mediterranean, which gives the city incredible views and an enviable defense position! Don't miss out on authentic Neapolitan pizza while you're here in its birthplace.

Day 7 • Messina, Italy

(9:00 AM–7:00 PM)

Spend the day in Messina, one of the most popular cities on the breathtaking island of Sicily. The people of Messina are renowned for their hospitality, which will charm you as you explore famous sites like the Piazza del Duomo, the city's historic center, and sample Sicilian cuisine—especially an authentic cannoli.

Day 8 • Valletta, Malta

(8:00 AM–5:00 PM)

Valletta, one of the world's smallest capitals, is so packed with history that the entire city has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Despite its small size, Valletta is full of sites of historical significance, including buildings dating back to the 16th century. This fortified city has hundreds of monuments within a relatively small space, making it one of the most concentrated historic areas in the world.

Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Barcelona, Spain

(9:00 AM–6:00 PM)

You'll be mesmerized by this thoroughly modern city where Roman ruins live next door to high-rises, innovative exhibition spaces, and one of the world's most impressive sports complexes. A spectacular display of architecture, Barcelona

boasts 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, as well as a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, cultural and artistic exhibitions, and shopping. Use your time in this port to see the world-famous Las Ramblas, Gaudi's Sagrada Familia, Olympic Park, and to take in views from Montjuic.

Day 11 • Marseille / Provence, France

(9:00 AM–5:00 PM)

Marseille was first established in 600 BC, making it France's oldest city. Among the terracotta-roofed buildings lie many intriguing sights, including the majestic Palais Longchamp and the Cathedral of Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde.

Day 12 • Genoa, Italy & Disembarkation (Disembark at 8:00 AM)

Bid a fond farewell to the *MSC Seashore* and return to Genoa for a tour including the Palazzo del Principe, Via Garibaldi, Porta Soprana, and Piazza della Vittoria. Continue to Milan, stopping on the way for a stunning three-course farewell lunch at the Naviglio Grande Restaurant, featuring Mediterranean dishes expertly cooked with a touch of panache.

◆ *Cavalieri della Corona or similar*

Day 13 • Depart Milan for Home

Make sure to eat a hearty breakfast at the hotel as you say addio to the Mediterranean and set off for home. (B, L)

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RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



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✈ Day 1 • Depart for Europe

Your journey begins on your overnight flight to bustling Copenhagen. Kastrup Airport, one of Europe's oldest, is located just off of Copenhagen, on the island of Amager.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Copenhagen, Denmark

Velkommen til København! The Danish capital was first established in the 10th century, and during your time in this vibrant city you'll have the chance to learn about its storied history while enjoying the cutting-edge technology that it now embraces as a leading modern city. If you purchased airline tickets through YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure until the included dinner at the hotel begins. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Comfort Hotel Vesterbro or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Copenhagen City Tour and Embark on *Norwegian Escape*

(5:00 PM)

After breakfast at the hotel, board the motor coach for a tour of this delightful city. Highlights include Nyhavn (or "New Harbor"), Copenhagen's most scenic waterfront, canal and

entertainment district. Built by King Christian V in the 17th century, Nyhavn is lined by brightly colored 17th and early 18th century townhouses and bars, cafes and restaurants, and the canal harbors several historical wooden ships.

Another must-see is The Little Mermaid statue, located in the lovely Langelinie promenade. The Little Mermaid was cast in bronze in 1913, and depicts the beloved Hans Christian Anderson character perched on a rock in the water staring longingly at the shore. She has become one of Copenhagen's most famous icons. This afternoon, head to port to board your floating home, the spectacular *Norwegian Escape*. (B)

🚢 Day 4 • Warnemünde (Berlin), Germany

(7:30 AM – 10:00 PM)

Your first stop is Warnemünde, a German seaside village with broad sandy beaches and a proud nautical tradition clearly on display in its 19th century lighthouse. Founded as a small fishing village in the 13th century, Warnemünde now boasts a wonderful seaside promenade, the Alte Strom or "Old Channel," full of cute shops and restaurants and absolutely perfect for strolling, beer-tasting, and people watching. Not to mention Warnemünde's close proximity to Berlin—which you can see on a shore excursion (additional cost).



Saint Petersburg, Russia



Berlin, Germany



Stockholm, Sweden



Matryoshka dolls



Tallinn, Estonia



Day 5 • At Sea

Day 6 • Tallinn, Estonia

(9:00 AM – 4:30 PM)

Estonia's capital city is home to one of the best preserved medieval city centers in the world, and the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Old Town Tallinn offers visitors much to see. During your time here, we recommend visiting one of Tallinn's 60 museums, catching some live folk music, and sampling some delicious marzipan!

Days 7 & 8 • St. Petersburg, Russia

(7:00 AM – 7:00 PM next day)

Spend 2 days at port in Russia's second largest city. St. Petersburg was first settled in 1611 before being overtaken almost a century later by Peter the Great, who built it into a powerful seaport that would open Russia to trade with the rest of Europe. Modern St. Petersburg is generally viewed as Russia's cultural heart—home to stunning buildings like the Winter Palace, Kazan Cathedral, and the breathtaking Hermitage Museum, founded in 1764 by Empress Catherine the Great, plus wonderful dining and shopping options.

Day 9 • Helsinki, Finland

(7:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Sail the Gulf of Finland overnight to Helsinki, Finland's capital city. Finland is renowned for its impeccable design sense, and there is no better example of that keen national eye for detail than Helsinki. There is a stunning mix of old and

new buildings, parks, promenades, and seaside boardwalks—all created with walkability and pedestrian enjoyment in mind.

Day 10 • Nynäshamn (Stockholm), Sweden (7:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

Today's port stop is Nynäshamn, Sweden's favorite local getaway. The harbor is often full of seafaring Swedes in boats of all sizes, and the adorable waterfront restaurants and boutiques are a great vantage point to take it all in. Nynäshamn is not very far from Stockholm, Sweden's bustling capital.

Day 11 • At Sea

Day 12 • Disembark in Copenhagen, Denmark (7:00 AM)

Take one last day to enjoy Copenhagen after an early morning disembarkation. We recommend circling back to your favorite sites to explore them in depth at your leisure. Before you leave, be sure to try rødt pølse (red sausage) from one of the many hot dog stands. It's Denmark's favorite street food, and an inexpensive, delicious taste of what local life is like!

◆ *Comfort Hotel Vesterbro or similar*

Day 13 • Depart for Home

Enjoy a final European breakfast before boarding your flight home to the United States. (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Take a guided city tour and discover the highlights of Rome
- Explore The Vatican City on foot and see magnificent works of art
- Walk through the tragic ruins of Pompeii
- Spend time exploring historic cities on Greece's fascinating and beautiful islands
- Enjoy a farewell feast overlooking Lake Albano, site of the Pope's Castel Gandolfo

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Italy

Your journey begins on your overnight flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Rome

If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will meet you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. This evening, enjoy an included welcome dinner at your hotel. (D)

◆ *Ergife Hotel or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Rome City Tour

Take in the sights of Rome on a guided tour today. The highlights of this Eternal City include outside views of the Roman Forum, once a marketplace and center of daily Roman life; the Colosseum (entrances not included); the Arch of Constantine; Piazza Vittorio, the Spanish Steps; and of course the fabled Trevi Fountain. (B)

◆ *Ergife Hotel or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • The Vatican City & Naples

This morning, you'll tour The Vatican City, home of the Pope. Our guided tour explores the Vatican Museums, which house some of the most important and valuable art treasures in the world. Visit the Sistine Chapel to view floor-to-ceiling biblical frescoes painted by Michelangelo around 1512, St. Peter's Basilica and St. Peter's Square. In the afternoon, our tour continues with a drive to Naples, one of the world's oldest continuously inhabited cities, and home to the largest historic

city center in Europe, now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It's unsurprising that Naples has always been such a desirable location, given its situation 400 feet above the Mediterranean—it boasts a fantastic view and wonderful food. During your time here, perhaps join our optional pizza-making demonstration and dinner! (B)

Note: *Touring the Vatican Museums requires walking up several staircases and 2–3 hours of walking.*

◆ *Starhotels Terminus Naples or similar*

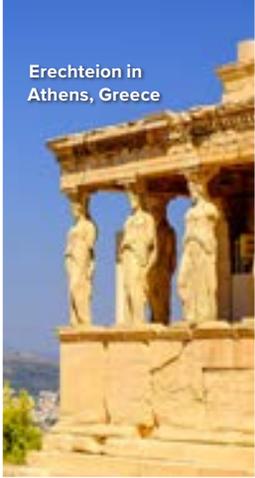
🚗 Day 5 • Pompeii and Sorrento

This morning we'll travel to Pompeii for a guided tour. Arguably the world's most moving ruins, Pompeii is an ancient Roman city frozen in time by the cataclysmic volcanic eruption of nearby Mt. Vesuvius in 79 CE. A rush of superheated volcanic ash and pumice covered the city, instantaneously killing residents while preserving their bodies, buildings, and belongings at the precise moment of their burial. Tour the resting place of embracing lovers, grand and modest family homes, art, and countless remnants of the daily lives of the thousands of people caught entirely by surprise by Vesuvius' violent eruption. Pompeii gives visitors a new perspective, and touching insight into what life was like for these doomed Romans so many centuries ago. Continue to Sorrento for an afternoon at your leisure. Enjoy the historic town and its incredible views and stunning cathedral before returning to Naples this evening. (B)

◆ *Starhotels Terminus Naples or similar*



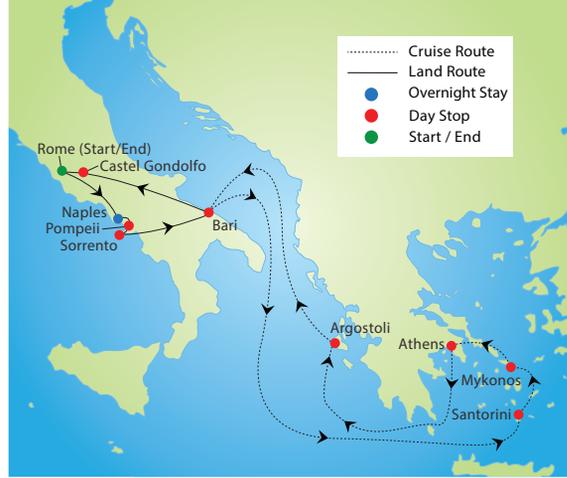
Santorini, Greece



Erechtheion in Athens, Greece



Sorrento, Italy



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The Colosseum in Rome, Italy



Mykonos, Greece



The Vatican City



Costa Cruise Line's *Mediterranea*

Day 6 • Transfer to Bari and Embarkation (Depart 7:00 PM)

Wake up in Naples, then cross the beautiful countryside that has long made Southern Italy such an appealing destination for travelers. Ancient ruins, lavish cathedrals, and miles of rolling hills are a stunning sight from the comfort of your air-conditioned coach. Arrive in Bari this afternoon, where you will embark on Costa's beautiful *Mediterranea*. Expect impeccable service, an abundance of delicious food, and a lively on-board atmosphere. (B)

Day 7 • At Sea

Day 8 • Santorini, Greece
(8:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

Today is yours to explore this unique island paradise at your own pace. Enjoy the day and take in the majesty of the island's spectacular 1,000-foot-high volcanic cliffs! Also famous for the vista of its stacked whitewashed houses of Fira (the main town) perched on the side of the caldera, Santorini is one of the most photographed Greek Islands. On the southern side of the island, the resorts of Kamari and Perissa are well-known for their black volcanic sand, and Santorini is also renowned for producing some of the best wine in Greece.

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Days 9 & 10 • Mykonos, Greece
(7:00 AM – 10:00 PM next day)

You have two full days to explore this magical island and relax on one of the many sandy beaches. Wandering the island on foot is easy—the central part of Mykonos Town is closed to traffic during most of the day, and will delight you with its whitewashed cubic houses, labyrinth of narrow streets, beautiful churches, lovely chapels, and many purple bougainvillea!

Day 11 • Athens, Greece
(7:00 AM – 2:00 PM)

The cradle of civilization and the oldest city in Europe, Athens is home to the Acropolis and some of the most important architectural structures and archaeological finds in the Western world. This magnificent city is also distinctly modern and full of extraordinary art, culture, cuisine and shopping.

Day 12 • Argostoli, Kefalonia, Greece
(9:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

The island of Kefalonia is full of incredible sights that visitors from around the world fall in love with—chief among them the views of the mesmerizingly blue Ionian Sea you can enjoy from nearly everywhere in Argostoli. In addition, the Lithostroto and Rizospaston are two of the main pedestrian-friendly thoroughfares in town, and are great places to eat, shop, people watch, and enjoy the lovely weather and atmosphere of this charming island city.

Day 13 • Disembarkation in Bari and Transfer to Rome (8:00 AM)

Disembark this morning and continue to Rome. Make some stunning stops along the way,

including in the Pope's Castel Gandolfo, which overlooks Lake Albano and is widely considered one of Italy's most scenic towns. See the quaint town, then sit down for a wonderful included farewell feast as you appreciate the views of the sparkling waters of the volcanic crater lake from your restaurant high above in the Alban Hills. (D)
 ♦ Hilton Garden Inn FCO or similar

Day 14 • Depart for Home (B)

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- Take a city tour of Stockholm
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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Sweden

Your journey begins on your overnight flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Stockholm

Arrive at the Stockholm Arlanda Airport. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The evening is at leisure until the included dinner at your hotel. (D)

◆ *Elite Palace Hotel or similar*

🚗🚢 Day 3 • Stockholm City Tour and Embarkation (Departs at 5:00 PM)

Stockholm is a bustling capital city whose nickname "beauty on water" becomes increasingly fitting the more you explore it, which you will get to do this morning on a guided tour. See many of the city's landmarks, and take a self-guided tour of the Skansen Museum. After lunch, board the *Magica*. Your floating home for the next several nights is committed to comfort, elegance and art, and regarded as one of the most refined vessels on the high seas. (B)

🚢 Day 4 • At Sea

🚢 Day 5 • Copenhagen, Denmark

(10:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

During your time in the vibrant Danish capital, learn about its storied history while enjoying its cutting-edge technology. Make time to stroll

through a few of Copenhagen's boutiques—Scandinavian clothing and home goods are world-famous for their thoughtful & minimalist design. Guests are invited to take an optional tour of the city, including a stop at The Little Mermaid, the celebrated bronze statue depicting Hans Christian Anderson's beloved heroine at the moment she becomes human.

🚢 Day 6 • At Sea

🚢 Day 7 • IJmuiden (Amsterdam), Netherlands (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Today's port city of IJmuiden was uninhabited through 1876, when it was built up to connect Amsterdam to the North Sea. It has since grown into a seaside town blessed with four harbors, sand dunes, wide beaches, and a constant supply of boats to watch from shore. Just a short distance away lies the magical city of Amsterdam. You may decide to make your way over to the charming city, or join an optional lunchtime tour of Zaanse Schans. This inviting neighborhood in the town of Zaandam is famous for its windmills and green wooden houses!

🚢 Day 8 • At Sea

🚢 Day 9 • Brest, France (8:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

Located at the edge of Brittany, Brest was virtually wiped out in WWII, but has bounced back spectacularly in the decades since. Now



Amsterdam, Netherlands



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Zurich, Switzerland



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a vital port for scientific research, an estimated 60% of European ocean research either takes place or originates here. Use your free time today to learn more (and see sharks!) at the massive Oceanopolis aquarium, one of Brest's most popular attractions. And be sure to taste the renowned mouthwatering crepes!

Day 10 • At Sea

Day 11 • Lisbon, Portugal

(9:00 AM – 2:00 PM)

Welcome to Portugal's hilly coastal capital! Lisbon is watched over by 7 picturesque hills whose view of an ancient city with cobblestoned streets and stately ruins combined with a modern metropolis is one of Europe's prettiest. Make time to enjoy the variety of fresh seafood and succulent Alentejan beef local restaurants serve.

Day 12 • At Sea

Day 13 • Barcelona, Spain

(2:00 PM – 8:00 PM)

Barcelona is a thoroughly modern city where Roman ruins live next door to sophisticated high-rises, innovative exhibition spaces, and one of the world's leading sports complexes. A spectacular display of architecture, Barcelona boasts 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, as well as a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, cultural and artistic exhibitions, and terrific shopping. Use your time in this fascinating port to enjoy the world-famous Las Ramblas, Gaudi's Sagrada Familia, Olympic Park, and views from Montjuic.

Day 14 • Marseille, France

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Among the terracotta-roofed buildings of France's oldest city lie many impressive sights, including the Cathedral of Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde.

Day 15 • Disembarkation in Savona and Transfer to Montreux (9:00 AM)

Disembark this morning in Savona and travel by comfortable coach through Italy to the banks of Lake Geneva in Montreux, Switzerland. A delicious dinner is included on a stop along the way. (D)

◆ *Hotel du Grand Lac Excelsior or similar*

Day 16 • Montreux to Interlaken

Experience clear lakes, lush meadows, and towering snowy peaks as you take in the dazzling natural beauty of Lake Geneva and the Alps on your morning drive to Interlaken. Once you arrive, relax and enjoy the fresh mountain air on two included tours: a walking tour of this lively town whose name translates to "in between the lakes," and a train ride to the pristine mountain village of Grindelwald. You'll never forget the stunning train ride up to one of Switzerland's prettiest getaways, where you will take in breathtaking scenery of the Jungfrau region—including iconic views of Mont Eiger's rugged north face. Enjoy Interlaken's magnificent views at your leisure this evening; look out to Lake Thun or Lake Brienz, or up to the Eiger, Monch, and Jungfrau Mountains. (B)

◆ *Hotel Metropole or similar*

Day 17 • Interlaken to Zurich

Enjoy even more incredible scenery today as you travel through the country by coach. Fall in love with Lucerne on a walking tour of this historic city on the banks of Lake Lucerne. Surrounded on all sides by the Alps, Lucerne's colorful Old Town is simply enchanting! Next, we continue to our final

stop in Zurich. Take a walking tour, then have the evening at leisure to explore Switzerland's largest and most vibrant city. (B)

◆ *Hilton Zurich Airport Hotel or similar*

Day 18 • Depart for Home (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Stay 3 nights in Germany with sightseeing
- Spend the day in vibrant Copenhagen
- Cruise Norway's breathtaking Nordfjorden, the central feature of the Nordfjord region
- Explore charming villages and fascinating culture in 3 ports of call in Norway
- Enjoy Sweden's cultural sophistication and finest crafts in bustling Gothenburg

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Depart for Europe

Take an overnight flight to Germany.

Day 2 • Arrive in Berlin, Germany

Welcome to Berlin, one of the world's most beautiful and sophisticated capital cities. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at leisure until the included welcome dinner at the hotel begins. This is your chance to get to know your fellow travelers and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Abba Hotel Berlin or similar*

Day 3 • Berlin City Tour, Lunch Stop in Potsdam, and Transfer to Hamburg

This morning, board your coach and enjoy guided sightseeing in Berlin. Discover the city's vibrant culture, cutting-edge architecture, fabulous food, and tangible history from the Brandenburg Gate to Checkpoint Charlie, to the beautiful gardens and museums that pepper Germany's sophisticated capital. Afterwards, we'll stop in Potsdam, the capital and largest city of the German federal state of Brandenburg, where you'll have time to enjoy lunch on your own. The residence of the Prussian kings and the German Kaiser until 1918, the city features a delicate balance of architecture and landscape as it was intended to be "a picturesque,

pastoral dream" to remind its residents of their relationship with nature and reason. Arrive at your hotel in Hamburg this evening. (B)

◆ *Leonardo Hotel Hamburg Stillhorn or similar*

Day 4 • Hamburg City Tour, Lunch Stop in Lübeck, and Embarkation (Depart 7:00 PM)

Start your day with a city tour of Hamburg, "the gateway to the world." Enjoy highlights of Germany's largest port city, which is as renowned for its musical heritage—Gustav Mahler once directed its storied state opera, both Brahms and Felix Mendelssohn were born here, and the Beatles enjoyed pre-fame residencies at various clubs around the city—as its stunning architecture. Standouts include the glass and brick Elbphilharmonie Concert Hall and the Medieval City's half-timbered structures. Enjoy time on your own for lunch in Lübeck, an influential trading post during the Middle Ages, before boarding the glamorous *Costa Fascinosa* in Warnemünde. (B)

Day 5 • Copenhagen, Denmark (8:30 AM – 5:30 PM)

Velkommen til København! The Danish capital was first established in the 10th century, and during your time in this vibrant city you'll have the chance to learn about its storied history while enjoying the cutting-edge technology that it now embraces. If you're interested in shopping, take a



Berlin, Germany



Gothenburg, Sweden



..... Cruise Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop
 ● Start / End



Copenhagen, Denmark



Hamburg, Germany



Stavanger, Norway



Costa Cruise Line's Fascinosa

stroll through a few of Copenhagen's boutiques. Scandinavian clothing and home goods are world-famous for their thoughtful, innovative, minimalist design, and you can make some great purchases right here in Copenhagen.

Day 6 • At Sea

Day 7 • Hellesylt and Geiranger, Norway (8:00 AM – 9:00 AM) (11:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

As you cruise through what many consider to be the most beautiful fjord in the world, discover Hellesylt and Geiranger, two villages sitting at either end of the UNESCO World Heritage Site Geirangerfjord. Enjoy awe-inspiring views, charming farmhouses, and spectacular waterfalls on your cruise through the fjords. These long, narrow fingers of the ocean were formed over countless millennia by glacial movement. They may look like clear mountain lakes, but these narrow inlets are actually offshoots of the sea. They are slowly-formed canyons, surrounded by steep cliffs and filled with ocean water, that jut deep into the Norwegian interior.

Day 8 • Bergen, Norway (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Despite being Norway's second largest city, UNESCO World Heritage City of Bergen boasts a wonderful small-town atmosphere; once the center of the Hanseatic League's trading empire, the old wharf now features charming colorful wooden houses. Known as the "city of seven mountains," Bergen offers plenty for visitors to enjoy, including museums, art galleries, and restaurants serving some of the finest seafood in Norway!

Day 9 • Stavanger, Norway (7:30 AM – 4:30 PM)

There is no shortage of things to see and do in Stavanger! Stop by the Old Cathedral, visit one of the fascinating museums, or stroll down the shopping street Øvre Holmegate, known for its colorful houses during your leisure time in port today. This scenic and historic town is a lovely example of rich culture in a growing metropolis.

Day 10 • Gothenburg, Sweden (10:30 AM – 5:30 PM)

Bid adieu to the dazzling natural splendor of Norway's fjords, and say hello to the understated sophistication of Gothenburg. Sweden's second largest city is charming, cheerful, and exceptionally walkable. Don't miss out on the Kronhuset, where you can purchase personalized souvenirs from local artisans, known as the Kronhusbodarna. In addition, Gothenburg has truly divine fresh seafood—you're unlikely to find better in Europe!

Day 11 • Disembarkation and Transfer to Berlin (8:00 AM)

Your morning starts with disembarkation in Warnemünde and motorcoach transportation back to Berlin. The rest of the day will be at your leisure until dinnertime, when you are invited to an included sit-down Farewell Feast. (D)

◆ *Abba Hotel Berlin or similar*

Day 12 • Depart for Home (B)

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8 DAYS

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Seljalandsfoss Waterfall



ENCHANTING ICELAND

Reykjavík • Thingvellir National Park • Strokkur Geyser • Gullfoss Waterfall • Blue Lagoon • Seljalandsfoss • Reynisfjara • Deildartunguhver • Borgarnes • Vík

Iceland, “The Land of Ice and Fire,” is as dramatic as it is beautiful. You will never forget the impressive displays of Mother Nature’s might that still dominate the landscape of this remote country, the home of ancient Vikings, friendly locals, and stunning nature.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Tour the iconic Golden Circle
- Enjoy lunch overlooking the Blue Lagoon
- Stroll the black sand beaches of quaint Vík
- Tour the greenhouses and watch the Icelandic horses at Fridheimar farm
- Stop at waterfalls, geysers, hot springs, and exposed continental plates
- Take a late-night Northern Lights outing (fall dates) or enjoy a puffin-watching cruise (summer dates)
- Convenient stay in one hotel for your entire tour—no need to pack and unpack!

INCLUDES

6 nights hotels, daily breakfasts, 1 lunch, 1 dinner, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Iceland

Your journey begins on your overnight flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Reykjavík

Welcome to Reykjavík, one of the cleanest, greenest, and safest cities in the world. This tiny Nordic nation is renowned for its dramatic landscapes and near continuous summer daylight. Iceland has grown into one of the most desirable travel destinations in the world in recent years, and for good reason. Guests arriving at the hotel by noon will join the guided tour of Iceland's capital city, Reykjavík. The evening is yours to enjoy at your leisure until the included welcome dinner tonight. (D)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

🚌 Day 3 • Golden Circle Tour

Experience the rugged natural beauty of Iceland on its most popular day trip—the legendary Golden Circle tour. See Thingvellir National Park, where evidence of Iceland’s dramatic geological and cultural past is laid bare. Thingvellir is a rift valley, where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates collide. It is also the meeting place of Iceland’s parliament, the first in the world, established by 10th century Viking settlers. Strokkur Geyser is the next stop, and one of the most active geysers in the world, where you can watch volcanically heated glacial water explode up to 130 feet in the air several

times an hour. Finally, see Gullfoss, the Golden Waterfall that shines a coppery brown on sunny days. Gullfoss is located in the canyon of the Hvítá river, and its dual stage, 105-foot drop, is an impressive conclusion to the Golden circle tour.

End your day with a look at Iceland's innovation. Take a tour of Fridheimar geothermal greenhouse and horse farm, where you will see how Icelandic farmers utilize technology and inventive techniques to grow food year-round. You will also have the chance to watch a horse show starring a team of Icelandic horses—petite yet lionhearted steeds that have been raised throughout Iceland since the 10th century. (B)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

🚌 Day 4 • Reykjanes and Lunch at the Blue Lagoon

Today will take you to the Reykjanes peninsula, a UNESCO Global Geopark famous for its geothermal activity and unusual geological formations including a variety of different volcano types, open faults and fissures, lava stacks, hot springs, mud pools, and steam vents. There is abundant bird life, an especially striking sight against the jagged backdrop of the volcanic rock formations surrounding you. You will then travel to the Blue Lagoon for an included lunch with a truly wonderful view (lagoon entrance not included). The Blue Lagoon is a geothermal spa rich with minerals that turn the hot water



Blue Lagoon



Icelandic horses



— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Strokkur Geysir in Iceland



Northern Lights over Iceland in Fall



Hraunfossar Falls

a vivid aqua blue, a stunning backdrop for an unforgettable meal. (B, L)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

Day 5 • South Coast and Seljalandsfoss

The South Coast of Iceland is full of outstanding scenery, much of which you'll see today!

Travel to Vík, a village located on the very tip of Iceland, dramatically flanked between two mountains and distinguished by its tiny size, sparse development, and deep black sands.

The stunning small town will show you the less touristy side of Iceland. Today also includes a trip to the spectacular Seljalandsfoss and Skogafoss waterfalls, two of the best-known waterfalls in the country and awe-inspiring displays of the power of water! (B)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

Day 6 • Icelandic Saga History and Europe's Largest Hot Spring

Today you will witness Europe's largest and most powerful hot spring, Deildartunguhver. It sits on farmland and has long been a vital resource for neighboring towns—providing enough hot water for homes and businesses within a 40-mile radius. Its scalding water bubbles out of a rough, algae covered outcrop of rocks, creating a steamy source of power whose might you can see and hear. You'll also visit the spectacular 0.5-mile wide Hraunfossar waterfall, and tragic Barnafoss. During your stop at the Settlements Center, learn about Iceland's early history, or learn the story of Egil, the Icelandic poet, farmer, and legendary fighter who has become one of Iceland's most famous "tall tales." (B)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

Day 7 • Leisure Day with Northern Lights Pursuit

Your last full day in Iceland will give you the perfect chance to relax and take in the splendor of Reykjavík, or to participate in an exciting optional day trip (additional cost). But before your tour comes to an end, you'll enjoy one final highlight — the included Northern Lights pursuit! This day is sure to be an exciting highlight of your unforgettable Iceland trip! (B)

◆ Centerhotel Midgardur or similar

Note: Northern Lights pursuit may be moved to another day, if conditions are better for optimal viewing. Seeing this natural phenomenon cannot be guaranteed. The bus will depart after 8:00 PM and return after midnight.

OPTION: BLUE LAGOON DAY TRIP



Visit one of Iceland's top tourist attractions! The geothermal spa's modern facilities have been developed into a wellness complex including saunas, a warm flowing waterfall, and in-water treatments and massages using the all-natural Blue Lagoon skin care products. This

option includes a guide, comfort package, entrance fee into the lagoon, a towel, mud mask, and one drink of choice for just \$184 p/p. The Blue Lagoon requires all bathers to shower before entering the water.

Day 8 • Depart for Home (B)

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London • Paris

The perfect marriage of historic and modern, London and Paris are two stunning capital cities embedded with history. This 8-day tour filled with exciting landmarks, charming villages, and magnificent castles will take you through the heart of these two wonderful cities!

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Marvel at the most famous landmarks of London and Paris on included city tours
- Enjoy a refined afternoon high tea at the dazzling Palace Hotel, across from Buckingham Palace
- Spend a day in Windsor and tour the stunning castle with free time to explore
- Take an exciting high speed rail ride from London to Paris beneath the English Channel on the Eurostar
- Tour the iconic Château de Fontainebleau and the Château de Vaux-le-Vicomte

INCLUDES

6 nights hotels, 6 breakfasts, 2 dinners, and 1 afternoon high tea, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, entrance fees, and sightseeing per itinerary.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for London

Your journey begins on an overnight transatlantic flight from the United States to the United Kingdom. If the sun is out and the weather is clear, you'll have spectacular views of the River Thames as your plane descends into London!

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in London

If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. Settle into your centrally-located hotel, which is within walking distance to several great restaurants and cafes. The afternoon and evening are yours to relax so why not take a stroll through the bustling streets of your home for the next several days? This evening, enjoy a delicious included three-course Welcome Feast at the hotel. This is a great opportunity to get to know your fellow travelers, companions for the trip and possibly friends for life! (D)

◆ Dorsett Shepherds Bush or similar

🚆 Day 3 • London Sightseeing

Savor a delicious breakfast before stepping out into London for a city tour of one of history's most influential capitals. See the Tower of London, Big Ben, and Piccadilly Square; and take a tour of the world-famous coronation site of Westminster Abbey. Stop for photos at Buckingham Palace, and then cross the street for a private high tea at

the historic Palace Hotel overlooking the Royal Mews. The refined afternoon snacks will include delicate sandwiches, pastries, and cakes, as well as coffee, and perfectly prepared cups of fine English tea. (B, high tea)

◆ Dorsett Shepherds Bush or similar

🚆 OPTION: LONDON EYE & DINNER



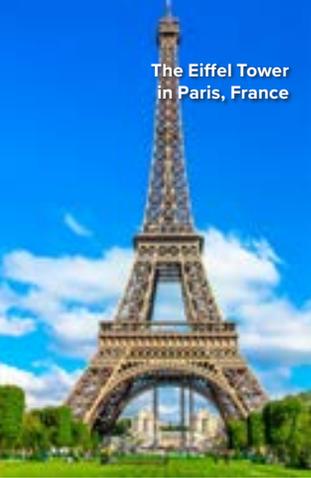
Take a ride high above the Thames on the London Eye, one of the English capital's most iconic structures. After seeing London from high above, experience it on a more intimate level by breaking

bread at a local pub, The Three Stags. \$119 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

🚆 Day 4 • Windsor Castle

Today you're in for a treat—Spend the day at Windsor Castle, the stunning British residence that has housed English queens and kings since the time of Henry I. Home to Britain's reigning monarch for over 1,000 years, Windsor is the largest and longest-occupied palace in Europe. With grounds and a castle covering 13 stunning acres, its Georgian, Victorian, and Gothic architectural features makes it one of the most beautiful palaces in all of Europe. Enjoy a self-guided tour, followed by free time for lunch and shopping on your own in the historic neighboring town—also called Windsor—the quintessential British market village. (B)

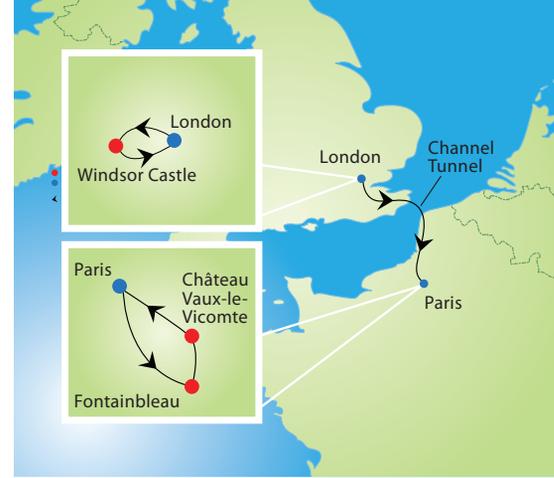
◆ Dorsett Shepherds Bush or similar



The Eiffel Tower in Paris, France



Westminster Abbey



Château Fontainebleau in Paris, France



Afternoon tea



Windsor Castle in England

Day 5 • Eurostar Train to Paris

Today, board the famous Eurostar train and head to Paris! This high-speed railway will transport you on a journey across empires that takes approximately 2 ½ hours. En route, travel through one of history's most expensive and ambitious construction projects, the Channel Tunnel. The Chunnel, as it's called, took 6 years and \$21 billion to complete—and it takes riders an average of 150 feet beneath the choppy waters of the English Channel from London to Paris.

After your arrival in Paris, enjoy hors d'oeuvres and light refreshments at an included welcome reception at your hotel. Your first night in Paris is then yours to experience at your leisure. (B, light hors d'oeuvres)

◆ *Apogia Hotel Paris or similar*

Day 6 • Paris City Tour

Start your day with a tour of Paris, the world-famous City of Light! Take in the sights as your motor coach ventures past Bercy, home to France's Finance Ministry and Bercy Village, an entertainment district with shops and restaurants in former wine warehouses; the F. Mitterrand National Library; the Bastille, an impressive fortress; and the Marais, an exciting fashion district filled with boutiques, galleries, and bars. You'll also see the Latin Quarter, the chic St. Germain area, the iconic Louvre Pyramid, the Opéra Garnier, Place Vendôme, and the Place de la Concorde. Even more Paris highlights you'll discover during your drive include the Champs-Élysées, the Arc de Triomphe, the Invalides, the Trocadéro, and of course, the famous Eiffel Tower. The evening is yours to relax and enjoy the city, or a nice night in, at your own pace. (B)

◆ *Apogia Hotel Paris or similar*

Day 7 • Château de Fontainebleau, Barbizon, and Château Vaux-le-Vicomte

Your last full day in Paris starts with a visit to the Château de Fontainebleau, one of France's largest royal châteaux. The medieval palace served as a residence for many of France's most influential monarchs from Louis VII to Napoleon III, and it is now a national museum and UNESCO World Heritage Site. Enjoy a video-guided tour of the magnificent palace and free time for lunch on the beautiful grounds.

Next, transfer to Barbizon, a charming village on the edge of Fontainebleau forest. Here you'll take a tour and have leisure time to explore this village between two castles. Barbizon owes its fame to the several pre-Impressionist 19th century landscape painters that made the town home and captured the tranquility of this peaceful village and surrounding nature. Perhaps you may decide to visit the Auberge Ganne during your free time here. A village landmark, the inn is where the artists used to meet, and is now home to the Musée Départemental de l'École de Barbizon, which charts the Barbizon artists' lives and works.

The day continues to the Château de Vaux-le-Vicomte. Built between 1658 and 1661, this baroque French château was an influential work of architecture in mid-17th-century Europe. The collaboration between the architect Louis Le Vau, the landscape architect André le Nôtre, and the painter-decorator Charles Le Brun marked the beginning of the "Louis XIV style" combining architecture, interior design, and landscape design. The garden's pronounced visual axis is an impressive example of this style! Explore the château on your own during the visit, before returning to Paris for an included Farewell

Feast. Raise a glass to your new friends and unforgettable memories over a delicious three-course meal. (B, D)

◆ *Apogia Hotel Paris or similar*

Day 8 • Depart for Home

Today you depart for home, leaving with a suitcase full of memories from your exquisite London and Paris tour! (B)

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Almudena Cathedral
in Madrid, Spain

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore and stay overnight in the lively Spanish cities of Valencia, Madrid, and Córdoba
- Take a guided tour of Barcelona's amazing highlights during your 2-night stay
- See the famous Mosque Cathedral in Córdoba, considered one of the greatest works of Islamic architecture
- Fall in love with Faro, a jewel by the water
- Tour the scenic capital city of Lisbon
- Enjoy a Port wine tasting in Sintra, a lovely city in lush mountain surroundings

INCLUDES

9 nights hotels, 9 breakfasts and 4 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Barcelona

Your trip to Spain and Portugal begins with an overnight transatlantic flight to Barcelona.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Barcelona

Welcome to Barcelona, where your journey begins. This modern, sophisticated, and culturally diverse city with a heart dates back to the Middle Ages and features art museums, Gothic architecture, golden beaches, and tasty cuisine that will leave you busy and buzzing during your stay. Tonight, YMT will host a 3-course welcome dinner for you to meet the rest of your fellow travelers before you embark on your Spanish and Portuguese adventure. (D)
◆ *H10 Itaca Hotel or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Barcelona City Tour

Today, discover Barcelona! See the world famous Las Ramblas, Gaudi's Sagrada Familia, Olympic Park, and views from Montjuic on your morning sightseeing tour. In the afternoon, you will have time to wander the beautiful city at your leisure. You'll be mesmerized by this thoroughly modern city where Roman ruins live next door to sophisticated high-rises, innovative exhibition spaces, and one of the world's most impressive sports complexes. A spectacular display of

architecture, Barcelona boasts 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, as well as a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, cultural and artistic exhibitions, and shopping. (B)

◆ *H10 Itaca Hotel or similar*

🚌 Day 4 • Tarragona

Today we say goodbye to Barcelona as we travel along the coast through Tarragona. Rich with history and culture, this Mediterranean city features fascinating ancient relics such as the Roman circus, the Roman Forum, the Roman Walls, the Amphitheater, and old Jewish district. This evening, we arrive at your hotel in beautiful Valencia, Spain's third largest city. (B)

◆ *Sercotel Sorolla Valencia or similar*

🚌 Day 5 • Valencia City Tour and Transfer to Madrid

This morning we tour this gorgeous coastal city. Valencia is a unique combination of charming seaside town, historical medieval melting pot, and ultra-modern metropolis—look at Valencia's architecture to see how much the city has changed over its almost 2,000-year history! In the afternoon, we continue to Madrid for an included dinner at the hotel. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Ganivet or similar*



Sintra, Portugal



Valencia, Spain



Sagrada Familia in Barcelona



Cathedral in Córdoba



Amphitheater in Tarragona



Paella

Day 6 • Madrid Sightseeing

Wake up in Madrid, the capital city of Spain. Today we will take you on a morning tour of Madrid's most historic sights including Plaza Mayor and Buen Retiro Park. Enjoy the grand architecture and pristine boulevards that are spread throughout this cosmopolitan city. The afternoon will be at your leisure to enjoy the many museums, art, and pristine parks of this cultural capital. (B)

◆ *Hotel Ganivet or similar*

OPTION: EXCURSION TO TOLEDO



This afternoon, travel to the ancient hilltop city of Toledo, a UNESCO World Heritage City. Known as "The city of three cultures," Toledo has roots in the Middle Ages and monuments and sights of Christian, Jewish, and Arab influence. During your walking tour, see the old quarter and City Hall, go inside the Toledo Cathedral, and visit the Old Jewish quarter with its narrow streets all for only \$79 per person! *Please add this option at time of booking.*

Day 7 • Córdoba

As we leave Madrid, we travel to Córdoba located in the region of Andalusia. This formerly Roman city is best known for the La Mezquita Mosque, now a Catholic Cathedral, which dates back to the 8th century. We will visit the famous Mosque Cathedral, known as one of the greatest works of Islamic architecture. You will be entranced by the Moorish detailed archways that line the prayer hall made of rich jasper, onyx and marble. The evening will be spent at your leisure to enjoy this truly historic city. (B)

◆ *Córdoba Center or similar*

Day 8 • Seville

Take a panoramic tour of Seville, Andalusia's stunning capital. See the Plaza de España Seville and Gothic Seville Cathedral, home to the tomb of Christopher Columbus. Gothic architecture, medieval history, and Arabian culture combine to create a unique setting in this fascinating city! (B)

◆ *AC Sevilla Forum or similar*

Day 9 • Faro

Head to Portugal and visit Faro, a seaside fishing port located on the Algarve Coast. Famous for its old town and cobbled streets that wind down the hills by the port, you will fall in love with this jewel by the water. Next, we continue to Lisbon, the capital city of Portugal where you will have an included dinner at the hotel. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Aldeia dos Capuchos Golf & Spa or similar*

Day 10 • Lisbon City Tour and Sintra

Take a tour through Lisbon this morning, a city watched over by 7 picturesque hills. The peaks' view of Lisbon's historic cobblestoned streets and stately ruins, mixed seamlessly with the modern world that grew up around them, is one of Europe's prettiest! Our next stop is Sintra, a city located in the foothills of the Sintra Mountains. Surrounded by lush terrain, the city features an array of charming pastel buildings. Today, you will also enjoy an included Port wine tasting and end your journey through Spain and Portugal with a final farewell dinner. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Aldeia dos Capuchos Golf & Spa or similar*

Day 11 • Depart for Home (B)

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Nuremberg

BEST OF GERMANY

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Experience Germany's fascinating history and culture as you travel through its most important major cities and darling fairytale villages. From the refinement of the capital to the unfaded beauty of its castles and ruins, Germany is one of Europe's most vibrant nations.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy city tours and take in the magnificent highlights of Berlin, Nuremberg, Frankfurt, and Munich
- Walk the Renaissance ruins of the red-tinted Heidelberg Castle nestled in the wooded hills above the ancient city of Heidelberg
- Stay in a centrally-located hotel in Baden-Baden, the delightful spa town nestled in the fairytale peaks of the Black Forest
- Sit down with your fellow travelers at an included farewell dinner at the original Hofbräuhaus in Munich—the world's most famous beer hall

INCLUDES

8 nights hotels, daily breakfasts and 2 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Germany

Your vacation begins on an overnight flight to Europe.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Berlin

Welcome to Berlin, one of the most beautiful and sophisticated capital cities in the world. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure until the included dinner at the hotel begins. This is your chance to get to know your fellow travelers and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Hotel ABBA Berlin or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Berlin Sightseeing

On your first full tour day, Berlin's history and culture from before and after WWII are on fascinating display. Start with a city tour, where you will see everything from the Brandenburg Gate to Checkpoint Charlie, to the beautiful gardens and museums that pepper Germany's sophisticated capital. You might want to try a currywurst today—the sausage covered with a mixture of curry powder and ketchup has become the quintessential German street food.

Enjoy the afternoon and evening on your own or perhaps join one of our optional tours. (B)

◆ *Hotel ABBA Berlin or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Dresden City Tour

On the banks of the swiftly flowing Elbe River, the German city of Dresden is lushly green, filled with parks, forests, and splendid gardens. Dresden is rich with cultural and artistic history, which you will learn about during today's exciting city tour. Visit Frauenkirche, the beautiful Lutheran house of worship featuring one of the largest domes in all of Europe, and Hofkirche, an 18th century Baroque church. (B)

◆ *Hotel Intercity Dresden or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Nuremberg City Tour

Martin Luther once claimed that Nuremberg "shines throughout Germany like a sun among the moon and stars," a sentiment visitors to this vibrant historic village are certain to agree with. Once the preferred seat of German kings, and a major city for the Roman Empire, Nuremberg is full of history—which you can taste by sampling its 600-year old recipe for Nuremberg Lebkuchen, the scrumptious local version of gingerbread!

Enjoy an illuminating city tour where you will see the formidable Nuremberg castle, the magnificent 13th century St. Sebald Church, and the stunning 14th century Schöner Brunnen fountain in Nuremberg's Historical Mile. (B)

◆ *Hotel Forsthaus Nürnberg Fürth or similar*



Brandenburg Gate in Berlin



Heidelberg Castle



Frauenkirche in Dresden



Frankfurt skyline



Cuckoo Clock from the Black Forest



Munich

Day 6 • Frankfurt Sightseeing

Spend the day falling in love with Frankfurt, a charming international city full of museums, shops, and restaurants that cater to English speakers. On today's tour, you'll see the Frankfurt Cathedral, a great example of Gothic Roman Catholic architecture; the Main Tower, an 56-story impressive skyscraper; and the Römer, a medieval building that has served as Frankfurt's city hall for over 600 years. You'll also see the Goethe House, the family residence of famed writer Johann Wolfgang van Goethe. (B)

◆ *Hotel Intercity Frankfurt Airport or similar*

Day 7 • Heidelberg Castle and Baden-Baden in the Black Forest

Take a tour of stunning Heidelberg Castle, the striking red sandstone ruins of a 13th century castle set in the forested hills above Heidelberg. See the castle and the incredible grounds before traveling to Baden-Baden in the Black Forest mountain range.

Bordered by the scenic Rhine River Valley, the Black Forest is the quintessential European fairytale woods. Grimm's most famous fairytales—set deep under the dark, spooky canopy—were largely set in the Black Forest, and in the dim quiet, you can almost imagine how scary a house call with a hungry witch could be.

Baden-Baden is one of the Black forest's most charming villages. The thriving spa town has been raved about in the New York Times, and its stunning architecture and impeccable amenities are made unforgettable by its unique surroundings. (B)

◆ *Hotel Magnetberg or similar*

Day 8 • Transfer to Munich

Today we'll transfer to Munich. Enjoy a lunch stop on the scenic road from Baden-Baden, a stop on the famed Romantic Road of Germany, which takes you through "quintessentially German" scenery and culture and links a number of picturesque towns and castles. Arrive in Munich in the afternoon and spend a leisurely evening tonight in Germany's third largest city. (B)

◆ *Hotel Leonardo and Residenz or similar*

Day 9 • Munich City Tour

Your final day takes you through Munich, known for its hearty German cuisine, exceptional beers, and the original Oktoberfest; it also has a vibrant art scene and beautifully preserved architecture. Explore Munich on an illuminating city tour, where you will see beautiful Baroque Nymphenburg Palace, Marienplatz, the heart of Munich's Old Town, Munich Residenz, Germany's largest city palace, Hofgarten, the court garden completed in 1617, and Frauenkirche, a local landmark church famous for its lofty towers.

Enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers at the original Hofbräuhaus, Munich's largest tourist attraction, after the Oktoberfest. The historical tavern features authentic food and dirndl-clad waitresses. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Leonardo and Residenz or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home

On certain tour dates, you may choose to combine this tour with our tour of Central Europe. If you are joining us for our Ultimate Central Europe tour, you will enjoy the opportunity to explore Munich with an included city pass before joining our Elegant Central Europe itinerary. (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the charming Austrian city of Innsbruck, known as the Capital of the Alps
- Visit Salzburg, the home of Mozart and the singing von Trapp family, an historic Austrian city whose musical tradition is still vibrantly alive today
- Enjoy a guided tour and a full leisure day in sophisticated Vienna, one of the world's most influential capital cities
- Stop for lunch in Bratislava, a charming city overlooking the Danube river
- Take a city tour and spend a day at leisure in Budapest, followed by a delicious included farewell feast

INCLUDES

8 nights hotels, daily breakfasts and 3 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, entrance fees, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Germany

Your journey begins on an overnight flight to Europe.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Munich

After an overnight flight, arrive in Munich. If you booked air through YMT, you will be met by a representative at the airport and transferred to your hotel. Tonight, enjoy an included welcome dinner at your hotel with your Tour Director to learn about the days ahead. (D)

◆ *Leonardo Hotel and Residenz or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Munich and Transfer to Innsbruck

Today begins with a panoramic tour of Munich, known for its hearty German cuisine, beer specialties, and the original Oktoberfest; it also has a vibrant art scene and beautifully preserved architecture. Take in the sights from your comfortable coach as you travel on to Innsbruck, Austria. Upon arrival, take a guided tour of this lovely city, known as the Capital of the Alps. The city's views will take your breath away. The Nordkette range, known as the Jewel of the Alps, is just outside of the city proper, and provides a picture-perfect mountainous backdrop for Innsbruck's stunning historic center, known for its imposing cathedral and storybook castle. This two-time Winter Olympics host still has an

impressive ski jump standing sentry above the city, which is used nearly year-round for both practice and competition. (B)

◆ *Alphotel Innsbruck or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Salzburg City Tour

Spend a leisurely morning in Innsbruck then continue to Salzburg for a city tour of this stunning ancient capital. First settled during the Neolithic Age, it has been home to Celts, Romans, and the singing von Trapp family. Salzburg is home to the mighty Salzach River, an old town Altstadt area with stunning Baroque and Gothic architecture, and of course the Alpine views that make Salzburg one of Austria's most popular tourist destinations. (B)

◆ *ACHAT Plaza zum Hirschen or similar*

Day 5 • Salzburg Leisure Day

Experience beautiful Salzburg at your leisure. Music fans are likely to fall in love with the crisp air and stunning scenery that was the real life setting of the beloved *Sound of Music*. Salzburg was also home to one of the most beloved musicians in history—Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Mozart's presence is still felt here—perhaps walk the same cobblestone streets as the young genius, visit museums devoted to his work and early years, or simply enjoy a performance at one of the many restaurants that offer live music in a variety of genres.

Fans of the von Trapp family, or simply of Julie Andrews' stunningly beautiful singing voice, may



Hungarian Parliament in Budapest, Hungary



St. Stephen's Cathedral in Vienna, Austria



Old Fisherman's Bastion in Budapest, Hungary



Innsbruck, Austria



Mozart monument in Vienna, Austria

be especially interested in our *Sound of Music* optional tour, where guests will learn the real history behind the beloved musical. (B)

◆ *ACHAT Plaza zum Hirschen or similar*

Day 6 • Transfer to Vienna and City Tour

Travel to Vienna this morning for a city tour of one of Europe's most dynamic capitals. Take a guided tour of the city with time for photo stops. Highlights of Vienna include the State Opera House, the Parliament Building, City Hall, Belvedere Palace, the museum cultural district, and Ringstrasse Boulevard. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Bellevue or similar*

Day 7 • Vienna Leisure Day

Today is yours to relax! Vienna is one of history's greatest cities, whose impact on the world's music and culture cannot be overstated. Evidence remains of the role it played as the setting for classical performances by Mozart, Ludwig van Beethoven, and Johannes Brahms. It is home to opulent palaces like the Hofburg, and the stunning Vienna State Opera House. In addition, Vienna is full of museums: you can find institutions devoted to music, art, history, dance, the Habsburgs, and of course Sigmund Freud, the Vienna-based neurologist whose controversial insights into human psychology became infamous. Vienna is also home to the magnificent Schönbrunn Palace, once the main summer residence of the Habsburg rulers. (B)

◆ *Hotel Bellevue or similar*

Day 8 • Lunch Stop in Bratislava and Budapest Sightseeing

Today, enjoy a lunch stop in Slovakia's beautiful riverside city of Bratislava. Ringed by forests and home to ancient palaces and a stunningly

colorful Old Town, the charming city offers a view of the Small Carpathia mountains and beautiful lowland vineyards. After lunch, continue to one of Europe's most appealing destinations.

Welcome to Budapest! Hungary's capital city is home to a sprawling UNESCO World Heritage Site including the banks of the Danube, the Buda Castle Quarter, and Andrassy Avenue. This site has the remains of monuments such as the Roman city of Aquincum and the Gothic castle of Buda, which have influenced the architecture of various periods. This outstanding urban landscape illustrates the history of the Hungarian capital. See the World Heritage site, as well as Heroes' Square and the Millennium Underground Railway on a riveting city tour.

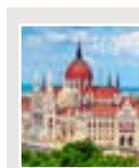
After a day of sightseeing, enjoy the wonderful included sit-down farewell feast with your fellow travelers and Tour Directors. (B, D)

◆ *Mercure Budapest Buda or similar*

Day 9 • Budapest Leisure Day

Take the day to discover Budapest. Experience fascinating history, spectacular architecture, and natural beauty everywhere—not to mention delicious regional cuisine. The Danube river that runs through the middle of Budapest is the source of fresh carp, the star of the flavorful Fisherman's Soup—sit down to a steaming bowl, or another Hungarian specialty like goulash or delicious fried Lángos. (B)

◆ *Mercure Budapest Buda or similar*



OPTION: BUDAPEST PARLIAMENT TOUR & FOLKLORE DINNER

Tour the Hungarian Parliament building before enjoying a traditional dinner and folklore show. \$109 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 10 • Depart for Home (B)

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- Spend 2 nights with an included guided city tour in London
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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Depart for London

Your journey begins on your overnight transatlantic flight to London.

Day 2 • Arrive in London

If you purchased airline tickets through YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure until the included welcome dinner at the hotel begins. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ Lancaster Gate Hotel or similar

Day 3 • London Sightseeing

After breakfast, head out on a panoramic city tour of one of history's most influential capitals. Enjoy an overview of all of London's most important landmarks from the comfort of your roomy coach and enjoy the rest of the day to explore as you wish. The city boasts many famous sights, including the Tower of London, Big Ben, Piccadilly Square, Westminster Abbey, Buckingham Palace, and more! (B)

◆ Lancaster Gate Hotel or similar

Day 4 • Stonehenge and Bath

Leave London this morning and go back in time to explore two of England's oldest sites: Stonehenge and the Roman Baths. Stonehenge is the instantly recognizable ring of stones built approximately 5,000 years. With no written records, the purpose of the monument, and the methods of its construction, remain a mystery. In Bath, we tour some of the best Roman ruins in the world. Romans started taking advantage of Bath's natural hot springs when Claudius invaded Britain in 43 AD. They turned the site into a religious shrine that housed incredibly complex bathing areas with cold rooms, warm rooms, and a massive central pool. Explore this city, whose largely intact ruins are a testament to Rome's incredible engineering skills. (B)

◆ Mercure Bristol Holland House or similar

Day 5 • The Cotswolds and Stratford-upon-Avon

Spend the morning in the Cotswolds, a stunning rural area renowned for lush rolling hills and beautifully maintained historic buildings and villages. The striking color of local structures—from grand manors and churches to humble single-family cottages—is due to the region's native honey-colored limestone. The buttery yellow stone is a signature feature that's distinguished the Cotswolds for centuries.

Then we continue to the home of the world's most influential writer—William Shakespeare.



OPTION: LONDON EYE & DINNER AT THE DUKE OF SUSSEX

Take a ride high above the Thames on the London Eye, before enjoying a 3-course dinner. \$119 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.



Steam train in Snowdonia National Park



Lake Windermere



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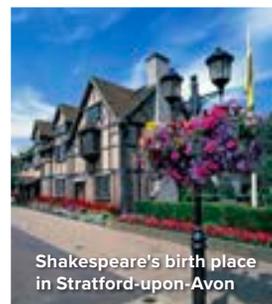
Stonehenge



Cotswold cottages



Liverpool



Shakespeare's birth place in Stratford-upon-Avon

Take a tour of Shakespeare's Birthplace, the restored 16th century home in Stratford-upon-Avon that the bard grew up in, and lived in with his wife and muse, Anne Hathaway. Hear family stories and live theatre recitals during your time in this charming home. The day ends with a delicious dinner at your hotel in Wales. (B, D)
◆ Ramada Plaza Wrexham or similar

Day 6 • North Wales

Go deep into the Welsh mountains today on a visit to breathtaking Snowdonia National Park. Take in its wild landscapes of mountains and incredibly lush Welsh oak forests. Its coastline is protected as a Special Area of Conservation, with rugged banks and a scattering of sand dunes in the park's mid-coast. Then enjoy a ride on the Ffestiniog Railway, one of "The Great Little Trains of Wales" through the heart of the park. You'll also learn about Wales' slate mining industry and history, with a tour 500 feet underground at Llechwedd Slate Caverns, an historical mine. The day ends with another included dinner at your hotel. (B, D)
◆ Ramada Plaza Wrexham or similar

Day 7 • Liverpool & The Lake District

Today we tour Liverpool, a port city from where over 9 million emigrants left England for a new life in America. You'll see the Liver building, the Headquarters of the Whitestar Shipping line where the *Titanic* was built, the Albert Docks, and the two cathedrals of Hope Street. This afternoon we arrive in one of the prettiest parts of England—the Lake District. A popular holiday destination for centuries, the district is the ultimate country retreat and the ideal place for poets and writers such as William Wordsworth, John Keats, and Beatrix Potter to write. (B, D)
◆ The Damson Dene Hotel or similar

Day 8 • Lake Windermere Cruise, the Beatrix Potter Gallery, and Hadrian's Wall

Cruise Lake Windermere, England's largest natural lake. Surrounded by mountains, it was historically one of the most popular places to "get out of town." Then, tour the Beatrix Potter Gallery and see many original works of the beloved author and illustrator displayed in the 17th-century house where her husband practiced law. Miss Potter was famous for writing *The Tale of Peter Rabbit* and dozens of other whimsical and illustrated books. Then, see the Roman-era Vallum Hadriani, or Hadrian's Wall. The stone remains of fortifications built by the Romans, the wall stretches 73 miles from coast to coast! (B)
◆ Jury Inn Newcastle or similar

Day 9 • Newcastle and Edinburgh

Your tour's final day dawns in Newcastle, Northeastern England's most populous city. A riverside city with an ancient Roman past (you can see sections of Hadrian's Wall from certain vantage points), Newcastle is full of fabulous sightseeing. On your guided tour this morning, see Gateshead Millennium Bridge, Tyne Bridge, imposing Newcastle, and the towering Cathedral Church of St. Nicholas. This afternoon, we arrive in Edinburgh, home to Edinburgh Castle, the fortress that dominates Edinburgh's skyline as a globally recognizable symbol of Scotland. The rest of the evening is at leisure until your included dinner. (B, D)
◆ Hampton by Hilton Edinburgh Airport or similar

Day 10 • Depart for Home

On certain tour dates, you may choose to combine this tour for an extended visit to

Scotland. If you are joining us for our Ultimate Great Britain tour, you will enjoy the opportunity to explore Edinburgh on your own today before joining our Sights of Scotland itinerary. (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- See Edinburgh and tour Edinburgh Castle, home of the Scottish Crown Jewels
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- Discover Loch Ness and take a scenic cruise
- Explore the ruins of Urquhart Castle
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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Scotland

Your journey begins on your overnight flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Edinburgh, Scotland

If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will greet you at the airport and transfer you to your hotel. The rest of the day is yours to spend at your leisure until the included welcome dinner at the hotel. (D)

◆ Hampton by Hilton Edinburgh Airport or similar

🚗 Day 3 • Edinburgh

Your first full day in Scotland starts with a comprehensive tour of Edinburgh. The beautifully maintained capital city is a UNESCO World Heritage site, and tour highlights include the Royal Scottish Academy, The Georgian House, St. Giles Cathedral, The Scottish Parliament, and Greyfriars Bobby. Your final stop this morning is Edinburgh Castle, home to the Scottish Crown Jewels, the Stone of Destiny, and Edinburgh’s oldest building, St. Margaret’s Chapel. Admission to the castle is included for you to enjoy a self-guided tour. The guided portion of the day concludes at lunchtime, after which you are free to remain in the city and explore on your own, or to join our afternoon optional tour. (B)

◆ Hampton by Hilton Edinburgh Airport or similar

🚗 Day 4 • Edinburgh to The Highlands

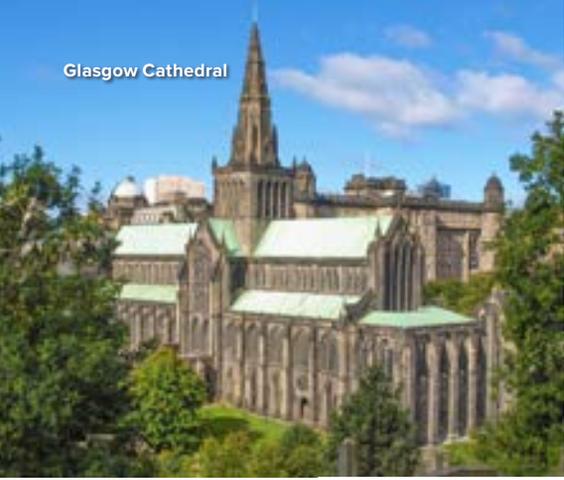
After a delicious breakfast, we’ll head to one of the most historically significant places in all of Britain—the iconic Scone Palace in Perth. Scone Palace is the home of the Earl of Mansfield, and has been the seat of parliaments and the crowning place of the Kings of Scots since the 9th century. Robert the Bruce was crowned at Scone in 1306, and the last coronation was of Charles II in 1651. Continue to the Highlands to enjoy some free time. Today also includes a visit to the Leault Working Sheepdogs Farm for a 45-minute demonstration of up to eight dogs working as a team to herd sheep and responding to their own personalized commands and individualized whistles. Meet the collie pups, see the orphan lambs and perhaps take part in shearing a sheep. Before you reach your hotel, you’ll see Britain’s tallest mountain range in Cairngorms National Park. (B, D)

◆ Highlander Hotel or similar

🚗 Day 5 • Loch Ness & Inverness

Enjoy stunning views of Inverness and the Moray Firth as you make your way into the Great Glen, and Loch Ness. Up to 755 feet deep at places, the murky lake has plenty of hiding space for the mythical Loch Ness Monster, or “Nessie,” as she has been referred to locally since her first sighting in 1933. You’ll take a short scenic cruise across the loch to Urquhart Castle, where you

Glasgow Cathedral



Whisky distillery



Isle of Skye



Street in Edinburgh



Collie herding sheep

will have time to explore the ruins dating back to the 13th century. Enjoy the afternoon at your own pace, taking in the sights of Inverness, the ancient capital of the Highlands, populated since 565 BC. (B)

◆ *Jurys Inn Inverness or similar*

OPTION: KILT FACTORY, HIGHLAND HOUSE OF FRASER, & DINNER
Take a guided tour of the Scottish Kiltmaker Visitor Centre and enjoy a fascinating insight into the history of the kilt. \$59 p/p. *Please add this option at time of booking.*



Day 6 • The Highlands

Our first stop this morning is the historic battlefield site of the bloody Battle of Culloden Moor. This brutal battle in April 1746 saw thousands of casualties and marked the end of the 60-year-long Jacobite Uprising against the English monarchy. Enjoy an innovative interactive exhibit about the battle, as well as area history at the Visitor Centre. Continue to Cawdor Castle, an ancient medieval fortress with three very different and extraordinary gardens. Explore the grounds on a guided tour before continuing to Glen Ord Whisky Distillery for an informative tour and tasting of beautiful Scotch Whisky—no trip to Scotland would be complete without it! (B, D)

◆ *Jurys Inn Inverness or similar*

Day 7 • Isle of Skye & Western Highlands

Today you'll visit one of the most ruggedly beautiful places in Scotland, the unforgettable Isle of Skye. Visit the Clan Donald Centre, a heritage center for what was the biggest clan in Scotland. A short ferry crossing will take you back to the mainland to continue to Inverary. (B)

◆ *Royal Hotel or similar*

Day 8 • Argyll & Glasgow

Today's itinerary takes you farther south along the rugged shoreline into Argyll. First, you will visit Inveraray Castle, built in 1743 in the Gothic Revival style. You'll enjoy seeing the extensive collection of pikes, muskets and other weaponry. There will also be a short break on the banks of Loch Lomond, the largest lake in the country. After leaving the tranquility of the Highlands, your trip takes you into Glasgow, the biggest city in Scotland. (B)

◆ *Alana Hotel or similar*

Day 9 • Glasgow

During a panoramic morning city tour, you will see the remnants of the monastery at Glasgow Cathedral and the Necropolis, an ancient cemetery in the middle of the city. You will also visit George Square, named after King George III and the de facto center of Glasgow. The rest of the afternoon is yours until our final sit-down Farewell Dinner (B, D)

◆ *Alana Hotel or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home

Bid farewell to Scotland and depart for home. On certain tour dates, you may choose to combine our Scotland and Ireland tours. If you are joining us for our Ultimate Scotland & Ireland tour, you will fly to Dublin on day 10 to join our Best of Ireland itinerary. (B)

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- Visit Waterford and the Waterford Crystal factory
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RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Dublin

Your journey begins on your overnight flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Dublin

Arrive in Dublin, capital city of the “Emerald Isle.” If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will welcome you and transport you to the hotel. Dublin is laid out perfectly for casual walkers, so shops, restaurants, the River Liffey, and many other highlights are easy to explore on foot at your leisure. This evening, relax over a welcome dinner with your fellow travelers and learn about the days ahead. (D)

◆ *Clayton Hotel Leopardstown or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Dublin

This morning, enjoy a tour of the highlights of this richly historical city. See the Bank of Ireland, built in the 18th century to house the Parliament; and Leinster House, where the government convenes today. Visit the famous St. Patrick's Cathedral, originally built in 450 AD and rebuilt in 1191. The afternoon is at leisure, giving you plenty of time to visit Trinity College, Henrietta Street's Georgian mansions, or to take a stroll down Grafton Street in the center of Dublin. (B)

◆ *Clayton Hotel Leopardstown or similar*

OPTION: IRISH EVENING AT
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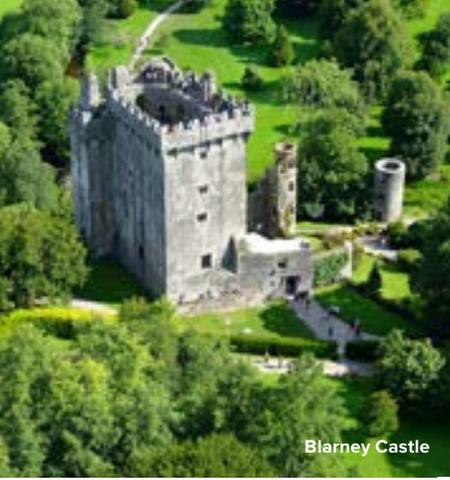
🚌 Day 4 • Dublin to Waterford

Today we head south to the Rock of Cashel—a cluster of historic ruins towering on a hilltop 200 feet above the surrounding plains. We then head to Waterford, the oldest city in Ireland, and home to the famous crystal. Enjoy an illuminating tour of the factory where you'll learn about the manufacturing process and Waterford's history. There will be time to browse the gift shop, and marvel at the largest Waterford Crystal collection in the world. (B)

◆ *Fitzwilton Hotel or similar*

🚌 Day 5 • Waterford to Killarney

This morning we continue to Cork for a guided Jameson Experience distillery tour of the Midleton Distillery. Learn about history, heritage, and the whiskey production process before enjoying a comparative tasting of Scotch, American and Jameson whiskey. Also included in today's visit is a complimentary drink at the bar! Next, we visit Blarney Castle, one of Ireland's oldest and most historic castles. You're free to climb the 125 steps of the spiral staircase to kiss the Blarney Stone, which legend says will grant you the quintessentially Irish “gift of the



Blarney Castle



Titanic Belfast



— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Belfast City Hall



Half Penny Bridge in Dublin



Giants Causeway



Dublin, Ireland

gab.” Our tour ends today in Killarney, our home for the next two nights. (B, D)

◆ *Killarney Oaks Hotel or similar*

Day 6 • Ring of Kerry Excursion

This morning take one of Europe’s most famous drives, the Ring of Kerry. This long loop takes us through spectacular scenery—lakes, rivers, historical landmarks, and charming villages on the Iveragh Peninsula. Back in Killarney this evening, you’re free to relax at the hotel or explore the quaint town at your leisure. (B)

◆ *Killarney Oaks Hotel or similar*

Day 7 • Killarney to Galway

Today we visit Bunratty Castle & Folk Park, where we’ll see one of the most complete and authentic medieval fortresses in the country. Built in 1425, the castle was restored in 1954 to its former glory. It now houses an exquisitely-detailed living history museum that gives you a taste of what country life was really like in turn-of-the-century Ireland. Next, drive through the scenic Burren area, stopping to view the picturesque Cliffs of Moher, sheer sea cliffs with incredible views of the north Atlantic. Arrive in the Galway area by late afternoon. (B, D)

◆ *The Connacht Hotel or similar*

Day 8 • Galway to Sligo

Today, we travel through the beautiful and rugged landscape of the Connemara region. We’ll visit the palatial Kylemore Abbey, nestled at the base of Druchruach Mountain, which took 100 craftsmen 4 years to complete. Our drive continues through Westport into the Sligo area by late afternoon. (B, D)

◆ *Yeats County Hotel or similar*

Day 9 • Sligo to Belfast

This morning, enjoy a short visit to Belleek Pottery, a porcelain company founded in 1884, for a lesson on its history—with time to buy souvenirs in their store. Next, visit the Ulster American Folk Park and learn about 300 years of Irish emigration to America. Continue to Belfast, your home for the next two nights. (B, D)

◆ *Park Inn Belfast or similar*

Day 10 • Giant’s Causeway

Today, we’ll enjoy a relaxing excursion along beautiful coastal roads, and take in the stunning seaside cliffs and endless Atlantic Ocean. We’ll spend time exploring the Giant’s Causeway, a UNESCO World Heritage Site with remarkable rock formations that tower up to 40 feet in the air. The stacks are said to be 50 million years old, and according to myth, were part of a road built by the legendary giant Finn MacCool. (B)

◆ *Park Inn Belfast or similar*

Day 11 • Belfast and Dublin

This morning we visit Titanic Belfast, the \$150 million *Titanic* visitor experience in the city where the unsinkable ship was built. You will see full-scale reconstructions and learn about the *Titanic*’s conception through to her tragic end in 1912. The journey continues to the discovery of the wreck, and into the present day with a live undersea exploration center. We will then enjoy a panoramic motor coach tour of Belfast, taking in the impressive Parliament buildings at Stormont, Belfast City Hall, and the murals of the Falls Road. In the afternoon, we drive south to Dublin for our final evening in Ireland, and a farewell dinner at the hotel. (B, D)

◆ *Clayton Hotel Leopardstown or similar*

Day 12 • Depart Dublin for Home (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- 4 nights in Athens with sightseeing
- Visit the most popular islands in Greece—2 nights in Mykonos & 2 nights in Santorini
- Visit the Acropolis & the Parthenon, along with the Acropolis Museum
- Explore the colorful cobbled streets of Plaka
- See spectacular 1000-foot volcanic cliffs and white domed churches and windmills
- Included island transfers by modern ferries across the Aegean Sea
- Additional optional sightseeing opportunities

INCLUDES

8 nights hotels, 8 breakfasts and 2 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, transfers to the islands, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



✈ Day 1 • Depart for Athens

Your vacation begins as you depart on your transatlantic flight. Overnight in flight.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Athens

Arrive in Athens, Greece, the land of great philosophers, artists and the birthplace of democracy. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, you will be transferred to your hotel where the balance of the day is at leisure.

This evening, you'll get a chance to meet all your fellow travelers and your YMT Tour Director at the welcome briefing and dinner at the hotel. (D)

◆ *Titania Hotel or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Athens

Enjoy a half-day sightseeing tour of Athens to observe the striking contrasts and history that make this such a fascinating city. You will see the Panathenaic Stadium where the first Olympic Games of modern times were held, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, Hadrian's Arch, the Parliament, the monument of the Unknown Soldier and Constitution Square. Then it's on to the most famous site in Athens—the Acropolis, atop which lies the stunning 2,500 year old Parthenon Temple built to honor the goddess Athena. Finally, this morning you will visit the new Acropolis Museum. The afternoon is at leisure and you are free to explore the Plaka district in the shadow of the Acropolis, Athens'

oldest and most picturesque neighborhood. The maze of cobblestone pedestrian streets is lined with shops, boutiques, souvenir stands and flea market stalls that beckon all who enter. You will have plenty of time to browse through the many shops and souvenir stalls or you can relax in one of the many tavernas or cafes. This evening you can experience an optional fun and entertaining Greek night. (B)

◆ *Titania Hotel or similar*

Day 4 • Athens Leisure Day

Today you will have the full day to explore more of this ancient city, or explore further afield. We recommend you join our full-day optional tour to Delphi and the Temple of Apollo, one of the most important archaeological sites in Greek history. Delphi was the center of the ancient world and is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site. It sits at the foot of mount Parnassus, in a landscape of unparalleled beauty and majesty overlooking the Gulf of Corinth. (B)

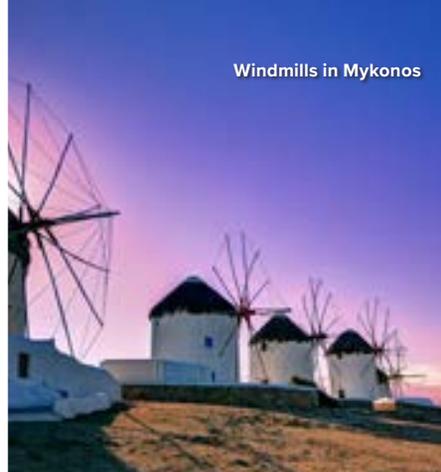
◆ *Titania Hotel or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Mykonos

This morning, we take the short drive to the port of Piraeus to board your ferryboat and cruise toward the islands. This afternoon, we arrive at the island of Mykonos, famous for its windmills, whitewashed buildings, and domed churches. This charming island is just 33 square miles, and has a resident population of around



Statues on the Parthenon



Windmills in Mykonos



Route
Overnight Stay



Cafe in Santorini



Donkeys



Santorini



Fabric shop in the Plaka, Athens

10,000. This evening, you can enjoy a plethora of exceptionally fresh seafood in the waterfront cafes and tavernas in the area of Mykonos Town known as Little Venice. (B)

◆ Hotel Kamari or similar

Day 6 • Mykonos Leisure Day

Today is yours to explore this magical island. We will have a morning optional tour to the neighboring Island of Delos, fabled birthplace of Artemis and Apollo. After the 45 minute boat ride, explore the ruins of the ancient Minoan civilization, including the Agora, temples of Apollo, the Hippodrome, amphitheater, and more. In the afternoon, you'll have plenty of time to explore more of the island or relax on one of the many sandy beaches. If you choose to explore on foot, the central part of Mykonos Town is closed to traffic during most of the day, and has whitewashed cubic houses, a labyrinth of narrow streets, beautiful churches, lovely chapels, and many purple bougainvillea. (B)

◆ Hotel Kamari or similar

Day 7 • Santorini

After breakfast at the hotel, this morning we leave Mykonos and take the fast ferry to the volcanic island of Santorini. Here you will arrive to witness the majesty of the island's spectacular 1,000-foot-high volcanic cliffs. Also famous for the vista of its stacked whitewashed houses of Fira (the main town) perched on the side of the caldera, Santorini is one of the most photographed Greek Islands. On the southern side of the island, the resorts of Kamari and Perissa are well known for their black volcanic sand and Santorini is also renowned for producing some of the best wine in Greece.

This evening you may want to book our exciting optional dinner cruise. (B)

◆ El Greco hotel or similar

Day 8 • Santorini Leisure Day

You have a full day to explore this unique island paradise at your own pace, or join our optional Island Highlights Tour where you'll visit and see all the main sights. These will include Akrotiri, a Bronze Age settlement that was destroyed by a volcanic eruption during the 17th century BC and was preserved in perfect condition; the Red Beach; and several beautiful traditional villages. Tonight, enjoy an included Farewell Dinner at a local restaurant with newfound friends. (B, D)

◆ El Greco hotel or similar



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Join your fellow travelers on a sunset cruise to the Santorini Caldera. Visit two volcanic islands before unwinding with dinner. \$99 p/p.
Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 9 • Santorini & Athens

The last morning in the islands is yours to relax on the beach, or explore the array of shops for last minute souvenirs and gifts before we head to the port around lunchtime for our early afternoon ferryboat departure for Athens. We arrive back late evening at the port of Piraeus and take the short transfer to Athens for the last overnight stay in Greece. (B)

◆ Titania Hotel or similar

Day 10 • Depart for Home

Transfer to Athens airport to check in for your return flight to the US. On certain tour dates,

you may choose to combine our Greece and Italy tours. If you are joining us for our Ultimate Greece & Italy tour, you will fly to Rome to join our Bella Italia itinerary. (B)

Note: Local regulations in Greece mandate that guests carry their own luggage on and off ferry boats.

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- See for yourself and marvel at the angle of the Leaning Tower of Pisa
- Explore the impressive sights at Bologna, Verona, and Milan

INCLUDES

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Day 1 • Depart for Rome

Your adventure begins as you depart the U.S. on your transatlantic flight. Overnight in flight.

Day 2 • Arrive in Rome

Arrive in historic Rome. This evening meet your fellow travelers and learn about the exciting days ahead, then relax over a tasty Italian dinner. (D)

◆ *Hotel H10 Roma or similar*

Day 3 • Vatican City

This morning, take a guided tour of Vatican City, home of the Pope. Explore the Vatican Museums, which house some of the most important and valuable art treasures in the world. Visit the Sistine Chapel to see floor-to-ceiling biblical frescoes painted by Michelangelo in around 1512, St. Peter’s Basilica and St. Peter’s Square. (B)

◆ *Hotel H10 Roma or similar*

Note: Touring the Vatican Museums requires walking up several staircases and 2-3 hours of walking.

Day 4 • Rome

A full-day sightseeing tour includes the highlights of this Eternal City. Today’s sights include outside views of the Roman Forum, once a marketplace and center of daily Roman life, and the Colosseum (entrances not included), the

Piazza Navona and the renowned Spanish Steps along with the fabled Trevi Fountain. (B)

◆ *Hotel H10 Roma or similar*

Day 5 • Orvieto and Montecatini Terme

Depart Rome this morning and travel north into the picturesque Umbrian countryside. We stop and take the funicular up to the ancient town of Orvieto, where you can explore the rich history of this charming town and admire a variety of Etruscan, Medieval, and Renaissance art. The Orvieto funicular (a cliff cable railway) first opened in 1888 and uses water and gravity to transport its cars up and down the hillside. We then continue north and by late afternoon arrive at Montecatini Terme, a beautiful spa town that was built around its mineral water springs, where we spend the next two nights. (B)

◆ *Hotel Tamerici & Principe or similar*

Day 6 • Florence and Pisa

Today’s full-day excursion starts with a short drive toward the Mediterranean coast and the city of Pisa. See the Leaning Tower of Pisa and enjoy a walking tour of Florence, during which you can see the 13th century Duomo with the Brunelleschi dome and Giotto’s Campanile (bell tower). See Ghiberti’s golden “Gates of



Rialto Bridge in Venice



Orvieto funicular



— Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Dinner in Rome



Leaning Tower of Pisa



Brunelleschi's Dome in the Florence Cathedral



Trevi Fountain

Paradise" doors at the marble-clad Baptistry of St. John, the Piazza della Signoria and the Ponte Vecchio, the medieval bridge spanning the River Arno, complete with shops built along it. (B)

◆ *Hotel Tamerici & Principe or similar*

Day 7 • Bologna and Venice

We drive northeast and stop in Bologna. Probably best known for its culinary tradition, Bologna also has an impressive history and is home to the world's oldest university, founded in 1088. Enjoy some time on your own and perhaps pasta with authentic bolognese sauce (ragu alla bolognese in Italian) before we continue toward the Adriatic coast. We'll arrive in the Venice area by late afternoon and will stay just a few miles across the lagoon from the historic city. (B, D)

◆ *Crowne Plaza Venice East or similar*

Day 8 • Venice

Enjoy a sightseeing tour of this amazing city, now a World Heritage Site, built on an archipelago of 117 islands in a lagoon. Formed by 177 canals and connected by 409 bridges, Venice is unique in Europe in having remained a sizable functioning city in the twenty-first century entirely without motorcars or trucks. Transfer by boat to St. Mark's Square where you'll begin your walking tour to see the lavish Doge's Palace, (entrance not included) and the fabled Bridge of Sighs as well as the Rialto Bridge, Venice's oldest, spanning the Grand Canal. This afternoon you are free to wander through the labyrinth of canals and alleyways, lined with boutiques and souvenir shops, or perhaps relax and "people watch" over an espresso or tasty Italian gelato.

If you want to get out on the water, there are a variety of boat rides available (not included) from water taxis to the traditional gondolas. By the end of the day you'll be truly inspired by the history and romance of this wonderful city. (B)

◆ *Crowne Plaza Venice East or similar*

OPTION: MURANO & BURANO TOUR
 Get to know the exquisite glasswork of Murano and watch how the glassblowers create their art crafts. Continue onto the colorful streets of Burano. \$39 p/p. *Please add this option at time of booking.*

Day 9 • Verona & Milan

Today we head through the lush northern Italian landscape to Verona. A city best known as the setting for Shakespeare's *Romeo and Juliet*, it also offers wonderful examples of Medieval and Renaissance art and architecture. Our walking tour includes the Duomo (cathedral), Piazza delle Erbe with the famous Torre dei Lamberti (high tower), and of course the house of Juliet, with its famous balcony. Continue west to Milan, capital of the region of Lombardy. Your panoramic sightseeing tour highlights will include Piazza del Duomo, the main central square surrounded by several important buildings, such as Milan's Gothic cathedral and the Royal Palace of Milan. You'll also have a chance to see Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, an impressive and ornate indoor shopping arcade built in 1865, as well as La Scala Opera House. (B, D)

◆ *Crowne Plaza Milan Malpensa or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for Home (B)

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Days 1 & 2 • Overnight flight from US to Munich

Welcome to Germany, where your journey begins! If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. The evening is yours to enjoy until guests are invited to sit down for a dinner at the hotel. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D, B)

◆ *Grand Hotel Palladium or similar*

Day 3 • Munich to Nuremberg

Start the day with a city tour of Munich, known for its hearty German cuisine, beer and the original Oktoberfest. It also has a vibrant art scene and beautifully preserved architecture.

Next, take a tour of Nuremberg, a place that Martin Luther once claimed, "shines throughout Germany like a sun among the moon and stars." Once the preferred seat of German kings, and a major city for the Roman Empire, Nuremberg is full of history—which you can taste for yourself by sampling its 600-year old recipe for Nuremberg Lebkuchen, the local version of gingerbread.

◆ *Bomonti Hotel Nürnberg-West or similar*

Day 4 • Heidelberg to Frankfurt

En route to Frankfurt, stop in enchanting Heidelberg for a city tour and lunch on your

own. Home to a beautiful baroque old town, Germany's oldest university, and the stunning Heidelberg Castle, it is one of Germany's most popular tourist destinations. (B)

◆ *Intercity Frankfurt Airport or similar*

Day 5 • Frankfurt to Bonn

Enjoy a morning tour of Frankfurt, where you see the Römer, a medieval building that has served as Frankfurt's city hall for over 600 years; Frankfurt Cathedral, a glorious example of Gothic Roman Catholic architecture, and St. Paul's Church, where President Kennedy made a stirring speech in 1963. (B)

◆ *Hilton Bonn or similar*

Day 6 • Embarkation in Cologne (Departs at 5:00 PM)

Take a morning trip to Königswinter, a nearby mountain resort area. It's the perfect place to take a stroll, or enjoy an optional funicular ride to Schloss Drachenburg, a private villa built in the late 1800s and styled to look like a palace. Embark on the *Arosa Aqua* this evening.

Day 7 • Enkhuizen, Netherlands (2:00 PM – 11:00 PM)

The IJsselmeer is an inland lake that was created by diking the Wadden Sea and the Zuiderzee bay, where you'll find the lovely little town of Enkhuizen. Enkhuizen was once a significant outpost for the Dutch East India Company, who built it up beautifully during the 17th century.



Nuremberg, Germany



Heidelberg, Germany



Nijmegen, Netherlands



Gravensteen Castle



A-ROSA Aqua

There is still ample evidence of the town's historic legacy in its architecture and port.

Day 8 • Zaanstad and Amsterdam, Netherlands (6:00 AM – Noon) (1:00 PM – 11:00PM)

Today, after a brief stop in the historic shipbuilding city of Zaanstad, we continue to the magical city of Amsterdam. Discover the charm of the renowned Amsterdam canals, which provide an ideal vantage point to see the city's wonderful architecture. The capital of the Netherlands, Amsterdam is widely considered to be one of Europe's most sophisticated cities.

Day 9 • Rotterdam, Netherlands (8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

After sustaining heavy damage in WWII, Rotterdam opted to reimagine rather than simply rebuild its destroyed structures. The result is an architecturally extraordinary city, with nearly 80 years' worth of projects that set it apart and make it one of the best places in the world to see interesting and impressive modern buildings.

Day 10 • Ghent, Belgium (7:00 AM – 6:30 PM)

A delightful Flemish city, Ghent is home to more than 100 churches and over 400 historic buildings. The most famous is the moated Castle of the Counts, known locally as Gravensteen. Go to the top of the 12th century castle for some of the best views in Ghent, while the interior houses a museum that gives visitors incredible insight into the daily struggles of medieval life.

Day 11 • Antwerp, Belgium (3:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Rich in art and culture, Antwerp is also known as the "Diamond City" due to its role in the global diamond trade. Its diamond district covers a

full mile, and is where approximately 84% of the world's rough diamonds are cut. Antwerp is nearly as good at food as precious gems. The city is particularly enjoyable for foodies thanks to the many Belgian specialties on offer – including waffles, chocolates, and the legendary Belgian fries—be sure to try a wide variety of dips.

Day 12 • Nijmegen, Netherlands (7:00 AM – 1:00 PM)

One of Europe's oldest cities, ancient Nijmegen celebrated its 2,000th birthday in 2005. Visitors will encounter far more than just ancient history on today's port stop. The shopping is excellent, there is a large selection of outdoor cafes to enjoy in one of the country's warmest cities, and the views of the Rhine are breathtaking.

Day 13 • Düsseldorf, Germany (Disembark at 6:00 AM)

After disembarking this morning, your day continues with a city tour of Cologne, one of Germany's most important metropolitan regions. You'll learn about how this former Roman province and influential medieval and Renaissance era trade base was nearly wiped out during WWII. Virtually all of Cologne's buildings were built after the war, and the landscape is characterized by simple post-war buildings, with just a few pre-war buildings that were either rebuilt or untouched during Allied air raids. Don't miss the spired Cathedral Church of Saint Peter, which was rebuilt after the war and is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site and Germany's most visited landmark.

Continue to Düsseldorf, a riverfront village that over the past century has transformed into one of Germany's most sophisticated cities. It is the heart of the country's media and fashion

industries, and you will see many sharply dressed locals both on your city tour and later at your farewell dinner feast. (D)

♦ Wyndham Garden Duesseldorf City or similar

Day 14 • Depart for Home (B)

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 **Day 1 • Depart US**

 **Day 2 • Arrive in Frankfurt, Germany**

Welcome to Germany, where your journey begins! If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to your hotel in Frankfurt, a truly charming international city full of museums, shops, and restaurants that cater to English speakers. The evening is yours to enjoy until guests are invited to sit down for a delicious dinner at the hotel. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Intercity Frankfurt Hotel or similar*

 **Day 3 • Frankfurt to Bonn**

Enjoy a morning tour of Frankfurt, where you see the Römer, a medieval building that has served as Frankfurt's city hall for over 600 years; Frankfurt Cathedral, an example of Gothic Roman Catholic architecture; and St. Paul's Church. Keep an eye to the skyline: 14 out of 15 of Germany's tallest buildings can be found in Frankfurt.

Enjoy lunch on your own in Bonn, the charming former capital of West Germany and the birthplace of legendary composer Ludwig van Beethoven. (B)

◆ *Hilton Bonn or similar*

  **Day 4 • Embarkation in Cologne**
(Departs at 4:00 PM)

Take a morning trip to Königswinter, a nearby mountain resort area. It's the perfect place to take a stroll, or you can enjoy an optional funicular ride to the posh Schloss Drachenburg, a private villa built in the late 1800s and styled to look like the ultimate fairytale palace. Surrounded by lush gardens bordered by a dense forest, you'd be wise to keep your eyes peeled for long-haired maidens and lovesick princes. Embark on the A-Rosa *Silva* this evening, which boasts delicious food, a casual atmosphere, comfortable cabins, and incredible views. (B)

 **Days 5 & 6 • Antwerp, Belgium**
(2:30 PM – Next Day 4:00 PM)

Rich in art and culture, Antwerp is also known as the "Diamond City" due to its role in the global diamond trade. Its sprawling diamond district covers a full mile, and is where approximately 84% of the world's rough diamonds are cut. Antwerp is nearly as good at food as precious gems. The city is particularly enjoyable for foodies thanks to the many tasty Belgian specialties on offer—including waffles, chocolates, and the legendarily tasty Belgian fries—be sure to try them with a wide variety of dipping sauces!

History buffs love Antwerp, as well. It is packed with innovative museums, including the Museum



Cologne, Germany



Frankfurt, Germany



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Amsterdam, Netherlands



Bonn, Germany



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Plantin-Moretus, devoted to printing and the only museum in the world that is itself recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Visitors will also enjoy The Museum aan de Stroom, or MAS, a unique museum-gallery whose 10th floor observation deck offers the best views in the city. Antwerp's historic buildings include the Antwerp Zoo, which opened in 1843 and is one of the world's oldest zoos; Renaissance-style City Hall, which dates back to the 16th century; and most famously, the 14th century Cathedral of Our Lady.

Day 7 • Amsterdam, Netherlands
 (8:30 AM – 6:30 PM)

Today we continue to the magical city of Amsterdam. Discover the charm of the renowned Amsterdam canals, which provide an ideal vantage point to see the city's wonderful architecture. The capital of the Netherlands, Amsterdam is widely considered to be one of Europe's most sophisticated cities. Take an included trip to the breathtaking Keukenhof Flower Garden in nearby Lisse to enjoy one of the world's largest flower gardens. This 79-acre oasis is planted with 7 million bulbs annually. It is most famous for its tulips, but the colorful springtime bloom also highlights hyacinths, daffodils, lilies, roses, carnations, and irises.

Day 8 • Düsseldorf, Germany
 (4:30 PM – 11:00 PM)

Spend the day in Düsseldorf, a riverfront village that over the past century has transformed into one of Germany's best-loved cities. It is the heart of the country's media and fashion industries, and you will see many sharply dressed locals during your free time this afternoon and evening.

If you want to experience the German version of British tea time, take a seat in a cafe and enjoy a leisurely *kaffee und kuchen*, or coffee and cake. You can't go wrong with a big slice of streuselkuchen, or streusel cake, the most traditional option.

Day 9 • Cologne, Germany
 (Disembark at 6:00 AM)

After disembarking this morning, your day continues with an informative city tour of Cologne, one of Germany's most important metropolitan regions. You'll learn about how this former Roman province and influential medieval and Renaissance era trade base was nearly wiped out during WWII. Virtually all of Cologne's buildings were built after the war, and the landscape is characterized by simple and modest post-war buildings, with just a few pre-war buildings that were either rebuilt or miraculously untouched during Allied air raids. Don't miss the spectacularly spired Cathedral Church of Saint Peter, which was rebuilt after the war and is now a UNESCO World Heritage Site and Germany's most visited landmark.

While you're here, we recommend partaking in Kölsch, Cologne's official beer, served in a traditional 200ml glass, called a Stangen, while you're here. "Zum wohl!" means "to your health," and is a very common toast.

Join your fellow travelers this evening for a delicious included farewell feast overnight in Dusseldorf. (D)

◆ *Wyndham Garden or similar*

Day 10 • Depart for US from Düsseldorf (B)

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Days 1 • Depart for Germany

Your journey begins on an overnight flight to Europe.

Days 2 • Arrive in Munich

Welcome to Germany! If you purchased airline tickets through YMT Vacations, a friendly representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to your hotel in Munich, one of the world's most lively cities. The evening is yours to enjoy, guests are invited to sit down for a dinner at the hotel. Get acquainted with your traveling companions and learn about the exciting days ahead. (D)

◆ *Leonardo Hotel or similar*

Day 3 • Munich to Salzburg, Austria

Start the morning with breakfast in Munich, well known for its German cuisine, beer specialties, and the original Oktoberfest; it also has a vibrant art scene and beautifully preserved architecture.

From there, travel to Salzburg for a city tour of this stunning ancient capital. First settled during the Neolithic Age, it has been home to Celts, Romans, and the singing von Trapp family in the many centuries since. See the Salzach River, the Baroque and Gothic architecture of Salzburg's Altstadt area, and the Alpine views that make Salzburg a popular tourist destinations.

In addition, Salzburg was home to one of the most beloved musicians in history—Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart. Mozart's presence is still felt here—walk the same cobblestone streets as the young genius, visit museums devoted to his work and early years, or simply enjoy a performance at one of the many restaurants that offer live music in a variety of genres. (B)

◆ *Austria Trend Hotel Europa Wien or similar*

Day 4 • Embarkation in Salzburg (Departs at 5:00 PM)

Fans of the von Trapp family, or just of Julie Andrews' awe-inspiringly beautiful singing voice, are sure to enjoy today's *Sound of Music* tour, where guests will learn the real history behind the beloved musical.

Get settled on the A-ROSA's *Donna* this evening and set off down the Danube.

Day 5 • Vienna, Austria (1:00 PM – 7:00 PM)

Today is yours to enjoy Vienna, one of history's greatest cities, whose impact on the world's music and culture cannot be overstated. Ample evidence remains of the role it played as the grand setting for classical performances by Mozart, Ludwig van Beethoven, and Johannes Brahms. It is home to opulent palaces like the Hofburg, and the stunning Vienna State Opera House. In addition, Vienna is full of museums:



Munich, Germany



Kreams, Austria



Budapest, Hungary



Bratislava, Slovakia



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you can find institutions devoted to music, art, history, dance, the Habsburgs, and of course Sigmund Freud, the Vienna-based neurologist whose controversial theories on psychology became infamous. Vienna is also home to the magnificent Schönbrunn Palace, once the main summer residence of the Habsburg rulers.

Day 6 • Budapest, Hungary

(12:30 PM – 6:30 PM)

Today, enjoy Budapest, Hungary's history-rich capital city, at your leisure. Budapest was once two distinct cities on opposite sides of the Danube—Buda, on one bank, was characterized by rolling hills and valleys; and Pest, on the other, with its flatter landscape, offered a panoramic view over the banks of the Danube.

Everywhere you look, experience fascinating history, spectacular architecture, and fantastic natural beauty—not to mention delicious regional cuisine. The Danube provides Budapest with an abundance of fresh carp, the star of the unmissable, flavorful, strikingly red (thanks to locally grown and vibrantly crimson paprika) Fisherman's Soup. Sit down to a steaming bowl, or another Hungarian specialty like goulash or delicious fried Lángos, topped with savory ingredients like mashed potatoes and sausages.

Day 7 • Bratislava, Slovakia

(12:30 AM – 6:00 PM)

Today you get to experience Slovakia's beautiful riverside city of Bratislava. Explore the ancient palaces and stunningly colorful Old Town of this forest-ringed capital. Bordered by the Small Carpathia mountains and beautiful lowland vineyards, Bratislava is one of Europe's most appealing destinations, despite its under-the-radar reputation.

Day 8 • Kreams, Austria & Melk, Austria
(8:00 AM – 8:30 AM) & (12:30 PM – 1:00 PM)

Tiny Kreams is packed with history dating back to the 10th century, when it was first mentioned as an imperial fortress. In addition, it has long been a longtime producer of fine wines, and is home to many extremely well-regarded wineries.

Next, come to the lovely town of Melk. Famous for its towering baroque Melk Abbey, an 11th-century Benedictine abbey perched on a rocky outcrop above the Danube with a spectacular view, Melk's Old Town is full of a variety of historic buildings, nearly all of which boast stunning river views.

Day 9 • Disembark in Engelhartzell & Travel to Munich

After disembarking in Engelhartzell on the Danube in Austria, return to Munich, which you will explore on an illuminating city tour. See the beautiful Baroque Nymphenburg Palace, Marienplatz, the heart of Munich's Old Town, Munich Residenz, Germany's largest city palace, Hofgarten, the court garden completed in 1617, and Frauenkirche, a local landmark church famous for its lofty towers. Enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers at the original Hofbräuhaus, Munich's second largest tourist attraction. The historical tavern features authentic food and dirndl-clad waitresses.

◆ Olympia Park Hotel or similar

Day 10 • Depart for Home (B)



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Paris • Versailles • Burgundy Region • Dijon and Beaune • Lyon • Arles • Chalons-sur-Saône • Mâcon • Trévoux • Châteauneuf-du-Pape • Avignon • aboard A-ROSA Cruises' *Stella*

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Days 1 & 2 • Fly to Paris, France

After your overnight flight, arrive in the "City of Light." Guests who have booked their air with YMT will be greeted at the airport and transported to their hotel. Tonight, enjoy the included welcome dinner at your hotel, with the rest of the night at leisure. (D)

◆ *Hotel Apogia Paris or similar*

Day 3 • Full Day Sightseeing in Paris

This morning your Tour Director will take you on a half-day panoramic tour of Paris. See the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe in the center of the *Etoile* (Star) where 12 avenues come together in a big traffic roundabout. Marvel at Montmartre with the Cathedral Sacre Coeur, and learn all about the *rive gauche* and *rive droite* sides of Paris. The afternoon is at leisure for you to explore the city on your own. (B)

◆ *Hotel Apogia Paris or similar*

Day 4 • Paris to Dijon

This morning, see the Court of Versailles where the Sun King once reigned, followed by his two successors and the famous Marie Antoinette. Take a self-guided audio tour through the palace; see the Hall of Mirrors and the Grand Apartment, and enjoy lunch on your own nearby.

Then it's off to Dijon with its elegant medieval and Renaissance buildings, your home for the

night. Perhaps enjoy an evening stroll on your own. (B)

◆ *Hotel Mercure Dijon Centre Clémenceau or similar*

Day 5 • Dijon and Beaune to Lyon for Embarkation

A short drive this morning leads to the beautiful village of Beaune where two highlights of Burgundy await. Explore the astonishing world of France's favorite condiment, Dijon Mustard. Visit the family-owned Faillot mustard factory and learn all about the many varieties of the original. Then, visit the *Hotel Dieu*, arguably one of the finest Renaissance buildings in the world. It is also one of the most fascinating historic museums of Europe. Continue to Lyon where the crew of the A-ROSA *Stella* waits to greet you with a complimentary rose for your cabin, as is A-ROSA tradition. Settle into your cabin and explore the ship before dinner. In the evening, the *Stella* will leave the port and take you on a panoramic cruise of Old Town Lyon. (B)

Day 6 • Chalons-sur-Saône

(12:00 PM – 10:00 PM)

After settling in to your cabin on the *Stella* and enjoying the morning on the river, your first stop is charming Chalons-sur-Saône. Known as the birthplace of photography, this historical and charming town welcomes you with its lively and relaxed atmosphere.



Dijon, France



The Eiffel Tower



Beaune, France



Lyon, France



Arles Amphitheatre



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Day 7 • Mâcon (2:00 AM – 2:00 PM) Trévoux (6:00 PM – 7:00 PM) and Lyon (Arrive 10:00 PM)

Wake up in Mâcon, where much of France's best chardonnay is produced. These local wines pair beautifully with regional dishes. The most famous dishes include boeuf bourguignon—a particular favorite of Julia Child—and Escargots à la Bourguignonne. Burgundy snails cooked in a flavorful combination of butter, parsley, and plenty of garlic are nothing short of magnificent. After a short stop in Trévoux, you'll arrive in Lyon.

Day 8 • Lyon (Depart 2:00 PM)

This morning wake up in Lyon with ample time to explore this beautiful city while the *Stella* stays in port. The old town "Vieux Lyon" features Renaissance houses and is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The city is known for its high-quality silk products and the Basilica of Notre-Dame de Fourvière, which sits above the city. Wander into town on your own, or perhaps take a bike tour along the river or use your onboard credit to enjoy a massage!

Day 9 • Châteauneuf-du-Pape (10:30 AM – 11:00 AM) and Avignon (Arrive 1:30 PM)

After a very brief stop in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, this afternoon we will arrive in Avignon. You can find an extraordinary collection of monuments, and Avignon's world-famous bridge, the Pont Saint-Bénézet, also known as the Pont d'Avignon. The wooden structure built in the late 12th century spans the Rhône between Villeneuve-lès-Avignon and Avignon, and is one of the few bridges to have ever inspired a hit song. "Sur le pont d'Avignon" has been a favorite amongst French children for centuries.

Avignon will also be the starting point for an optional excursion into the lavender regions of Sault and Senanque. Purple as far as the eyes can see and a heavy lavender scent in the air, that is France at its best!

Day 10 • Avignon (Depart 12:00PM) and Arles (3:30 PM - 9:00 PM)

Spend the morning in Avignon. The city is ringed by incredibly preserved 800-year-old stone ramparts; erected to keep the plague and invaders out during the turbulent Middle Ages. In addition, because of the Avignon Papacy when seven popes opted to reside in Avignon rather than Rome, the city is full of magnificent churches, art, and architecture.

Next, travel to the colorful town of Arles, which you'll be able to recognize in some of the world's most famous paintings. Vincent van Gogh painted Arles in 187 of his works. Long before Van Gogh, the Romans had discovered Arles' beauty and made it their provincial capital. The impressive amphitheatre is one of Arles' main attractions; it is best explored on foot.

Day 11 • Viviers (8:00 AM – 8:30 AM) and La Voulte-sur-Rhône (12:30 PM – 1:30 PM)

Enjoy your morning in picturesque Viviers. Located in the Rhône Ardeche region, the beautiful walled city is home to a cathedral dating back to the 12th century and an ancient bridge dating back to the 3rd century.

You'll also have a bit of time to visit La Voulte-sur-Rhône, a tiny town beloved by paleontologists for its extraordinary collection of fossilized Jurassic sealife.

Day 12 • Disembark in Lyon and Depart for Home

It is time to say goodbye to the crew of the A-ROSA and return home from Lyon Airport.

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Day 1 • Depart US for Prague

◆ Overnight in flight

Day 2 • Arrive in Prague

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◆ Duo Hotel Prague or similar

Day 3 • Prague

Explore this incredible red-roofed city on a guided tour. Founded in the 7th century, Prague played a major part in the Protestant reformation, the Holy Roman empire, the Austro-Hungarian empire, both World Wars, and even the Hapsburg Dynasty. See castles, grand cathedrals, ancient bridges, and Prague's historic center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Continue on to Nuremberg for a two-night stay. (B)

◆ Park Plaza Nuremberg or similar

Day 4 • Nuremberg

Martin Luther once claimed that Nuremberg “shines throughout Germany like a sun among the moon and stars,” a sentiment visitors to this vibrant historic village are certain to agree with. Enjoy an illuminating city tour and see the Nuremberg medieval walls, St. Lawrence Church, Old Town Hall, and Albrecht-Durer-Platz. (B)

◆ Park Plaza Nuremberg or similar

Day 5 • Nuremberg Cathedral and Transfer to Engelhartszell for Embarkation (5:00 PM)

This morning, you'll have some time to take a self-guided tour of the Imperial Castle of Nuremberg, the symbol of the city. One of the most important imperial castles of the Holy Roman Empire, it is considered to be one of Europe's most formidable medieval fortifications. Explore the Palace and see the Knight's Hall, double chapel, and continue to the upper floor for the Imperial Castle Museum and more. Then, transfer to nearby Engelhartszell to board the A-ROSA *Donna*. (B)

Day 6 • Vienna (Arrive 1:00 PM)

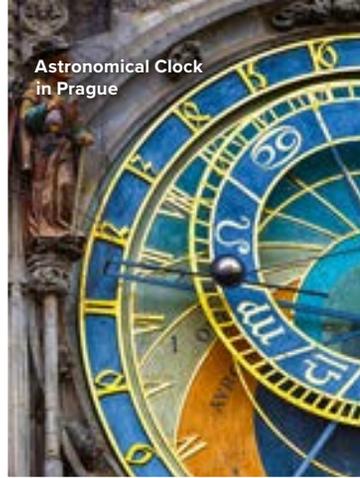
After a night and morning of tranquil cruising and navigating the river locks, the rest of the day is yours to enjoy Vienna. You may choose to explore the imperial city on our optional city tour (additional cost). Return to the ship for dinner and perhaps join fellow travelers on an optional outing to a “Heurigen”—a local wine pub with traditional Viennese live music.

Day 7 • Vienna and Evening Departure to Esztergom (Depart 6:30 PM)

Enjoy a full day in Vienna! This classical city of music, waltz, and the royal Hapsburg dynasty has a lot to offer. Join an optional tour of the Imperial Palace of Schoenbrunn, or if you prefer,



Nuremberg



Astronomical Clock in Prague



Linderhof Palace



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venture into town or perhaps take a spin on the famous Ferris wheel at the Prater.

Day 8 • Esztergom (8:00 AM – 10:30 AM) to Budapest (Arrive 3:00 PM)

Savor breakfast as the ship docks in Esztergom. One of Hungary's oldest cities, Esztergom is home to the Basilica, the main Roman Catholic church of Hungary. The *Donna* will continue to nearby Budapest, one of the most beautiful cities in Europe. This World Heritage Site includes the banks of the Danube, the Buda Castle Quarter, Andrassy Avenue, Heroes' Square and the Millennium Underground Railway.

Day 9 • Budapest (Depart 6:00 PM)

Enjoy a leisurely morning in Budapest. Perhaps join an optional excursion to the Hungarian countryside, "the Puszta," to visit a horse-breeding farm and see presentations of the local Hungarian cowboys.

Day 10 • Bratislava (12:00 PM – 5:00 PM)

Wake up in Slovakia and spend the day discovering beautiful Bratislava! Join a city tour to the towering castle and Old Town, or walk in the historic town center on your own.

Day 11 • Wachau Passage to Melk (12:00 PM – 4:00 PM)

After breakfast, a cruise highlight awaits as the *Donna* glides through the UNESCO World Heritage Site of the Wachau region. Surrounded by apricot orchards, marvel at Duernstein where once King Richard Lion Heart was held captive. Then, arrive in Melk for a wonderful view of the monastery that towers over the Danube. Enjoy your last night aboard en route to Engelhartzell.

Day 12 • Disembarkation in Engelhartzell (7:00 AM) and Munich Tour

Your final day takes you through Munich, known for its hearty German cuisine, exceptional beers, and the original Oktoberfest; it also has a vibrant art scene and beautifully-preserved architecture. Explore Munich on an illuminating city tour, where you will see the beautiful Baroque Nymphenburg Palace, Marienplatz, the heart of Munich's Old Town, Munich Residenz, Germany's largest city palace, Hofgarten, the court garden completed in 1617, and Frauenkirche, a local landmark church famous for its lofty towers.

◆ Leonardo Hotel Munich City South or similar

Day 13 • Munich Leisure Day

Enjoy a full day at leisure to relax and explore this magnificent city at your own pace before the included farewell dinner at your hotel. (B, D)

◆ Leonardo Hotel Munich City South or similar

Day 14 • Depart for Home (B)



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Paris • Versailles • Burgundy Region • Dijon and Beaune • Lyon • Avignon • Provence • Arles • aboard A-ROSA Cruises' *Stella*

Sightseeing in Paris followed by a river cruise through the heart of Provence and French wine country, as made famous in the works of Vincent Van Gogh. Sounds wonderful, doesn't it? This picture-perfect vacation is designed to give travelers a complete experience of France in just 8 nights: Paris, Versailles, Dijon, Lyon, Avignon, and more!

Days 1 & 2 • Fly to Paris, France

After your overnight flight, arrive in the "City of Light." Guests who booked their air with YMT will be greeted at the airport and transported to their hotel. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for an included welcome dinner at your hotel; the remainder of the night is at leisure. (D)

◆ *Hotel Apogia Paris or similar*

Day 3 • Full Day Sightseeing in Paris

This morning your Tour Director will take you on a half-day panoramic tour of Paris. See the Eiffel Tower and the Arc de Triomphe in the center of the *Etoile*, or star, where 12 avenues come together in a big traffic roundabout; marvel at Montmartre, with the Cathedral Sacre Coeur; and learn all about the *rive gauche* and *rive droite* sides of Paris during your tour. The afternoon is at leisure for you to explore the city on your own or join one of our optional tours. (B)

◆ *Hotel Apogia Paris or similar*

Day 4 • Paris to Dijon

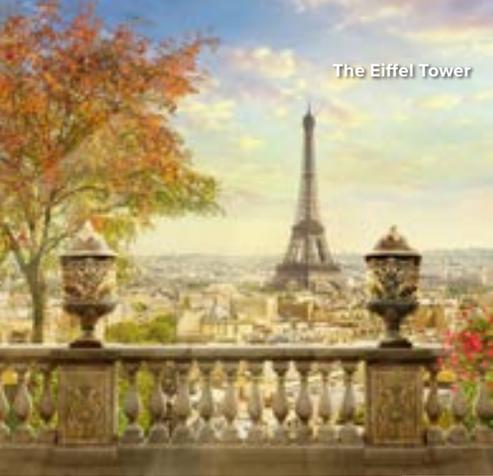
This morning you are invited to the Court of Versailles where the Sun King once reigned, and where Marie Antoinette held court. Take a self-guided audio tour through the palace and see the Hall of Mirrors and the Grand Apartment.

Then it is off to Dijon, with its elegant medieval and Renaissance buildings, your home for the night. You may choose to enjoy an evening stroll on your own and find the lucky owl at Notre Dame de Dijon. Legend has it that the owl's touch will make your wishes come true. (B)

◆ *Hotel Mercure Dijon Centre Clémenceau or similar*

Day 5 • Dijon and Beaune to Lyon

A short drive this morning leads to the beautiful village of Beaune, where two highlights of Burgundy await. Explore the astonishing world of France's favorite condiment—the Dijon mustard. Visit the family-owned Faillot mustard factory to learn all about the many varieties of the original. Then, visit the Hotel Dieu. Arguably one of the finest Renaissance buildings in the world, it is also one of the most fascinating historic museums of Europe. In addition, it is still a working hospital where everyone receives care despite their ability to pay. Sparked by the idea of modern tax deductible charity of its time, it was once a hospital, pharmacy, and almshouse at the same time. Throughout the years, it became a wealthy trust that, amongst other things, counts the most expensive vineyard in Burgundy among its assets. Then, on to Lyon where the A-ROSA *Stella* awaits you. Get settled in your cabin and explore the ship a bit before dinner, or perhaps



The Eiffel Tower



Grand Hall Ballroom in the Palace of Versailles



..... Cruise Route
 — Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop



Avignon, France



Paris, France



Hotel Dieu in Beaune



A-ROSA Stella

take a stroll around Lyon for a glass of wine or coffee at a local bar. In the evening, the *Stella* will leave the port and take you on a panoramic cruise of Old Town Lyon. (B)

Day 6 • Viviers (1:00 PM – 7:00 PM)

After enjoying cruising on the river overnight and this morning, your first stop is picturesque Viviers. Located in the Rhône Ardeche region where the two rivers briefly merge, the beautiful walled city is home to a cathedral dating back to the 12th century, and an ancient bridge dating back to the 3rd century. The flat area is an ideal starting point for a guided bike tour that you can book onboard or an excursion to a nearby grotto and lavender farm.

Day 7 • Châteauneuf-du-Pape (12:30 AM – 12:00 PM) and Avignon (2:00 PM – 10:00 PM)

Spend the morning in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, a historic village that produces numerous varieties of exquisite wines. The lovely town is almost as famous for its stunning scenery!

In the afternoon, we will arrive in Avignon where the brightly-lit monuments and the famed bridge will astound you. “On the bridge of Avignon, we all dance there,” the words of a 15-century folk song pay tribute to the unbridled joie de vivre at the foot of the Palace of the Popes—a zest for life that is still very much alive today. Ringed by incredibly preserved 800 year old stone ramparts, graceful Avignon’s turn as the seat of papal power bestowed upon the city a treasury of magnificent art and architecture. The ramparts were erected to keep the plague and invaders out during the turbulent Middle Ages.

Day 8 • Arles (1:00 AM - 12:00 PM)

Wake up in Arles, the southernmost point of your cruise. Even if you have never been here before, you’re sure to recognize pictures of it. Vincent Van Gogh painted Arles in 187 of his works. Long before Van Gogh, the Romans had discovered Arles’ beauty and built the impressive amphitheater, one of the main attractions today.

Day 9 • Vienne (9:00 AM - 9:30 AM) to Lyon (Arrive 1:00 PM)

A quick stop in Vienne lets off guests who choose to partake in shore excursions from here, then it is off to beautiful Lyon, where you will have ample time to explore. The old town “Vieux Lyon” features Renaissance houses and is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. The city is known for its high quality silk products and the Basilica of Notre-Dame de Fourvière, which sits above the city; you can discover both with an optional organized city tour.

Day 10 • Disembark in Lyon and Depart for Home

Say goodbye to the crew of the *Stella* and return home from Lyon Airport. Your YMT Cruise Host will assist with your transfer arrangements, which are included for guests who have booked air with YMT.



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Oct 20	SOLD OUT	SOLD OUT	\$2,749
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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy a walking tour in Sintra and Obidos
- Stroll the ancient grounds and library of Universidad de Coimbra, one of the world's oldest universities
- Cruise the Douro Valley's UNESCO-recognized wine region and enjoy a port wine tasting
- Explore the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Fatima, an important pilgrimage site

INCLUDES

7-night river cruise aboard A-ROSA Cruises' *Alva*, 5-night land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the ship, 4 breakfast, 1 lunch and 1 dinner on the land portion and all meals and select drinks while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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Lisbon • Sintra • Obidos • Leiria • Coimbra • Porto • Douro River Valley • Régua • Pinhão • Vega de Terrón • Barca d'Alva • Pocinho • Bitetos • Cais da Lixa • Fatima • Cascais • aboard A-ROSA Cruises' *Alva*

The Douro River Valley has been home to a thriving wine industry for over 2,000 years—sail through this stunning region whose history, natural beauty, and sophisticated culinary culture make it one of Europe's most appealing vacation destinations.

Day 1 • Depart for Europe

◆ Overnight in flight

Day 2 • Arrive in Lisbon, Portugal

If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will meet you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. Relax before your included welcome dinner at the hotel begins. (D)

◆ *Holiday Inn Lisbon Continental or similar*

Day 3 • Lisbon, Sintra, and Obidos

Enjoy a guided city tour through Portugal's coastal capital, watched over by 7 picturesque hills. The peaks' view of Lisbon's historic cobblestoned streets and stately ruins, mixed seamlessly with the modern world around them, is one of Europe's prettiest. Located in the foothills of the Sintra Mountains, Sintra is home to charming pastel buildings surrounded by lush terrain. Enjoy an included walking tour of the Old Town, followed by lunch on your own. Next, continue to Obidos for a short walking tour, including outside views of the Obidos Castle. You'll have some free time for photos before we head to Leiria for an evening at leisure. (B)

◆ *Hotel Tryp Leiria or similar*

Day 4 • Leiria and Coimbra

Start your morning in Leiria, watched over for centuries by the magnificent Leiria Castle. Enjoy a self-guided tour of the UNESCO-listed Monastery of Batalha, commissioned in the 14th

century by King John I and among Portugal's most beloved historic monuments. Continue to Coimbra, one of Portugal's loveliest college towns. Enjoy lunch on your own before taking a guided tour of the library and grounds of Universidad de Coimbra, originally founded in 1290. The university is dazzling, and you will visit many of its most impressive sites, including the Great Hall, Baroque Library, and Natural History Collection. Arrive in Porto for an included dinner and enjoy the evening at leisure. (B)

◆ *Hotel Inn Porto Gaia or similar*

Day 5 • Porto with Wine Tasting

Porto is one of Portugal's oldest cities, and is a spectacular place to spend the day. First settled around 300 BC, it has since been captured by the Romans, the Moors, and even Napoleon; its historic center is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Enjoy a city tour and an included port wine tasting at one of Porto's many vineyards! After your free time and lunch on your own, board A-ROSA's brand-new *Alva* to enjoy dinner on board before leaving port early tomorrow. (B)

Day 6 • Régua (1:00 PM–2:00 PM) to Pinhão, Portugal (5:00 PM–1:00 PM next day)

Depart Porto this morning at 7:00 AM and watch the sights of Portugal drift slowly by on your first morning on the Douro. The countryside of the UNESCO-listed Douro River Valley promises to stun you en route to Régua. Blessed with near-



Port wine



Monastery of Batalha



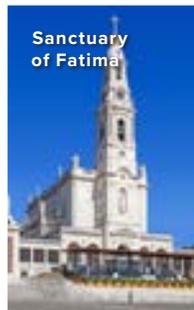
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Cascais, Portugal



Porto, Portugal



Sanctuary of Fatima



A-ROSA Alva

constant sunshine, Régua has a colorful past as an epicenter of Renaissance-era port wine production and is now the perfect place for a leisurely stroll. Return to the ship, then continue on to dock in Pinhão for the night.

Day 7 • Pinhao, Portugal (Depart 1:00 PM) to Vega de Terrón, Spain (7:00 PM–12:00 PM next day)

Begin your day with a few leisurely hours in Pinhão, a small town nestled in a particularly scenic riverbend. It is surrounded by vineyards—look up to see lush hills and terraces encircling the city. You'll be awed by the beauty of the Douro International Natural Park on the way to Vega de Terrón, Spain. The granite cliffs rise high above the river, the rugged home to numerous rare birds. Look to the sky, and if you're lucky you just might see peregrine falcons, golden eagles, or the extraordinarily high-flying Griffon vulture, who has a wingspan of 9 feet! Arrive this evening in Vega de Terrón, a classically Spanish community with quiet streets, friendly people, and delicious food. Visitors love its proximity to Salamanca, a popular 12th century tourist destination known for intricate sandstone architecture and its UNESCO-recognized Old City.

Day 8 • Barca d'Alva, Portugal (12:30 PM–9:00 AM next day)

Today we cross back into Portugal to spend a leisurely evening in Barca d'Alva.

Day 9 • Pocinho, Portugal (11:15 AM–12:15 PM) to Pinhão, Portugal (5:30 PM–7:00 AM next day)

Enjoy the Medieval architecture and stunning views of Barca d'Alva in the clear morning light, then continue down to Pocinho and Pinhão.

Day 10 • Régua, Portugal (9:00 AM–2:00 PM) to Bitetos, Portugal (6:30 PM–6:45 AM next day)

Return this morning to Régua and visit Bitetos, a tiny village teeming with Roman-era ruins. Join an optional tour to the must-see attraction for visitors, the Benedictine Monastery of Alpendura, which doubles as one of the village's top restaurants!

Day 11 • Cais da Lixa, Portugal (8:30 AM–9:00 AM) to Porto, Portugal (Arrive 11:00 AM)

After a quick stop in Cais da Lixa, pull into Porto for a full day in Portugal's second largest city. As you wander its streets, keep an eye out for Portugal's blue azulejos tiles—a delightful reminder of the region's Moorish influences. Book lovers will enjoy the Lello Bookstore. Built in 1906, the longtime hangout for Porto's creatives and intellectuals features a winding staircase with carved wooden handrails, a stained glass skylight, and intricate ceiling.

Day 12 • Disembarkation in Porto (7:00 AM), Fatima, Cascais, and Lisbon

Disembark from the *Alva* and travel by coach to Fatima for a self-guided tour of the Shrine of Our Lady of Fatima, the location of a 1917 miracle and a Catholic pilgrimage site. Tour the grounds, and visit the many beautiful buildings and structures. There are incredible sights to see throughout the compound; from the colonnade to the chapels to the Monument of the Berlin Wall. Stop in Cascais for an included three-course farewell lunch, a panoramic tour, and free time for shopping. Arrive in Lisbon for the evening. (L)

◆ *Holiday Inn Lisbon Continental or similar*

Day 13 • Depart for Home (B)



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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Tours of Hanoi, Hoi An Ancient Town, Hue Imperial City, and Ho Chi Minh City (Saigon)
- Traditional water puppet show and dinner in Hanoi
- Overnight cruise in beautiful Halong Bay, a popular UNESCO World Heritage site
- Boat trip up Perfume River to see various historical and cultural sights
- Take a boat excursion through the Mekong Delta, one of the most bio-diverse areas in the world

INCLUDES

11-day land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, entrance fees, flights in tour, daily breakfasts, 2 lunches, 3 dinners, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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✈ Day 1 • Depart for Vietnam

Your journey begins on your overnight flight to No Bai International Airport in Hanoi.

✈ 🚌 Day 2 • Hanoi

Welcome to Vietnam! If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a friendly YMT representative will greet you at the airport and transport you to your hotel. After your long flight, this evening is yours to enjoy at your own pace. Meet your fellow travelers and learn what to expect in the days ahead at this evening's delicious Welcome Dinner. (D)

◆ *Hotel Mercure Hanoi La Gare or similar*

🚌 Day 3 • Hanoi

After a filling breakfast, enjoy a fascinating city tour by open-air cyclo—a three-wheeled bicycle taxi—of Vietnam's wonderful capital city. See the Hanoi Hilton, the infamous Hoa Lo Prison built by the French in the 1880's and used to hold American POWs in the Vietnam War, the Hucc Bridge, Ngoc Son Temple, Ho Chi Minh Memorial Complex and Mausoleum, the famously elegant One Pillar Pagoda, and the John McCain Monument. Your dinner this evening comes with an unforgettable show courtesy of the Thang Long Water Puppet Theater. Learn about Vietnam's legends and historical tales through a water puppet performance, a traditional art form dating back to the 11th century, where wooden

puppets on a pool of water perform to beautiful live music. (B, D)

◆ *Hotel Mercure Hanoi La Gare or similar*

🚢 Day 4 • Halong Bay

A boat ride through Halong Bay is a must-see while in Vietnam! This morning, embark on a stunning overnight cruise deep into the spectacular Halong Bay. Halong Bay is a UNESCO World Heritage Site known for its uniquely breathtaking limestones karsts and thousands of small islets. It has been inhabited by humans and early human ancestors for tens of thousands of years, and has some of the greatest sunsets and scenery in the world. (B, L, D)

✈ Day 5 • Hanoi to Hoi An

Take the morning to relax and say goodbye to Vietnam's scenic northeast, then board the short flight to Da Nang Airport in the country's center. Enjoy dinner at your hotel in Hoi An, and rest up for tomorrow's unforgettable walking tour! (B)

◆ *Hoi An Historic Hotel or similar*

🚌 Day 6 • Hoi An

Enjoy a leisurely walk through Hoi An Ancient Town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site on the Thu Bon River. You'll have the opportunity to wander through this incredibly well-preserved 15th-19th century trading port, which is an amazing showcase of Southeast Asian architecture,



Hai Van Pass in Danang



Hoi An



Ho Chi Minh City



Ngoc Son Temple in Hanoi



art, and culture. You'll enjoy several uniquely beautiful stops, including the Japanese Covered Bridge and Tran Family Chapel. You'll also get to try your hand at crafting a traditional Vietnamese lantern! The evening is yours to enjoy at your leisure, or join us for an optional tour. (B)

◆ *Hoi An Historic Hotel or similar*

 **Day 7 • Hoi An to Hue**

Your day begins with a drive through the Marble Mountains, a cluster of five picturesque marble and limestone mountains renowned for their caves, tunnels, and Buddhist sanctuaries. From there, we'll visit the Cham Museum, which houses a small but very lovely collection of traditional stone sculptures. After riding through the Hai Van Pass, a beautiful coastal mountain road, you'll reach Hue, the stunning coastal town that was home to the Nguyen Dynasty, Vietnam's last ruling family. (B)

◆ *Hotel Pilgrimage Village or similar*

  **Day 8 • Hue**

After a delicious breakfast, start another fun-packed day with boat ride up the Perfume River. See the Thien Mu Pagoda, Royal Imperial City with Flag Tower, Meridian Gate, and Hue Royal Antiquities Museum, Imperial Tomb of Tu Duc, and Vinh Tu traditional garden house. Next, take a sightseeing trip to the Hue Imperial City, a walled palace within Hue's citadel. This UNESCO World Heritage Site was built in 1804 by Gia Long, Emperor of the Nguyen Dynasty. Stop at the Tha Om Garden House, a traditional 19th century Hue residence, before taking a short flight to Ho Chi Minh City. (B)

◆ *Inside by Meliá Saigon Central or similar*

 **Day 9 • Hue to Ho Chi Minh City**

Wake up in Ho Chi Minh City, formerly Saigon, and spend the day learning about the Vietnam War right where it was waged. First, visit the Cu Chi tunnels, part of a widespread network of underground tunnels crisscrossing much of Vietnam that were used by Viet Cong soldiers. The Viet Cong used the tunnels as communication and spy routes, as well as to conceal men and supplies. The tunnels were their base of operations during 1968's Tet Offensive. From there, visit the War Remnants Museum, which contains exhibits and artifacts related to the Vietnam War and other earlier wars fought on Vietnamese soil. Over several buildings, you will see themed rooms containing artifacts, life-sized dioramas, and powerful photographs.

After a walk along Dong Khoi Street, right beside the Saigon River, you'll reach the Saigon Opera House. A magnificent concert hall completed in 1901, it is one of the finest French-influenced buildings in all of Vietnam. (B)

◆ *Inside by Meliá Saigon Central or similar*

 **Day 10 • Ho Chi Minh City**

Your final full day in Vietnam will take you on a scenic Mekong Delta boat trip to Cai Be, a charming rural area with a floating market that sells a wide variety of fruit and other goods. Take a tour of the Tan Phong island village, and see local craftspeople hard at work— handcrafting products from water hyacinth, coconut leaf weaving, and making rice paper.

Continue to Mekong garden to enjoy a cup of tea while listening to beautiful traditional music, then

sit down for a delicious lunch. (B, L)

◆ *Inside by Meliá Saigon Central or similar*

 **Day 11 • Depart for Home**

Enjoy one final sunrise in Ho Chi Minh City, then it's time to head home!

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Admission to the Larco Museum, home to Lima’s finest collection of pre-Columbian art and artifacts
- Tour through the twin historic sites of Maras and Moray
- Spend a day exploring Machu Picchu
- Explore Cusco, recognized by UNESCO as Peru’s most culturally important city
- Visit Uros and Taquile islands on Lake Titicaca
- Look for Andean condors in the Colca Valley

INCLUDES

12 nights hotels, 12 breakfasts, 10 lunches, 1 dinner, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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✈ Day 1 • Arrive in Lima

If you purchased air from YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel.

Note: Depending on the departure time of your outbound flight, you may depart one day earlier.

◆ *Britania Miraflores Hotel or similar*

Day 2 • Lima City Tour

Start your journey with a tour of Lima, Peru’s scenic capital. Explore Lima’s old town, a UNESCO World Heritage Site packed with historic buildings including the Main Square, a stunning showcase of the wealth of the Spanish Empire, the 16th century Church of Santo Domingo, and Casa Aliaga, one of Lima’s finest colonial mansions. Proceed to the traditional Pueblo Libre District, where you will visit the Larco Museum, a pre-Columbian art museum housed in a beautifully restored 18th century mansion. Enjoy an included lunch at the Cafe del Museo Larco, located on the terrace in front of the museum’s beautiful gardens. (B, L)

◆ *Britania Miraflores Hotel or similar*

✈ Day 3 • Cusco

Take a short, included flight from Lima to Cusco, in the heart of the Sacred Valley. The Sacred Valley, deep in the Andean highlands, was the center of the Inca Empire. The region boasts countless ruins, beautifully intact stone terraces, and stunningly rugged mountainous terrain. Shop for locally made alpaca textiles, musical

instruments, paintings, carvings, necklaces and replicas of old Inca pieces at the Pisac Market.

Take a scenic ride to Ollantaytambo Archaeological Park, a living Inca city where residents still live in accordance with old Incan traditions. “Ollanta” is also famous for its well-preserved archaeological sites, including a fortress, baths, and temples. (B, L)

◆ *Hacienda del Valle or similar*

🚆 Day 4 • Sacred Valley

Hidden from view by the rugged Andes, the Incan sites of Maras and Moray are two of the Sacred Valley’s most interesting places to visit. Maras is home to Salineras de Maras, ancient terraced salt ponds. Moray contains circular terraces that were used by Incan leaders as a test garden where they could experiment on plants grown across the empire. Continue to Chinchero town, where you will see Incan ruins framed by the snow-capped Chicón and Verónica mountains. (B, L)

◆ *Hacienda del Valle or similar*

🚆 Day 5 • Machu Picchu

Travel by PeruRail Vistadome panoramic train to Peru’s most famous site—the ancient sanctuary of Machu Picchu. Built in the 15th century by the Incans at the peak of their power, Machu Picchu was abandoned fewer than 100 years later—deserted en masse before the conquering Spaniards ever even knew of the astonishing citadel’s existence. This UNESCO World Heritage Site has three primary structures and



Cusco, Peru



Vicuña in the Arequipa Region



Lima, Peru



Lake Titicaca



Condors in Colca Valley

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numerous reconstructed outlying buildings all cut directly into the mountainside. Machu Picchu is the ultimate example of Incan architecture, characterized by polished stone walls and elegantly designed terraces. Archaeologists disagree on its function—whether it was a lavish royal retreat or a prominent city—but judging by the quality of Machu Picchu’s construction and the amount of intricate ornamental work, it is clear that it was a very important place.

After your tour, return to Aguas Calientes to enjoy an Andean fusion lunch overlooking the Vilconota River at the Cafe Inkaterra. (B, L)

Note: Machu Picchu is nearly 8,000 feet in elevation.

◆ Casa Andina Koricancha or similar

Day 6 • Cusco

Your tour of this UNESCO designated city starts with a visit to Santo Domingo Convent, a Spanish complex built in the 16th century on top of the sacred Inca Coricancha. Then, visit the Cusco Cathedral, a Gothic-Renaissance church that dominates Cusco’s Main Square. Head to the hills to visit the remains of Sacsayhuaman, a fortress with panoramic views of the city. Finally, visit Puka Pukara, an Inca military installation perched on one of Cusco’s most prominent hills. After an included lunch, the afternoon is yours to enjoy on your own. (B, L)

◆ Casa Andina Plaza or similar

Day 7 • Puno

Take a scenic drive from Cusco down to Puno. Keep your eyes peeled for landmarks including the town of Andahuaylillas, the Temple of Wiracocha, and the La Raya Pass. (B, L)

◆ Hacienda Puno Hotel or similar

Day 8 • Uros and Taquile Island

Spend the day on Lake Titicaca, ancestral home of two fascinating cultures. Your first stop is on the floating islands of Uros, a series of man-made islands built by weaving together giant bulrush plants. They require constant maintenance by the Uro people, who have lived here for generations. Continue on to Taquile Island, home to the Taquileños, whose stunning textiles are renowned for their quality. Sit down for lunch on the island, then enjoy free time in Puno. (B, L)

◆ Hacienda Puno Hotel or similar

Day 9 • Colca

Travel over high plains, stone forests and blue lagoons from Puno to Colca. Visit the Pampa Cañahuas Reserve, an extensive plain where vicuñas, the wild ancestor of domesticated alpacas, are a common sight. (B, L)

◆ Casa Andina Colca or similar

Day 10 • Arequipa via Condor Cross

Keep your eyes to the sky on your stop at Condor Cross. Even if you don’t see a condor, your views of the stunning Colca Valley, one of the world’s deepest canyons, will make the journey worth it. See Chivay and the towns of Pinchollo, Maca, Achoma, and Yanque before arriving in Arequipa. (B, L)

◆ Casa Andina Arequipa or similar

Day 11 • Arequipa City Tour

Enjoy a panoramic view of Arequipa, then see historic architecture and stunning views at the Yanahuara District. Visit the Main Square, 16th

century Compañía de Jesús Church, and Santa Catalina Monastery. Enjoy a leisurely evening in Arequipa. (B, L)

◆ Casa Andina Arequipa or similar

Day 12 • Fly to Lima

Take an included flight from Arequipa to Lima in the morning, then enjoy a final day in Lima including a farewell dinner and folklore show. (B, D)

◆ Britania Miraflores Hotel or similar

Day 13 • Depart for Home (B)

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8 DAYS

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Arenal Volcano



San José • Arenal Volcano • Monteverde Cloud Forest • Punta Leona

COSTA RICA DISCOVERY

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Walk through the mist on the hanging bridges of the Monteverde cloud forest
- Get up close to Arenal Volcano at Arenal 1968 Park
- Take a stroll down the white sand beaches of your resort in Punta Leona
- Relax in the restorative waters of the Tabacón Hot Springs
- Learn about Costa Rica's black gold on a coffee plantation tour
- Look for crocodiles from high above at the Tárcoles River Bridge
- See 120 years of traditional handiwork on a tour of the Sarchí Oxcart Factory

INCLUDES

7 nights hotels, 7 breakfasts, and 2 dinners, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, and sightseeing per itinerary.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Welcome to Costa Rica, a Central American paradise where locals and tourists alike enjoy good food, pristine beaches, lush rainforests, and a friendly, relaxed culture. Some of the world's most beautiful sights await you on this unforgettable tour!

Day 1 • Arrive in San José

Welcome to Costa Rica! Guests who have purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations will be welcomed in the airport baggage claim area by a friendly YMT representative who will transfer you to the hotel. If you made other flight arrangements, please make your own way to the hotel.

Tonight's dinner will be a Welcome Feast at a local restaurant—it's a great opportunity to get to know your fellow travelers, companions for the trip and maybe even friends for life! (D)

◆ *Barceló San José or similar*

Day 2 • San José to Arenal Volcano Region

Take a scenic drive through the country to La Fortuna in the Arenal region, famous for the lush Arenal Volcano that towers majestically 5,385 feet above the surrounding highlands. En route, you will have the chance to see and enjoy uniquely Costa Rican experiences. Take an offbeat stroll underneath leafy arches, past sculpted faces, and next to friendly dinosaurs in Zarcero's topiary park.

Next, see how oxcarts are produced and decorated in Sarchí. Brightly painted oxcarts have become a beloved symbol of Costa Rica, and the tradition continues at the historic Eloy Alfaro Oxcart Factory. Watch

master craftspeople continue the 120-year-long tradition of building sturdy, sensible, hardworking carts to carry coffee beans, and then painting the humble wagons in bright colors and elaborate geometric patterns. Spend the rest of your day at leisure in La Fortuna, where you can relax in the shadow of one of the world's most stunning volcanos. (B)

◆ *Montaña de Fuego Resort or similar*

Day 3 • Arenal Volcano Region

Take a morning tour of Arenal 1968 Park, a lovely private reserve with breathtaking views of Arenal Volcano. The park is named after the year of Arenal Volcano's most dramatic eruption, when three surrounding towns were destroyed and much of the park itself was covered in lava—creating the very hills and trails that visitors now use as vantage points and hiking paths.

The afternoon and evening activities harness the earth's power for your enjoyment in a totally different way—relax in the naturally restorative waters of Tabacón Hot Springs. Deep in the rainforest, Tabacón Hot Springs Resort and Spa offers stunningly clear thermal pools famous for their healing properties. Let your worries float away to the sound of chattering birds and running water. At the end of the day, you are invited to sit down for an included dinner at the resort's highly-rated restaurant. (B,D)

◆ *Montaña de Fuego Resort or similar*



San José



Traditional Sarchí Oxcart



Monteverde Cloud Forest



Playa Blanca, Punta Leona



Red-Eyed Tree Frog

Day 4 • Monteverde

Travel from the base of a volcano to the top of the Tilarán Mountains in the charming community of Monteverde. After the scenic ride through Costa Rica's stunning interior, tour an authentic coffee plantation.

Costa Rican coffee is famous for its quality—100% Arabica beans are the best in the world, and it's been illegal to grow anything else in Costa Rica since 1989. Learn about the history of the industry, techniques for growing the best beans, and exactly how to brew the perfect cup. You're free to relax on your own this afternoon and evening. (B)

◆ *Hotel Heliconia or similar*

Day 5 • Monteverde to Punta Leona

Journey through the mist of Monteverde's legendary cloud forest, one of Costa Rica's most important ecotourism destinations. Cloud forests are high altitude rainforests perpetually shrouded by water vapor. This near-constant fog, coupled with mild temperatures that slow the evaporation process, make cloud forests into natural greenhouses where vibrant trees and magnificent flowers thrive. Walk across a hanging bridge and be surrounded on all sides by the thick, warm fog—you will feel like you are literally inside of a cloud.

Punta Leona is your next destination. En route, enjoy a stop at the Tárcoles River Bridge. Look down at the muddy river island directly beneath the bridge—this humble spot is Costa Rica's best place to see crowds of crocodiles, who calmly congregate below. (B)

◆ *Punta Leona Resort or similar*

Day 6 • Punta Leona

Spend the day relaxing in the paradise of Punta Leona. Your resort has numerous free amenities and activities that you may choose to take advantage of, including access to its extraordinary beach, excellent walking trails, and a colorful butterfly garden.

The blue morpho butterfly is Costa Rica's most famous, and you won't soon forget seeing the 8-inch long behemoth catch the sunlight, flashing iridescent sapphire wings as it flutters silently by. (B)

◆ *Punta Leona Resort or similar*

Day 7 • Punta Leona to San José

Guests may begin the morning with free time at the resort, or with an optional tour of Manuel Antonio National Park. Manuel Antonio truly has something for everyone. It is home to both an expansive white sand beach, and hundreds of acres of pristine rainforest full of flowers, tropical birds, and mischievous monkeys.

If you look up and see a barely moving patch of green blink at you, count yourself lucky—sloths, perhaps the most popular native of the park, move so slowly that they often grow a layer of algae that can give their brown fur a cheerful green tint. Guests return to San José this afternoon. (B)

◆ *Barceló San José or similar*

OPTION: MANUEL ANTONIO
 Tour Manuel Antonio National Park's walking trails, beaches, and scenic viewpoints — and watch for wildlife! \$159 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.



Day 8 • Depart for Home (B)

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2 INTRA-COUNTRY JET FLIGHTS

Sydney, Australia



AUSTRALIA DISCOVERY

Melbourne • Cairns • Daintree Rainforest • Great Barrier Reef •
Sydney • Blue Mountains

You'll appreciate the scope of Australia on this expansive tour of one of the most world's most unique countries. This rugged land is full of wonders, and its unusual creatures, striking landscape, and fascinating cultural guarantee that every morning you wake up Down Under will be a very g'day.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore Melbourne on a city tour, including the Victorian-style Fitzroy Gardens
- Explore the city of Sydney on a guided tour
- Encounter native animals in the wild at the Daintree Rainforest
- Learn about aboriginal culture—and sit down for a traditional lunch—at the Mossman Gorge Centre
- Spend a day discovering the Great Barrier Reef at Marine World
- Marvel at the spectacular Blue Mountains—not to mention countless native animals—on a trip to Featherdale Wildlife Park

INCLUDES

10 nights hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels, 9 breakfasts, 3 lunches, and 1 dinner, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



Days 1 & 2 • Depart for Melbourne, Australia

◆ Overnight in flight

Day 3 • Arrive in Melbourne, Australia

Arrival in Melbourne. Guests who booked air with YMT will be met by a representative at the airport and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the day is yours to enjoy at your leisure.

◆ Travelodge Melbourne Southbank or similar

Day 4 • Melbourne City Tour

Good morning, or should we say g'day! Your first on-tour activity promises to be a special one, as you take a sightseeing tour of the highlights of Melbourne's dynamic past and optimistic present. See the eclectic architecture of the central business district, the Victorian Arts Centre, and the Royal Botanic Gardens, whose imposing pyramid-style Shrine of Remembrance dominates St. Kilda Road. Continue on to Toorak Village to the beautiful Fitzroy Gardens, an impeccably landscaped Victorian-style garden. (B)

◆ Travelodge Melbourne Southbank or similar

Day 5 • Melbourne Leisure Day

Melbourne is often called Australia's most European city, which you're sure to enjoy wandering through on your own. Spend the day at your leisure, or sign up for one of our

incredible optional day trips outside of the city to Australia's scenic seaside. (B)

◆ Travelodge Melbourne Southbank or similar

Day 6 • Melbourne to Cairns

Fly from Melbourne to Cairns, then spend the afternoon and evening at leisure. Cairns is the gateway to some of Australia's greatest natural attractions, in addition to many excellent shopping and dining opportunities. (B)

◆ Pacific Hotel or similar

Day 7 • Daintree Rainforest

Strap on your Akubra hat to channel your inner Crocodile Dundee—because today promises to be a wild one! Travel north to the Daintree Rainforest for a day of sightseeing in the UNESCO-listed tropical rainforest.

First, enjoy a wildlife river cruise on the Daintree River. The area is one of the most densely populated mangrove estuaries in the world, so keep your eyes peeled for birds, frogs, snakes, butterflies, lizards, goannas, insects and possibly even crocodiles—some of which can grow to up to 18 feet in length! Next, experience the award-winning Dreamtime Gorge Walk at Mossman Gorge Centre. Learn about Aboriginal culture and practices, and sit down for a traditional bush tea and damper—or lunch—before returning to Cairns. (B, L)

◆ Pacific Hotel or similar



Mossman Gorge, Australia



Koala



EXOTIC



Three Sisters Rock Formation



Melbourne



Great Barrier Reef

Day 8 • Great Barrier Reef

Spend the day viewing the world's largest coral reef system, the UNESCO-recognized Great Barrier Reef. Board a catamaran for an easy ride to Marine World, an all-weather platform situated above one of the reef's most active sections. Marine World was created to be enjoyed by guests of all levels, and you're free to participate in a variety of activities—wet or dry, it's your choice! Snorkel in the sheltered coral lagoon, for an additional cost go scuba diving with Marine World's Marine Biologist, or take a ride in the semi-submersible reef viewer. (B, L)

◆ *Pacific Hotel or similar*

Day 9 • Cairns to Sydney

Your morning starts with a flight from Cairns to Sydney, where you will take a sightseeing tour of the business district and Sydney's famous beaches. Start at The Rocks—Sydney's birthplace is still home to fascinating relics and buildings from the city's turbulent past.

Pass the picturesque Botanical Gardens, the Conservatorium of Music, and Mrs. Macquarie's Chair, stopping for spectacular views of the Sydney Opera House. Visit Darling Harbour, and Chinatown before travelling through Kings Cross and the exclusive suburbs of Double Bay, Rose Bay and finally Watson's Bay, where you will be rewarded with a spectacular view of the Pacific Ocean from The Gap.

Arrive at famous Bondi Beach for a brief stop before returning to the city via Paddington to view its restored 19th Century Colonial Terraces. Enjoy the evening at your leisure, or sign up for an optional activity. (B)

◆ *Travelodge Wynyard or similar*

Day 10 • Blue Mountains Excursion

Spend the day out of the city in the gorgeous Blue Mountains. Your first stop is in Featherdale Wildlife Park, where you will see native animals such as kangaroos, koalas, possums (many people consider Australian possums much cuter than the local opossums in North America), emus and native birds. Featherdale provides a safe home to over 250 different native species, and serves as Australia's largest native collection.

Continue to the Blue Mountains, named for the striking blue haze caused by light rays striking atmospheric dust particles and small droplets of moisture and eucalyptus oil. The Blue Mountains are part of the Great Dividing Range that runs parallel to the east coast of Australia for thousands of miles. See the world-famous "Three Sisters" rock formation, and enjoy distant views of Jamieson Valley and Mount Solitary. Lunch is included at a local restaurant. Pass Homebush Bay, the site of the Sydney 2000 Olympics, on the way back into the city. (B, L)

◆ *Travelodge Wynyard or similar*

Day 11 • Sydney Leisure Day

Spend the day at leisure. Sydney is a great place to go shopping, visit museums, or catch some sun at the beach. Your tour ends tonight with a bang on an included Sydney Harbour Dinner cruise where you will enjoy spectacular views of the Sydney Opera House and Harbour Bridge. (B, D)

◆ *Travelodge Wynyard or similar*

Day 12 • Depart for Home

Say goodbye to your new mates before boarding your flight to return to the US. (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore New York City including a boat tour through New York Harbor and a visit to the 9/11 Memorial
- Visit the main Observation Deck of the Empire State Building
- Stroll Bermuda's pink sand beaches
- Cross the Atlantic aboard a luxurious cruise ship visiting Portugal, Spain, and France, followed by a guided city tour of Rome.

INCLUDES

18-night Transatlantic cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Getaway*, 2 nights near New York City, 2 nights in Rome, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, 4 breakfasts and 1 dinner on the land portion and all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

Note: (B, L, D) as noted at the end of itinerary text indicates meals included for that day. All meals on cruise are included.

ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE

New York • Bermuda • Azores • Lisbon • Cádiz • Málaga • Cartagena • Palma de Mallorca • Barcelona • Cannes • Livorno • Civitavecchia • Rome • aboard the *Norwegian Getaway*

A brilliant journey awaits you—explore New York, Bermuda, and the Azores before cruising through the Mediterranean aboard the *Norwegian Getaway*. Visit several of the greatest cities on both sides of the Atlantic, while enjoying included experiences in New York and Rome. This is one transatlantic cruise you don't want to miss!

Days 1 & 2 • Arrive in New York City

Welcome to New York! These first two days are yours to take in the Big Apple. Take an hour-long sightseeing cruise through New York Harbor, the ideal way to view many of New York's most iconic sights, including the Statue of Liberty, Brooklyn Bridge, Ellis Island, the Freedom Tower, Manhattan's skyline, and more. Next, take a ride all the way up to the main Observation Deck of the Empire State Building. The evenings are at your leisure—and you can make them late in the city that never sleeps. (B)

◆ *Fairfield Inn Downtown Manhattan World Trade Center or similar*

Day 3 • New York City and Embarkation (Departs at 4:00 PM)

Visit the 9/11 Memorial & Museum this morning. It is a solemn place of remembrance that tells the story of the events of 9/11 through artifacts ranging in scale from the monumental to the intimate, as well as through first-person accounts and multimedia displays. Board the *Norwegian Getaway* for an afternoon departure. (B)

Day 4 • At Sea

Day 5 • Bermuda (8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Enjoy a full day at port in Bermuda, a British Overseas Territory with a temperate climate, relaxed attitude, and stunning pale pink sand

beaches. Visit the Royal Naval Dockyard, one of the island's most historic attractions, and full of old structures used by the British Navy and more than a few pirates. This is a great region for leisurely walks and shopping, especially at the Clocktower Mall.

Days 6 - 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Ponta Delgada, Azores, Portugal (7:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

This stunning island city is best known for its historic buildings, vibrant green hillsides, friendly people, and confections made with the unique Azorean pineapple.

Day 11 • At Sea

Days 12 & 13 • Lisbon, Portugal (4:00 PM – 4:00 PM Next Day)

Welcome to Portugal's coastal capital, watched over by 7 picturesque hills. The peaks' view of Lisbon's historic cobblestoned streets and stately ruins, mixed seamlessly with the modern world that grew up around them, is one of Europe's prettiest.

Day 14 • Cádiz, Spain (9:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

Cádiz boasts ancient streets, seaside fortresses, and Moorish architecture infused with the easygoing energy of southern Spain.



Central Park, New York City



Statue of Liberty



..... Cruise Route
 — Land Route
 ● Overnight Stay
 ● Day Stop

EXOTIC



Colosseum, Rome



Piazza Navona



Málaga, Spain



Norwegian Getaway

Day 15 • Málaga, Spain

(7:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

Loaded with history and brimming with vibrant energy, the city that gave the world Picasso remains a wonderful place to visit. Explore art galleries, eat some of Spain's finest beachside cuisine, see the spectacular "one armed" Renaissance cathedral La Manquita, or enjoy Málaga's massive Moorish fortresses known as the Alcazaba and Castillo de Gibralfaro.

Day 16 • Cartagena, Spain

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Spend the day in Cartagena, a strikingly beautiful city overflowing with culture and history. Among its 12 museums, 10 landmark buildings, and innumerable churches and monuments, you'll see evidence of Carthagian, Roman, Vandal, Visigoth, Moorish, and modern influences.

Day 17 • Palma De Mallorca, Spain

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Welcome to Palma de Mallorca, the island city off the Spanish mainland. Don't miss Palma's Old City, which you can find behind the iconic 13th century La Seu Cathedral. The Old City consists of narrow, quiet streets that highlight the area's Moorish past.

Day 18 • Barcelona, Spain

(7:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

You'll be mesmerized by this thoroughly modern city where Roman ruins live next door to sophisticated high-rises, innovative exhibition spaces, and one of the world's most impressive sports complexes. A spectacular display of architecture, Barcelona boasts 8 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, as well as a long, sandy coastline, fabulous food, cultural and artistic exhibitions,

and shopping. Use your time in this port to see the world-famous Las Ramblas, Gaudí's Sagrada Familia, Olympic Park, and views from Montjuic.

Day 19 • Cannes, France

(9:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Cannes may be best known for its film festival, but this resort town on the French Riviera is far more than just a glamorous place to watch a movie. Don't miss the palm tree lined Promenade de la Croisette, Cannes' most famous street. It has fabulous views of the white sand beach, as well as excellent restaurants, shopping, and cafes.

Day 20 • Livorno, Italy

(7:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

Livorno is a perhaps Tuscany's most modern city, a fact that contrasts beautifully with its numerous ancient towers, forts and city walls. The coastline is stunning, and Livorno's breathtaking views are nearly as abundant as its renowned restaurants.

Day 21 • Disembark in

Civitavecchia and transfer to Rome (6:00 AM)

Travel into Roma, where you will enjoy a half-day sightseeing tour of the highlights of this ancient city. Today's sights include outside views of the Roman Forum, once a marketplace and center of daily Roman life, and the Colosseum. You'll also see the Piazza Navona, the Spanish Steps, and of course the fabled Trevi Fountain. (D)

◆ Ergife Hotel or similar

Day 22 • Leisure day in Rome, Italy

There is history wherever you look in Rome, not to mention world-class shopping, outstanding food, and a vibrant culture. Spend the day enjoying the Eternal City on your own, or take part in a guided tour of the Vatican, home of the

Pope. Reconvene for an included farewell dinner with your fellow travelers. (B, D)

◆ Ergife Hotel or similar

Day 23 • Depart for Home (B)

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 Valued at \$800 per couple

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Book by 5/29	\$2,699	\$3,699	\$3,699
EXTRA \$200 OFF	\$2,499	\$3,499	\$3,499

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Cartagena, Colombia

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Discover San Francisco, Monterey, and the spectacular California coast
- Tour the legendary Hearst Castle
- Relax in Puerto Vallarta and Acapulco, Mexico's most scenic beach resort towns
- Stop in three fantastic countries
- Daylight transit of the Panama Canal
- Explore stunning Cartagena, a UNESCO World Heritage site

INCLUDES

15-night cruise aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Joy*, 5-night land tour with hotels, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, all meals on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE



San Francisco • Monterey • Hearst Castle • Solvang • Santa Barbara • Los Angeles • Cabo San Lucas • Puerto Vallarta • Acapulco • Puerto Quetzal • Puerto Caldera (Puntarenas) • Panama Canal • Cartagena • Miami
aboard Norwegian Cruise Line's *Norwegian Joy*

The Panama Canal is a 51-mile overland route connecting the Pacific and Atlantic Oceans—it's a miracle of modern engineering that anchors this unbelievable journey through Coastal California, Mexico's greatest beaches, and several of Central and South America's most charming cities.

✈ Day 1 • Arrive in San Francisco

Guests who booked air through YMT will be greeted by a representative and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the evening is at leisure.

◆ *Doubletree by Hilton Hotel San Francisco Airport or similar*

🚗 Day 2 • Pier 39 and Transfer to Monterey

Start your day with a visit to San Francisco's Pier 39. One of the city's most popular attractions, Pier 39 is part of Fisherman's Wharf, and has an abundance of great shopping and dining options. Keep your eyes and ears peeled for the pier's famous sea lions! In the afternoon, we make our way to Monterey, a charming seaside town with a bustling Old Town Historic District and beaches that are perfect for strolling!

◆ *Hilton Garden Inn or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • 17-Mile Drive and Tour of Hearst Castle

This morning, take in the 17-Mile Drive. Enjoy views of Pebble Beach and Pacific Grove, with a quick photo stop at the Lone Cypress. Then, arrive at the Hearst Castle! The beautiful former estate of media mogul William Randolph Hearst offers splendid views of the coast. Enjoy a 45-minute guided tour of the grand rooms, with time to stroll the garden and pool areas.

◆ *Quality Inn San Simeon or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Solvang, Santa Barbara Mission, and Transfer to Los Angeles

Continue your scenic drive today and enjoy a lunch stop in the charming Danish replica village of Solvang. Be sure to taste the exquisite baked goods prepared by its renowned bakeries! Then head to Santa Barbara, the American Riviera—famous for Spanish mission style architecture, mild Mediterranean climate, and stunning ocean views. We'll have a brief stop at the lovely Santa Barbara Mission, where you can enjoy an included self-guided tour. This evening, arrive in Los Angeles.

◆ *Four Points LAX or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Los Angeles City Tour

Enjoy a guided tour of Los Angeles and Hollywood, seeing many of the can't-miss highlights. View the iconic metal curves of the Walt Disney Concert Hall, the ornate TCL Chinese Theatre, the Dolby Theatre—annual home of the Academy Awards—Beverly Hills, and the Hollywood Walk of Fame.

◆ *Four Points LAX or similar*

🚢 Day 6 • Embark on the Joy (3:00 PM)

Spend the morning at leisure before boarding the *Norwegian Joy* for your Panama Canal cruise. Fresh from \$50 million of upgrades in 2019, the *Joy* has many exciting amenities onboard, and stunning Observation Lounges!

🚢 Day 7 • At Sea





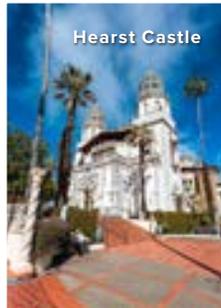
Scarlet Macaw
in Costa Rica



Golden Gate Bridge
in San Francisco



Cabo San Lucas,
Mexico



Hearst Castle



The Panama Canal



NORWEGIAN
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Norwegian Joy

Day 8 • Cabo San Lucas, Mexico
(10:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

The jewel of the Baja Peninsula is famous for world-class sport fishing, the iconic El Arco, a naturally occurring limestone arch, and high-end resorts and exclusive gated communities.

Day 9 • Puerto Vallarta, Mexico
(11:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

The quintessential Mexican resort town, Puerto Vallarta is overflowing with the charm of the old country. Narrow cobblestone streets lined with shops and galleries provide perfectly shaded patios where guests indulge in authentic carne asada to the sounds of local mariachi bands. Make time to wander the 25-mile stretch of golden beaches along Banderas Bay.

Day 10 • At Sea

Days 11 • Acapulco, Mexico
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Acapulco is one of the oldest and prominent beach tourist destinations in Mexico. Indulge in the beauty of its pristine beaches and welcoming, high energy atmosphere.

Day 12 • At Sea

Day 13 • Puerto Quetzal, Guatemala
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Puerto Quetzal is Guatemala's largest Pacific Ocean port, and while the town itself is quite industrial, it is close enough to Antigua for guests to easily make the trek on their day in port. Antigua is recognized as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and this elegant former capital is an incredible example of Central American colonial architecture that is well worth the trip!

Day 14 • At Sea

Day 15 • Puerto Caldera (Puntarenas), Costa Rica
(8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

How will you spend your full day in Puntarenas? Perhaps visit the beach, shop and grab a meal in the Paseo de los Turistas, and be sure to order a local Churchill. Taste the official snack of Puntarenas, a deliciously rich dessert of shaved ice, fresh fruit, syrup, and condensed milk!

OPTION: AERIAL TRAM & RAINFOREST ADVENTURE
Ride on an open air gondola through the beautiful Costa Rican rainforest! Just \$158 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 16 • At Sea

Day 17 • Scenic Cruising of the Panama Canal

Cross over one of humankind's most impressive engineering feats—the legendary Panama Canal. This 51-mile artificial waterway through the tiny nation of Panama connects the Pacific and Atlantic Ocean, and fulfilled explorers' dream when it was completed in 1914.

Day 18 • Cartagena, Colombia
(10:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

There is beauty everywhere you look in this colonial city, a UNESCO World Heritage site. It boasts a stunning old town with phenomenal architecture and miles of preserved colonial-era stone walls. The food is spectacular, the people are friendly, and there are countless sights to take your breath away.

Days 19 & 20 • At Sea

Day 21 • Disembarkation in Miami and Depart for Home
(7:00 AM)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore the sophisticated highlights of Seattle on a city tour to start your journey
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- Take a swim on Ile des Pins, New Caledonia's ultimate island paradise
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ACTIVITY LEVEL

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Day 1 • Arrive in Seattle, Washington

If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel.

◆ *Red Lion Bellevue or similar*

Day 2 • Seattle City Tour and Embarkation (5:00 PM)

Enjoy a morning panoramic tour of the Emerald City, arguably the crown jewel of the Pacific Northwest. Take in Seattle's highlights like the Historic Pioneer Square, T-Mobile Park, the Space Needle, Waterfront, the Floating Bridge, Lake Union, and more from your coach. This afternoon, embark on the *Oosterdam*. (B)

Days 3 – 8 • At Sea

Day 9 • Honolulu, Oahu (7:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

Take the day to explore Honolulu. Perhaps visit Punchbowl Crater or Downtown Honolulu, where you can see the State Capitol and Iolani Palace. Waikiki is a great walking city, with fabulous restaurants, shopping, and a pristine beach—from which you can see Diamond Head!

Day 10 • Hilo, Hawaii (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Brimming with Hawaiian tradition, Hilo takes you back to an earlier island culture. The town will charm you with its quaint buildings and unique

shopping. Hilo is the flower capital of Hawaii, and gardens and blossoms are everywhere. Perhaps spend your leisure day here visiting Liliuokalani Gardens, King Kamehameha I Statue, Rainbow Falls, Akaka Falls, or Hawaii Tropical Botanical Garden!

Day 11 • Lahaina, Maui (8:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

A traditional old whaling town, Lahaina is full of character, shops, and restaurants. It is located on the island of Maui. Known as the "Valley Isle," this majestic island has two main peaks more than a mile high, thousands of breathtakingly beautiful waterfalls and pools, 120 miles of shoreline and more than 80 golden beaches. Be sure to make time to see the Iao Valley or Haleakala Crater.

Days 12 – 16 • At Sea

Day 17 • Pago Pago, American Samoa (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Your first port of call on the other side of the world is Pago Pago. Pronounced "Pango Pango," this island capital is surrounded by some of Polynesia's most striking natural beauty. Lushly forested mountains rise above you, intensely blue waters lap at your feet, and friendly residents warmly greet you.

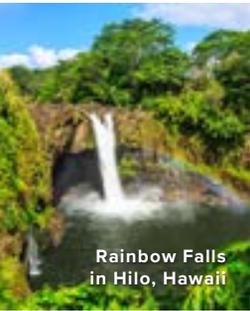
Day 18 • At Sea, Cross the International Date Line



Seattle, Washington



Lifou, New Caledonia



Rainbow Falls in Hilo, Hawaii



Sydney Opera House



Noumea, New Caledonia



ms Oosterdam

EXOTIC

Day 19 • Dravuni Island, Fiji

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Dravuni is tiny, sun-soaked, and ringed with pristine white sand beaches. It is the classic desert island, save for the ample amenities and sightseeing opportunities such as snorkeling, shopping, and of course excellent dining.

Day 20 • Suva, Fiji (overnight – 5:00 PM)

Suva is both the South Pacific's largest city, and Fiji's capital, but don't let its cosmopolitan bonafides fool you—Suva is the perfect place to sit back and relax. An eruption of green, this hilly peninsular city is full of can't-miss sights and experiences. Try Indonesian-Fijian cuisine; stroll through Colo-i-Suva Forest National Park; or visit the Fiji Museum, Parliament, or one of the many colonial-era buildings.

Day 21 • Lautoka, Fiji (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Welcome to Lautoka, nicknamed "Sugar City" because of its location right in the middle of Fiji's sugarcane belt. Lautoka is a wonderful place to learn about the plants of the South Pacific. It has an excellent botanical garden; you might also choose to visit a sugarcane plantation to see the tall, reedy stalks up close.

Day 22 • At Sea

Day 23 • Lifou, New Caledonia

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

You'll be captivated by this stunning island's remarkable natural beauty and still flourishing traditional Kanak culture. Perhaps the perfect beach, Esou boasts spotlessly white sand, warm, shallow water, and the cooling shade of nearby trees. When your ship lands, locals even greet you with a traditional song and dance!

Day 24 • Ile des Pins, New Caledonia

(8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Ile des Pins, or Pine Island, is a true slice of heaven. Its miles of unspoiled white sand beaches and the warm, clear, stunningly blue waters, make it the ultimate tropical paradise. Oro Bay, Upi Bay, and Kanumera Bay are the best of the bunch.

Day 25 • Noumea, New Caledonia

(8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Called the French Riviera of the South Pacific, Noumea is full of shopping, dining, and cultural attractions. It is the perfect hybrid of French and Pacific Island cultures! The museums, art galleries, and dignified colonial buildings are even more special against the backdrop of this pristine, lush island setting. Don't miss the wonderfully restored colonial Maison Célières, Château Hagen or the Nouméa City Hall, home of the city museum.

Days 26 & 27 • At Sea

Day 28 • Disembarkation and City Tour in Sydney (7:00 AM)

Disembark this morning in Sydney and enjoy a city tour. Visit The Rocks, Sydney's birthplace; see fascinating relics and buildings of the city's turbulent past; pass the picturesque Botanic Gardens; and take in the view of the Sydney Opera House before enjoying the rest of the day at leisure. Tonight, sit down with your fellow travelers for an included farewell dinner. (D)

◆ *Travelodge Sydney Wynward or similar*

Day 29 • Sydney Leisure Day

Enjoy your final leisure day to enjoy this beautiful coastal city at your own pace. (B)

◆ *Travelodge Sydney Wynward or similar*

OPTION: AN EVENING AT THE SYDNEY OPERA HOUSE
 Enjoy an elegant dinner and a show at the famous Sydney Opera House! Just \$229 p/p. Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 30 • Depart for Home (B)

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TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Enjoy 2 days and an included tour in Sydney, Australia's most populous city
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- Visit Tasmania, an island off of Australia's southern coast
- Take city tour of Auckland, New Zealand

INCLUDES

15-night cruise aboard Holland America Cruise Line's ms *Oosterdam*, 2 nights in Sydney, 1 night in Auckland, professional Tour Director, baggage handling at hotels and on the cruise ship, 3 Breakfasts on the land portion and all meals while on the cruise, and sightseeing per itinerary.

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

RELAXED EASY GOING MODERATE ACTIVE VERY ACTIVE

Days 1 & 2 • Depart for Sydney

◆ *Overnight in flight*

Note: Depending on the departure time of your outbound flight, you may depart one day later.

Day 3 • Arrive in Sydney, Australia

Arrive in Sydney, Australia's most populous city. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT Vacations, a YMT representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. This evening, relax on your own.

◆ *Sydney Travelodge or similar*

Day 4 • Sydney City Tour

Enjoy a city tour in the morning and visit The Rocks, Sydney's birthplace. See relics and buildings of the city's past, pass the picturesque Botanic Gardens, and take in the view of the Sydney Opera House before enjoying the rest of the day at leisure. (B)

◆ *Sydney Travelodge or similar*

Day 5 • Embarkation in Sydney

(Departs 5:00 PM)

Enjoy the day at leisure before boarding the ms *Oosterdam*. (B).

Day 6 • Eden, Australia

(9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

The town's name reflects what you will find inside this natural wonderland. Eden is nestled among national parks, wilderness areas, and enticing beaches. It's considered one of Australia's best locations for oyster farming, so bring your appetite. Eden and its surrounding landscapes offer an abundance of outdoor activities on the water and by land.

Day 7 • At Sea

Day 8 • Burnie (Tasmania), Australia

(6:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

A collection of artisans on the northwest coast of the island of Tasmania, Burnie has a long history as a community of makers—enjoy locally crafted European-style cheeses, fine papers, ceramics, and single-malt whiskey.

Day 9 • Melbourne (Port of Geelong), Australia (8:00 AM – Noon)

Melbourne is Australia's cultural capital, with remarkable architecture, elegant galleries, and boutiques. Wave at a wallaby or say g'day to a dingo at one of the many local wildlife parks.

Days 10 & 11 • At Sea



Yellow-eyed penguin
in New Zealand



Milford Sound,
New Zealand



..... Cruise Route
● Overnight Stay
● Day Stop



Geothermal pool in
Rotorua, New Zealand



Library in Picton,
New Zealand



Sydney Opera House



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EXOTIC

Day 12 • Cruise Milford Sound

Milford Sound is a fusion of spectacular natural features. Rugged cliffs rise vertically from the dark waters, as mountain peaks scrape the sky and towering waterfalls cascade downwards.

Day 13 • Fiordland National Park

Explore Middle Earth's mountains, lakes, rainforests, and fjords! The Lord of the Rings franchise was famously filmed in Fiordland

Day 14 • Dunedin (Port Chalmers), New Zealand (9:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

This South Island coastal town offers a mix of unique natural beauty and history.

Day 15 • Lyttelton (Christchurch), New Zealand (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Christchurch feels in many ways like a rural English village. The scenic Canterbury region stretches from the ocean to the Southern Alps, offering phenomenal opportunities for wildlife viewing and winetasting. Thanks to its mild climate and rich soil, New Zealand's many varieties of New World wines are especially good.

Day 16 • Wellington, New Zealand (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

New Zealand's capital is located at the southern tip of the North Island and blessed with a beautiful waterfront, fresh seafood, and glorious views. Wellington is known for its unique culture and cuisine. Learn about New Zealand culture and Maori history at Te Papa, the national museum; go behind the scenes of the Lord of the Rings movies; and sample the world-class dishes of New Zealand's innovative chefs, brewers, bakers, and coffee roasters.

Day 17 • Napier, New Zealand (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

The coastal city of Napier is set amid the renowned wine-producing region of Hawke's Bay. Rebuilt after a 1931 earthquake, the city is known for art deco landmarks like the zigzag-patterned Daily Telegraph Building. It feels like an exotic re-imagining of the 30s in parts of Napier, with the era's most iconic visual elements co-mingling with Maori motifs.

Day 18 • Gisborne, New Zealand (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

The Gisborne region, also known as Tairāwhiti, is home to one of New Zealand's largest populations of Māori people. These descendants of Polynesian settlers are exceptionally generous to visitors, and welcome guests to learn about their indigenous culture and art at the Tairāwhiti Museum. Beyond Gisborne's city limits, the area's long stretches of sand and protected breaks draw surfers, swimmers, and sunrise watchers who want to be the first in the world to greet a new day.

Day 19 • Tauranga (Rotorua), New Zealand (7:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Discover Rotorua, known for its natural beauty. Visit Te Wairoa's Buried Village, a Pompeii-like town frozen in time after being smothered by a volcanic eruption in 1886. Look for Hell's Gate, a geothermal park with boiling pools, geysers and mud baths.

Day 20 • Disembarkation and Auckland City tour (Arrives at 7:00 AM)

After disembarking, enjoy an included sightseeing tour of Auckland, New Zealand's

largest city. Cross the Auckland Harbour Bridge to Auckland's North Shore and the village of Davenport known for its chocolates, art, and cafes. Explore the Auckland Museum's collections on the history of New Zealand.

◆ Grand Merucure or similar

Day 21 • Depart for Home (B)

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Ancient history. Hanging gardens. Black sand beaches warmed by the desert sun. YMT is proud to announce this itinerary unlike any other in our portfolio—discover the highlights of a region where antiquity and the modern world collide on this journey across 9 exotic nations!

✈ Day 1 • Depart to Italy

Take an overnight flight to Italy.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Rome, Italy

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♦ *Ergife Hotel or similar*

🚢 Day 3 • Rome City tour and Embarkation (5:00 PM)

After breakfast, enjoy a morning panoramic and walking tour of Italy's legendary capital city and the seat of the Holy Roman Empire. Then embark on the *Norwegian Dawn* for your cruise. (B)

🚢 Day 4 • At Sea

🚢 Day 5 • Piraeus (Athens), Greece (10:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

The cradle of civilization and the oldest city in Europe, Athens is home to the Acropolis and some of the most important architectural structures and archaeological finds in the Western world.

🚢 Day 6 • Kusadasi, Turkey (8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Take a journey into the past in richly historic Ephesus, now known as Kusadasi. An important

city to the Ancient Greeks, Ephesus was built, destroyed, and rebuilt again through the course of its tumultuous history. It still boasts bountiful ruins and archaeological excavation sites, and was home to the famed Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. During your day at leisure here, perhaps visit the Roman Library of Celsus, the Gate of Augustus, the Tomb of John the Apostle, or the Basilica of St. John.

🚢 Day 7 • Rhodes, Greece (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

The remarkable walled city of this Greek island just off the coast of Turkey is now one of the most popular tourist destinations in Europe. Discover the old fortified city on your own—perhaps visit the acropolis of Lindos, and see where the Colossus of Rhode once stood.

🚢 Day 8 • Limassol, Cyprus (8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

A strategic garrison for Richard the Lionhearted during the Third Crusade, Limassol is home to many archaeological sites, as well as plentiful contemporary boutiques.

🚢 Day 9 • Ashdod, Israel (6:00 AM – 10:00 PM)

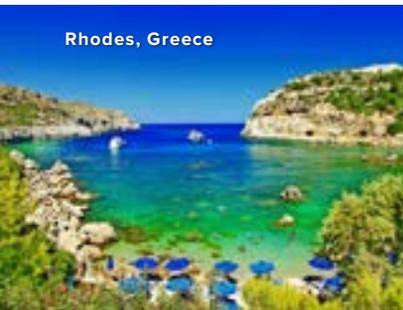
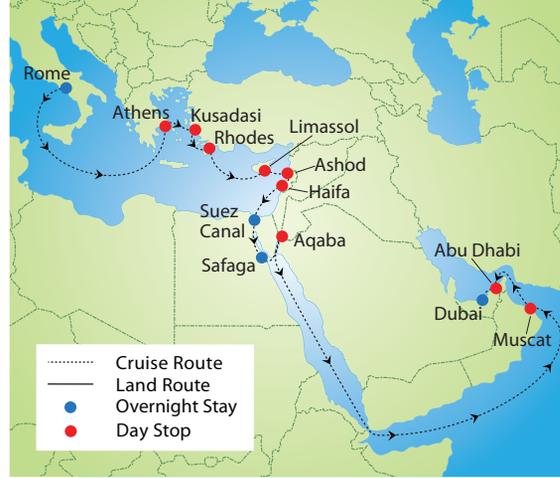
Ashdod, which dates all the way back to the 17th-century BCE is one of the world's oldest towns. Don't miss the Ashdod Art Museum,



Aqaba, Jordan



Bahai Gardens in Haifa, Israel



Rhodes, Greece



St. Peter's Square, Vatican City



NORWEGIAN CRUISE LINE

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Corinne Maman Museum, Beit Guvrin National Park, and Tel Lachish.

Days 10 - 11 • Haifa, Israel

(6:00 AM – 11:00 AM Next Day)

One of the most picturesque regions in the Middle East, Israel's third largest city is built on the slopes of Mount Carmel. Its Bahá'í Gardens are the largest hanging gardens in the world, and many visitors are also drawn to the Cave of Elijah. The boutiques on Massada Street and the artists village of Ein Hod featuring hand-blown glass and one-of-a-kind pieces of art. Haifa is also close to holy sites like Galilee, Nazareth, and Jerusalem that you might decide to visit during your 2-night stay.

Day 12 • Suez Canal, Egypt

Days 13 & 14 • Safaga, Egypt

(7:00 AM – 7:00 PM next day)

Safaga's black-sand beaches are the perfect place to relax under the desert sun. Guests who wish to experience the splendor of ancient Egypt can choose to visit nearby Luxor and see the Karnak Temple Complex and the 3,400-year-old Colossi of Memnon statues.

Day 15 • Aqaba, Jordan

(6:00 AM – 8:00 PM)

Jordan's only coastal city and one of its most popular tourist destinations, Aqaba enjoys year-round sun! In the city you'll find the 13th-century Aqaba Fortress, the archaeological museum, the Ayla ruins, and plenty of delicious traditional food. Be sure to save some time to stop at magnificent Petra, the world-famous ancient city carved out of stone, nearby.

Days 16 - 20 • At Sea

Day 21 • Muscat, Oman

(7:00 AM – 3:00 PM)

This port capital sits on the Gulf of Oman surrounded by mountains and desert. With an ancient history it mixes high-rises and upscale shopping malls with cliff-top landmarks such as the twin 16th-century Portuguese forts, Al Jalali and Mirani that loom over Muscat Harbor. Exquisite local silver jewelry, exotic spices and handicrafts abound in the markets.

Day 22 • Abu Dhabi, United Arab Emirates

(10:00 AM – Midnight)

Noted as the world's richest city, Abu Dhabi boasts a wealth of culture, history and adventure. From the emirate's old souks, the ancient bazaars perfect for sipping fragrant Arabic coffee, to the rush and roar of the supercars driven by the city's billionaires, Abu Dhabi is a feast for the senses. Perhaps choose to visit the local merchants to get deals on handicrafts, artwork, even spices and dried fruit for the cook back home.

Days 23 & 24 • Disembarkation and City Tour in Dubai

(Arrive 6:00 AM – Disembark 8:00 AM Next Day)

Disembark in Dubai, and then enjoy a panoramic city tour of this fascinating blending of traditional Arab culture and modern western culture.

Highlights include the Dubai museum, the Abra water taxi crossing, and the Burj Khalifa—which you will see from the Sky Level Observation deck on the 124th floor. At a height of 2,722 feet, the futuristic tower is the tallest building in the world. The evening is at leisure.

◆ Mövenpick Ibn Battuta Gate Hotel Dubai or similar

Day 25 • Depart for Home (B)

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ACTIVITY LEVEL

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Day 1 • Overnight Flight to Buenos Aires

Day 2 • Arrive in Buenos Aires

Arrive in Buenos Aires, the capital and largest city in Argentina. If you purchased airline tickets from YMT, a representative will welcome you at the airport and transport you to the hotel. Your evening will be at leisure in this city renowned for its delicious food, unique fusion of European and Latin art and architecture, and of course, the tango! Experience the culture for yourself on our optional tango show and dinner tonight.

◆ *NH9 de Julio or similar*

Day 3 • Lesiure Day in Buenos Aires

The day is yours to explore the city or attend another exciting optional tour. (B)

◆ *NH9 de Julio or similar*



OPTION: GAUCHA DAY TRIP WITH LUNCH



Head to the countryside for a full day at the Santa Susana Ranch. Enjoy a delicious Argentine BBQ lunch as you watch an exciting Gaucho (cowboy) show that includes folk song and dance. \$189 per person! Please add this option at time of booking.

Day 4 • Sightseeing in Buenos Aires and Embark on the Norwegian Star

(departs 6:00 PM)

This morning, enjoy a half-day morning sightseeing tour of this cosmopolitan Buenos Aires. Drive along the 9 de Julio Avenue, the widest Avenue in the world, and pass by the Colon Theatre, one of the world's best-known opera houses and the cultural pride of the "portenos," (as the people of Buenos Aires are called). Then board the *Norwegian Star*. (B)

Day 5 • Montevideo, Uruguay

(7:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Resting on the southernmost point of the Rio de la Plata, Uruguay's capital is a charming city.

Day 6 • Punta Del Este, Uruguay

(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Punta del Este is often called the San Tropez of Latin America because it is full of gorgeous beaches, sophisticated resorts, excellent shopping, and a nearly endless array of world-class restaurants. All that is not to say that it's in the least bit stuffy—by far the most popular dessert in Punta del Este is the humble ice cream cone. You can buy ice cream nearly anywhere, and you'll be amazed by just how creamy it is. Uruguay has more cows than people, and its dairy products are some of the best in the world.

Day 7 • At Sea



Buenos Aires, Argentina



Sea lions in Puerto Madryn



Santiago, Chile



Punta del Este, Uruguay



Norwegian Star

EXOTIC

Day 8 • Puerto Madryn, Argentina
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Puerto Madryn is an amazing stop for animal lovers. Southern Right Whales are often visible right from the beach, and guests can visit with wild penguins, or go diving with delightfully friendly sea lions. The Museo Provincial de Ciencias Naturales y Oceanográfico is a free natural history museum right in town.

Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Port Stanley, Falkland Islands
(8:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

This quaint city is home to a small population—there are so few residents that the town's only "jail" can hold just 13 people—but it is rich with birds and marine animals.

Day 11 • Cruise Cape Horn, Chile

Enjoy vistas of azure waters and lesser-known fjords as you pass through some of nature's most exciting creations. Be on the lookout for the world famous lighthouses of Cape Horn!

Day 12 • Ushuaia, Argentina
(7:00 AM – 2:00 PM)

Ushuaia is the world's southernmost city, and this provincial capital "at the end of the world" is a fascinating port stop. It has incredible views of the Martial Mountains, and offers easy access to the dramatic scenery of Tierra del Fuego National Park and Lapataia Bay.

Day 13 • Punta Arenas, Chile
(7:00 AM – 7:00 PM)

From the original name "Sandy Point," Punta Arenas had its humble beginnings as sparse

penal colony near the Straits of Magellan. Today, this gateway into Antarctica is renowned for its great shopping, gloriously clean air, and European architecture.

Days 14 & 15 • At Sea

Day 16 • Puerto Montt, Chile
(8:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Chilean foodies travel long distances to dine in Puerto Montt—the capital of the Lakes District is full of excellent restaurants. In addition, visitors flock to see the Osorno Volcano, often compared to Mt. Fuji because of its perfect symmetry.

Day 17 • At Sea

Day 18 • Disembarkation in San Antonio, Chile
(Arrives 6:00 AM)

After a morning disembarkation in San Antonio, head over to Santiago for a panoramic tour to see some of the city's landmarks. Santiago is Chile's largest city as well as its capital, and this sophisticated modern metropolis is full of outstanding sightseeing opportunities. (B)

◆ Hotel Atton El Bosque or similar

Day 19 • Leisure Day in Santiago

Your final full day in South America is at your leisure. Santiago is known for the Virgin Mary statue on San Cristóbal hill, stunning architecture, museums, scenic parks, and a wide variety of world-class restaurants. (B, D)

◆ Hotel Atton El Bosque or similar

Day 20 • Depart for Home

It's time to say goodbye and to travel back home with plenty of memories from your South American odyssey. (B)

OPTION: CONCHA Y TORO VINEYARD WITH LUNCH



This morning, visit the Concha y Toro family vineyard and experience the wonders of Chilean winemaking. Please add this option at time of booking. \$129 per person! Please add this option at time of booking.



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Take an overnight flight to Europe.

✈ Day 2 • Arrive in Prague

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◆ *Duo Hotel Prague or similar*

🚗 Day 3 • Prague Sightseeing

After breakfast, set off for a half-day tour of this incredible red-roofed city. Founded in the 7th century, Prague played a major part in the Protestant reformation, the Holy Roman empire, the Austro-Hungarian empire, both World Wars, and even the Hapsburg Dynasty. You'll tour Prague Castle and see grand cathedrals, ancient bridges, and Prague's historic center, named a UNESCO World Heritage Site in 1992. (B)

◆ *Duo Hotel Prague or similar*

🚗 Day 4 • Berlin City Tour

This morning, stop in Dresden for lunch en route to Berlin, where you will take a fascinating city tour. Berlin's history and culture from before and

after WWII are on display; from the Brandenburg Gate to Checkpoint Charlie, to the beautiful gardens and museums that pepper Germany's sophisticated capital. You might want to try a currywurst today—the sausage covered with a mixture of curry powder and ketchup has become the quintessential German street food. Enjoy an included dinner back at the hotel tonight. (B, D)

◆ *Abba Berlin Hotel or similar*

🚗 Day 5 • Berlin, Kiel, and Cruise Embarkation (Departs at 7:00 PM)

After breakfast, continue to Kiel. Enjoy lunch on your own in the charming city before boarding MSC's *Meraviglia*. (B)

🚗 Day 6 • Copenhagen (8:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Take the day in charming Copenhagen, Denmark. This adorable city is renowned for the way it mixes its centuries of history with its modern, thoughtful present.

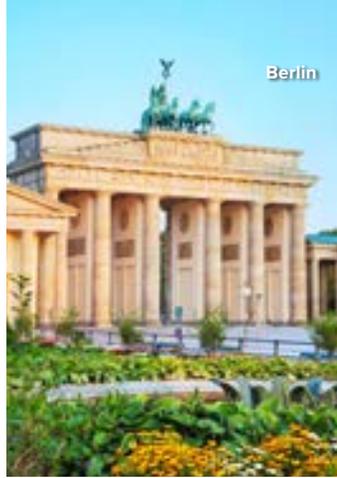
🚗 Day 7 • At Sea

🚗 Day 8 • Southampton, United Kingdom (10:00 AM – 10:00 PM)

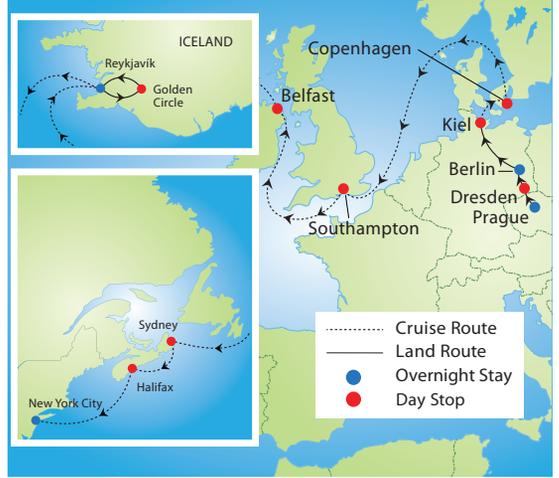
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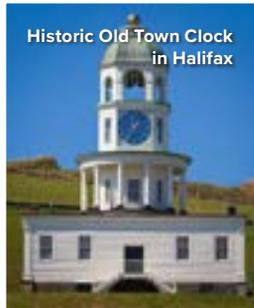
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 ● Day Stop



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Day 9 • At Sea

Day 10 • Belfast, Northern Ireland

(7:00 AM – 4:00 PM)

Spend the day enjoying Irish hospitality at its finest in this picturesque capital city on Northern Ireland's rugged east coast.

Day 11 • At Sea

Day 12 • Reykjavik, Iceland

(1:00 PM – Overnight)

Enjoy over 24 hours in Iceland, Europe's most sparsely populated country and arguably its most naturally beautiful. This tiny Nordic nation is renowned for its dramatic landscapes and near continuous summer daylight. Iceland has grown into one of the most desirable travel destinations in the world in recent years, and for good reason. Keep your eyes peeled for the Northern Lights, which begin to appear this month. You might just catch a glimpse of this awe-inspiring sight!

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Day 13 • Reykjavik, Iceland

(Departs 6:00 PM)

Enjoy an early morning start on an included magical tour of Iceland's most famous sightseeing destination—the Golden Circle. Consisting of 3 increasingly beautiful stops—Thingvellir National Park, the Geysir Geothermal Area, and Gullfoss Waterfall—the Golden Circle tour takes you to waterfalls, geysers, rolling fields, rugged valleys, untamed rivers, pristine forests, and more. After you experience this highlight of Iceland, you'll never forget it.

Days 14 – 17 • At Sea

Day 18 • Sydney, Nova Scotia, Canada

(7:00 AM – 5:00 PM)

Welcome to Canada! Sydney is one of Nova Scotia's most historic towns, where modern visitors can still find traces of the many Scottish immigrants who made their home here starting in the 1770s. Sydney is also famous for the world's largest fiddle, which towers 60 feet above the harbor to greet ships as they arrive. Stand on the *Meraviglia's* bow for the best view of the fiddle's towering bow! Outside of town, the seas of Nova Scotia provide a home to numerous species of whales, dolphins, and other wildlife.

Day 19 • Halifax, Canada

(11:00 AM – 6:00 PM)

Continue down south to Nova Scotia's beautiful capital city. Halifax is widely considered to be one of the world's most livable cities.

Day 20 • At Sea

Day 21 • New York City

(7:00 AM – Overnight)

Enjoy the world's greatest city for a full day, and your final night on the ship.

Day 22 • Disembark in New York City and Depart for Home

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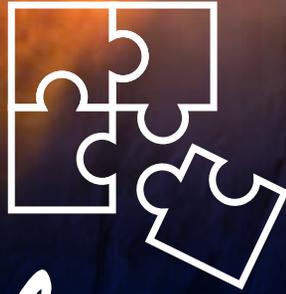


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