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11 DAY RIVER CRUISE HOLIDAY

Including two nights in
Lucerne, Switzerland



Jewels of the Rhine

the Netherlands • Germany • France • Switzerland

Tour Dates: June 6 – 16, 2020



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Jewels of the Rhine

11 Days • 23 Meals Enjoy a relaxing and inspiring cruise on the Romantic Rhine, Europe's longest river. Travel onboard a modern luxurious ship, visiting iconic ports of call, sampling incredible cuisine, and absorbing the local culture and atmosphere.

EXCEPTIONAL INCLUSIONS

- ❖ **23 Meals:** 9 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 8 dinners
- ❖ **Airport transfers** on tour dates when air is provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours
- ❖ Visit **four countries**
- ❖ **Seven-nights in a suite or stateroom** of your choice onboard the vessel
- ❖ **First-class service** by an English-speaking crew
- ❖ All **gratuities included** once aboard ship
- ❖ **Shore excursions** with English-speaking local guides
- ❖ Visit **UNESCO World Heritage Sites**
- ❖ Personal **listening device** for shore excursions
- ❖ **All meals included** onboard
- ❖ Variety of **international cuisine**
- ❖ Complimentary **regional wines, beer and soft drinks** with onboard lunches and dinners
- ❖ **New onboard Activity Manager** will support all EmeraldACTIVE excursions and host daily onboard wellness activities, games, classes and evening entertainment
- ❖ Complimentary **bottled water** in your stateroom
- ❖ Complimentary **WiFi onboard**
- ❖ Complimentary **bicycles onboard** for use ashore
- ❖ All port charges included
- ❖ Two-night **hotel stay and touring in Lucerne**
- ❖ \$55 in **Mayflower Money**

CRUISE AND HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

Days Two through Eight – Aboard an Emerald Waterways Star-Ship

Days Nine and Ten – TBA, Lucerne, Switzerland

Pre cruise hotel stays available in Amsterdam. Call for details.



Lovely canals grace Amsterdam, the Netherlands

DAY 1 – Depart the USA

Depart the USA on your overnight flight to Amsterdam, the Netherlands.

DAY 2 – Amsterdam, the Netherlands

Welcome to Amsterdam, a fascinating 700-year-old city of picturesque canals, world class museums, theatres and cafés. You will be met and transferred from the airport to your Emerald Waterways luxury river cruise ship. This evening, join your fellow travelers for dinner onboard. Your Cruise Director will also conduct a port talk to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead. **Meal: D**

DAY 3 – Amsterdam

This morning you can choose to enjoy a glass top canal boat tour through Amsterdam's canals OR a guided bike tour. Return to the ship for your first day cruising through the Dutch countryside, passing windmills and sailing through locks towards the Rhine River. Tonight, the Captain will be delighted to host a gala dinner.

Meals: B, L, D

EmeraldACTIVE: Guided Bike Tour

DAY 4 – Cologne, Germany

Cruise along the Rhine River to Cologne. Founded by the Romans, the city is one of Germany's oldest and famous for its magnificent World-Heritage listed gothic Cathedral. After lunch onboard, join your local guide for an included walking tour of the Old Town, with free time for exploring. Cologne is one of Germany's most modern cities largely due to a rebuilding plan post WWII, and is home to many museums and galleries. **Meals: B, L, D**

DAY 5 – Koblenz, Germany

Cruise to the 2000-year-old town of Koblenz, situated at the confluence of the Rhine and Moselle Rivers. Enjoy a tour of Koblenz and visit the Ehrenbreitstein Fortress on the opposite side of the river. This fortress was part of the Prussian defense against the French in the 19th century and later used as a headquarters for the American military during WWII. This afternoon, sail through the spectacular Rhine Gorge. Pass countless medieval castles and





Visit the medieval town of Heidelberg



Half-timbered houses line the streets of Strasbourg, France

vineyards lining the shores of this section of the river, with photo opportunities around every bend. See the infamous Lorelei statue and Pfalzgrafenstein Castle, built on an island in the middle of the river as a medieval toll station. **Meals: B, L, D**

DiscoverMORE: Moselle & Cochem (Reichsburg) Castle Visit (additional expense)

NOTE: you can choose either the included tour of Koblenz OR the DiscoverMORE option, as both tours operate at the same time.

DAY 6 – Mannheim / Heidelberg, Germany

Continue upstream to the town of Mannheim, located at the confluence of the Rhine and Neckar Rivers. From there, you have the opportunity to either visit the medieval town of Heidelberg including the impressive castle which overlooks the town, or take part on an active hike to Heidelberg Hill. **Meals: B, L, D**

EmeraldACTIVE: Hike from Mount Königstuhl to Heidelberg

EmeraldPLUS: Wine Tasting in Heidelberg

DAY 7 – Kehl / Strasbourg, France

Once docked in Kehl, coaches await to take you across the river to Strasbourg, the capital of the Alsace region in France. Your guided walking tour includes the Grande Île - the historical city center and UNESCO World Heritage Site. Known for its medieval black and white timber-framed buildings, old tanning houses, baroque sandstone buildings, canals and river locks. The city's star attraction is the cathedral, dominating the main square. **Meals: B, L, D**

EmeraldPLUS: Guided Tour of Strasbourg

DAY 8 – Breisach

On today's adventure, visit a typical Black Forest village, full of charm, cuckoo clocks and other German specialties. Alternatively, take part in a guided hike through some of the Black Forest trails.

Meals: B, L, D

EmeraldACTIVE: Guided hike through some of the Black Forest trails

EmeraldPLUS: Black Forest Cake assembling presentation and tasting

DAY 9 – Basel to Lucerne, Switzerland

After breakfast, disembark the ship in Basel and begin your Swiss adventure. Depart by coach to Lucerne, a picturesque town

surrounded by mountains and meadows. An included walking tour highlights the city's landmark - the famous 14th-century Chapel Bridge. See the 17th-century Renaissance Town Hall and town squares, all set amongst the beautiful backdrop of the Swiss Alps. The remainder of the day is at leisure. **Meal: B**

DAY 10 – Optional Excursion: Mt. Pilatus

Your last day is left free of planned activities. Explore on your own, or join the optional excursion to Mt. Pilatus – a mountain overlooking Lucerne that offers a unique alpine experience! This evening, get together for an included dinner at the hotel. **Meals: B, D**

DAY 11 – Lucerne / USA

Bid 'auf wiedersehen' to Europe and return home with memories of life enriching experiences from your cruise along the Rhine River and Swiss adventure. **Meal: B**

Itinerary is subject to change.



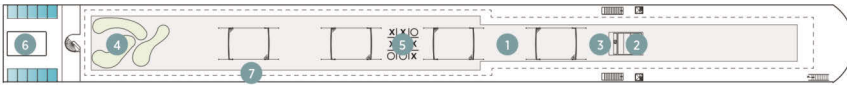
Cross the Reuss River via the historic Chapel Bridge in Lucerne, Switzerland

Seven nights accommodations aboard an

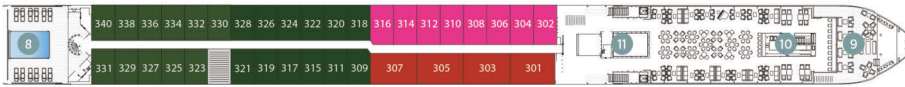
Emerald Waterways Star-Ship

Built: 2014-2017 Speed: 15.5 mph Staterooms: 80 Suites: 12 Length: 443 ft. Crew: 47

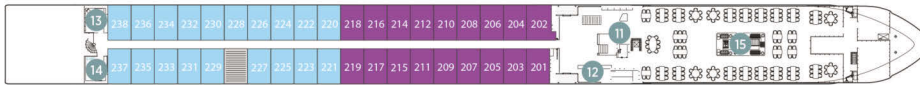
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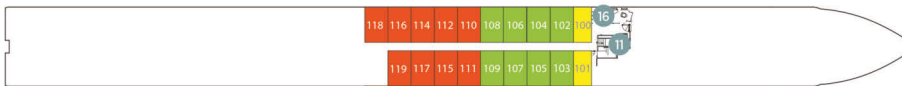
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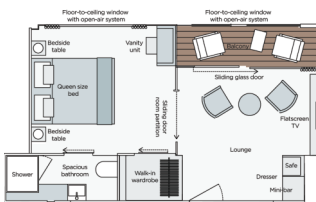


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Public Areas and Ship Amenities

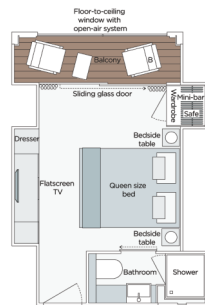
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- 2 Navigation Bridge
- 3 Sky Barbecue
- 4 Golf Putting Green
- 5 Games Area
- 6 Retractable Glass Roof
- 7 Walking Track
- 8 Daytime Pool & Bar / Evening Cinema
- 9 The Terrace
- 10 Horizon Bar and Lounge
- 11 Elevator
- 12 Reception
- 13 Wellness Area
- 14 Fitness Area
- 15 Reflections Restaurant
- 16 Hairdresser



Owner's One-Bedroom Suite

315ft²

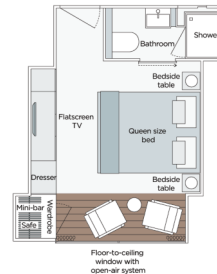
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Grand Balcony Suite

210ft²

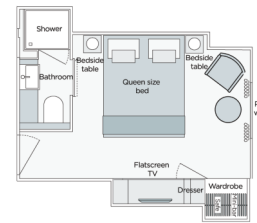
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Panorama Balcony Suite

180ft²

A B C



Emerald Stateroom

162ft²

D E

DEPARTURE DATE: June 6, 2020

CATEGORY	DECK	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM
D E Emerald Stateroom	Riviera	\$4,149	add \$2,699
B C Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$4,799	add \$3,119
A Panorama Balcony Suite	Horizon	\$5,299	add \$3,449
S Grand Balcony Suite	Horizon	\$5,749	N/A
SA Owner's One-Bedroom Suite	Horizon	\$6,599	N/A

Mayflower Cruises & Tours' Guaranteed Share Program is available on the Riviera, Vista, and Horizon Decks standard staterooms only

Free Airfare from anywhere in the contiguous United States if under deposit by May 31, 2020.

After June 1, 2020, travelers qualify for the 2 for 1 airfare. Round trip airfare from Chicago-O'Hare International Airport (ORD) is ~~\$1,350~~ or \$675 per person additional.

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group. Seat changes can only be attempted upon receipt of tickets and documents at which time availability may be limited. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend individual air reservations rather than booking air with the group.

TOUR ACTIVITY LEVEL



Travelers Protection Plan (TPP) for River Cruises - \$429 per person (optional)

This nonrefundable fee will provide a refund to you during the instance that you have to cancel your trip. The cancellation has to be for a covered reason (see Plan for details on coverage) and we have to be notified at least one day prior to departure. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness or the illness or death of an immediate family member, TPP will provide a refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included ONLY if your air tickets are purchased through Mayflower Cruises & Tours. Please review the Plan for details on coverage.

Cancellation Charges Without Traveler's Protection Plan (TPP)

- 91 days or more Deposit Amount
- 90 days to day of departure 100% of the total tour
- No refund on unused portions of the tour

Plan and benefits offered and administered by Trip Mate, Inc.



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