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A TASTE OF FRANCE: BURGUNDY & PROVENCE RIVERBOAT CRUISE

AUGUST 27–SEPTEMBER 3, 2024

A Culinary Journey To Remember: Prepare to experience the ultimate taste of France on Olivia's Burgundy and Provence Riverboat Cruise, where each destination will bring you unique sensory experiences and opportunities to develop your palate! You'll have unforgettable gastronomic encounters with fine wine making, "true" chocolate, and regional specialties- culinary adventures in every port! All of this, and evenings of Olivia entertainment and new friends, paired with your favorite regional wines. A delicious dream.

With Avalon Choice® inclusions, you can select the experiences that are perfect for your preference and pace. From Classic to Active to Discovery experiences, there is something for everyone. Begin in the culinary capital of France—Lyon—where you can choose a culinary walk to discover architecture and local specialties or take a cooking class. Embark on a kayak excursion or simply linger in a sidewalk café; stroll Avignon's Pope's palace or attend a wine tasting in an underground cave. With so many included choices, you'll find the perfect way to spend your day—from a ghost tour in Viviers to a guided bike ride through the Gard region, to a chocolate factory tour. Take a painting workshop in Arles—in the style of Van Gogh. Visit an oyster farm or ride a bike through Camargue Regional Nature Park to spot flamingos. You'll have the classic sightseeing and relaxing activities in each destination, along with your choice of included arts, culture, and cuisine excursions.

YOUR ITINERARY

Tuesday, August 27, 2024	Lyon, France (all aboard at 5 pm)
Wednesday, August 28, 2024	Lyon, France
Thursday, August 29, 2024	Tain L'Hermitage / Tournon
Friday, August 30, 2024	Viviers – Lock Bollene
Saturday, August 31, 2024	Avignon
Sunday, September 1, 2024	Arles
Monday, September 2, 2024	Port-Saint-Louis
Tuesday, September 3, 2024	Arles

**Itinerary is subject to change due to weather, locks, schedule, river traffic, and water levels.*

WHAT'S INCLUDED? WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED?

- Included sightseeing tours in Lyon, Tournon, Tain L'Hermitage/Tournon, Viviers, Avignon, Arles, and Port-Saint-Louis
- Accommodations for 8 days/7 nights on Avalon's ms *Poetry II* in Comfort Collection beds with Egyptian super-combed cotton linens
- All meals and snacks while on board, with a French cheese and French cuisine option each evening
- Wines from France's most famous wine regions, beer or soft drinks with lunches and dinners, and complimentary sparkling wine with breakfast
- Coffee, tea, and juices during meals
- Premium coffees, cappuccinos, lattes, hot chocolate, and teas throughout the day
- Cookies and fresh fruit available throughout the day
- Complimentary filtered water replenished in reusable glass containers in room daily

- Complimentary wifi on board
- Complimentary bicycles available for time on shore
- Complimentary Nordic walking sticks
- Gratuities to ship crew and Avalon cruise director
- Gratuities to your tour guide and bus driver
- Olivia entertainment and programming, as well as local entertainment
- Local entertainment and commentaries while cruising, and historic talks by local experts and Avalon Cruise Director
- Group bus transfer from the ship in Arles to Marseilles Airport for guests with flights departing after 10:30 am on September 3, 2024
- Team Olivia assistance throughout

NOT INCLUDED

Optional excursions (they do not conflict with included tours); wine tastings, alcoholic beverages and soft drinks (except where indicated); laundry, phone/fax; travel insurance; and personal incidentals.

PER-PERSON PRICING

Deluxe Stateroom, Category E

Early Bird \$4,899 PP / Regular \$5,999 PP

Located on the Indigo Deck, this Deluxe Stateroom features small windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two singles, soft and firm 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. Windows are high on the wall and do not open. Room is below the water line. 172 sq. ft.

Deluxe Stateroom, Category D

Early Bird \$4,999 PP / Regular \$6,099 PP

Located on the Indigo Deck, this Deluxe Stateroom features small windows, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert to two singles, soft and firm 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. Windows are high on the wall and do not open. Room is below the water line. 172 sq. ft.

Panorama Suite, Category B

Early Bird \$5,799 PP / Regular \$7,199 PP

Located on the Sapphire Deck, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, sliding glass doors, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert into two singles, soft and firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, full-sized bathroom with marble counter, full shower with glass door, robes, slippers, writing desk, chair, sofa, coffee table, and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Panorama Suite, Category A

Early Bird \$5,899 PP / Regular \$7,299 PP

Located on the Sapphire Deck, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, sliding glass doors, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert into two singles, soft and firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, full-sized bathroom with marble counter, full shower with glass door, robes, slippers, writing desk, chair, sofa, coffee table and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Panorama Suite, Category P

Early Bird \$5,999 PP / Regular \$7,399 PP

Located on the Royal Deck, this Panorama Suite features floor-to-ceiling windows, sliding glass doors, a Comfort Collection bed that can convert into two singles, soft and firm pillows, Egyptian super-combed cotton linens, flat-screen satellite TV with movie channels, telephone, minibar, full-sized bathroom with marble counter, full shower with glass door, robes, slippers, writing desk, chair, sofa, coffee table, and full-length closets. 200 sq. ft.

Royal Suite

Early Bird \$6,999 PP / Regular \$8,599 PP

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

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

ACTIVITY LEVEL

This trip does require a level of mobility, 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 a shortened version of a tour, keeping in mind as few stairs as possible. If you are bringing a portable wheelchair or collapsible travel scooter, they must be able to collapse and be stored in your cabins. They cannot be used to get around the ship, only to use while off the ship. They may be used on tours that are accessible, but that can be difficult because of the cobblestone streets, stairwells and need to lift them up on curbs.

While we would love for everyone to experience an Olivia River cruise, we regret that we cannot provide individual assistance for guests with special needs, including (but not limited to): mobility and hearing impairment. A qualified and able-bodied passenger must accompany travelers who require assistance.

VACATION STRETCHERS

We are offering 1- and 2-night post trip options for Marseille, September 3-4 and September 3-5, 2024. Please visit the [Vacation Stretchers](#) tab for more information.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

You will need to fly into **Lyon Airport (LYS)** and out of **Marseille Airport (AMS)**. We encourage all guests to arrive at least one day early to avoid the stress of unexpected delays.

Your flight into Lyon Airport (LYS) should arrive by 2 pm on August 27, 2024. Please plan to be on board no later than 5 pm.

Take advantage of your included group transfer to the Marseilles Airport (MRS), your flight should depart after 10:30 am on September 3, 2024.

Please check our airline discounts page for the latest discounts:

<https://www.olivia.com/airfare-specials>

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