MEKONG PRINCESS

28	Guests only in				
14	Luxury Suites with				
ALL	Shore Excursions and				
100%	Local crew serving				
ALL	Meals and most drink				

Welcome aboard the beautifully appointed French Colonial style Mekong Princess.

Journey on the Mekong River from the wonders of Angkor to the thriving metropolises of Vietnam and let the crew lavish their famous hospitality on you, a very special guest. After all, there is nowhere in the world quite like the River Mekong, and there's none like the Mekong Princess.





Your home Mekong Princess

The Mekong Princess is a modern steel hulled ship, handfinished in brass and teak, constructed by highly skilled ship building craftsmen.

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She embraces the classic 'French Colonial Era' in all fixtures and fittings. Mekong Princess is designed with an ultra-shallow draft, which enables her to navigate in very remote areas and shallow waterways.

Built in Saigon to international design and safety standards, Mekong Princess was launched in 2015 and is considered the best constructed and most elegant vessel plying the waters of the Mekong River today. The Mekong Princess with her 14 suites is purpose built for the areas they cruise through, and small enough to get under the bridges in Saigon to berth in the heart of the city, and to get into parts of the Mekong Delta not accessible to other river boats. With an average cruising speed of 8 knots (approximately 15km per hour) she affords a leisurely explore through a unique authentic part of the Mekong Delta.

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Your haven Mekong Princess

Mekong Princess' luxury suites are designed for your every comfort. Decorated in French Colonial style, and with only 14 suites onboard, choose the perfect haven for your Mekong River getaway.





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Tonle Suites Mekong Princess

TONLE SUITES

Mekong Princess invites you to consider a Tonle Suite. At 30 square metres, there's more to enjoy on these two Bassac Deck beauties. Featuring a king bed, spa bath and soaking tub plus separate rain shower, the floor to ceiling sliding doors open to a French balcony to enjoy the ever-changing landscapes of the Mekong River.



SUITE AMENITIES

60%

All suites onboard the Mekong Princess feature the following amenities:

- Individual climate
 control/air conditioning
- Luxurious marble bathrooms with rain showers
- Premium bed linens
- Spa robe and slippers
- Fine spa style bath amenities
- Flat screen TV
- Discerning butler service

Angkor Suites Mekong Princess

ANKOR SUITES

Treat yourself with our top of the range - Angkor Suite on Bassac Deck. These two 52 square metre luxury accommodations boast French doors onto a private veranda and floor to ceiling windows for a breath-taking view. Angkor guests also enjoy an extra bonus of complimentary laundry service, evening canapes and scented bath preparations on request.



ANGKOR SUITE EXTRA AMENITIES

As a very special guest staying in an Angkor Suites, you will enjoy the following additional amenities:

- Complimentary laundry service
- Complimentary evening canapes
- Scented private bath preparations (on request)
- A private veranda with deck chairs

Your delicious Mekong Princess



The expert culinary team onboard the Mekong Princess delights in sourcing local produce where available, and bringing French-Indochine inspired cuisine to your table each day. Enjoy an ambient welcome reception and even special themed dinners before your final farewell dining event.



INCLUDED

- All shipboard main meals served in the Indochine restaurant. Buffet and a la carte fine dining are both catered for.
- Exceptional service from the locally based hospitality team
- Complimentary local beer, local spirits, soft drinks, water, teas and coffee.

Your comfort Mekong Princess





When you aren't off exploring the wonders of the Mekong River, take some time to relax in the air conditioned Ramvong Lounge, work out in the Mekong Princess' Fitness Center or pamper yourself with a Princess Spa appointment. the Sun deck has comfy chairs out in the shade for catching up on a bit of R&R.



Your journey Mekong Princess



SIEM REAP (Kampong Cham) || ANGKOR BAN || PHNOM PENH || HONG NGU ISLAND || HOA AN VILLAGE || CAN THO || BEN TRE || HO CHI MINH CITY

*Also operates in reverse upstream



DAY ONE SIEM REAP

And we're off! Join the complimentary air conditioned motor-coach from a centrally located Siem Reap hotel to Kampong Cham where the Mekong Princess awaits you.

Arriving in time for lunch, the afternoon is at leisure until your welcome reception onboard.

CAMBODIA TO VIETNAM

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CAMBODIA TO VIETNAM

day two angkor ban and phnom **PENH** Start today with a blessing ceremony by local monks and a visit to the authentic Cambodian village of Angkor Ban. The local children join the fun with a visit to the school.

Lunch is back onboard Mekong Princess as the ship sails towards the capital of Phnom Penh. Local cyclo drivers are waiting to take you for a ride through the busy streets to the Royal Palace and then on to the National Museum housing a treasure trove of ancient wonders from the Khmer Empire. Dinner is enhanced this evening with an Apsara dance performance.





This morning, travel by private motor-coach on a scenic 45-minute drive from the ship, arriving at Choeung Ek, "The Killing Fields" - the centre of the darkest days of Cambodian history. There is an opportunity to walk through the fields, visit the small museum and Memorial Stupa.

On return to Phnom Penh, you will visit the infamous S-21 - Tuol Sleng, a school turned into torture prison for enemies of the Khmer Rouge.

The afternoon is at leisure for you to explore Cambodia's capital city, Phnom Penh where the ship will be docked for an overnight stay.



day three PHNOM PENH



DAY FOUR BORDER CROSSING HONG NGU & GIENG ISLAND



Near the Cambodia-Vietnam border is the village of Hong Ngu. Your morning visit to the local weavers and artists in this rarely visited village is very welcome.

In the afternoon board sampans to Gieng Island to a local village then on to duck farms connected by monkey bridges and orchards along the riverside. Travel by trishaw to visit a Catholic church built around 1870.

The crew of Mekong Princess will assist with border crossing arrangements today before sailing to Hoa An for an overnight stay.



day five HOA AN & CAN THO

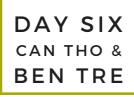
Wake to a sunrise at Hoa An village, known for flowers and crafts. See the gardens and meet the locals and learn about their daily lives. Continue on by motor cart to another village and learn how conical hats and mats are woven. In the afternoon, the Mekong Princess will continue on

CAMBODIA FO VIETNAM

through the Mekong Delta to Can Tho, the capital city of the Mekong Delta region. Upon arrival, take a short orientation tour and then it's off to the Zihuang Pagoda (Chua Ong) where you are welcomed with a unicorn dance. The ship will be docked at Can Tho overnight.



CAMBODIA TO VIETNAM



Before breakfast, board sampans for a cruise through the fascinating Cai Rang floating market near Can Tho. Watch as locals shop between boats for fresh fruits and vegetables enjoying a fresh coconut water drink. On the way back to Mekong Princess. stop at a local noodle factory to witness the ancient art of noodle making. Head back to the ship and then on to Ben Tre.



DAY SEVEN BEN TRE & HO CHI MINH CITY Take a sampan through mangrove lined channels to visit a local coconut candy maker - so delicious! Then walk through the village to visit an orcharge where native fruits grow on vines. Taste a little yourself and then it's back to the pier where you board small local boats for a Nipah palm lined journey back to the ship. The Mekong Princess will sail on through the Bassac River to Ho Chi Minh City here it will dock overnight at Saigon Port.



day eight HO CHI MINH

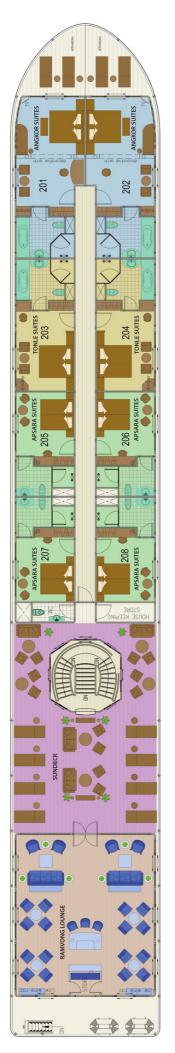
After breakfast, it's time to say goodbye and disembark the Mekong Princess in Ho Chi Minh City. Transfer is provided to a central hotel meeting point.



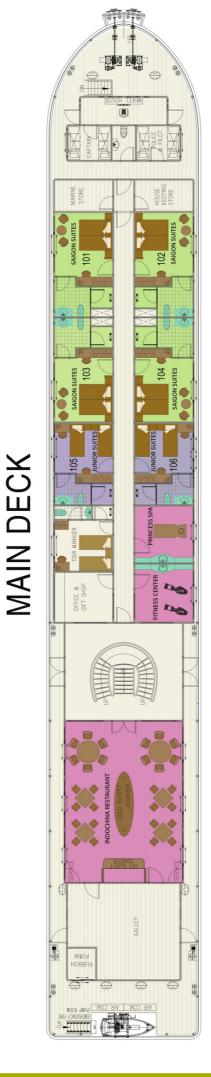
Your route Mekong Princess







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DECK PLAN MEKONG PRINCESS

SHIP STATS

- Launched 2015
- 14 Guest Suites
- 2 Guest decks
- Length 63 metres
- Beam/Width 10 metres
- Power 2 x 480 HP marine engines
- Top speed 11 knots
- Average speed 8 knots
- Registration: Vietnam
- Indochine Restaurant
- Fitness Center
- Princess Spa
- Ramvong Lounge
- Sundeck

Your departure Mekong Princess

SEVEN
NIGHTS
DOWNSTREAM

SIEM REAP (Kampong Cham) || ANGKOR BAN || PHNOM PENH || HONG NGU ISLAND || HOA AN VILLAGE || CAN THO || BEN TRE || HO CHI MINH CITY

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SEVEN
NIGHTS
UPSTREAM

HO CHI MINH CITY || BEN TRE || CAN THO || HOA AN || GIENG ISLAND || HONG NGU || PHNOM PENH || ANGKOR BAN || KAMPONG CHAM (Siem Reap)



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Cancellations & Changes

Mekong Princess requires all cancellations in writing. Cancellation fees are as follows:

- Cancel 91 days prior to sailing deposit of USD \$400 pp is non-refundable
- Cancel 90 61 days prior to sailing 50% of the total cruise fare pp is non-refundable.
- Cancel 60 0 days prior to sailing 100% of the total cruise fare pp is non-refundable.

Changes to a booking after confirmation and deposit is paid may incur administration fees and a variation in fare price. Full name changes are considered cancellation. Changes are considered on a case by case basis and may result in loss of deposit or cancellation fees.

Inclusions: Your Mekong Princess cruise fare includes

- All meals including buffet breakfast, buffet lunch, and multiple course dinner with in-room breakfast available on request, welcome and farewell receptions plus themed dinners
 - Complimentary organic coffee, herbal teas, mineral water, soft drinks, local beer, local spirits
- Series of cultural performances, educational talks, cooking classes and ships tour
- Use of the enhanced Fitness Center
- Local entertainment on selected evenings
- Complimentary Wireless internet in all public areas (speeds may vary)
- Transfers from/to the meeting point to/from embarkation/disembarkation points
- Complimentary Excursions see day to day itinerary with shoe cleaning after excursion, welcome drink following excursions, individual VOX listening devices travelling by modern airconditioned coach transfers by road, spacious riverboats for ship to shore transfers with safety approvals and deluxe Sampans with cold towel service, fresh fruit, and tea/coffee service (where applicable)
- Ships gratuities including onboard and ashore (new for 2024).

Not Included:

- Any airfares international or domestic
- Transfers other than those listed in the inclusions
- Cambodian and Vietnam Visas note that currently Cambodian entry when travelling upstream (Vietnam to Cambodia) may not be pre-purchased. Cost is currently USD \$50 per person and can only be paid in USD cash onboard the cruise.
- Any additional optional shore excursions
- Premium wines & spirits
- Gift shop purchases or any other incidental.
- Travel insurance highly recommended

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Mekong Princess reserves the right to change itineraries due to weather or road conditions, local construction, water levels or any other factor beyond their control. The order of ports visited may also change and should a region or location become unviable, every effort will be made to visit an equivalent location or region. Any changes to itineraries for any reason will not result in eligibility for a refund or credit.

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