## AMAWATERWAYS LEADING THE WAY IN RIVER CRUISING





WINE CRUISES THROUGH EUROPE 2017 - 2018



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Welcome

Nothing turns an occasion into a celebration, sparks a conversation, or elevates a meal from ordinary to elegant quite like fine wine. That's why AmaWaterways has expertly curated Wine Cruises that add a unique, epicurean dimension to our standard itineraries. Not only do you enjoy sightseeing in grand capitals and charming villages alike, you'll be treated to special wine-related excursions in some of Europe's most renowned wine regions. Wine tastings and exquisite food and wine pairings please the palate while exclusive tours provide insight into the different grape varieties harvested in each distinct region.

Every cruise is hosted by a qualified North American wine expert, who usually brings hand selected wines on board to serve with meals and tastings. Some wines come from the expert's own winery and other varieties are sourced from local wineries located along the cruise itinerary.

Whether you are a wine connoisseur or simply indulge in a sip here and there, these cruises make for an exceptional experience. We hope to welcome you aboard soon.

#### Sincerely

Rudi Schreiner President Kristin Karst Executive Vice President

Gary Murphy Vice President, Sales



## **OUR STORY**

Family-owned and operated, AmaWaterways has been a passion project for its founders since its creation in 2002. President Rudi Schreiner designed his first ship back in 1975 while sailing the Amazon for seven months. Since the completion of the Rhine-Main-Danube Canal in 1992, Rudi has been a driving force for river cruise travel—and for these efforts has been recognized as the "Most Innovative Cruise Executive" and has been presented the prestigious "Lifetime Achievement Award" by Cruise Lines International Association (CLIA).

Executive Vice President, Co-Founder and Co-Owner Kristin Karst brings extensive experience in luxury travel, river cruising and customer service to AmaWaterways. Rudi and Kristin partnered with Jimmy Murphy, a brilliant travel entrepreneur who built Brendan Vacations. His son Gary now carries on his father's tradition in his role as Vice President of Sales. These families came together to create the premiere travel experience for AmaWaterways' guests.

Our commitment to this unifying goal is what makes an AmaWaterways river cruise stand out from the rest. While we received the 2016 Cruise Critic Editors' Picks Award for the "Best River Cruise Line" and were recognized as having the "Highest Rated River Cruise Ships in Europe" by travel authority Berlitz, we never rest on our laurels. AmaWaterways is always humbled by the wonderful accolades we receive, which underscore our whole-hearted dedication to the happiness of each and every guest who travels with us.



Representing our family ownership, from left to right: Rudi Schreiner, President; Kristin Karst, Executive Vice President; Gary Murphy, Vice President of Sales



BRING THIS BROCHURE TO LIFE Watch a video about our Wine Cruises by going to <u>amawaterways.ca/wine</u>





## THE LUXURY OF MORE

As AmaWaterways has grown over the years, we have continued to focus on finding new ways to give our guests more—more experiences, more space and more choices. Our spirit of always looking at what's next on the horizon is inspired by our President and Owner, Rudi Schreiner. His vision has led to many firsts—AmaWaterways was the first to offer twin-balcony (a French balcony and outside balcony) staterooms, include a specialty restaurant, carry a fleet of bicycles on board and offer a broad selection of tours.

Your river cruise with award-winning AmaWaterways will be a luxurious experience from start to finish. Customize how you explore Europe with a variety of included shore excursion choices. After a day of discovery, it's time to return to your floating sanctuary. Instead of using available space to carry more guests, we chose to make your staterooms larger and provide more amenities. This way, you never feel crowded and there's always a way to indulge, relax and rejuvenate.

No matter how you choose to spend your time, on board or ashore, you will have an unforgettable river cruise with AmaWaterways.

"AmaWaterways has helped to redefine European river cruising and spends considerably more on high-quality food ingredients and wine and on hotel crew service training than any other river cruise company."

- DOUGLAS WARD, BERLITZ RIVER CRUISING IN EUROPE

## THE HIGHEST-RATED SHIPS IN EUROPE



Known for its international travel and language expertise, Berlitz has published cruise guides for 30 years. Author Douglas Ward, a leading authority on cruising, has over 40 years of experience and has spent more than 6,000 days on board covering more than 1,000 voyages. AmaWaterways received the Top 10 Rated River Cruise ships out of 310 ships reviewed based on accommodations, dining, service and other miscellaneous onboard features.



Best Overall River Cruise Line » Best for Onboard Activities » Best for On-Shore Activities » Best for Food





#### SIGNATURE TWIN BALCONIES

Enjoy stunning panoramic views and plenty of fresh air from the privacy of our lavish twin-balcony staterooms that feature both a French balcony and an outside balcony.



#### AWARD-WINNING DINING

Savor delicious cuisine at a variety of dining venues, including The Chef's Table, where chefs prepare an exquisite tasting menu.



#### ENTERTAINMENT

Whether it's traditional Bavarian music or a local quartet, there is an eclectic schedule of nightly onboard entertainment.



#### **MASSAGE & HAIR SERVICES**

Pamper yourself with a soothing massage or get your hair styled for a memorable night at our onboard hair salon.



#### SUN DECK POOL & SWIM-UP BAR

Soak up the sun in our sun deck pool complete with swim-up bar and enjoy a chance to mingle with fellow guests.



#### WELLNESS TRAVEL

Our approach to wellness includes walking tours, morning jogs, guided bike and hiking tours, a fitness room, and a selection of healthy food choices.



## EXPERTLY CURATED Wine Cruises



An AmaWaterways Wine Cruise is artfully designed to provide travelers with immersive experiences related to the regions they are visiting. From the breathtaking views of premier vineyards, to perfectly paired tastings and fascinating wine discussions, these authentic encounters add to the rich tapestry of local culture.

## A PALATE-PLEASING JOURNEY

One of the most rewarding aspects of traveling is indulging in the local flavors of new destinations. Our Executive Chef, Primus Perchtold, winner of three gold medals at the European Championship of Culinary Art, along with his team of expert chefs, craft locally-inspired menus using the freshest ingredients. Menu selections change daily, and with every lunch and dinner, you'll enjoy unlimited regional wines along with beer and soft drinks. AmaWaterways and President Rudi Schreiner were inducted into La Chaîne des Rôtisseurs, a prestigious gastronomic society. Membership is extended by invitation only to those possessing world-class culinary acumen. Simply stated, our onboard dining is truly outstanding.

The Chef's Table specialty restaurant, a dining alternative to the Main Restaurant, offers a unique culinary experience at no additional charge. Join fellow guests at this intimate venue where the kitchen becomes part of the entertainment. Watch as your chef prepares a tasting menu with three appetizers, a sorbet intermezzo, three main courses and three decadent desserts—all paired with hand-selected wines.

## YOUR OWN PERSONAL WINE HOST

On an AmaWaterways Wine Cruise, you'll be joined by one of our expert wine hosts—knowledgeable winery owners and winemakers from renowned North American wineries, along with wine instructors and certified sommeliers. Always insightful and entertaining, our wine hosts lead you through tastings and accompany you to local wineries and vineyards where you'll learn first-hand from regional European experts the nuances of Old World traditional wine-making methods.

On board, your wine hosts will recommend food and wine pairings, lead discussions and hold tastings. Have fun learning how to tantalize your senses at a special food and wine pairing dinner, and take home a few insiders' tips to share at your next gathering. Look for sections labeled "Meet Some of Our Wine Hosts" within this brochure and get to know a little more about a few of our expert wine hosts.



#### **RENOWNED WINE REGIONS**

Explore vineyard-dotted landscapes like Austria's Wachau Valley, France's iconic Bordeaux area or Portugal's Douro Valley.



#### **PREMIER LOCAL VINEYARDS** Stroll through stunning European vineyards on a warm summer day or take in the vivid shades of amber during the fall grape harvest.



"INSIDER'S VIEW" WITH THE EXPERTS

Qualified North American wine experts bring along premium, hand-selected wines to be served during meals, tastings and discussions.



**UNIQUE WINE TASTINGS** Indulge in tastings on the ship and during excursions at historic wine cellars and stunning vineyards.



#### INSIGHTFUL WINE DISCUSSIONS

Expert wine hosts lead informative talks on Europe's rich wine-making culture, heritage and traditions.



AUTHENTIC FOOD & WINE PAIRINGS Take in local traditions and savor authentic cuisine as you enjoy the region's food and drinks.

Bordeaux

BORDEAUX, FRANCE

## THE GARONNE, DORDOGNE AND GIRONDE ESTUARY

In the corner of southwestern France, the Garonne and Dordogne rivers merge together to form the Gironde Estuary that naturally divides the famous Bordeaux region into the Left and Right banks. One of the largest controlled wine regions in France, Bordeaux is made up of several sub-regions each with its own strictly governed appellation, unique climate and terroir. Unlike most wines around the world, the quality of Bordeaux wine is determined by these factors rather than the grape varietal. Bordeaux is acclaimed for its legendary red blends, though white blends from this region also make a big impression. The Left and Right banks of the river have different soil types that bring these exceptional blends to life.

## TASTING NOTES

#### THE LEFT BANK: SAUTERNES AND MÉDOC

The flatter, gravelly lands of the Left Bank embrace the heat of the sun south of the Gironde, giving life to many rich red and sweet white blends like those of the Médoc and Sauternes regions.

#### THE RIGHT BANK: SAINT-ÉMILION

The limestone and clay soils of the Right Bank are perfect for Merlot, the most popular grape used as a base for blends in Bordeaux. Prestigious appellations like Bourg and Saint-Émilion produce some of the best Merlot based blends that are combined with Cabernet, and other grapes.







Bordeaux's perfectly carved countryside and historic landmarks will take your breath away.

- » 2 nights hotel in Paris at the Marriott Opera Ambassador (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel to Bordeaux via high-speed TGV train
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer French balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » Multiple dining venues, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant featuring our unique tasting menu
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- » Cocktail Reception and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours, hiking and biking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » 2 nights hotel in the Loire Valley at the Novotel Amboise (or similar), including daily breakfast
- » 1 night hotel in Paris at the Pullman Charles de Gaulle (or similar), including daily breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## TASTE OF BORDEAUX

#### **13 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PARIS AND RETURN FROM PARIS**

2 NIGHTS IN PARIS, 7-NIGHT ROUNDTRIP BORDEAUX CRUISE, 2 NIGHTS IN THE LOIRE VALLEY AND 1 NIGHT AT AIRPORT HOTEL PARIS



START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## **W** ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### LIBOURNE: SAINT-ÉMILION & POMEROL

Be treated to a unique wine tasting at the 14th-century Château de Montaigne. Located near Saint-Émilion, this grand mansion is the former residence of French philosopher Michel de Montaigne. During your visit, you will have a chance to explore the castle's historic tower, a popular site among visitors, which served as the study where Montaigne composed many of his philosophical works.



Rendezvous in Paris, before traveling to Bordeaux, one of the world's undisputed wine capitals. Rich in both history and taste, the Bordeaux region is a wine connoisseur's paradise. Make your way through the renowned vineyards of Saint-Émilion, Pauillac, Pomerol and Libourne, discovering timeless traditions from the winemakers themselves. You'll even be treated to a "wine festival" in Bourg—an exclusive event for AmaWaterways guests. After cruising the Garonne and Dordogne rivers and surrounding Gironde Estuary, experience the lure of the UNESCO World Heritage Loire Valley for two nights before concluding your journey with an overnight stay in Paris. This trip is a must for anyone interested in the best of French culture, lifestyle, wine and food.

#### LOIRE VALLEY: THE VALLEY OF 1,000 CHÂTEAUX

Experience the wondrous Loire Valley and its stately châteaux. Highlights include: Château d'Amboise, the first Renaissance château built in the Loire Valley; Château du Clos Lucé, Leonardo da Vinci's last home where he completed famous works like the "Mona Lisa"; and Château de Chenonceau, often referred to as the "Ladies' Castle" due to the influence historic female figures had on its development.



DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Paris	Hotel check-in
2	Paris	City tour
3	Paris	TGV train to Bordeaux
	Bordeaux 🏻 🏶	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
4	Cadillac	Sauternes wine tasting and
		Roquetaillade Castle
5	Pauillac	Grand Cru Classé wine tasting
		and scenic vineyard tour
6	Blaye	Citadel visit OR Bike tour
		Afternoon Blaye to Bourg bike tour
	Bourg	City tour and
		exclusive Bourg wine festival
7	Libourne	Saint-Émilion excursion and
		Grand Cru Classé wine tasting
		OR Saint-Émilion bike tour
8	Libourne	Château de Vayres
		OR Bastide town with French
		market tastings
		OR Libourne hike
		Château de Montaigne
		OR Fronsac wine tasting
	Bordeaux	Free time
9	Bordeaux	City tour and Wine Museum
		OR Bordeaux bike tour
		Illuminations Cruise
10	Bordeaux 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
		TGV train to Tours
	Tours	Walking tour and free time
	Loire Valley /	Hotel check-in
	Amboise	
11	Loire Valley	Château de Chenonceau
		Du Clos Lucé
		and Château d'Amboise
12	Loire Valley	Hotel check-out
		Château de Chambord and
		Blois Royal Château excursion
		Transfer to Paris
	Paris	Paris Airport Hotel check-in
13	Paris	Return flight home

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Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Daily program features listed above operate on 2018 cruises. Please visit our website for information on 2017 daily program features. Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

STAI		START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	12-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2017						
Mar	28	Paris	Mar 30	AmaDolce	C\$3,624	C\$6,024
Apr	4	Paris	Apr 6	AmaDolce	C\$3,999	C\$6,399
Apr	11	Paris	Apr 13	AmaDolce	C\$4,124	C\$6,524
Jul	18	Paris	Jul 20	AmaDolce	C\$4,499	C\$6,899
Jul	25	Paris	Jul 27	AmaDolce	C\$4,499	C\$6,899
Aug	8	Paris	Aug 10	AmaDolce	C\$4,499	C\$6,899
Aug	15	Paris	Aug 17	AmaDolce	C\$4,624	C\$7,024
Nov	14	Paris	Nov 16	AmaDolce	C\$3,874	C\$6,274
2018						
Mar	27	Paris	Mar 29	AmaDolce	C\$3,749	C\$6,149
Apr	3	Paris	Apr 5	AmaDolce	C\$3,999	C\$6,399
Apr	10	Paris	Apr 12	AmaDolce	C\$4,124	C\$6,524
Jun	26	Paris	Jun 28	AmaDolce	C\$4,624	C\$7,024
Jul	10	Paris	Jul 12	AmaDolce	C\$4,499	C\$6,899
Aug	7	Paris	Aug 9	AmaDolce	C\$4,499	C\$6,899
Aug	14	Paris	Aug 16	AmaDolce	C\$4,624	C\$7,024
Nov	6	Paris	Nov 8	AmaDolce	C\$3,874	C\$6,274
Nov	13	Paris	Nov 15	AmaDolce	C\$3,874	C\$6,274
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D		Piano		Window		C\$374
С		Violin & Cell		French Balco	2	C\$1,124
В		Violin & Cell	0	French Balco		C\$1,374
A		Violin		French Balco		C\$1,499
A	+	Violin		French Balco	2	C\$2,749
S		Violin		French Balco	ony	C\$2,999
Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person						
Single Supplement Cruise: 50% of twin price; A+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.						
Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$1,000 per person						
Bedding: Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)						

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Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Paris: C\$356 per person in double, C\$713 in single Bordeaux: C\$306 per person in double, C\$606 in single Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.







## THE SEINE RIVER

The curvy nature of the Seine River can be disorienting when you're in Paris. Not to worry, just remember to face downstream, so you can tell the Left Bank from the Right. Our *Paris & Normandy* cruise itinerary is about as romantic as it gets, beginning with views of the art-inspiring "City of Light" that morphs into lush countryside and the historic Normandy Beaches. France's second largest waterway allows us to sample some of the country's most renowned champagne, ciders and Calvados.

The wine variety that instantly characterizes northern France comes from the Champagne region, about 90 miles east of Paris. These sparkling varieties produce a sweet effervescence and unparalleled quality that merit exclusive classification as the one-and-only wine known as Champagne. Another specialty drink found closer to the English Channel is Calvados, which comes from Normandy's fruit-filled orchards. Made from over 170 apple (and pear) varieties, this rustic spirit is distilled twice and barrel-aged for at least two years before bottling. The result is a liqueur bursting with mainly complex flavors.

## TASTING NOTES

#### DOM PÉRIGNON: A BENEDICTINE MONK & CHAMPAGNE

Contrary to popular myth, the Benedictine monk, Dom Pérignon, did not invent the "champagne method" for making sparkling wine. A cellar master at the Abbey in Hautvillers in northeastern France, Dom Pérignon was the first to blend grapes in such a way as to improve the quality of wines. His legacy endures in the form of a prestigious Champagne from Moët & Chandon, which bears his name.







Ignite your palate with delicious champagne and Calvados from Northern France.

- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer French balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
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- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » 2 nights hotel in Paris at the Paris Intercontinental Marceau (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## PARIS & NORMANDY

#### **10 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PARIS AND RETURN FROM PARIS**

7-NIGHT ROUNDTRIP PARIS CRUISE AND 2 NIGHTS IN PARIS



START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## **W** ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### FÉCAMP MONASTERY: A HEAVENLY ELIXIR

Along Normandy's dramatic Alabaster Coast lies the Fécamp Monastery. It is there that 19th-century wine merchant Alexandre Le Grand rediscovered the recipe for a special elixir—a medicinal herbal liquor known as la Bénédictine. Originally developed by a Venetian monk, this mysterious elixir's complex flavor profile is sure to delight those who try it. Paris always sparkles while Normandy beckons with its stunning coastline, incredible food and artistic beauty. Rouen's Cathedral and the charming harbor town of Honfleur will inspire you. Visit the Fécamp Monastery where you'll be treated to its Benedictine elixir; travel along Normandy's Cider Route to sample some of their famous cider and Calvados; and taste the famed bubbly beverage, Champagne, as you listen to the story about a monk named Dom Pérignon. Walk along the unforgettable Normandy beaches of WWII and relive the grandeur of royalty at Château de Bizy, once referred to as "the Versailles of Normandy."

#### CHÂTEAU DE BIZY: A TASTE OF NORMANDY

Inspired by the opulence of Versailles, the 18th-century Château de Bizy was constructed as a Royal Château. Enjoy an escorted tour of the salons and sample some delicious Norman cheeses, apple cider and Calvados at special tasting stations throughout the estate. You will also have the chance to uncover your own natural talent for wine tasting.





DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Paris 🏽 🏶	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
2	Vernon	Free time
		Excursion to Monet's home and
		gardens in Giverny
		and Château de Bizy tour with
		cider and Calvados tasting
3	Le Havre	Scenic cruising
		Honfleur excursion
		OR Hike
		OR Fécamp Monastery visit
		with Benedictine tasting
4	Caudebec-en-Caux	Full-day excursion to
		Normandy Beaches
		OR Pays d'Auge
5	Rouen	Morning walking tour
		OR Rouen bike tour
		OR Rouen hike
6	Les Andelys	Scenic cruising
		Château Gaillard tour
		OR Les Andelys bike tour
	-	OR Château Gaillard hike
7	Paris	Passages Couverts historic
		shopping arcades
		OR Le Marais Artists' Walk
		Onboard Champagne tasting
8	Paris 🛈	DISEMBARKATION
		Panoramic city tour
		Wine Museum visit
		Hotel check-in
9	Paris	Free time
10	Paris	Return flight home

#### 🏶 Embark 7-Night Cruise

Disembark 7-Night Cruise

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Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

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### SEE MORE OF FRANCE

Select departures may be combined with *Colors of Provence* (page 17).

### DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

	ARK ATE	START CITY	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	9-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
201	7				
Mar	23	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,624	C\$4,574
Mar	30	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,624	C\$4,574
Jul	6	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$4,499	C\$5,449
Aug	3	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$4,499	C\$5,449
Nov	/ 2*	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,999	C\$4,949
201	8				
Mar	22*	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,624	C\$4,574
Mar	29	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,749	C\$4,699
Jul	19	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$4,499	C\$5,449
Aug	2	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$4,499	C\$5,449
Nov	/ 8*	Paris	AmaLyra	C\$3,874	C\$4,824

\* Monet's home and other attractions in Giverny are closed during these departures.

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMALYRA

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
В	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,374
A	Violin	French Balcony	C\$1,499
A+	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,749
S	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2.999

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; A+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$400 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

#### Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Paris: C\$462 per person in double, C\$919 in single

Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.



#### MEET ONE OF OUR WINE HOSTS

**Christopher Silva** CEO St. Francis Winery & Vineyards, CA

Christopher Silva is a fifth generation Sonoma County native and CEO of

St. Francis Winery. Best known for its bold and fruit-forward varietals, the winery was named after St. Francis of Assisi and the Franciscan order, credited with bringing European style grape cultivation to the New World.





HILLSIDE VINEYARDS ALONG THE RHÔNE RIVER

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## THE RHÔNE RIVER

Besides providing captivating views of medieval towns and colorful landscapes, the Rhône River connects the dots between thousands of vineyards from Lyon to Avignon. Our *Colors of Provence* itinerary takes you through this prized wine-producing region in southeastern France, known across the globe as the Rhône Valley. You'll also get to savor some delightful wines from the Beaujolais region just to the north, where the Rhône meets the Saône. The valley traces the path of the river for almost 150 miles, hypnotizing travelers with grape-covered vines gripping its steep sides. Since it's so large, the climate varies greatly from north to south as does the soil and wine quality. Thus, the Rhône is divided at the town of Valence into two worlds of wine: the Northern Rhône and the Southern Rhône.

## TASTING NOTES

#### THE NORTHERN RHÔNE

What the Northern Rhône lacks in terms of size, it makes up for with prestige. Its continental climate and granite soils fuel the exceptional quality achieved by the noble vines in this region. Syrah grapes, like those used in the famous Hermitage wines, are so impressive that it's the only red grape variety allowed to be grown here. These full-bodied, rich, tannic wines can evolve for decades, enhancing their delicate notes.

#### THE SOUTHERN RHÔNE

A warmer climate is enjoyed in the Southern Rhône with hot summers and mild winters. The larger sub-region is responsible for nearly 95% of the entire region's wine, including a wide range of everyday whites, rosés and Grenache-based red blends from the Côtes du Rhône appellation. The south also creates a variety of powerful, high-quality reds and whites in areas like Châteauneuf-du-Pape.







Stunning scenery and iconic sights are discovered at every turn as you journey along the Rhône River.

- » 3 nights hotel in Paris at the Renaissance Arc de Triomphe or the Renaissance Paris Le Parc Trocadero, including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel to Lyon via high-speed TGV train
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite - most staterooms offer French balconies
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- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » Multiple dining venues, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant featuring our unique tasting menu
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- » Cocktail Reception and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours, hiking and biking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfer from the ship in Arles to Barcelona
- » 3 nights hotel in Barcelona at Le Méridien Barcelona (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## **COLORS OF PROVENCE**

#### 14 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PARIS AND RETURN FROM BARCELONA OR REVERSE

3 NIGHTS IN PARIS, 7-NIGHT I YON TO ARLES CRUISE AND 3 NIGHTS IN BARCELONA



START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### AVIGNON: DIAMOND OF THE KITCHEN

Truffles are a highly prized delicacy sometimes referred to as "the diamonds of the kitchen." No man or machine can locate them, only specially trained dogs can detect their scent beneath the roots of certain types of trees such as oak, beech or hazel. On our truffle farm excursion you will take part in a most unique experience-an authentic truffle hunt.

From romantic cities to foodie havens and artistic epicenters, this itinerary will enliven all of your senses. Begin with three nights in Paris before going to Lyon, France's culinary capital. Savor the beauty of legendary vineyards and indulge in local vintages like Beaujolais, Côtes du Rhône. Hermitage and Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Epicurean travelers will relish the chance to become an expert in all things culinary: refine your Provencal cooking skills; go in search of the "Black Diamond" truffles; and learn how to pair chocolate with wine. Trace the steps of famous artists as you live out the "Artist's Experience" in Arles, where Van Gogh was inspired to create many of his most famous works, including "Starry Night," And let Barcelona cast its magical spell on you.

#### LES BAUX: ART ON THE ROCKS

There's nothing guite like a visit to the Carrières de Lumièresan impressive underground art show held at a limestone quarry near the town of Les Baux. You'll be surrounded by color and light from every angle at this stunning visual exhibit, which brings famous paintings to life as they are projected against the rock faces of the guarry.





DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Paris	Hotel check-in
2	Paris	City tour
3	Paris	Free time
4	Paris	TGV high-speed train to Lyon
	Lyon	Cooking demonstration
	<del>\&amp;</del>	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
5	Lyon	City tour
6	Collonges	Beaujolais excursion
7	Vienne	Walking tour
		OR ViaRhôna bike tour
		OR Mount Pipet hike
		Château de Tournon wine and
		chocolate tasting
8	Tournon	Hermitage wine tasting
		OR Tain l'Hermitage hike
		OR Steam Train ride
9	Avignon	Walking tour and Papal Palace
		OR Pont du Gard
		OR Provencal cooking lesson
		Châteauneuf-du-Pape wine tasting
		OR Grignan excursion and
		truffle farm visit
10	Arles	Les Baux and olive farm excursion
		OR Van Gogh Asylum visit and
		Quarry Art Show
		OR Van Gogh walking tour
		OR Bike tour
11	Arles 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
	Nîmes	Highlights tour; Train to Barcelona
	Barcelona	Hotel check-in
12	Barcelona	City tour
13	Barcelona	Free time
14	Barcelona	Return flight home

🏶 Embark 7-Night Cruise

Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Daily program features listed above operate on 2018 cruises. Please visit our website for information on 2017 daily program features. Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

### SEE MORE OF FRANCE

Select departures may be combined with *Paris & Normandy* (page 13).

### DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

START DATE	START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	13-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2017					
Mar 20	Paris	Mar 23	AmaCello	C\$3,624	C\$6,662
Apr 3	Paris	Apr 6	AmaCello	C\$3,999	C\$7,037
Jun 26	Paris	Jun 29	AmaCello	C\$4,499	C\$7,537
Jul 31	Barcelona	Aug 3	AmaCello	C\$4,499	C\$7,537
Oct 30	Paris	Nov 2	AmaCello	C\$3,999	C\$7,037
Nov 6	Barcelona	Nov 9	AmaCello	C\$3,874	C\$6,912
2018					
Mar 19	Paris	Mar 22	AmaCello	C\$3,624	C\$6,662
Apr 2	Paris	Apr 5	AmaCello	C\$3,999	C\$7,037
Oct 29	Paris	Nov 1	AmaCello	C\$3,999	C\$7,037
Nov 5	Barcelona	Nov 8	AmaCello	C\$3,874	C\$6,912

Please note that itinerary name for 2017 departures is "Provence & Spain" For details please refer to www.AmaWaterways.ca.

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMACELLO

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
В	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,374
A	Violin	French Balcony	C\$1,499
S	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,999

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; Suites 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$1,200 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds

Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Barcelona: C\$294 per person in double, C\$581 in single Lyon: C\$306 per person in double, C\$606 in single Paris: C\$381 per person in double, C\$763 in single Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is docked.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.



#### MEET ONE OF OUR WINE HOSTS

**Dave Miner** Owner Miner Family Winery, Oakville, CA

Founded in 1998, Miner Family Winery is a family owned winery

within the heart of Napa Valley. Dave launched his own label beginning with the 1996 vintage to critical acclaim that quickly solidified his position as a serious vintner.





## THE DOURO RIVER

Land near a river, and naturally protected by mountain ranges, inspired winemakers to plant vineyards along the Douro, but wild landscapes and nutrient-poor soil made this an extremely difficult task. The birthplace of Port wine would simply not exist today if it hadn't been for the centuries of determined winegrowers who laboriously carved rows of vines into the steep, dramatic terrain. Angled, rocky terrain just so happens to be ideal for the growth of grapes. Over the years, the magnitude of Portual's Douro Valley wine region has grown remarkably and it is now divided into three parts. Our *Enticing Douro* itinerary cruises through all three sub-regions.

## **TASTING NOTES**

#### BAIXO CORGO

Baixo Corgo lies closest to the Atlantic and has more than 33,000 acres of vineyards, yielding the largest cultivation of grape vines. The vineyards threaded through these extreme slopes give life to rich, tawny Ports, red and white table wines and sparkling Vinho Verde, which translates as "young wine."

#### **CIMA CORGO**

Cima Corgo is home to a drier climate and proves to be the most fruitful region. The 50,000 acres of vineyards that cling to the Douro's heartland produce remarkable, long-lasting table wines and Ports like those of the Vintage variety in Pinhâo.

#### DOURO SUPERIOR

Douro Superior is the easternmost sub-region and has the driest conditions, slatelike soil and continental climate that gives life to some of the finest, most impressive Vintage Ports in all of Portugal.







The Douro Valley's intense, vineyard-covered landscapes give life to the one and only Port wines.

- » 3 nights hotel accommodation in Lisbon at the InterContinental Lisbon (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel to Porto via high-speed train
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer balconies
- » Complimentary internet access in all staterooms
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- » Cocktail Reception and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours and hiking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## **ENTICING DOURO**

#### **11 DAYS · TRAVEL TO LISBON AND RETURN FROM PORTO**

SPEND 3 NIGHTS IN LISBON, THEN ENJOY A 7-NIGHT CRUISE THROUGH THE DRAMATIC DOURO RIVER VALLEY



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## **W** ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### DOURO VALLEY: QUINTA AVELADA AND VINHO VERDE

Toast to the good life, the incredible wines and enchanting gardens at the lovely Quinta da Avelada, a historic winery and estate that dates back to 1870. A landscape of blooming roses, azaleas and babbling brooks pairs beautifully with a rich selection of cheeses and signature best-selling wines from the Douro Valley, such as refreshing Vinho Verdes and rosés. Cosmopolitan Lisbon offers a treasure trove of Old World architecture. And then there is the town of Sintra, one of the loveliest mountain villages in Portugal. Both places provide the perfect start to an incredible Iberian experience before embarking in Porto on your journey through the dramatic Douro River Valley. To celebrate the authenticity and quality of the wines produced in the Douro, you'll be treated to several visits to typical Portuguese quintas. Visit picturesque Lamego, home to one of the most important pilgrimage sites in all of of Portugal, the Lamego steps and Spain's golden-hued city, Salamanca, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Throughout your travels, soak up the genuine beauty and breathtaking charm of one of Europe's most unadulterated landscapes.

#### REGUA: QUINTA DO SEIXO AND SANDEMAN

The steeply terraced vineyards of Quinta do Seixo overlook the Douro Valley and produce some of the most traditionally made wine in the Douro region. An expert from the Sandeman Winery will take you on a tasting and private tour of the wine cellars, teaching you about the centuries-old winemaking methods.





DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Lisbon	Hotel check-in
2	Lisbon	City tour
3	Lisbon	Sintra excursion
4	Lisbon	High-speed train to Porto
	Porto 😽	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
5	Porto	City tour and Port wine tasting
		at Graham's Winery OR Porto hike
	Entre-os-Rios	Cheese and wine tasting at Quinta
		da Avelada with garden tour
6	Régua	Douro Wine Museum
		Lamego and Bolas tasting
		OR Lamego Steps hike and
		Bolas tasting
		OR Port wine tasting at
		Quinta do Seixo
7	Barca d'Alva	Castelo Rodrigo tour
8	Vega de Terrón	Salamanca excursion
		OR Côa Valley Archaeological Park
9	Pinhão	Wine tasting and lunch at
		Quinta da Roêda
		OR Mateus Palace and Gardens
10	Porto	Guimãraes & Vinho Verde tasting
		OR Tastes of Matosinhos tour
11	Porto 🐧	DISEMBARKATION

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Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Daily program features listed above operate on 2018 cruises. Please visit our website for information on 2017 daily program features. Hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

#### For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca



### DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

STAF DAT		START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	10-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2017						
Apr	1 🔶	<ul> <li>Lisbon</li> </ul>	Apr 4	AmaVida	C\$3,624	C\$5,687
Jul	8	Lisbon	Jul 11	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Aug	5	Lisbon	Aug 8	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Aug	12	Lisbon	Aug 15	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Nov	4	Lisbon	Nov 7	AmaVida	C\$4,124	C\$5,099
2018						
Jul	7	Lisbon	Jul 10	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Aug	4	Lisbon	Aug 7	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Aug	11	Lisbon	Aug 14	AmaVida	C\$4,374	C\$5,349
Nov	3	Lisbon	Nov 6	AmaVida	C\$4,124	C\$5,099
Nov	10	Lisbon	Nov 13	AmaVida	C\$3,874	C\$4,849

◆ "Port Wine & Flamenco" cruise; for details please refer to www.AmaWaterways.ca. Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMAVIDA

CA	T. DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Douro	Window	C\$374
С	Lisbon	Balcony	C\$1,499
В	Lisbon	Balcony	C\$1,749
A	Porto	Balcony	C\$2,124
S	Porto	Balcony	C\$4,124

#### Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; Suites 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

#### Single Supplement Pre-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$600 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

#### Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality):

Lisbon: C\$188 per person in double, C\$369 in single

Porto: C\$281 per person in double, C\$556 in single Upgrade to the Four Seasons available; ask for details.

Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.



### MEET ONE OF OUR WINE HOSTS

Michael Blaylock Director of Winemaking Quady Winery, CA

Michael Blaylock of Quady Winery is arguably America's foremost maker

of dessert varietals. They also produce dry wine varietals including popular blend "Pistoleta," a delightful mixture of Roussanne, Marsanne, Viognier and Grenache Blanc.





VIEW OF WACHAU VALLEY, AUSTRIA

## THE DANUBE

Brilliant architectural masterpieces and vine-strung hillsides on the Danube River have inspired artistic creations for hundreds of years. The *Romantic Danube* and *Melodies of the Danube* itineraries journey through Germany, Austria, Slovakia and Hungary, so you can experience some of the most celebrated wines and sights in Europe's heartland.

Over 3,700 acres of terraced vineyards rise from Austria's illustrious Wachau Valley. Located between the towns of Melk and Krems, this cooler-climate wine region brings a wide variety of refreshing, peppery white-grape wines to fruition. Grüner Veltliner is considered to be the most important grape in Austria. Grown in loess soils by the river's edge, these favored wines offer aromatic stone fruit flavors reminiscent of the terroir. Riesling, the second most popular grape, loves rocky inclines, so it is extensively sewn into the rich hillside. Fruity notes and floral scents surface from these unique whites.

## **TASTING NOTES**

#### THE WACHAU VALLEY: GRAPES & APRICOTS

The terroir and grape varieties of the Wachau Valley truly define the essence of its wine. So much so that the wines even utilize their own classification system, designed only for the Wachau. Of course, grapes aren't the only fruit that grows here—as the region is equally famous for its apricots, which have received EU protection since 1996. Each spring, roughly 100,000 apricot trees begin to bloom, adding to the landscape's aesthetic beauty. Everything from apricot jams and strudels, to apricot dumplings, to marmalades, schnapps and brandies are yours to savor.







Immersive tours deliver unique cultural experiences and a taste of local life.

- » 3 nights hotel in Prague at the Old Town Hilton (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel to Regensburg and on to Vilshofen
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer twin balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
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- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## **ROMANTIC DANUBE**

#### 11 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PRAGUE AND RETURN FROM BUDAPEST

3 NIGHTS IN PRAGUE AND 7-NIGHT VILSHOFEN TO BUDAPEST CRUISE



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## 🐗 ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### SCHLOSS GOBELSBURG: A TASTE OF HERITAGE

Austria's Schloss Gobelsburg has a documented viticulture history dating back to the 12th century under the care of Cistercian monks from Burgundy. By 1996, the winery was passed to Michael Moosbrugger, who has preserved the winemaking heritage and legacy of the monks. The estate produces some of the greatest examples of Riesling and Grüner Veltliner wines in the world.



Those longing for the romance of Old World Europe will get to travel into the very heart of the continent, where empires were built, kings and queens were crowned and some of the world's greatest music was composed and performed by the likes of Mozart and Beethoven. Grand European cities like Prague, Vienna and Budapest forever remain timeless. Admire the beauty of Austria's Lake District and the Czech Republic's charming mountain town, Český Krumlov. From grand abbeys and fortresses perched high above the Danube to plentiful iconic UNESCO World Heritage Sites, your Danube cruise will be an unforgettable journey from beginning to end.

#### THE MELK ABBEY: DIVINE DESIGN

The Melk Abbey is one of Europe's most revered monasteries with stunning architectural details, incredible frescoes and religious artifacts. The abbey also contains the remains of several of Austria's first noble dynasty. Its world famous library houses roughly 100,000 volumes of priceless works, including numerous editions of the Bible – along with medieval books on theology, astronomy and history among others.



DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Prague	Hotel check-in
2	Prague	City tour OR Prague Castle hike
3	Prague	Free time
4	Prague	Transfer to Regensburg
	Regensburg	Walking tour
	Vilshofen 🏾 🏶	EMBARKATION
		Exclusive Oktoberfest
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
5	Vilshofen	Free time
	Passau	Walking tour
		OR Castle hike
6	Linz	Linz walking tour
		OR Castle and "Culture Mile"
		bike tour
		Austrian Lake District tour
		OR Český Krumlov excursion
		OR Salzburg excursion
7	Weissenkirchen	Dürnstein walking tour and
		Weissenkirchen wine tasting
		OR Dürnstein Fortress hike
8	Weissenkirchen	Melk Abbey OR Danube bike tour
		Schloss Gobelsburg cellar tour
		and tasting
9	Vienna	City tour
		OR Sacher and Sekt
		OR Alte Donau bike tour
10	Budapest	City tour
		OR Castle Hill hike
		Illuminations Cruise
11	Budapest 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
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🛞 Embark 7-Night Cruise

Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Daily program features listed above operate on 2018 cruises. Please visit our website for information on 2017 daily program features. Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

#### For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

#### **OTHER ITINERARY OPTIONS**

7-night cruise and 3 nights in Munich at the impressive Hotel Bayerischer Hof

From an additional **C\$1,650** per person (added to the 7-night cruise price)

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

START DATE	START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	10-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2017					
Apr 2	Prague	Apr 5	AmaStella	C\$3,374	C\$4,349
Nov 3	Prague	Nov 6	AmaCerto	C\$3,624	C\$4,599
Nov 10	Prague	Nov 13	AmaSerena	C\$3,499	C\$4,474
Nov 12	Prague	Nov 15	AmaStella	C\$3,499	C\$4,474
Nov 17	Prague	Nov 20	AmaCerto	C\$3,499	C\$4,474
2018					
Mar 20	Prague	Mar 23	AmaSerena	C\$3,124	C\$4,099
Oct 30	Prague	Nov 2	AmaSerena	C\$3,749	C\$4,724
Nov 6	Prague	Nov 9	AmaViola	C\$3,624	C\$4,599
Nov 8	Prague	Nov 11	AmaLea	C\$3,499	C\$4,474

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMACERTO, AMALEA, AMASERENA & AMAVIOLA

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
CB	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$749
CA/C	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
BB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,749
BA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,999
AB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,249
AA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,499
AA+	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$3,249
SS	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$4,124

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; AA+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$210 per person

Bedding: Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds

Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

#### Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality):

Prague: C\$188 per person in double, C\$369 in single Budapest: C\$200 per person in double, C\$394 in single Munich: C\$369 per person in double, C\$738 in single Upgrade to the Four Seasons in Prague is available; ask for details. Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.





- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer twin balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
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- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfer from the ship in Vilshofen to Regensburg and on to Prague
- » 3 nights hotel in Prague at the Old Town Hilton (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## MELODIES OF THE DANUBE

#### 11 DAYS · TRAVEL TO BUDAPEST AND RETURN FROM PRAGUE

7-NIGHT BUDAPEST TO VILSHOFEN CRUISE AND 3 NIGHTS IN PRAGUE OR 3 NIGHTS MUNICH



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## **W** ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### GREIN: AN INSPIRING VIEW

Perched dramatically over the mighty Danube River, the majestic Greinburg Castle is home to an ornate inner courtyard, a fabled Knights' hall and the uniquely constructed Diamond Vault. During your visit you'll enjoy some of the best views of the Danube and the surrounding countryside, along with a wine tasting as you tour the historic castle grounds and are entertained by traditional folkloric music.



Let wine and song carry you along the melodious Danube—muse for musicians, artists and poets for centuries. Explore Prague, Vienna and Budapest, magnificent capital cities with storybook architecture and the tales to match. Visit Salzburg, the setting for the beloved film classic, "The Sound of Music," complete with a stop in Mondsee, home of the famed Basilica St. Michael where the movie's wedding scene was filmed. Indulge in the flavors of the region, from delicate, apricot-scented wines of Austria's Wachau Valley to the hearty Bavarian beer at a traditional Bavarian Oktoberfest in Vilshofen. Each bend and twist in the river affords new surprises just waiting for you to discover.

#### DÜRNSTEIN: THE PEARL OF THE WACHAU VALLEY

Nestled along the majestic banks of the Danube River lies the peaceful town of Dürnstein. Along with its vintages, its idyllic setting and incredible historical importance, it is also widely celebrated for its delicious apricots and apricot products. During your visit you can sample some of the region's superb wine and enjoy a taste of its unique apricot liqueurs, chocolates and jams.



DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Budapest 🏽 🏶	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
		Illuminations Cruise
2	Budapest	City tour OR Castle Hill hike
		Illuminations Cruise
3	Vienna	City tour
4	Vienna	Hidden Vienna tour
		OR Alte Donau bike tour
	Krems	Schloss Gobelsburg cellar
		tour and tasting
5	Weissenkirchen	Dürnstein walking tour and
		wine tasting
		OR Dürnstein Fortress hike
		OR Apricots & Sweets
	Emmersdorf	Melk Benedictine Abbey tour
		OR Ybbs Bike tour
	Grein	Exclusive castle visit with wine tasting
6	Linz	Walking tour
		OR Castle and "Culture Mile"
		bike tour
		Salzburg excursion
		OR Český Krumlov excursion
		OR Austrian Lake District tour
7	Passau	Walking tour OR Passau bike tour
		OR Castle Hill hike
	Vilshofen	Exclusive Oktoberfest
8	Vilshofen 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
	Regensburg	Walking tour; Transfer to Prague
	Prague	Hotel check-in
9	Prague	City tour OR Prague Castle hike
10	Prague	Free time
11	Prague	Return flight home

#### 🕀 Embark 7-Night Cruise

Disembark 7-Night Cruise

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Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

#### For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

#### **OTHER ITINERARY OPTIONS**

7-night cruise and 3 nights in Munich at the impressive Hotel Bayerischer Hof

From an additional **C\$1,650** per person (added to the 7-night cruise price)

### DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

START DATE	START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	10-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2017					
Mar 27	Budapest	Mar 27	AmaSerena	C\$3,124	C\$4,099
Mar 29	Budapest	Mar 29	AmaStella	C\$3,249	C\$4,224
Apr 11 🔶	Budapest	Apr 13	AmaDante	C\$3,624	C\$5,249
Jul 24	Budapest	Jul 24	AmaCerto	C\$4,124	C\$5,099
Aug 21	Budapest	Aug 21	AmaCerto	C\$4,249	C\$5,224
Nov 8	Budapest	Nov 8	AmaStella	C\$3,624	C\$4,599
Nov 13	Budapest	Nov 13	AmaCerto	C\$3,499	C\$4,474
2018					
Mar 23	Budapest	Mar 23	AmaViola	C\$3,124	C\$4,099
Mar 30	Budapest	Mar 30	AmaSerena	C\$3,249	C\$4,224
Jul 20	Budapest	Jul 20	AmaSerena	C\$4,124	C\$5,099
Aug 3	Budapest	Aug 3	AmaSerena	C\$4,124	C\$5,099
Oct 26	Budapest	Oct 26	AmaSerena	C\$3,874	C\$4,849
Nov 2	Budapest	Nov 2	AmaViola	C\$3,749	C\$4,724
Nov 4	Budapest	Nov 4	AmaLea	C\$3,749	C\$4,724

 "Blue Danube Discovery" cruise operates from Budapest to Nuremberg; visit www.AmaWaterways.ca for detailed itinerary, upgrade pricing and single supplement for land pricing.

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMACERTO, AMALEA, AMASERENA & AMAVIOLA

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CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
CB	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$749
CA/C	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
BB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,749
BA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,999
AB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,249
AA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,499
AA+	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$3,249
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CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
В	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,374
A	Violin	French Balcony	C\$1,499
A+	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,749
S	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,999

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

Single Supplement Cruise: 50% of twin price; AA+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$210 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

#### Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality):

Prague: C\$188 per person in double, C\$369 in single Budapest: C\$200 per person in double, C\$394 in single Munich: C\$369 per person in double, C\$738 in single

Upgrade to the Four Seasons in Prague and Budapest is available; ask for details. Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.



# Rhine, Moselle and Main

PANORAMIC VIEWS OF COCHEM, GERMANY

## THE RHINE, MOSELLE AND MAIN RIVERS

The Rhine along with its main tributaries—the Moselle and Main—have created a wine connoisseur's paradise, which can be discovered on our *Europe's Rivers & Castles, Enchanting Rhine, Captivating Rhine* and *Rhine & Moselle Splendors* itineraries.

The Upper Middle Rhine's slate soil combined with a semi-continental climate have proven to be a recipe for wine-growing success for the Rheingau vineyards, yielding high-quality white wine varieties, and some fine reds. Germany's Moselle River Valley yields some of the finest white wines ever produced due to its blue Devonian slate and quartzite soils. Alongside the Main River in eastern Germany, a wide variety of wines have been surfacing from Franconia due to its special soils and Mediterranean-like climate.

## TASTING NOTES

#### THE ALSACE: A HIDDEN TREASURE

France's Alsace region has been blessed with desirable conditions: ancient soils, noble grapes and an extraordinary climate. This region produces noteworthy dry Rieslings as well as highly aromatic Gewürztraminer wines and Crémant d'Alsace.

#### THE MOSELLE: GERMANY'S OLDEST WINE GROWING REGION

In Germany where Riesling reigns supreme, the sheer quality of the terroir and climate found along the Moselle is perfect for Riesling grapes. Many connoisseurs consider these wines to be amongst the finest white wines ever created.







Discover charming medieval villages, cosmopolitan cities and stunning scenery along the Rhine, Moselle and Main rivers.

- » 2 nights hotel in Prague at the InterContinental Prague (or similar), including daily breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel to Nuremberg
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer French balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » Multiple dining venues, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant featuring our unique tasting menu
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- » Cocktail Reception and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours, hiking and biking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfer from the ship in Luxembourg to Paris via high-speed TGV train
- » 3 nights hotel in Paris at the Renaissance Arc de Triomphe or the Renaissance Paris Le Parc Trocadero, including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## **EUROPE'S RIVERS & CASTLES**

#### **13 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PRAGUE AND RETURN FROM PARIS**

2 NIGHTS IN PRAGUE, 7-NIGHT CRUISE NUREMBERG TO LUXEMBOURG AND 3 NIGHTS IN PARIS



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## **W** ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### WÜRZBURG RESIDENZ PALACE: HERITAGE AND WINE

The stunning UNESCO World Heritage Residenz Palace is the glittering jewel of Würzburg. Home to a treasure trove of magnificent art, including Tiepolo's fresco ceiling, it's also home to one of the world's most beautiful wine cellars located beneath the Residenz. Wander through the atmospheric candlelit corridors and vaults of the cellar as you as you taste the wine of Franconia. Two iconic cities, Prague and Paris, bookend this perfect journey that combines three beautiful rivers, each of which is striking in its own unique way. From the meandering Main to the UNESCO-designated Upper Middle Rhine Valley with its multitude of castles dotting its shores to the vineyard-clad hills of the Moselle, enjoy Europe at its most picturesque. Let the storybook villages of Wertheim, Bernkastel and Cochem captivate you. Marvel at the world's largest ceiling fresco in the Würzburg Residence and fall under Heidelberg's spell, perfectly nestled in Germany's Neckar River Valley. Savor the many flavors of Germany with a chance to sample world-famous wines. All along the way, gain an intimate understanding of the history, culture and culinary delights of the places you visit.

#### ZELL: CELEBRATE GOOD TIMES WITH GOOD WINE

There's no party like a wine party. Enjoy live music, wine tasting, sausages and perhaps some dancing at the Zell Wine Festival, held exclusively for AmaWaterways. The charming town, which is known for incredible Rieslings and black cat imagery on their labels, puts on quite the party. Celebrate with local citizens, including Zell's Wine Queen and Mayor.





DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Prague	Hotel check-in
2	Prague	City tour
3	Prague	Transfer to Nuremberg
	Nuremberg	City tour
	慶	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
4	Bamberg	Walking tour and smoked
		beer tasting
5	Würzburg	City tour
		OR Residenz Palace visit
		Wine cellar visit with tasting
6	Wertheim	Walking tour
		OR Main River bike tour
		OR Bretzel bakery visit and tasting
		OR Castle Hill hike
7	Rüdesheim	Wine tasting
		OR Siegfried's Mechanical
		Music Museum
		Scenic cruising
	Koblenz	Evening walk
8	Cochem	Walking tour and Reichsburg Castle
		OR Cochem Mustard Mill tour
		OR Bike tour
	Zell	Exclusive Wine Festival
9	Trier	City tour
		OR Bike tour
		OR Amphitheater Hill hike
10	Luxembourg 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
		City tour
		TGV transfer to Paris
	Paris	Hotel check-in
11	Paris	City tour
12	Paris	Free Time

Hereit Embark 7-Night Cruise

13 Paris

🛈 Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

Return flight home

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

STAI DAT		START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	12-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2018						
Apr	3	Prague	Apr 5	AmaDante	C\$3,374	C\$5,674
Jul	17	Prague	Jul 19	AmaDante	C\$4,124	C\$6,424

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMADANTE

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
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A	Violin	French Balcony	C\$1,499
A+	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,749
S	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2.999

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; A+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$1,000 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Prague: C\$188 per person in double, C\$369 in single Paris: C\$381 per person in double, C\$763 in single Nuremberg: C\$250 per person in double, C\$500 in single Upgrade to the Four Seasons in Prague is available; ask for details. Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

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#### MEET ONE OF OUR WINE HOSTS

Mick, Deanna, Rosie & Gerry Wilson Owners Wilson Creek Winery, CA

Wilson Creek is truly a family winery as nine family members

help run this dynamic winery. Wilson Creek is known for its famous Almond Sparkling Wine, but it produces numerous award-winning red and white wines as well. The winery is consistently voted the most popular winery in Southern California Wine Country, partially due to the hospitable staff, amazing restaurant and beautiful winery grounds.



- » 2 nights hotel in Zurich at the Zurich Marriott Hotel (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel in Zurich to Lucerne
- » 2 nights hotel in Lucerne at the Hotel Schweizerhof Lucerne (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from hotel in Lucerne to Basel
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer twin balconies or French balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » Multiple dining venues, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant featuring our unique tasting menu
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
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- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours, hiking and biking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

## **ENCHANTING RHINE**

#### 12 DAYS · TRAVEL TO ZURICH AND RETURN FROM AMSTERDAM OR REVERSE

2 NIGHTS IN ZURICH, 2 NIGHTS IN LUCERNE AND 7-NIGHT BASEL TO AMSTERDAM CRUISE



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### RIQUEWIHR: THE GEM OF THE ALSACE

Tucked away between a wooded glen and protected from northern winds by the Vosges Mountains lies the medieval town of Riquewihr, considered one of the most beautiful villages in all of France. This quaint town is filled with colorful half-timbered houses painted red, green or bright yellow some dating back to 15th century. Riquewihr has managed to retain its authentic character behind its iconic city walls.



Castles from ancient empires and steep vineyards sprout up from every angle, which makes cruising on the Rhine River feel like entering a scene out of a storybook. Wind through the Netherlands, Germany, France and Switzerland, diving deep into the history and wine regions of this vital waterway. Explore charming villages like Riquewihr as you sail along towards Strasbourg. Visit the historic university town of Heidelberg and continue cruising to Rüdesheim where you'll be treated to a special wine tasting and vineyard tour by a local vintner. Enjoy an evening walk in Koblenz, and then cruise to Cologne where you'll admire its imposing cathedral and enjoy a sample of the city's famous Kölsch beer. Conclude your cruise in the vibrant city of Amsterdam.

#### RÜDESHEIM: SMALL TOWN, BIG PERSONALITY

Rüdesheim, located in the Rhine Gorge has a long history dating back to Roman times. While it is known for winemaking, especially Riesling, it's also known for many other things including: the Drosselgasse, a lane lined with shops and restaurants; Siegfried's Mechanical Music Cabinet, a museum with self-playing instruments; and Rüdesheimer coffee, ceremoniously made with brandy and whipped cream.



DAY	DESTINATION		ACTIVITIES
1	Zurich		Hotel check-in
2	Zurich		City tour; Free Time
3	Zurich		Transfer to Lucerne
	Lucerne		Lake cruise to Lucerne
			Walking tour
			Hotel check-in
4	Lucerne		Free Time
5	Lucerne		Lion Monument & Transfer to Basel
	Basel	₩	EMBARKATION
			Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
6	Breisach		Riquewihr and wine tasting
			OR Freiburg and wine tasting
			OR Breisach bike tour
7	Strasbourg		City tour
			OR Old Town bike tour
			Alsatian wine tasting
8	Mannheim		Heidelberg excursion
			OR Heidelberg Philosopher's hike
			OR Speyer excursion
	Rüdesheim		Siegfried's Mechanical
			Music Museum
			OR Rüdesheimer Coffee
9	Rüdesheim		Gondola ride
			OR Rheingau bike tour
			OR Ehrenfel's Castle hike
			Wine tasting
	Koblenz		Evening walk
10	Cologne		City tour, cathedral visit and Kölsch
			beer and local specialties tasting
			OR Cologne bike tour
11	Amsterdam		Canal Cruise and city tour
			OR Jordaan District walking tour
			OR Amsterdam Jewish
			Heritage tour
12	Amsterdam (	Û	DISEMBARKATION

₿ Embark 7-Night Cruise

Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Daily program features listed above operate on 2018 cruises. Please visit our website for information on 2017 daily program features. Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only. From November on, there are no stops in Koblenz.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

	STA DA1		START CITY	EMBA DA1		SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	11-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
	2017							
	Mar	25	Amsterdam	Mar	25	AmaSonata	C\$3,124	C\$5,224
	Apr	1	Amsterdam	Apr	1	AmaKristina	C\$3,249	C\$5,349
	Mar	28	Zurich	Apr	1	AmaSonata	C\$3,249	C\$5,349
	Jul	27	Amsterdam	Jul	27	AmaPrima	C\$4,124	C\$6,224
	Aug	1	Zurich	Aug	5	AmaSonata	C\$4,124	C\$6,224
	Nov	5	Zurich	Nov	9	AmaPrima	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	Nov	7	Zurich	Nov	11	AmaSonata	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	Nov	11	Amsterdam	Nov	11	AmaKristina	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	Nov	18	Amsterdam	Nov	18	AmaSonata	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	2018							
	Mar	27	Zurich	Mar	31	AmaPrima	C\$3,249	C\$5,349
	Mar	29	Zurich	Apr	2	AmaStella	C\$3,374	C\$5,474
	Apr	4	Zurich	Apr	8	AmaSonata	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	Nov	1	Zurich	Nov	5	AmaKristina	C\$3,624	C\$5,724
	Nov	8	Zurich	Nov	12	AmaStella	C\$3,499	C\$5,599
	Nov	15	Zurich	Nov	19	AmaKristina	C\$3,499	C\$5,599

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMAKRISTINA, AMAPRIMA, AMASONATA & AMASTELLA

CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
CB	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$749
CA/C	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
BB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,749
BA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$1,999
AB	Cello	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,249
AA	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$2,499
AA+	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$3,249
SS	Violin	French/Outside Balcony	C\$4,124

#### Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; AA+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$800 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Amsterdam: C\$306 per person in double, C\$606 in single Zurich: C\$306 per person in double, C\$606 in single Basel: C\$494 per person in double, C\$988 in single Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

#### Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.



- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer twin balconies or French balconies
- » Entertainment on Demand in all staterooms featuring free high-speed internet access, movies, a music library and English language TV stations
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- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
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- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfer from the ship in Basel to Lucerne
- » 2 nights hotel in Lucerne at the Hotel Schweizerhof Lucerne (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from hotel in Lucerne to Zurich
- » 2 nights hotel in Zurich at the Zurich Marriott Hotel (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
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## CAPTIVATING RHINE

#### **12 DAYS · TRAVEL TO AMSTERDAM AND RETURN FROM ZURICH**

7-NIGHT AMSTERDAM TO BASEL CRUISE, 2 NIGHTS IN LUCERNE AND 2 NIGHTS IN ZURICH



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

## ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

#### COLOGNE: DO AS THE LOCALS DO

Germany's beautiful city of Cologne is a major cultural metropolis dating back more than 2,000 years. During your visit, not only will you tour the historic Old Town and see its twin-spired Gothic Cathedral, but you'll also have a chance to try Kölsch beer at one of the city's historic breweries. This unique golden-hued brew is considered Cologne's distinct local beer.



Contoured by stretches of vineyard-clad hills and castles from yesteryear perched high above its shores, the captivating Rhine stands out as one of the worlds most storied rivers. Experience the friendly allure of France's Alsace region in its welcoming capital, Strasbourg, and its priceless gem, Riquewihr. Then there is Breisach, rising above the vineyards of the Rhine, and Freiburg, gateway to Black Forest. Fabled towns lost in time present you with the chance to taste local flavors—Alsatian and Rheingau wines, Rüdesheimer coffee and Kölsch beer—and to touch history up close with guided hikes and bike rides in Heidelberg and Cologne. From Amsterdam's colorful canals to the majestic peaks of the Swiss Alps, journey into the heart and soul of the destinations you visit.

#### STRASBOURG: ALSATIAN WINE TASTING

The Vosges Mountains provides Alsace with ideal wine making conditions. And as such, Alsatian wines are not only delightful on the palate, but they're also highly praised for their fragrant aromas, ranging from bright and fruity to crisp and spicy. A visit to Alsace wouldn't be complete without a tasting of some of the region's most delicious and notable wines.


## DAILY PROGRAM FEATURES

DAY	DESTINATION		ACTIVITIES
1	Amsterdam	₩	EMBARKATION
			Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
2	Amsterdam		City tour and canal cruise
3	Cologne		City tour and cathedral visit
			Kölsch beer and local
			specialties tasting
	Koblenz		Evening walk
4	Rhine Gorge		Cruise past Rhine castles
	Rüdesheim		Wine tasting
			OR Gondola ride
			OR Rheingau bike tour
			Siegfried's Mechanical
			Music Museum
			OR Rüdesheimer coffee
5	Mannheim		Heidelberg excursion
			OR Heidelberg Philosopher's hike
			OR Speyer excursion
6	Strasbourg		City tour
			OR Old Town bike tour
			Alsatian wine tasting
7	Breisach		Riquewihr and wine tasting
			OR Freiburg and wine tasting
			OR Breisach bike tour
8	Basel	Û	DISEMBARKATION
			City tour
			Transfer to Lucerne
9	Lucerne		Walking tour
10	Lucerne		Lake cruise
			Transfer to Zurich
11	Zurich		City tour
			Free time
12	Zurich		Return flight home

Hereit Cruise Embark 7-Night Cruise

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Note: Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

### For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

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Nov	17	Amsterdam	Nov	17	AmaPrima	C\$3.499	C\$5,599

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMAPRIMA, AMASONATA & AMASTELLA

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Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

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#### Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$800 per person

Bedding: Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

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### MEET ONE OF OUR WINE HOSTS

**Anthony Bell** Winemaker Bell Wine Cellars, Napa Valley, CA

After growing up among the vineyards in Stellenbosch, South

Africa, Anthony was sent to experience sherry making in Spain and wine making in Bordeaux. In 1988, he opened Bell Wine Cellars, in the center of Napa Valley, where he focuses on making wines that proclaim a "sense of place" in every glass.



## **INCLUDED FEATURES**

- » 3 nights hotel in Paris at the Renaissance Arc de Triomphe or the Renaissance Paris Le Parc Trocadero, including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfer from the hotel in Paris to Luxembourg via high-speed TGV train
- » 7 nights deluxe cruise accommodation in riverview stateroom or suite – most staterooms offer French balconies
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- » Fine dining, including unlimited complimentary hand-selected wines, beer and soft drinks with lunch and dinner on board
- » Multiple dining venues, including The Chef's Table specialty restaurant featuring our unique tasting menu
- » NEW FOR 2018 Sip & Sail daily cocktail hour with complimentary wine, beer, spirits and soft drinks
- » Cocktail Reception and Captain's Gala Dinner
- » Complimentary Wi-Fi access on board
- » Guided shore excursions in every port, including Special Interest Tours, hiking and biking tours
- » Onboard live entertainment, cooking demonstration, theme dinners and more
- » Complimentary bicycles and helmets
- » Services of a professionally trained Cruise Manager throughout your cruise and land stay
- » An all English-speaking staff on board
- » Transfer from the ship in Basel to Zurich
- » 3 nights hotel in Zurich at the Zurich Eden au Lac (or similar), including daily buffet breakfast
- » Transfers between hotel and ship are included with the purchase of cruise and land package; airport transfers are included with the purchase of airfare from AmaWaterways

# RHINE & MOSELLE SPLENDORS

### 14 DAYS · TRAVEL TO PARIS AND RETURN FROM ZURICH

3 NIGHTS IN PARIS, 7-NIGHT LUXEMBOURG TO BASEL CRUISE AND 3 NIGHTS IN ZURICH



◆ START | # NIGHTS ON SHORE ◆ END | # NIGHTS ON SHORE

# ITINERARY HIGHLIGHTS

### SCHWETZINGEN PALACE GARDENS: A DREAM COME TRUE

Prince Elector Carl Theodor had a dream to make Schwetzingen Gardens the most beautiful castle gardens in the world. And he did just that by instructing the leading landscape architects and artists of the age to design the gardens. It's an enchanting place that blends two very distinct styles—the French geometric influence and the more organic English landscape, into one castle garden that is beyond amazing. Romantic Paris and cosmopolitan Zurich provide the perfect beginning and ending to your splendid journey along two of Europe's most alluring rivers, the Rhine and Moselle. In between, expand your imagination by stepping into the pages of a fairytale in cities like Cochem, where folklore and history come to life, and discover the foundations of Strasbourg's French and German heritage. Be inspired by Trier's impressive Roman Imperial Baths and the imposing Porta Nigra. You'll also encounter true whimsical ingenuity at Siegfried's Mechanical Museum in Rüdesheim and at Schwetzingen Gardens. Along the way, meet local wine growers who will charm you with delicious wines that highlight this epic wine route.

### BERNKASTEL: "CITY OF VINE AND WINE"

Bernkastel appears to have been lifted from the pages of a storybook with its charming cobblestone streets and attractions such as the historic market square and the Landshut Castle ruins. Bernkastel also has a legacy for wine-producing and its vineyards are among the oldest in all of Germany. You'll get to savor the celebrated Moselle wines at Dr. Pauly Bergweiler's Wine Estate.





## DAILY PROGRAM FEATURES

DAY	DESTINATION	ACTIVITIES
1	Paris	Hotel check-in
2	Paris	City tour
3	Paris	Free time
4	Paris	TGV high-speed train
		to Luxembourg
	Luxembourg	City tour
	嵌	EMBARKATION
		Welcome Aboard Wine Toast
5	Trier	City tour
	Bernkastel	Walking tour and wine tasting
6	Cochem	Walking tour and Reichsburg Castle
		OR Castle hike
		OR Bike tour
	Koblenz	Evening walk
7	Rhine Gorge	Scenic cruising
	Rüdesheim	Gondola ride
		OR Wine tasting
		OR Bike tour
		Siegfried's Mechanical
		Music Museum
		OR Rüdesheimer Coffee
8	Mannheim	Heidelberg
		OR Schwetzingen Gardens
		OR Mannheim Baroque Palace
9	Strasbourg	City tour
		OR Old Town bike tour
		Alsatian wine tasting
10	Breisach	Riquewihr walking tour and
		wine tasting
		OR Freiburg and wine tasting
		OR Breisach bike tour
	Basel	Free evening
11	Basel 🗘	DISEMBARKATION
		Transfer to Lucerne
	Lucerne	City tour and Lake Cruise
	Zurich	Hotel check-in
12	Zurich	City tour
13	Zurich	Free time
14	Zurich	Return flight home
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🕸 Embark 7-Night Cruise

🛈 Disembark 7-Night Cruise

Note: Bike and hikes are subject to weather.

Itinerary can be booked as cruise only.

For itinerary details visit www.amawaterways.ca

## DATES AND PRICES (CAD)

STAF DAT		START CITY	EMBARK DATE	SHIP NAME	7-NIGHT CRUISE	13-NIGHT CRUISE/LAND
2018						
Apr	9	Paris	Apr 12	AmaDante	C\$3,624	C\$6,849
Nov	5	Paris	Nov 8	AmaDante	C\$3,624	C\$6,849

For details please refer to www.AmaWaterways.ca.

Cruise prices are per person in a Cat. E, deluxe outside stateroom with window. To upgrade to a higher category, add per person:

#### AMADANTE

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CAT.	DECK	STATEROOM	ADD'L
D	Piano	Window	C\$374
С	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,124
В	Violin & Cello	French Balcony	C\$1,374
A	Violin	French Balcony	C\$1,499
A+	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,749
S	Violin	French Balcony	C\$2,999

Port Charges: Additional C\$210 per person

**Single Supplement Cruise:** 50% of twin price; A+ and Suite 100% of twin price. Single supplement waived on D and E categories. Please check at time of booking as offer is capacity controlled.

Single Supplement Pre- and Post-Cruise Land Arrangements: C\$1200 per person

**Bedding:** Please select bedding configuration at the time of booking. Option A: Two twin beds Option B: One large bed (larger than queen size)

Airfare: Please call for AmaWaterways' special roundtrip airfares.

Extra Hotel Nights (prices subject to change due to seasonality): Paris: C\$381 per person in double, C\$763 in single Basel: C\$494 per person in double, C\$988 in single Zurich: C\$331 per person in double, C\$656 in single Extra hotel nights include porterage, breakfast, as well as transfers to/from the ship only in cities where the ship is embarking or disembarking.

Please ensure flights arrive on the applicable date above.







# AMALEA, AMAKRISTINA, AMAVIOLA & AMASTELLA

The 158-passenger AmaLea, AmaKristina, AmaViola and AmaStella offer spacious staterooms with our exclusive twin balconies, a choice of dining venues, a heated pool with swim-up bar and more.



Note: Elevator on AmaLea & AmaKristina reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin, Cello Deck and Piano Deck. Elevator on AmaStella & AmaViola reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin and Cello Deck.

Suite	Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 350 sq. ft.
Cat. AA	Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.
Cat. AB	Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 235 sq. ft.
Cat. BA	Violin Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.
Cat. BB	Cello Deck / French & Outside Balcony - 210 sq. ft.
Cat. CA	Violin & Cello Deck / French Balcony - 170 sq. ft.
Cat. CB	Violin Deck / French Balcony - 155 sq. ft.
Cat. D	Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.
Cat. E	Piano Deck / Fixed Windows - 160 sq. ft.

••••• Staterooms separated by a dotted line become adjoining by request.

### Deck Plan

- 1 Heated Pool
- 2 Walking Track
- 3 Main Lounge4 Reception
- 5 The Chef's Table restaurant
- 6 Main Restaurant
- Main Restaurant
- 7 Massage & Hair Salon
- 8 Fitness Room
- 9 Elevator

Up to triple occupancy.



Note: For more ship information, visit www.amawaterways.ca. For Cat. D and E staterooms, please refer to page 41 for general layouts.

Built: AmaLea - 2018 AmaKristina - 2017 AmaViola - 2016 AmaStella - 2016 Length: 443 ft. Width: 38 ft. Crew: 51 Staterooms: 79 Passengers: 158 Registry: Switzerland

**Technical Data** 

# AMASERENA, AMASONATA, AMAPRIMA & AMACERTO

These ships in Europe accommodate 164 passengers and feature exclusive signature twin balcony staterooms, heated swimming pool, salon services, fitness room, stunning glass elevator and much more.



Note: Elevator reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin and Cello Deck (does not reach Piano Deck or Sun Deck).



Note: Cat. AA+ stateroom has a modified layout



Note: For more ship information, visit www.amawaterways.ca. For Cat. C, D and E staterooms, please refer to page 41 for general layouts. Select staterooms on board the AmaSerena can become adjoining by request; ask for details.

#### Deck Plan

- 1 Lower Sun Deck
- 2 Navigation Bridge
- 3 Bicycles4 Heated Po
- 4 Heated Pool5 Sun Deck
- Sun Deck
  Walking Tra
- 6 Walking Track
- 7 Main Lounge
- 8 Reception
- 9 Fitness Room
- 10 Massage & Hair Salon
- 11 The Chef's Table restaurant
- 12 Main Restaurant
- 13 Elevator

### **Technical Data**

Built: AmaSerena - 2015 AmaSonata - 2014 AmaPrima - 2013 AmaCerto - 2012 Length: 443 ft. Width: 38 ft. Crew: 51 Staterooms: 82 Passengers: 164 Registry: Switzerland









# AMALYRA, AMADOLCE, AMADANTE & AMACELLO

These ships offer spacious 170-255 sq. ft. staterooms, most with French balconies. Other features include complimentary in-room entertainment on demand and Internet, WiFi, Sun Deck walking track and a fitness room.



Note: Elevator reaches Main Restaurant, Lobby/Main Lounge and staterooms on Violin and Cello Deck (does not reach Piano Deck or Sun Deck).

- SuiteViolin Deck / French Balcony 255 sq. ft.Cat. A+Violin Deck / French Balcony 225 sq. ft.Cat. AViolin Deck / French Balcony 170 sq. ft.Cat. BViolin & Cello Deck / French Balcony 170 sq. ft.Cat. CViolin & Cello Deck / French Balcony 170 sq. ft.Cat. DPiano Deck / Fixed Windows 170 sq. ft.Cat. EPiano Deck / Fixed Windows 170 sq. ft.SingleCello Deck / French Balcony 140 sq. ft.
- Note: Cat. A+ not offered on AmaCello.







Fixed Window

Category

## Deck Plan

- Observation Deck
  Navigation Bridge
  Bicycles
  Whirlpool
  Sun Deck
  Walking Track
  Main Lounge
- 8 Reception
- 9 Massage & Hair Salon
- Massage & Hair Salon
  The Chef's Table restaurant
- 1 Fitness Room
- 12 Main Restaurant
- 13 Elevator

### **Technical Data**

Built: AmaLyra - 2009 AmaDolce - 2009 AmaDante - 2008 AmaCello - 2008 Length: 360 ft. Width: 38 ft. Crew: 45 Staterooms: 74 Passengers: 146 Registry: Switzerland

Note: For more ship information, visit www.amawaterways.ca.

French Balcony

# AMAVIDA

This 106-passenger ship brings AmaWaterways' distinctive standard of excellence to the Douro River, featuring balconies in the majority of its staterooms; fine dining in the main dining room plus *al fresco* dining; heated swimming pool and fitness room.



Note: Elevator reaches all three stateroom decks (does not reach Sun Deck).

Category

D&E

Panoramic Window



- Lisbon Deck / Balcony 215 sq. ft. Douro Deck / Panoramic Window - 161 sq. ft.
- Cat. E Douro Deck / Panoramic Window 161 sq. ft.





## Deck Plan

- Navigation Bridge
  Heated Pool
- 3 Sun Deck4 Main Lounge
- 5 Reception
- 6 Elevator
- 7 Al Fresco Dining
- 8 Main Restaurant
- 9 Fitness Room

10 Spa

## **Technical Data**

Built: 2013 Length: 260 ft. Width: 37 ft. Crew: 30 Staterooms: 53 Passengers: 106 Registry: Portugal





Note: For more ship information, visit www.amawaterways.ca.



# EUROPE HOTELS

Before beginning or ending your magnificent cruise down the rivers of Europe, why not extend your journey with pre- and post-cruise land extensions? It's easy to add these unforgettable experiences to your already value-packed AmaWaterways River Cruise. With our carefully crafted pre- and post-cruise land packages, you can spend even more time in world-class destinations—all while getting even more value out of your international airfare. We've picked hotels conveniently located near the major sites. And with our Cruise Manager accompanying you throughout both your cruise and land program, you'll be well taken care of throughout your journey.

AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS	Sofitel Legend the Grand Amsterdam
BARCELONA, SPAIN	Le Méridien Barcelona
BASEL, SWITZERLAND	Grand Hotel Les Trois Rois
BORDEAUX, FRANCE	InterContinental Bordeaux Le Grand Hôtel
BUDAPEST, HUNGARY	Sofitel Budapest Chain Bridge
LISBON, PORTUGAL	InterContinental Lisbon Upgrade to the Four Seasons available; ask for details
LOIRE VALLEY, FRANCE	Hotel Novotel Amboise
LUCERNE, SWITZERLAND	Hotel Schweizerhof Lucerne OR Radisson Blu Hotel
LYON, FRANCE	Hotel Cour des Loges
MUNICH, GERMANY	Hotel Bayerischer Hof
NUREMBERG, GERMANY	Le Méridien Grand Hotel Nuremberg
PARIS, FRANCE	Paris Marriott Opera Ambassador Hotel OR InterContinental Paris Avenue Marceau OR Renaissance Paris Le Parc Trocadero Hotel OR Renaissance Paris Arc de Triomphe Hotel
PORTO, PORTUGAL	The Yeatman Hotel
PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC	InterContinental Prague OR Hotel Cosmopolitan Prague OR Hilton Prague Old Town Upgrade to the Four Seasons available; ask for details
ZURICH, SWITZERLAND	Hotel Schweizerhof Zurich Zurich Marriott Hotel OR Zurich Eden Au Lac

Note: Hotels are subject to change.

# AIRLINE INFORMATION

In conjunction with all of our cruise and cruise and land programs, AmaWaterways offers special airfare rates from many major gateways in the United States and Canada. These special airfare rates are using the world's greatest airlines! An example list of gateway cities is shown below. Please call for complete details and availability.

US CITIES	US CITIES	US CITIES				
Albany, NY	Des Moines, IA	Philadelphia, PA				
Albuquerque, NM	Detroit, MI	Phoenix, AZ				
Anchorage, AK	Dover, DE	Pittsburgh, PA				
Atlanta, GA	Ft. Lauderdale, FL	Portland, OR				
Austin, TX	Hartford, CT	Providance, RI				
Baltimore, MD	Honolulu, HI	Sacramento, CA				
Billings, MT	Houston, TX	Salt Lake City, UT				
Birmingham, AL	Indianapolis, IN	San Antonio, TX				
Bismark, ND	Kansas City, MO	San Diego, CA				
Boise, ID	Las Vegas, NV	San Francisco, CA				
Boston, MA	Lincoln, NE	Seattle, WA				
Buffalo, NY	Little Rock, AR	St. Louis, MO				
Burlington, VT	Los Angeles, CA	Tampa, FL				
Charleston, WV	Louisville, KY	Tucson, AZ				
Charlotte, NC	Memphis, TN	Washington, DC (IAD)				
Cheyenne, WY	Miami, FL	CANADA				
Chicago, IL	Milwaukee, WI	Calgary, AB				
Cincinnati, OH	Minneapolis, MN	Edmonton, AB				
Cleveland, OH	Nashville, TN	Halifax, NS				
Columbia, SC	New Orleans, LA	Montreal, QC				
Columbus, OH	Norfolk, VI	Ottawa, ON				
Dallas, TX	Oklahoma City, OK	Toronto, ON				
Denver, CO	Orlando, FL	Vancouver, BC				
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# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

Parties: In these terms and conditions, "you" or "passenger" or "participant" refers to the person booking, purchasing or traveling on the cruise, and to individuals traveling as part of that person's reservation. "We" or "us" refers to Amadeus Waterways, Inc., a California corporation ("AMA") and AmaWaterways, LLC, a California Limited Liability Company ("AWL"). AMA offers the travel and enters into these terms and conditions with you pursuant to arrangements made with AWL.

Deposit and Final Payment: To confirm a cruise or cruise & land reservation, we require a deposit of C\$500 per person for Europe and Asia itineraries and C\$3,000 per person for Africa itineraries on or before the deposit due date indicated on the confirmation. Transoceanic airline flights and packages require an additional deposit of C\$450 per person for economy class or C\$750 per person for business/first class flights. Certain airline tickets require non-refundable, full payment at the time of reservation. Hotel Extra Nights require a non-refundable deposit of C\$50 per stateroom at the time of confirmation of the hotel availability. Final payment is due no later than 90 days before the travel start date.

**Cancellation Charges:** In the unfortunate event a participant must cancel travel, notice to AmaWaterways must be via email to Res@AmaWaterways.com, which must include a return receipt and read notation, or other writing stating clearly and correctly each quest's name, ship name, start and end date of the cruise and a brief statement of the reason for cancellation. Other forms of notice are not sufficient. The effective date of the cancellation is the date we receive the written cancellation notice. Name changes, a substitution of a participant or a reduction in the number of guests in a stateroom are treated as a cancellation in that all applicable cancellation charges apply. Cancellation charges for bookings within charter and part-charter agreements are as per the charter contract. All other cancellation charges are per-person, based on the cancellation date, as follows:

Pricing: All prices are in Canadian dollars. In the event that a cruise fare listed, quoted or advertised through any website, printed collateral, reservations person, travel agent or any other source is booked, but is incorrect due to an electronic error, typographical error, human error or any other error causing the fare to be listed, quoted or advertised for an amount not intended by AmaWaterways, AmaWaterways reserves the right to correct the erroneous fare by requesting the passenger to pay the correct fare intended, or by canceling the cruise. Airfares, air taxes and air surcharges quoted on your invoice or by a reservation agent are only guaranteed once airfare deposit or full payment is received by AmaWaterways. AmaWaterways reserves the right to increase prices without notice.

Prices Do Not Include: Published prices do not include vessel fuel surcharges; passport and visa fees; baggage fees; port charges and fees; travel protection; vaccinations; laundry; additional food and beverages; optional excursions; gratuities or other items or services of a personal nature.

Passport and Visas: A valid passport is required for each participant. Passports must be valid for at least six (6) months after the scheduled return date to your home country. For travel to Asia, we require a copy of your valid passport prior to or at final payment. If not received at this time, embarkation may be denied and cancellation penalties will apply. Guests on the Vietnam/ Cambodia Cruise & Land program must obtain a Multiple Entry Visa for Vietnam, as they will have two different points of entry into Vietnam, and a Single Entry Visa for Cambodia. Guests on the cruise only Vietnam/Cambodia itinerary will require a single entry visa for Vietnam and Cambodia. For travel to Africa, a valid passport with 8 open/non-stamped pages is required. At publication time. a visa is required for a US citizen to travel to Turkey, Vietnam, Cambodia, Kenya, Tanzania and Zimbabwe (as well as numerous other countries). Non-US citizens must consult the appropriate consulates regarding visa

### CANCELLATION CHARGES

DAYS BEFORE DEPARTURE	CRUISE & LAND CANCELLATION CHARGE	AIRFARE CANCELLATION CHARGE (ECONOMY CONTRACT FARES)	AIRFARE CANCELLATION CHARGE (BUSINESS/FIRST CLASS CONTRACT FARES)	OTHER CHARGES (EXCEPT INSURANCE)
More than 121 days prior to departure	C\$250 (Europe & Asia) C\$1,500 (Africa)	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	_
120-90 days prior to departure	C\$500 (Europe & Asia) C\$3,000 (Africa)	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	_
89-60 days prior to departure	35% of cruise and land price	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	35% of all charges
59-30 days prior to departure	50% of cruise and land price	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	50% of all charges
29-7 days prior to departure	80% of cruise and land price	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	80% of all charges
6 days prior to departure	100% of cruise and land price	C\$450 penalty*	C\$750 penalty*	100% of all charges

\* Certain airline tickets, including all intra-Asia and Intra-Africa Flights within 90 days of departure and published price tickets, are 100% non-refundable.

Except as otherwise provided in your Passenger Ticket Contract, after travel begins, there is no refund for unused services, or unused portions of cruise, cruise/tour or airfare.

and other document requirements. Obtaining required visas and any other required travel documentation, and assuring these are complete and correct in all ways, is the sole responsibility of each participant. We are not in a position to obtain or verify the accuracy or completeness of any participant's visa or other required documentation and shall not be responsible or liable for delay or missed portion of any part of the itinerary or other problems resulting from the participant lacking the appropriate travel documentation.

**Travel Documents:** Only after receipt of full payment, travel documents (including airline confirmation information, if applicable) will be sent by regular ground delivery (US & Canada), approximately 3-4 weeks prior to departure. (Delay in final payment will delay delivery of travel documents.) Expedited delivery may be possible for an additional charge.

#### FLIGHTS & AIRPORT TRANSFERS

Flight Schedules & Airfares: AmaWaterways offers special airfares based on the flight and seat availability of contracted carriers. We are able to accept a traveler's choice of preferred air carrier, flight schedule, and some deviations so long as the requests are made at the time of booking the airline reservation. To hold/confirm an airline reservation, the airlines require your full legal name as it appears on your passport. For contract airline fares a deposit of C\$450 per person (economy class tickets) or C\$750 perperson (business/first-class tickets) is required to secure the flight schedule and guoted price. Published airfare prices require full payment at the time of reservation. Once the airfare deposit or full payment is received your airline tickets will be issued and any changes will be subject to penalty if not cancelled within 24 hours of ticketing. Should the name on your airline reservation not match your passport exactly, your airline reservation will have to be cancelled. full penalties will be assessed and your reservation will have to be recreated subject to market pricing at the time of the new reservation

Air tickets are economy class, unless otherwise requested and additional charge for upgrade is paid, and are issued pursuant to the terms and conditions of the relevant airline(s). **Airlines require your name to appear on your airline ticket exactly as it appears on your passport.** We shall not be responsible or liable for consequences of name on an airline reservation and passport not matching exactly. We shall not be responsible or liable for costs resulting from airline schedule changes, lost air ticket, delay, disruption or cancelled flight; lost baggage or missed connections.

**Changes:** Airline tickets issued by AmaWaterways have restrictions. For example, they cannot be reissued, transferred, or exchanged. Any changes made to an airline ticket, including minor name corrections, will incur a minimum C\$450 per ticket change fee plus any additional increases in the cost of the airfare. A change or refund request must be made through us, but may not be possible. For example, some airline tickets are non-refundable.

Limitation on Special Requests & Frequent Flier Numbers: As a courtesy, we may try to relay a request for seat

assignments, meal requests, frequent flyer numbers, or other special assistance to the particular airline. The sole authority to grant such requests rest with the airline and is not under the control of AmaWaterways. Whether or not we relay a request to an airline, you or your travel agent must always confirm directly with the airline regarding any such requests. To insure you receive proper credit on your frequent flyer account, we recommend you provide your frequent flyer number to the airline at the time of check-in. Please note our airfare prices use special contract fares that may not allow you to receive credit on your frequent flier account nor may they allow you to use miles to upgrade to a higher class. Baggage: Please check with the airline regarding their baggage allowance. Most airlines limit checked bags to either one or two pieces per person, and limit carry-on baggage to one piece per person, and weight and size restrictions apply. There are strict luggage restrictions for our programs in Africa; please ask for details. We shall not be responsible or liable for costs or consequences of participant exceeding the airline's baggage restrictions, or for loss, theft, damage or delay to participant's baggage.

Airport Transfers: Guests purchasing transoceanic airfare through us **may** qualify for complimentary group airport transfers on a scheduled arrival between the airport and the ship or hotel, and on a scheduled departure between the hotel or the ship and airport. Airport transfers included in your airfare package will be reflected on your travel confirmation and on your travel documents. If airport transfers are not reflected on your confirmation, AmaWaterways is not responsible for providing airport transfer service to you. Please note: our group airport transfer service may involve some waiting time between the time your flight lands and the time you arrive at the ship or hotel. All guests making their own airfare arrangements are solely responsible for arranging their transportation to/from the airport. Individual airport transfers can be purchased for those guests who are scheduled to arrive/depart on our itinerary dates, please ask for details.

#### **GENERAL PROVISIONS**

Cruise and Cruise & Land Itineraries: Carrier seeks to provide services as published or stated in the final documents. But deviations to planned cruise, cruise & land itinerary or any other aspects of the travel may occur. If conditions make cruise routes unsafe for navigation or in other respects, or raise sufficient doubt about safety, Carrier reserves the right to modify or provide alternate services. These may include, but are not limited to. providing accommodation on the docked ship and/or substituting ground arrangements. An effort will be made to try to arrange elements of the cruise and cruise tour similar to those originally planned, but the level of similarity may vary. Except as otherwise provided in your Passenger Ticket Contract, such changes will not entitle you to any credit or a refund. Cruise, cruise & land routes, and all other aspects of the cruise and travel are subject to change with or without notice.

Hotel Accommodations: We will seek to use hotels listed (if any) on your confirmation. Changes may be necessary,

therefore use of such hotels is not assured. An effort will be made to substitute similar hotels, but the level of similarity may vary. Standard policy for hotels is to have rooms available for check-in no earlier than 3:00 p.m. Subject to the discretion of the hotel, triple-occupancy hotel accommodations may involve the use of hotel rooms with just two beds. Only those guests who have elected to take our Cruise & Land program on the brochure itinerary dates will receive transfers between the hotel(s) and the ship.

Cancellation: Carrier reserves the right to cancel, change or postpone any cruise departure date and itinerary. In the event of a complete cancellation of a departure by Carrier, we will refund monies paid for the cruise or cruise & land package to those participants who have not previously cancelled.

Personal Changes: Except as otherwise provided in your Passenger Ticket Contract, deviation from the published itinerary for any reason will not entitle participant to any reduction in charge. Participant will bear a full charge for any unused services.

Child Policy: All guests under the age of 18 are to be in a cabin with an adult, and must remain supervised at all times, and their safety is the responsibility of the accompanying adult(s). Children between the ages of 4-10 at the time of embarkation may share a cabin with 2 adults provided the child is able to share the bed with the adults – no additional bed will be provided. Please be aware that balcony cabins of any kind may be unsafe for small children if left unsupervised. Children 4-7 years old are not recommended on any program and on our Africa program, due to safety precautions, there is a minimum age limit of 12 years old, unless otherwise agreed upon by AmaWaterways. AmaWaterways does not provide child-specific programs or child-minding facilities.

Disabled Participants: Handicapped facilities are not available on board or in many places visited on the cruises and cruise tours we offer. If you (participant) have a disability and reasonable accommodation may enable you to use the services, please let us know how you believe we can help. Participant must inform us in writing, at or immediately after making the reservation, but in any event as early as possible, of any mobility impairmentorothercondition.whetherphysical.emotional or mental, which may require accommodation or use of an assistive device during the travel. A reasonable effort will be made to accommodate special needs, but we are not responsible for denial of service by carriers. hotels, or other independent suppliers. A participant, who, due to impairment, is not self-sufficient, may be required to travel with a companion who shall take responsibility for assistance needed during travel and in case of emergency. An individual with a disability that would result in a direct threat to the health and safety of others or to that individual may be excluded, if it is determined there is a significant risk that cannot be eliminated or reduced to an acceptable level by reasonable accommodations, policies, practices, procedures assistive devices or services. If participant fails to timely inform us of any impairment or condition, and it is determined based on information that participant should have provided

that participation poses a safety risk to participant or direct health or safety threat to others, participant may be excluded from parts or all of the travel. We shall have no liability to participant relating to any condition, treatment, failure to inform us of an impairment, or resulting exclusion.

**Pregnancy:** For the safety of parent and child, and depending on various circumstances, passengers who are at an advanced stage of pregnancy (after 5 months) may be subject to restrictions or exclusion concerning their ability to travel and/or board a ship. Please inform us immediately, so we can assess your personal circumstances and possible accommodation.

Medical: Medical doctors are not available on any vessel. If medical services are required, efforts to contact local medical providers will be made. A participant requiring such assistance is solely responsible for all related charges. We will not be responsible or liable for sufficiency of our efforts to reach medical providers, unavailability, delay, quality or other aspect of any such services. Participant is encouraged at time of booking and well before departure, to review participant's health and medical conditions and insurance and consult participant's health care and insurance providers regarding needs and scope of coverage for any incident or need that may occur during travel, and to obtain supplemental health and medical insurance for the travel, as needed.

Inoculations and Medical Preparation: All passengers traveling on certain Africa itineraries will require Yellow Fever vaccination. AmaWaterways strongly recommends that all passengers take malaria pills for travel to Africa. Please contact your personal physician or local health department prior to travel for further detailed information and recommended precautionary measures. Smoking: Smoking is only permitted on the ship's Sun Deck in the designated smoking area.

**Diet:** Special dietary requests must be provided to us at time of reservation. An effort will be made to meet the request, but we cannot assure the request can be accommodated.

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Agreement; Forum and Jurisdiction for Legal Action; Jury Waiver: Your payment of a deposit and/or our issuance of final documents shall be deemed consent by participant to these terms and conditions. These terms are deemed to be made, accepted and entered into in Los Angeles County, California. These terms and the rights and obligations of the parties, and any legal or equitable action concerning the interpretation, enforcement, or claimed breach of any term, obligation, or duty as contained or related to these provisions or arising from these terms and conditions, shall be interpreted, construed and governed by the laws of California, and any such claims shall be litigated, if at all, before a court of competent jurisdiction located in the County of Los Angeles, California, U.S.A., to the exclusion of the courts of any other country, state, city, municipality, county or locale. You agree to consent to jurisdiction and waive any objection that may be available to any such action or proceeding being brought in such courts. YOU AND WE WAIVE THE RIGHT TO A JURY TRIAL.

Time Limit for Notice of Claims and Filing Legal Action: The parties agree that any notice of claim against us of any nature whatsoever which is connected to, related to or arising from these terms and conditions must be received by us in writing within thirty (30) days after the date of completion of the cruise or cruise and land package. No lawsuit may be maintained against us unless the lawsuit is commenced no later than six (6) months after the date of completion of the cruise or cruise and land package, and valid service of the lawsuit on us is made within thirty (30) days after commencement of the lawsuit. Passenger Contract: All ship transport is provided according to terms and conditions of the Passenger Ticket Contract included in the final documentation and available for review at the following website: www.amawaterways.com. Please carefully read the Passenger Ticket Contract which is a binding contract between you as the passenger and the vessel owner. For our vessels flying the Swiss flag, the owner is AmaWaterways GmbH, an entity organized under the laws of Switzerland and the Passenger Ticket contract would therefore be governed by the laws of Switzerland. AmaWaterways GmbH owns, operates and/or charters the ship, as the carrier ("Carrier"), and governs all dealings between you and Carrier. For our vessel in Portugal, the owner is DouroAzul, Sociedade Maritimo Turistica S.A. an entity organized under the laws of Portugal and the Passenger Ticket contract would therefore be governed by the laws of Portugal. DouroAzul. Sociedade Maritimo Turistica S.A owns. operates and/or charters the ship, as the carrier ("Carrier"), and governs all dealings between you and Carrier. For our vessel in Vietnam, the owner is Indochina Waterways, an entity organized under the laws of Viet Nam and the Passenger Ticket contract would therefore be governed by the laws of Vietnam. Indochina Waterways owns, operates and/or charters the ship, as the carrier ("Carrier"), and governs all dealings between you and Carrier. The Passenger Ticket Contract establishes limits of liability, limits on claims, and time limits for making claims, as well as other restrictions, limits and disclaimers limiting Carrier's liability for your death, illness, injury, or damage claims relating to baggage or personal property. It incorporates provisions and limitations under the Athens Convention Relating to the Carriage of Passengers and Their Luggage by Sea. 1974, and the Protocol to the Convention Relating to the Carriage of Passengers and Their Luggage by Sea, 1976, the International Convention on Limitation of Liability for Maritime Claims, 1976, and the Strasbourg Convention on the Limitation of Liability of Owners of Inland Navigation Vessels, 1988. Venue for litigation of any disputes under the Passenger Ticket Contract is exclusively in the courts of Basel, Switzerland.

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