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BURGUNDY AND PROVENCE RIVERBOAT CRUISE

JULY 13-20, 2021

Welcome to France! We'll take a train and motor coach from Paris, the City of Lights, through Burgundy to board our ship in France's gastronomic capital, Lyon. Enjoy Bastille Day festivities in Lyon during the day, then watch the evening's fireworks from the *Poetry III*! Our trip down the Rhône, through the Rhône Valley, begins with a visit to Tain l'Hermitage (and its *excellent* chocolate shop), medieval Tournon, with a castle dating in part to the 10th century, and charming Viviers, which has the smallest cathedral in France. In Provence, we'll tour Avignon, a fortress city with an amazing Palace of the Popes (and convenient for an optional excursion to the Pont du Gard or Châteauneuf-du-Pape for wine tasting!) and Arles, famous for its Roman amphitheater and landscape that inspired Van Gough. We end our trip in Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône, from which we can visit the Camargue Regional Nature Park to tour an oyster farm or possibly see flamingos. Plan your days as you like, with guided walking tours included in most every port as well as optional tours for wine tasting! And perhaps borrow one of the ship's bicycles for a leisurely bike ride. **Book early—the 2020 trip sold out!**

YOUR ITINERARY

Saturday, July 13, 2021

Paris and Lyon

Sunday, July 14, 2021

Lyon

Monday, July 15, 2021

Tain-l'Hermitage and Tournon

Tuesday, July 16, 2021

Viviers, Lock Bollène, and Avignon

Wednesday, July 17, 2021

Avignon

Thursday, July 18, 2021

Arles

Friday, July 19, 2021

Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône

Saturday, July 20, 2021

Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône

Itinerary is subject to change.

WHAT'S INCLUDED? WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED?

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- Train transfer from host hotel in Paris to our ship, the Avalon *Poetry II*, in Lyon on July 13, 2021
- Sightseeing tours in Lyon, Tournon, Viviers, Avignon, Arles, and Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône
- Accommodations for 8 days and 7 nights with Comfort Collection beds and Egyptian super-combed cotton linens
- All meals while on board, with a French cheese and French cuisine option each evening
- Champagne with breakfast; coffee, tea, and juice with all meals; wine from France's most famous wine regions, beer, and soft drinks with lunch and dinner; premium coffee, cappuccino, lattes, cocoa, and tea throughout the day; and bottled water replenished in cabin daily
- Cookies and fresh fruit available throughout the day
- Wifi on board
- Bicycle and Nordic walking sticks loaned while docked
- Gratuities to ships staff and to your tour guide and bus driver (if you wish to tip more, this is up to you)
- Olivia's signature entertainment and programming

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- Local entertainment, commentaries while cruising, and historic talks by local expert and Avalon Cruise Director
- Group transfer from ship in in Port-Saint-Louis-du-Rhône to Marseille airport on July 20, 2020 (for flights departing after 10:30 am)
- Olivia Staff assistance throughout

NOT INCLUDED

- Optional tours
- Alcoholic beverages, wine tastings, bottled water, and soft drinks (except where indicated)
- Laundry, phone, and fax services
- NDAs

PER-PERSON PRICING

Deluxe Stateroom, Category E

Early Bird \$4,599 PP/Regular \$5,999 PP

Located on the Indigo deck, this Deluxe Stateroom features small windows above the waterline, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, full shower with glass doors, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, and full-length closets. 172 sq ft.

Deluxe Stateroom, Category D

Early Bird \$4,699 PP/Regular \$6,099 PP

Located on the Indigo deck, this Deluxe Stateroom features small windows above the waterline, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, full shower with glass doors, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, and full-length closets. 172 sq ft.

Panorama Suite, Category B

Early Bird \$5,499 PP/Regular \$7,199 PP

Located on the Sapphire deck aft, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq ft.

Panorama Suite, Category A

Early Bird \$5,599 PP/Regular \$7,299 PP

Located on the Sapphire deck, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq ft.

Panorama Suite, Category P

Early Bird \$5,699 PP/Regular \$7,399 PP

Located on the Royal deck, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, bathroom with marble counter, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 200 sq ft.

Royal Suite **WAITLIST**

Early Bird \$6,599 PP/Regular \$8,599 PP

Located on the Royal deck, the Royal Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two single beds, soft and firm nonallergenic pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, bathroom with marble counter and two sinks, robes, slippers, writing desk and chair, sofa, and full-length closets. 300 sq ft.

PRICING DOES NOT INCLUDE NDA (TAXES, FEES & GRATUITIES): \$499 PP

ACTIVITY LEVEL

This trip requires some mobility without the use of a wheelchair or scooter, as most of the tours are walking tours for up to 3 hours, which may include walking on cobblestone streets and stairs. A “Gentle Walkers” group is offered on most **included** walking tours, which accommodates those needing a little extra time and sometimes offers a shortened version of a tour, designed to encounter as few stairs as possible.

If you are bringing a portable wheelchair or collapsible travel scooter, you must be able to collapse it and store it in your cabin. It cannot be used to get around the ship, *only* while off the ship on tours that are wheelchair/scooter accessible. On tours, the usefulness of a portable wheelchair or scooter may be limited because we will be navigating cobblestone streets with hard curbs (no curb cutouts) and stairs.

If you have limited mobility, you are required to travel with someone who can assist you.

VACATION STRETCHERS

We will be offering 1-, 2-, and 3-day pre-trip Vacation Stretchers in Paris and 1- and 2-night post-trip Vacation Stretchers in Marseille. Information on these packages will be available approximately 11 months before the trip begins.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

We highly recommend arriving in Paris one or two days early. Select flights that fly into Paris, France (CDG), and out of Marseille, France (MRS). Flights must arrive before July 13, 2021 or no later than the early morning of July 13 with enough time to make the included train/bus transfer to Lyon to board the ship. (Exact time/meeting location TBA.) To take advantage of the included group transfer from the ship to the Marseille airport, flights from Marseille must depart after 10:30 am on July 20, 2021.

Please check our airline discounts page for the latest discounts:
<http://www.olivia.com/Travel/CalendarContent/AirfareDeals.aspx>.

Please visit our website for more information on this trip and others.