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RIVERSIDE RAVEL ON THE RHÔNE

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THE ALLURING RHÔNE

From its glacial source in the Swiss Alps to its final rush into the Mediterranean Sea, the Rhône courses over 500 miles, finally dividing in the South of France and creating the Camargue, Western Europe's largest river delta. Its landscape is a dream, flowing through some of France's most beautiful regions—Burgundy, Rhône-Alpes, and into Provence. Enchanting cities such as Arles and Avignon line its banks, beavers and river otters reside in its wetlands, and its arms cradle its delta, where flamingos strut through salt lakes and wild horses roam freely. As important as majestic, over the centuries the Rhône has served as a waterway where wine was transported in the Middle Ages as well as olive oil and marble from Italy. In 2003, the river's ancient past revealed itself just a little more as six small, 1st-century ships were discovered during construction work in Lyon. Today, the Rhône has become a special place for epicures and those who appreciate fresh breezes with hints of lavender and herbs ...

TRUE SAVOIR VIVRE.



THE RHÔNE



THE SAÔNE

THE RESOLUTE SAÔNE

Flowing 300 miles from the Vosges mountains and considered the boundary between eastern and western France, the Saône is the quintessential French waterway. It has supported trade and commerce since prehistoric time; pleasure boating since the late-19th century; fishing for pike, perch, and trout; and some of the world's best wines in the Beaujolais and Burgundy regions. The river is both gentle and genteel, ambling past poplar forests, moors and vineyards, grazing Charolais cattle, and colorful villages where residents sip café au lait in centuries-old squares. Also dotting the Saône's environs are world-class cities such as Chalon-sur-Saône, Mâcon, and Lyon—and countless churches, both august and humble, giving the river an almost biblical feel. Yet even with grand highlights such as these, the Saône today remains a smaller, quieter river. Not quite a fleuve, according to the French, but a rivière ...

ELEGANT AND GRACEFUL.



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENTS

REMARKABLE AND INCLUDED TO FURTHER ENHANCE YOUR EXPERIENCE



VINEYARDS NEAR CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

WINE TASTING AT CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

When traversing the South of France, an encounter in legendary Châteauneuf-du-Pape is a must—and a tasting of the region's impeccable wines in an authentic wine cellar makes the experience truly unforgettable! Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley, where the world-famous appellation's connection to the papacy began in the 14th century. Here, amidst the original château and its surrounding vineyards, you'll visit an esteemed domaine and learn about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinguished flavors. Then, join a knowledgeable sommelier in the barrel-filled aging room for a tasting of four red and white Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.



CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE EVENTS

AUTHENTIC, UNFORGETTABLE EXPERIENCES IN THE HEART OF YOUR DESTINATION

UNIQUELY ARLES: FRENCH CULINARY JOURNEY & WINE PAIRING

Good food and wine are easy to find in France, but this extraordinary onboard dinner transcends the expected. Your Riverside chef performs sheer magic, blending premium ingredients with Provençal spices to produce an elevated tasting menu inspired by the Rhône Valley. Each dish becomes a pièce de resistance as your sommelier pairs it with a wine that enhances its flavors through appropriate tannins, acidity, minerality, or fruit forwardness. As you taste and experience, an engaging food expert will guide you on your gastronomic journey, entertaining and informing you with beguiling culinary storytelling.

UNIQUELY VISTA DINING: AL FRESCO BARBECUE IN THE CAMARGUE & MÂCONNAIS

As your ship glides through the pristine wetlands of the Rhône Delta or along the Saône into Mâconnais, southern gateway to the iconic Burgundy wine region, head up to the Vista Deck to dine al fresco in one of France's most impressive restaurants—Nature itself!



VISTA DECK

Against a backdrop of live music, the relaxed atmosphere, fresh air, and endless views of the breathtaking surroundings set the stage for your unforgettable dining experience. Savor flavorful barbecued meats, seafood, and vegetables, grilled to perfection and served with a delightful assortment of cheeses, fruits, desserts, and complimentary sommelier-selected wines.



BURGUNDY WINE REGION WITH ROCK OF SOLUTRÉ



PROVENCE LAVENDER FIELDS

CRUISE DEPARTURES

RHÔNE RHAPSODY WITH RHÔNE DELTA & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE
AVIGNON TO LYON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
11 Apr, 25 Apr, 9 May, 23 May, 9 Jun,
26 Jun*, 13 Jul*, 30 Jul, 16 Aug, 2 Sep,
19 Sep, 6 Oct, 23 Oct, 6 Nov

FRENCH SALUT: LYON, AVIGNON & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE
LYON TO AVIGNON – 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS
4 Apr, 18 Apr, 2 May, 16 May, 2 Jun,
19 Jun, 6 Jul*, 23 Jul, 9 Aug, 26 Aug,
12 Sep, 29 Sep, 16 Oct, 30 Oct

SCENES OF SOUTHERN FRANCE WITH RHÔNE DELTA
AVIGNON TO AVIGNON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS
8 Apr, 22 Apr, 6 May, 20 May, 6 Jun,
23 Jun, 10 Jul*, 27 Jul, 13 Aug, 30 Aug,
16 Sep, 3 Oct, 20 Oct, 3 Nov

RHÔNE RIVER ROAMING WITH RHÔNE DELTA & PONT DU GARD
LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
4 Apr, 18 Apr, 2 May, 16 May, 2 Jun,
19 Jun, 6 Jul*, 23 Jul, 9 Aug, 26 Aug,
12 Sep, 29 Sep, 16 Oct, 30 Oct

BURGUNDY BLISS
LYON TO LYON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS
30 May, 16 Jun, 3 Jul, 20 Jul, 6 Aug,
23 Aug, 9 Sep, 26 Sep, 13 Oct

FRENCH FÊTE ON THE RHÔNE & SAÔNE
AVIGNON TO LYON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS
23 May, 9 Jun, 26 Jun*, 13 Jul*, 30 Jul,
16 Aug, 2 Sep, 19 Sep, 6 Oct

SOUTHERN FRANCE SOJOURN
LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
30 May, 16 Jun, 3 Jul*, 20 Jul, 6 Aug,
23 Aug, 9 Sep, 26 Sep, 13 Oct

SOUTH OF FRANCE SAFARI WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE
LYON TO AVIGNON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS
30 May, 16 Jun, 3 Jul*, 20 Jul, 6 Aug,
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RIVERSIDE RAVEL PASSING ARLES

RHÔNE RHAPSODY WITH RHÔNE DELTA & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

AVIGNON TO LYON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



AERIAL VIEW OF CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

If the South of France is calling with its warm sunshine, exquisite food and wine, and unforgettable sights, then this is the luxury cruise for you! For a whole week, the irrepressible Rhône will be your host, introducing you to the wonders of dramatic Avignon, ancient Arles with its special lighting that captivated Van Gogh, Provençal Tarascon, 2,000-year-old Lyon with its unrivaled commitment to world-class cuisine, and more. Dine al fresco on the Vista Deck while passing through the lovely Rhône Delta; explore the Palace of the Popes; taste the brilliant wines of Châteauneuf-du-Pape during an unforgettable cellar tour; and take an active approach to your sightseeing if the mood strikes you. Other possibilities? How about tasting the decadent chocolates or wines of Tain-l'Hermitage?

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon
Day 2 – Avignon
Day 3 – Arles/ Rhône Delta
Day 4 – Tarascon/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Day 5 – Viviers
Day 6 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 7 – Lyon
Day 8 – Lyon



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Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP wine tasting. Hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to the spectacular walled city of Avignon, whose UNESCO World Heritage ramparts were built in the 14th century to protect the city from mercenaries. Embark the Riverside Ravel and at your first onboard dinner, meet your crew and fellow traveling companions. The ship remains in port overnight.

DAY 2 – AVIGNON

Today you can fully engage Avignon's Provençal charm and see just what inspired Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs, Florentine poet Petrarch, and countless merrymakers beneath a certain bridge in the Middle Ages! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, you can explore the awe-inspiring Palace of the Popes, the world's most important Gothic palace; kayak below the 1st-century Pont du Gard Roman aqueduct; and other fantastic options. For a complete list of offerings, see the Riverside website. Your ship departs Avignon before dinner.

DAY 3 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Spend today enveloped by Arles, where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence, along with the chance to visit a traditional olive oil mill for a tour and tasting of the product. This evening, dinner is prepared and served al fresco-style on the Vista Deck as your ship passes through the mesmerizing Rhône Delta.

DAY 4 – TARASCON / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Rise and shine! Begin the day with a delicious breakfast before heading into the Provençal town of Tarascon. How about a guided tour that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh in St. Rémy – or wine tasting the Roman way? After lunch on the ship enjoy time and admire the passing scenery, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT at a featured wine estate. Surrounded by an unforgettable atmosphere, you'll be treated to an exclusive wine tasting to learn how the aromas of berries, plums, and earthy spices are achieved. Sample free-flowing Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines as you hear how historical popes were associated with the famous appellation.

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you with a friendly "Bonjour" and a lot to see! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, learn the fine art of truffle hunting at an authentic French truffle farm; trek through the lovely Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon; and other tempting activities. Crowning the day is an al fresco dinner, prepared and served up on the Vista Deck, followed by an evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a talented local artist.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Your time today in Tain-l'Hermitage is an absolute treat. You might enjoy a visit to Cheval Palace, the whimsical 19th-century creation of a simple postman who stumbled on a stone. Or, for a more sensory experience, attend the tasting of your choice: rich French chocolate at Valrhona or an unforgettable wine tasting. The afternoon is ideal for socializing in the lounge or maybe scheduling a massage or spa treatment as your ship makes its way to Lyon.

DAY 7 – LYON

The options are endless today, so what's your pleasure? You could investigate Lyon's traboules (secret passageways) with an expert guide, followed by an ascent up Fourvière Hill; or join a wine tasting in the atmospheric Beaujolais or Chardonnay regions. Your ship remains in port, so feel free to celebrate the final night of your cruise surrounded by Lyon's dazzling nightlife!

DAY 8 – LYON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



FLAMINGOS IN THE CAMARGUE

FRENCH SALUT: LYON, AVIGNON & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON – 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS



LYON

This exceptional 5-day luxury cruise is short, sweet, and utterly magnifique—the perfect introduction to the unforgettable South of France! Embark in Lyon with its secret passageways and best-in-the-world foodie culture, then cruise the river in total luxury aboard your Riverside ship. Experience Viviers, a tiny city with a big offering of wonderful excursions; the fine wines and chocolates of Tain-l'Hermitage; and exquisite Châteauneuf-du-Pape with—what else? A wine tasting beyond compare! Enjoy special features galore as well as daily opportunities to personalize your cruise with the activities of your choice. With history, culture, fine French wines and cuisine, active pursuits, and nature at its stunning best, this popular get-away packs a mighty punch!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon
Day 2 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 3 – Viviers/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Day 4 – Avignon
Day 5 – Avignon



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ROUTE-ID: 27-LG04



KAYAKING BELOW PONT DU GARD

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel and settle into your luxurious Suite. Get to know your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure as your ship departs and cruises overnight.

DAY 2 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is all about the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, you have so many possibilities—from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical "palace" and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly chocolate at Valrhona's amazing City of Chocolate. The ship departs after some free time this afternoon.

DAY 3 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences. How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world's largest prehistoric cave experience? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, gateway to Provence and renowned for its medieval architecture, papal history, and annual summer arts festival. Some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include kayaking on the Gardon River below the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard; a Discover Avignon walking tour to see the highlights; or a visit to the impressive Palace of the Popes!

DAY 5 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



CHAUVET CAVE, VIVIERS

SCENES OF SOUTHERN FRANCE WITH RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO AVIGNON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS

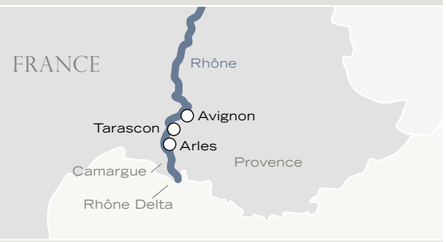


SAINT-BÉNÉZET BRIDGE, AVIGNON

From its glacial source in the Swiss Alps to its final rush into the sea, the Rhône River courses over 500 miles, finally dividing and creating Western Europe's largest river delta. On this fantastic 4-day luxury cruise, you'll come to appreciate just how majestic the ancient river truly is. Spend time in Van Gogh's beloved Arles, where you could visit a Roman amphitheater dating back to the 1st century AD, as well as the dramatic walled city of Avignon with its 14th-century castle fortress. Highlights include Tarascon Castle, the monumental Palace of the Popes in Avignon, and an al fresco dinner on your ship's Vista Deck as you cruise through the breathtaking Rhône Delta. You'll also have excursion choices, including a variety of both active and leisurely ways to explore Pont du Gard in a way most meaningful to you.

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon
Day 2 – Arles/ Rhône-Delta
Day 3 – Tarascon/ Avignon
Day 4 – Avignon



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UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE

Enjoy an authentic destination experience that leaves an unforgettable impression. As your ship glides through the pristine wetlands of Western Europe's largest river delta, head up to the Vista Deck to dine al fresco in one of France's most impressive restaurants—the Camargue itself! Note: During the cooler spring and autumn months, an indoor wine-paired dinner will be offered instead.

ROUTE-ID: 27-GRG03



CAMARGUE

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs. Embark the luxurious Riverside Ravel and relax as you settle in. The ship departs this evening—be sure to watch for the medieval arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge, inspiration for the 16th-century song "Sur le pont d'Avignon". Then, meet your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner.

DAY 2 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, this was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, select the excursions that are most meaningful to you! How about spending the morning experiencing the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue, or an afternoon call to Les Baux-de-Provence for a fabulous Sound & Light Show? Other exciting options are also available, so see the Riverside website for details. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 3 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. You might enjoy a guided tour of its medieval castle or e-biking along the famous ViaRhôna route! After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options at the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, including kayaking along the Gardon River below the monument. You could also enjoy an e-bike tour—or explore Avignon on your own.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



PALACE OF THE POPES, AVIGNON

RHÔNE RIVER ROAMING WITH RHÔNE DELTA & PONT DU GARD

LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



AVIGNON

Experience the best of southern France, known by the locals as le Midi! Visit Viviers, Tarascon, Van Gogh's beloved Arles, and other inviting Rhône River ports. Highlights include Lyon's 2,000-year-old Old Town; Tarascon's medieval castle; Avignon's grand Palace of the Popes; and Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a wine tasting beyond compare! Personalize your cruise daily with RIVERSIDE CHOICE. Options include outings to Beaujolais, Aix-en-Provence, or the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue; or even active pursuits such as kayaking or e-biking. Al fresco dining atop the Vista Deck as you cruise through the lovely Rhône Delta is the pièce de résistance of your journey!

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Day 1 – Lyon
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Day 4 – Avignon
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Day 8 – Avignon



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ROUTE-ID: 27-LG4GRG3



LYON

DAY 1 – LYON

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DAY 2 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is all about the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, you have so many possibilities—from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical "palace" and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly chocolate at Valrhona's amazing City of Chocolate. For a complete list of offerings, see the Riverside website.

DAY 3 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

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DAY 4 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, gateway to Provence and renowned for its medieval architecture, papal history, and annual summer arts festival. Some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Discover Avignon walking tour to see the highlights or a visit to the awe-inspiring Palace of the Popes, the world's most important Gothic palace.

DAY 5 – AVIGNON

A second day in Avignon lets you engage its Provençal charm and see just what inspired Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs, Florentine poet Petrarch, and countless merrymakers beneath a certain bridge in the Middle Ages. How about a kayaking adventure below the 1st-century Pont du Gard Roman aqueduct? Later, your ship pushes farther south into the spectacular Provence/Alpes/Côte d'Azur region.

DAY 6 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, this was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence with a curated selection of local specialities; a visit to a farmhouse in the heart of Provence for an organic perfume-making experience; and more. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 7 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. How about a guided tour through St. Rémy that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh—or wine tasting the Roman way? After lunch on the ship and time to admire the passing scenery, return to Avignon for the final night of your memorable cruise.

DAY 8 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.

BURGUNDY BLISS

LYON TO LYON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS



LYON

World-class wines, stylish châteaux, Roman architecture, unmatched gastronomy—the best of Burgundy is yours on this excitement-packed, 4-day escape. Begin and end in 2,000-year-old Lyon with its secret traboules (passageways) zig-zagging around the city and its hotter-than-hot reputation among foodies. Travel the Saône in Riverside luxury, encountering the stunning scenery of vineyard- and châteaux-dotted Mâcon; Chalon-sur-Saône with its half-timbered Old Town, where Saint-Vincent Square is a must-see highlight; and more. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you'll also have the chance to personalize your cruise with excursions that introduce you to France's amazing scenery in a fun and active way!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon
Day 2 – Mâcon
Day 3 – Chalon-sur-Saône
Day 4 – Lyon



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30 May, 16 Jun, 3 Jul, 20 Jul, 6 Aug, 23 Aug, 9 Sep, 26 Sep, 13 Oct



UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE

Enjoy an authentic destination experience that leaves an unforgettable impression—like a special al fresco dinner of perfectly barbecued dishes, prepared and served atop the Vista Deck. Your meal is enhanced by the perfect, sommelier-selected wines as you gaze out upon the lovely scenery and ambiance of Mâcon.

ROUTE-ID: 27-LML03

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel, get settled into your luxury Suite, and explore your ship's many amenities. Later, meet fellow cruisemates at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure. The ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 2 – MÂCON

A delicious breakfast starts your day right—how about a made-to-order omelette and toast with honey right off the comb? Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating e-bike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an authentic French truffle-hunting (and tasting) experience! You'll find a full menu of excursions for the cruise on our website. Back on your ship this evening, your day concludes with a very special UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE dining experience! From atop the Vista Deck, let us indulge you with a delectable al fresco barbecue dinner, prepared and served with the scenery and ambiance of Mâcon as the backdrop!

DAY 3 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion focusing on the rich culinary heritage of Chalon, with tastings of regional specialties that may include Crème de Cassis,



LEARN THE ART OF TRUFFLE HUNTING

French baked goods, artisanal chocolate, wine, or other temptations. Your ship departs in the afternoon, with free time for a pampering onboard massage or spa treatment—your personal Butler can assist with scheduling one!

DAY 4 – LYON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

FRENCH FÊTE ON THE RHÔNE & SAÔNE

AVIGNON TO LYON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS



AVIGNON WITH SAINT BENEZET BRIDGE

This grand journey includes two of France's greatest rivers—as well as Burgundy, Provence, and the Camargue wetlands. Embark in the dramatic walled city of Avignon and end in the foodie paradise of Lyon, where the Saône and Rhône majestically converge. Along the way are Arles with its 1st-century AD Roman amphitheater; Viviers for truffle and prehistoric cave art encounters; the fine wines and chocolates of Tain-l'Hermitage; unforgettable Mâcon; and other ports. You also have plenty of ways to personalize your cruise through RIVERSIDE CHOICE—food tastings, instruction on local activities, even active tours by kayak or e-bike. The ultimate treat is scenic cruising through the Rhône Delta—très magnifique!

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Day 1 – Avignon
Day 2 – Avignon
Day 3 – Arles/ Rhône Delta
Day 4 – Tarascon/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Day 5 – Viviers
Day 6 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 7 – Lyon
Day 8 – Lyon
Day 9 – Mâcon
Day 10 – Chalon-sur-Saône
Day 11 – Lyon



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RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

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TARASCON CASTLE

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to the spectacular walled city of Avignon, whose UNESCO World Heritage ramparts were built in the 14th century to protect the city from mercenaries. Embark the Riverside Ravel and at your first onboard dinner, meet fellow guests and raise a glass to toast your exciting river journey.

DAY 2 – AVIGNON

Today you can fully engage Avignon's Provençal charm and see just what inspired Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs, Florentine poet Petrarch, and countless merrymakers beneath a certain bridge in the Middle Ages! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, explore the awe-inspiring Palace of the Popes, the world's most important Gothic palace; kayak below the 1st-century Pont du Gard Roman aqueduct; and other fantastic options. For a complete list of offerings, see the Riverside website. Your ship departs Avignon before dinner.

DAY 3 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Spend today in the magnetic city of Arles, where artist Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence with a curated selection of local specialities; a rugged 4x4 safari in the Camargue, western Europe's largest river delta; and more. This evening, dinner is prepared and served al fresco-style on the Vista Deck as your ship passes through the mesmerizing Rhône Delta.

DAY 4 – TARASCON / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Rise and shine! Begin the day with a delicious breakfast before heading into the Provençal town of Tarascon. How about a guided tour through St. Rémy that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh—or wine tasting the Roman way? After lunch on the ship enjoy time and admire the passing scenery, arrive in Château-neuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT at a featured wine estate. Surrounded by an unforgettable atmosphere, you'll be treated to an exclusive wine tasting to learn how the aromas of berries, plums, and earthy spices are achieved. Sample free-flowing Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines and hear how historical popes were associated with the famous appellation.

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you with a friendly "Bonjour" and a lot to see! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, learn the fine art of truffle hunting at an authentic French truffle farm; trek or kayak through the lovely Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon; and other tempting activities. Crowning the day is a lovely after-dinner stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by a performance by a brilliant local artist.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Your time today in Tain-l'Hermitage is an absolute treat. You might enjoy a tour focusing on the wine and wonders of medieval Tournon Castle. Or, for a more sensory experience, learn how to pair wine and chocolate during a wonderful tasting at Valrhona's City of Chocolate. The afternoon is ideal for socializing in the Atelier with a big bowl of decadent ice cream as your ship makes its way to Lyon.



CAMARGUE CATTLE, RHÔNE DELTA

DAY 7 – LYON

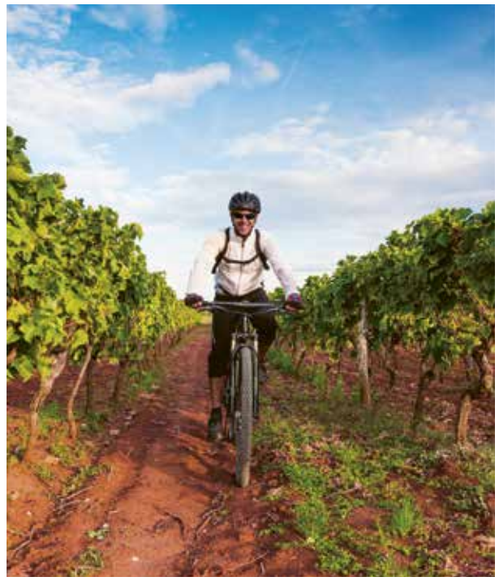
The options are endless today in Lyon, so what's your pleasure? You could investigate the city's highlights with its Old Town traboules (secret passageways), exquisite central Presqu'île district sandwiched between the Rhône and Saône Rivers, and an ascent up Fourvière Hill. Or maybe taste and sample your way through the renowned Les Halles de Lyon Paul Bocuse market with the guidance of a culinary expert.

DAY 8 – LYON

Another day in Lyon gives you the chance to really get to know this amazing city. RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursions include private wine tasting in Beaujolais or a unique tour focused on the colorful street art of Lyon! Alternatively, you can head out on your own to shop or maybe try the city's many unique flavors and dishes. The ship departs late and cruises through the night.

DAY 9 – MÂCON

A delicious hot-or-not breakfast starts your day the way you like best—with endless cups of piping-hot coffee or tea. Once you're sufficiently fueled up, step off the ship for a memorable day in Mâcon. Morning and afternoon excursion options abound, like an invigorating e-bike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an



E-BIKE THROUGH CHARDONNAY



HÔTEL-DIEU, LYON

authentic French truffle-hunting (and tasting) experience. Back on your ship this evening, your day concludes with a delectable al fresco barbecue dinner, prepared and served up on the Vista Deck with the scenery and ambiance of Mâcon as the backdrop!

DAY 10 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion focusing on the rich culinary heritage of Chalon, with tastings of regional specialties that may include Crème de Cassis, French baked goods, artisanal chocolate, wine, or other temptations. Your ship departs in the afternoon, with free time for a pampering onboard massage or spa treatment—your personal Butler can assist with scheduling one.

DAY 11 – LYON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

SOUTHERN FRANCE SOJOURN

LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Just mention the South of France and colorful images flood the imagination. Those images become reality on this week-long luxury cruise! Begin in 2,000-year-old Lyon with its world-class cuisine, then stop at Mâcon for a peek at the Gothic towers of Old Saint-Vincent Cathedral and the Hôtel-Dieu's Louis XV-era apothecary shop; Chalon-sur-Saône; and Viviers for truffle hunting or a prehistoric cave art encounter. And, of course, in every port RIVERSIDE CHOICE provides wonderful excursion options, including the chance to see the sights in an active way.

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon
Day 2 – Mâcon
Day 3 – Chalon-sur-Saône
Day 4 – Lyon
Day 5 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 6 – Viviers/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape
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DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel, get settled into your luxury Suite, and explore your ship's many amenities. Later, meet fellow cruisemates at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure. The ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 2 – MÂCON

A delicious breakfast starts your day right, then step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating e-bike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an authentic French truffle-hunting (and tasting) experience! You'll find a full menu of excursions for the cruise on our website. Back on your ship this evening, your day concludes with a very special UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE dining experience! From atop the Vista Deck, let us indulge you with a delectable al fresco barbecue dinner, prepared and served with the scenery and ambiance of Mâcon as the backdrop!

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CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

DAY 4 – LYON

Time today to really get to know Lyon. Situated where the Rhône and Saône Rivers meet, the city is famous for its rich Roman history, culinary excellence, and the major role it played in the silk industry. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a guided walk through the Old Town and visit to the Roman amphitheater; time to investigate the traboules (secret passageways) and an ascent up Fourvière Hill; or wine tastings in the Beaujolais or Chardonnay regions. You can also take a trip back in time in medieval Pérouges, or see Lyon's sights by e-bike.

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DAY 6 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 7 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, gateway to Provence and renowned for its medieval architecture, papal history, and annual summer arts festival. Some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include kayaking on the Gardon River below the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard; a Discover Avignon walking tour to see the highlights; or a visit to the impressive Palace of the Popes.

DAY 8 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.

SOUTH OF FRANCE SAFARI WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS



LYON

Eleven days in the South of France—more than enough to fall hopelessly in love with this special place. Embark in Lyon with its 2,000-year history and commitment to world-class cuisine. Then, see the ancient wonders of Mâcon; Chalon-sur-Saône; tiny Viviers for truffle hunting and a prehistoric cave art encounter; stately Avignon; and Van Gogh's beloved Arles. Gourmet dining atop the Vista Deck will be an evening to remember as your ship passes through the spellbinding Rhône Delta. Other highlights are Avignon's monumental Palace of the Popes, wine tasting in Châteauneuf-du Pape, and active excursions for a different perspective!

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NOTRE DAME DE FOURVIERE BASILICA, LYON

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DAY 2 – MÂCON

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DAY 9 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, this was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence with a curated selection of local specialities; a visit to a real Camargue manade (ranch) to experience its cowboy culture; and more. This evening, head up to the Vista Deck for endless views of the stunning Rhône Delta as you savor a special al fresco barbecue dinner.



WILD HORSE GRAZING IN THE RHÔNE DELTA



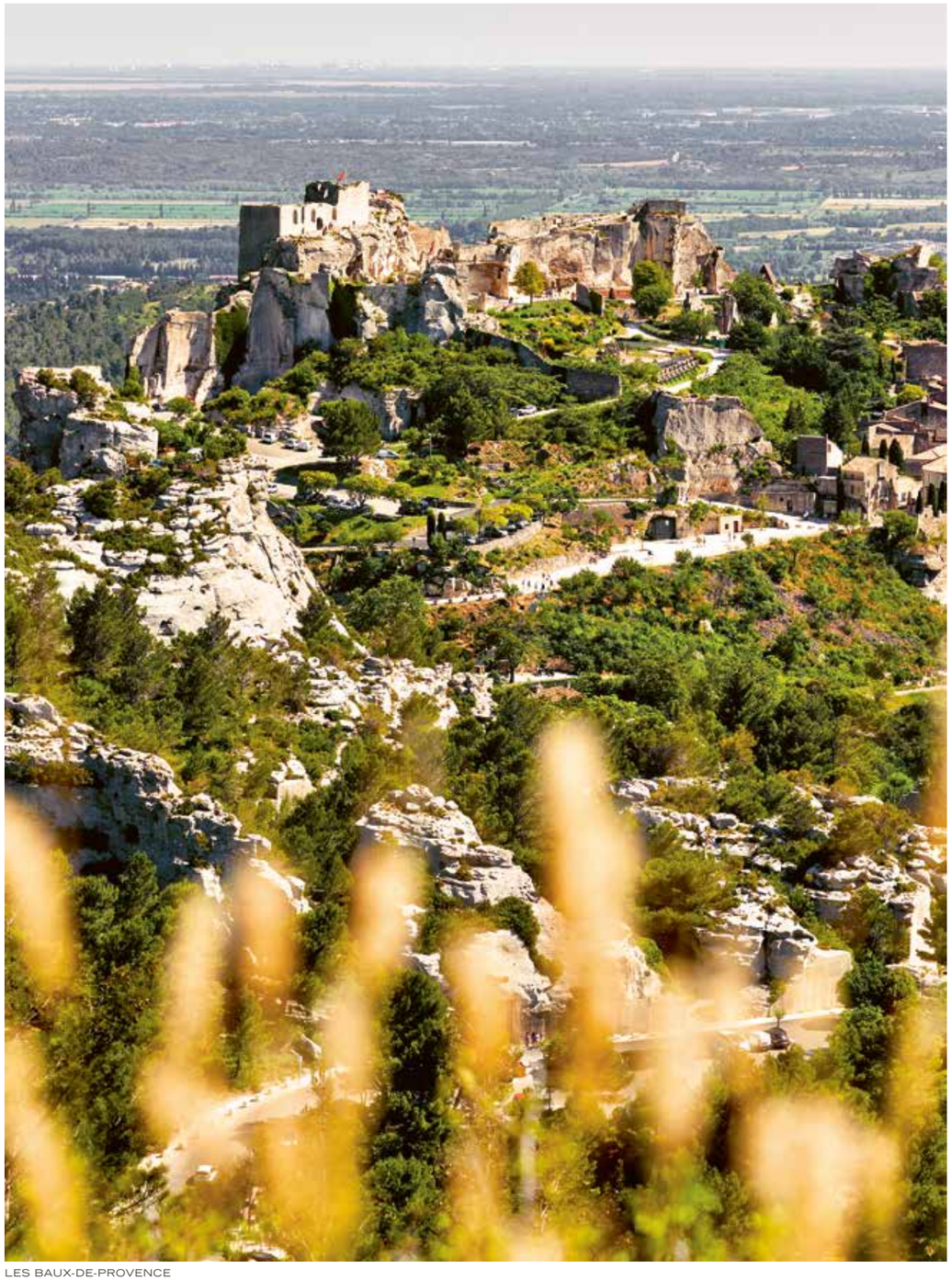
ST. RÉMY

DAY 10 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

Pretty Provençal Tarascon greets you this morning with a guided tour through St. Rémy that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh—or wine tasting the Roman way. After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for the final night of your memorable cruise.

DAY 11 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark your ship. For Riverside transfer details, see page 46 or our website.



LES BAUX-DE-PROVENCE



CRUISE IN LUXURY ON THE RIVERSIDE RAVEL

RIVERSIDE CHOICE EXCURSIONS

Our excursions are something special—an enriching collection of experiences that are both unexpected and unforgettable. Whether you're a subject matter expert or a casual enthusiast, Riverside Choice helps you create incredible memories about some of France's finest art, architecture, history, music, nature, food, and wine.

In the following pages you'll find a sample of our excursions by city, categorized by topic and degree of physical exertion or difficulty. However, we're continually expanding our offerings, so visit our website for all the latest information, general terms and conditions, prices, and additional details about Riverside Luxury Cruises.

LOOK FOR INSPIRATION.

CATEGORIES

SEE

City sightseeing tours with professional guides, sometimes by coach. We organize some full-day excursions, and include visits to the important points of interest.

LEARN

Visits to attractions such as palaces, monuments, and abbeys of special cultural importance related to our destinations.

TASTE

These excursions dive into the destination's culinary specialties and traditions. We call on select producers, sometimes including tastings of wines, spirits, or other regional products.

ACTIVE

During these excursions, hiking, biking, or other exhilarating activities will challenge your body and make your spirit soar.

CULTURE

Look and marvel as you visit museums or exhibits featuring works by historic masters and contemporary artists alike.

MUSIC

Enjoy music in concert halls, opera houses, and theaters – as well as in unexpected places and unconventional venues!

DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY

easy
Appropriate for almost any guest, with short distances and no inclines or stairs.

moderate
Suitable for most guests, with moderate distances on mostly level terrains and only a few stairs.

vigorous
Perfect for guests seeking a more physically challenging experience that covers a longer distance on potentially uneven terrain and possible ascents/descents or stair-climbing.

Please note: A full listing of excursions will be confirmed and available for booking on our website 90 days prior to your cruise departure.

ARLES FRANCE

Surrounded by some of Europe's prettiest natural parks, the "Pearl of Provence" is one history-packed little city. From a Roman Empire-era port hub, it blossomed during the Middle Ages and Renaissance. Highlights include the two-tiered Roman Amphitheater; thermal baths dating back to the 4th century; and the Church of St. Trophime pilgrimage site. Arles is also where Van Gogh was most inspired—and the Van Gogh Pedestrian Path shows where the artist painted many of his masterpieces.

CAMARGUE RUGGED 4X4 SAFARI

Experience the wondrous world of the Camargue, Western Europe's largest river delta, during this brilliant (and bumpy!) 4-wheel-drive safari.

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

PROVENCE LAVENDER FARM

Visit a fourth-generation Provençal lavender farm for a beguiling experience focused on one of the region's most beautiful and aromatic symbols.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **3.5h** Difficulty: **easy**

MAS EN PROVENCE TOUR & PERFUME WORKSHOP

Immerse your senses during an interactive perfume-making experience at Mas en Provence, an authentic farmhouse in the heart of Provence!

SEE LEARN Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**



CHURCH OF ST. MARTHA, TARASCON

VAN GOGH'S ARLES

Vincent van Gogh paid tribute to the beauty of Arles in some 200 paintings—discover its allure for yourself on this memorable guided walking tour.

SEE LEARN Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**

THE MANADE RANCH CULTURE OF THE CAMARGUE

Discover the cowboy culture of the Camargue during this stand-out visit to an authentic French manade (ranch) where Camargue bulls and horses are bred and raised.

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: **4.5h** Difficulty: **easy**

A TASTE OF AIX-EN-PROVENCE

This fascinating guided walk introduces you to the rich heritage, architecture, history, and culinary delights of Aix-en-Provence, birthplace of Post-Impressionist painter Paul Cézanne.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **5h** Difficulty: **easy**

LES BAUX-DE-PROVENCE & OLIVE OIL MILL

Travel into the stunning Alpilles mountains landscape for a visit to ancient Les Baux-de-Provence, including a stop at a traditional olive oil mill for a tour and taste of the products.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

TARASCON FRANCE

Tarascon's very origin story involves a mighty water dragon destroying river traffic in the 1st century. With a beginning like that, any visit is bound to be interesting! The city is home to an imposing 15th-century fortress, whose dungeons once held doomed French Revolution prisoners, and an inviting Old Town with a fascinating Jewish quarter, Baroque Town Hall, bustling market squares, and the half-Romanesque/half-Gothic St. Martha's Collegiate Church, where tradition claims the Biblical figure Martha is buried.



LES BEAUX-DE-PROVENCE

GEMS OF TARASCON: CHURCH OF ST. MARTHA & CASTLE VISITS

This 2-hour guided walk features true treasures of Tarascon: the 12th-century Church of St. Martha and the town's incredible moated castle!

SEE LEARN CULTURE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

TARASCON E-BIKE ADVENTURE WITH ABBEY VISIT

Splendors of the French countryside and time at a stunning 10th-century abbey—it's the perfect active e-bike adventure that begins and ends in Tarascon.

SEE ACTIVE CULTURE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

TARASCON DISCOVERY & WINE TASTING THE ROMAN WAY!

Discover the wonders of Old Town Tarascon on this guided walk featuring 15th-century Château de Tarascon. Then, enjoy an epic wine tasting at a 17th-century wine estate known for its exceptional and unique "archaeological" Roman wines.

SEE LEARN TASTE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

ST. RÉMY: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF NOSTRADAMUS & VAN GOGH

This fantastic half-day outing visits nearby Saint-Rémy-de-Provence with its fascinating Nostradamus and Van Gogh associations and sweeping Old World charm!

SEE LEARN CULTURE
Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

AVIGNON FRANCE

While other French cities emerged from great battles or great commerce, Avignon arose from great laziness. When the Archbishop of Bordeaux didn't want to travel to Rome for his papal consecration, he had himself crowned in Lyon and built the incredible Palace of the Popes in Avignon. Other highlights worth seeing: the pretty Old Town and St. Bénezet Bridge, inspiration for the song "Sur le Pont d'Avignon".

DISCOVER AVIGNON WALKING TOUR

Explore the historical center of Avignon on this mesmerizing guided walking tour.

SEE LEARN Duration: **2h** Difficulty: **easy**

DISCOVER AVIGNON WALKING TOUR WITH PALACE OF THE POPES

Join an expert guide for a stroll through Avignon's remarkable Old Town, featuring an inside visit to the formidable Palace of the Popes!

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

GARDON RIVER KAYAK ADVENTURE

Encounter the monumental Pont du Gard Roman-era aqueduct from the water during this fun kayaking trip along the Gardon River!

SEE LEARN ACTIVE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **vigorous**



PONT DU GARD

E-BIKING TO PONT DU GARD

Both natural and manmade wonders take center stage during this enjoyable guided electric bicycle tour through the area surrounding Avignon.

SEE LEARN ACTIVE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

PONT DU GARD

Encounter the ancient Romans' impressive architectural and construction skills during this visit to awe-inspiring Pont du Gard.

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

PROVENCE DISCOVERY WITH GORDES & L'ISLE SUR LA SORGUE

You simply can't visit France without exploring Provence! This brilliant half-day excursion introduces you to the region's legendary beauty—along with the hilltop village of Gordes and incomparable L'Isle sur la Sorgue.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: **6h** Difficulty: **moderate**

ORANGE, PROVENCE'S ANCIENT ROMAN GEM

Travel deep into Provence for an exciting half-day discovery of Orange, the once-powerful City of Princes founded by the Roman Empire in 35 BC.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

FOODS OF FRANCE AT LES HALLES D'AVIGNON

Les Halles d'Avignon is a true foodie paradise—experience the market in a whole new way when you accompany a culinary expert through its many stalls for tastings of local delicacies.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**

INTO THE FRENCH COUNTRYSIDE: MEDIEVAL CASTILLON-DU-GARD & CHÂTEAU WINE TASTING

Enjoy a guided stroll through a fortified medieval village, time perusing a private collection of rare and vintage motorcycles and bicycles, and wine tasting at a historic French château—this fantastic excursion has it all!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

VIVIERS FRANCE

Viviers is tiny in size only! This remarkable village in the Ardèche is like an open-air museum of ancient architecture with its Town Hall, Bishop's Palace, St. Vincent Cathedral (said to be France's smallest cathedral), 16th-century Knights' House, and mansion-lined Grande Rue. The many stairs leading to the Upper Town reward the effort with outstanding panoramic views over the city below and the beautiful Rhône Valley.

ARDÈCHE TRUFFLE FARM & CHÂTEAU GRIGNAN

Truffles are the focus of this fun visit to a French farm that harvests the exclusive product!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

HIT THE TRAIL: HIKE IN ARDÈCHE GORGE

Enjoy an active hike through the Ardèche Gorge nature reserve, one of France's most spectacular natural sites.

SEE LEARN ACTIVE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

CHAUVET CAVE 2, THE WORLD'S LARGEST PREHISTORIC CAVE EXPERIENCE

Put on your favorite "Indiana Jones" hat and prepare for adventure in the astonishing recreation of Chauvet Cave with its amazing collection of cave art from 36,000 years ago!

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

KAYAKING IN ARDÈCHE GORGE

Discover one of France's most remarkable natural sites from water level during a kayaking adventure through Ardèche Gorge.

SEE LEARN ACTIVE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

VIVIERS EVENING STROLL

Experience the magic of Old Town Viviers during this guided evening tour that combines history and live music.

SEE LEARN Duration: **1.5h** Difficulty: **easy**



HIKE IN ARDÈCHE GORGE

DISCOVER VIVIERS WITH CONCERT & PÉTANQUE

Join an expert guide to see the sights of Old Town Viviers, followed by a musical treat and an introduction to Pétanque (lawn bowling)!

SEE LEARN MUSIC Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

FOOD & WINE ODYSSEY WITH JEZABEL

When it comes to outstanding cuisine, few places rival France! Join a sensory analysis specialist for an exciting onboard presentation featuring tastings of delectable local foods, paired with exquisite French wines!

LEARN CULTURE TASTE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**

LAVENDER IN THE DRÔME PROVENÇALE

This half-day excursion takes you into France's Drôme Provençale for a beguiling experience focused on lavender, one of Provence's most fragrant and beautiful symbols.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**



CHEVAL PALACE

TAIN-L'HERMITAGE FRANCE

Standing high above the Rhône is Tournon, a showcase of lush vineyards, a striking suspension bridge by French engineer Marc Seguin, and a marvelous 16th-century French château, complete with portcullis and stained-glass windows. Just across the river is Tain-l'Hermitage, well known among epicures as home of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines and the interactive Valrhona City of Chocolate.

TAIN-L'HERMITAGE E-BIKE TOUR & WINERY VISIT

Splendid French landscapes and delightful French wines—life just doesn't get any better than on this e-bike tour featuring fresh air, scenic beauty, and exclusive wine tasting in the heart of the Rhône Valley.

SEE TASTE ACTIVE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

A WALK IN ANCIENT TOURNON

Standing sentry high above the Rhône is the grand village of Tournon, home to a castle, monuments, terraced vineyards, and some of the region's most spectacular views.

SEE LEARN Duration: **2h** Difficulty: **easy**

THE UNLIKELY PALACE OF FERDINAND CHEVAL

See the fulfilment of one man's fantasy on this unusual half-day excursion to a palace like no other.

SEE LEARN CULTURE
Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

VALRHONA CHOCOLATE & WINE DISCOVERY

Discover Valrhona, a powerhouse among the world's exceptional chocolatiers, where you'll learn all about the creation of the mouthwatering treat, along with the art of pairing chocolate and wine!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

TAIN-L'HERMITAGE WINERY VISIT & TASTING

This enjoyable guided vineyard visit has the ultimate payoff – a tasting of excellent local wines.

LEARN TASTE ACTIVE
Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

WINE & WONDERS OF MEDIEVAL TOURNON CASTLE

This 3-hour encounter introduces you to the halls and treasures of Château de Tournon, followed by a wonderful tasting of the Rhône Valley's exceptional red and white wines!

LEARN TASTE ACTIVE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

LYON FRANCE

Right where the Rhône and Saône Rivers meet is Lyon, France's gastronomic capital and home to an incredible indoor food market since 1859. Two-thousand years of history are on display in Lyon, with Roman, medieval, and Renaissance treasures, like Place Bellecour, one of Europe's largest town squares; the Old Town's fascinating traboules (secret passageways); Fourvière Basilica; and the UNESCO World Heritage Roman Amphitheater, dating back to around 15 BC.

TASTINGS AT LES HALLES DE LYON PAUL BOCUSE MARKET

Experience Lyon's famous food market with a culinary expert as you peruse its many stalls and stands for tastings of the local delicacies.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**

HIGHLIGHTS OF LYON: FOURVIÈRE, PRESQU'ÎLE & THE OLD TOWN

The best of Lyon is on full display during this engaging guided tour featuring Fourvière Hill, the Presqu'île peninsula, and the charming UNESCO World Heritage Old Town.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

BEAUJOLAIS IN DEPTH WITH PRIVATE WINE TASTING

France's unforgettable Beaujolais region awaits during a visit to the "golden" village of Oingt and private wine tasting at a 350-year-old family winery.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **6h** Difficulty: **moderate**

THE COLORFUL STREET ART OF LYON

Get a totally unique impression of Lyon—through its wonderful collection of street art at the Tony Garnier Urban Museum.

SEE LEARN Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

BEAUJOLAIS SAMPLER WITH PRIVATE WINE TASTING

Visit a family winery dating back 350 years and taste the wonderful wines produced there on an enchanting trip into the unforgettable Beaujolais.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

SIGHTS OF LYON BY E-BIKE

Enjoy Lyon from a different perspective as you join an expert guide for an electric bicycle tour past the city's many famous sights!

SEE LEARN ACTIVE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

MARVELOUS MEDIEVAL PÉROUGES

Step back into the Middle Ages on this mesmerizing guided walk through timeless Pérouges—with a delicious French treat at the end!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

A DAY IN CHARDONNAY WITH LUNCH & WINE TASTING

An authentic French lunch, a tour and tasting at a renowned wine estate, and guided sightseeing of Old Town Mâcon are just a few of the highlights of this full-day journey into Chardonnay wine country.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **8h** Difficulty: **easy**



BEAUJOLAIS VINEYARDS

MÂCON FRANCE

Located in the Burgundy region along an important Saône River trade route, 2,000-year-old Mâcon is a collection of colorful façades and round-tile roofs that simply beg to be explored. Charming cobblestones wind their way past ancient town houses and the Gothic towers from Old Saint-Vincent Cathedral. Meanwhile, a 16th-century wooden house with unusual statues of monkeys and masked characters, and Hôtel-Dieu's Louis XV-era apothecary shop also paint a charming scene.

A WALK THROUGH MÂCON

Perched on the Saône River on an important trade route, 2,000-year-old Mâcon is a showcase of colorful facades and round-tile roofs that simply beg to be explored.

SEE LEARN Duration: **2h** Difficulty: **easy**



SOLUTRE ROCK

HIKE TO SOLUTRE ROCK

Grab your hiking shoes and hit the trail on this fun guided hike through the heart of the Pouilly-Fuissé wine region.

SEE LEARN ACTIVE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

CHÂTEAU DE CORMATIN

One of the prettiest castles in Burgundy awaits your discovery on this exciting visit to Château de Cormatin.

SEE LEARN CULTURE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

CHARDONNAY E-BIKE TOUR & WINE TASTING

Hop on an electric bike and join an expert guide for a scenic ride through the side roads and vineyards of Chardonnay—complete with hand-crafted local snacks and wine tasting!

SEE TASTE ACTIVE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **vigorous**

MÂCON TRUFFLE EXPERIENCE

Discover the mystery of truffle-hunting as you visit a traditional French truffle farm and enjoy a tasting of the exclusive product!

SEE LEARN TASTE
Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **moderate**

CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

FRANCE

The beauty of Chalon-sur-Saône begins with its half-timbered houses, St. Vincent's Cathedral, Baroque Church of Saint-Pierre, and Théâtre Piccolo, which was modeled after the royal opera at Versailles. But the city's pride extends far beyond its enchanting structures. It was also home to French inventor Nicéphore Niépce, pioneer of photography, and Dominique Denon, who helped convert the Louvre Palace into a museum after the French Revolution!



CHÂTEAU DE CORMATIN

BEAUTIFUL BEAUNE & ITS HOTEL-DIEU

Beaune is a true treasure trove, and we'll show you the highlights during this guided tour and inside visit to the city's remarkable Hôtel-Dieu charity hospital.

SEE LEARN Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **easy**

A TASTE OF CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

Get a proper introduction to the rich culinary heritage of Chalon during this wonderful guided tour featuring tastings of local favorites and specialties—and wines at a charming cellar!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: **3h** Difficulty: **easy**

WINE TASTING ON THE BURGUNDY WINE ROAD PLUS BEAUTIFUL BEAUNE

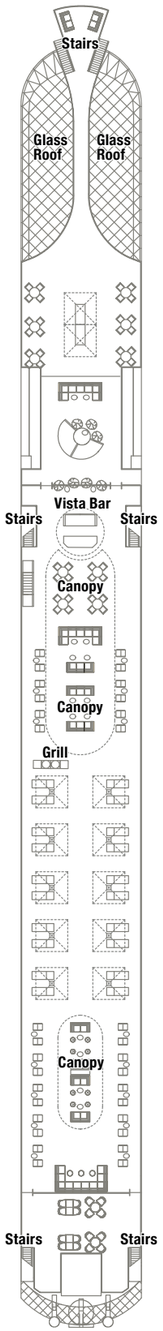
Dive headfirst into France's famed Burgundy wine region on this excellent journey along the Burgundy Wine Road, featuring wine tasting and time in the ancient walled city of Beaune.

SEE LEARN TASTE
Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **moderate**

CHALON BY E-BIKE WITH WINE TASTING

Hop on the seat of an electric bicycle for a scenic ride out of Chalon-sur-Saône and into the countryside, then stop at an area winery for a tasting paired with a delightful lunch!

SEE TASTE ACTIVE Duration: **4h** Difficulty: **vigorous**



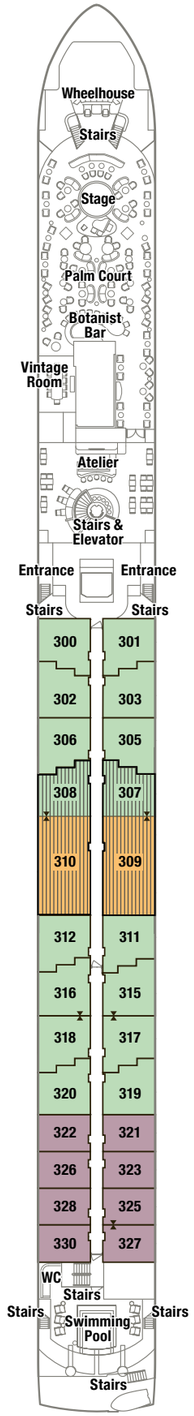
DECK 4

VISTA

- Canopied Seating Areas
- Vista Bar
- Grill

SPECIFICATIONS

- Guest Capacity: 110
- Guest-Crew Ratio: 1,97
- Crew: 55
- Length: 443 ft (135 m)
- Width: 36 ft (11 m)



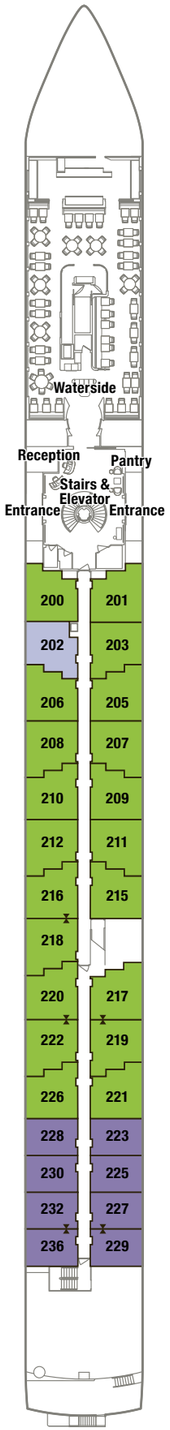
DECK 3

RIVERSIDE

- Atelier
- Palm Court
- Botanist Bar
- Swimming Pool
- Vintage Room
- Wheelhouse

SUITE CATEGORIES

- Owner's Suite 753 sq ft (70 sqm)
- Ravel Suite 506 sq ft (47 sqm)
- Riverside Suite 258 sq ft (24 sqm)
- Symphony Suite 194 sq ft (18 sqm)
- Connecting Suites



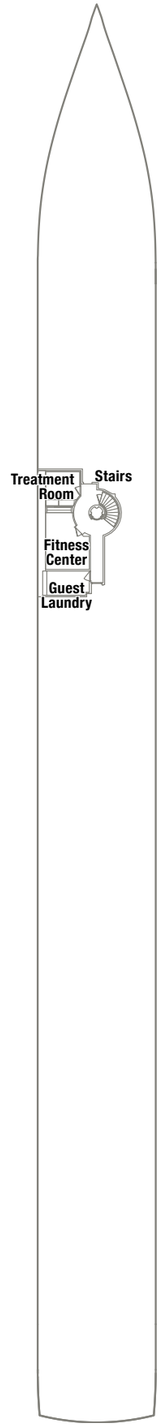
DECK 2

SEAHORSE

- Reception
- Pantry
- Waterside Restaurant

SUITE CATEGORIES

- Seahorse Suite 258 sq ft (24 sqm)
- Sonata Suite 237 sq ft (22 sqm)
- Melody Suite 194 sq ft (18 sqm)
- Connecting Suites



DECK 1

HARMONY

- Fitness Center
- Guest Laundry
- Fehi Spa treatment room



LYON

TRANSFER INFORMATION

MARSEILLE / AVIGNON

Enjoy a complimentary RIVERSIDE LUXURY COACH transfer to/from Marseille Airport.

Scheduled Marseille Airport transfers for arriving guests depart the airport at 1 pm and 3.30 pm. Flights should arrive prior to 2.30 pm.

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