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DAY 1

Destination	Arles
Meals included	Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

Arrive in Arles, where your elegant vessel is waiting. Tonight's welcome reception is the perfect way to get to know everyone, including your cruise director and crew.

DAY 2

Destination	Arles 🚶 Avignon
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Perhaps visit Avignon's imposing château, the Palace of the Popes, or take part in a French lesson on board your ship.

Set out on a guided exploration of Arles this morning and admire the charming sun-baked buildings that inspired many of Van Gogh's paintings. As you continue to Avignon, choose from the sightseeing options on offer.

DAY 3

Destination	🚶 Tournon
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Take a ride on the Ardèche Steam Train, winding through the Doux gorge. For wine lovers, visit the historic Maison M. Chapoutier winery for a tasting. Otherwise, enjoy a guided bike ride with a stop at the Valrhona Chocolate Factory for a little indulgence.

The choice is yours when it comes to today's sightseeing.

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DAY 4

Destination	Vienne 🚗 Lyon
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing A morning walking tour of Vienne reveals its spectacular Roman ruins, including a theatre and temple. Alternatively, hike to Mount Pipet for panoramic views of the town below.

Choose your preferred sightseeing activity this morning. Afterwards, it's time to head back on board as your ship sets sail for Lyon. On arrival, become acquainted with this picturesque city during an orientation tour.

DAY 5

Destination	Lyon
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE This evening, dine at L'Abbaye de Collonges, founded by renowned chef, the late Paul Bocuse.

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing See what makes the food in Lyon so famous on a discovery of the city's fresh food market. Otherwise, explore the sights with a local guide or embark on a bike tour. You also have the option to visit the Beaujolais wine region.

Select from the sightseeing options on offer today. Enjoy a special Signature Experience this evening.

DAY 6

Destination	🚗 Tournus
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Set out on a guided exploration of Tournus, including a visit to the Abbey of Saint Philibert. Alternatively, travel to Château Cormatin for a guided tour.


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DAY 7

Destination	 Chalon-sur-Saône
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

Explore Beaune, an ancient town encircled by medieval ramparts. With its surrounding landscapes blanketed in grapevines, it comes as no surprise that Beaune is renowned for its production of fine Burgundy wines.

DAY 8

Destination	Chalon-sur-Saône  Paris
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

Leave your ship and travel to Le Creusot Montceau, where you'll jump on a train bound for Paris. On arrival, settle in for lunch aboard a glass-top boat while you take in Paris at a relaxed pace. Later, your second vessel is waiting for you on the Seine.

DAY 9


Destination	 La Roche-Guyon
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

SIGNATURE EXPERIENCE This evening, a night of glittering feathers and sparkling lights awaits as you take in a Parisian Cabaret show at the Lido.

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Get your fill of French food on a walking tour, soak up Montmartre and Sacré-Cœur, or the Palace of Versailles may prove to be just too tempting.

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DAY 10

Destination	Le Havre  Honfleur
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

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FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Perhaps visit Château de la Roche-Guyon, or take an onboard impressionist painting class.


The choice is yours today.

DAY 11

Destination	 Caudebec-en-Caux
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

Arrive in Le Havre and step ashore to experience Honfleur, a lovely little port town.

DAY 12

Destination	 Rouen
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing Stay in Caudebec-en-Caux and explore, or head out on a World War II excursion to the beaches of Normandy. You might like to taste the fruits of the Pays de Caux region with a visit to a unique cider farm.

The old fishing village of Caudebec-en-Caux greets you with colourful buildings dotted along its harbour as well as a choice of sightseeing.

DAY 13

Destination	Rouen
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Accommodation	N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing From Rouen, look back on World War I at the Somme Battlefields. Otherwise stay in the city and see the Notre Dame Cathedral and the square where Joan of Arc was martyred, or play a round of golf.

Choose your sightseeing. Tonight, gather for a gala farewell dinner.

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DAY 14

Destination Vernon 🚗 Giverny

Meals included Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Accommodation N/A

FREEDOM OF CHOICE™ - Sightseeing See one of Monet's greatest inspirations, the water lilies at his house and gardens in Giverny. Or take the scenic route, pedalling from the river all the way to Monet's house.

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DAY 15

Destination 🚗 Paris

Meals included Breakfast

Accommodation N/A

Transfer to the airport for your flight.

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Inclusions

WHAT'S INCLUDED

Experiences in 14 destinations
Freedom of Choice Inclusions in 10 locations
Luxury dining - a total of 41 meals
A wide range of onboard beverages
Expert cruise director
Room service and laundry (select suites)
Transfers, port charges and gratuities

Fine Print

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Accommodation
The accommodation listed is subject to change. Any changes will be of an equal or higher standard. Bedding configurations (double or twin) are requests only. All efforts will be made to meet your preferences, however, any changes are beyond our control.

Single Supplement
A single supplement is available on all nights of this trip from an extra AUD \$5035 subject to availability.

Triple Share
Not available.

Children
Children must be 5 years old or over and share a room with parents at all times. Children are charged the same price as adults.

Tour Documentation
Final documentation will be provided approximately 30 days prior to travel.

OPTIONAL TOURS

Freedom of Choice activities are included in your package and can be booked through your Tour Director.

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HOW TO BOOK & PAYMENTS

Deposit & Payments

Book now and secure your package with a AUD \$1000 deposit per person.
Pay a 2nd instalment of AUD \$2279 per person within 28 days.
You will then be invoiced for final payment 90 days prior to departure.
Booking Process

Select the purple 'Reserve Your Seat' tab to begin your booking (you must 'Sign Up' first by entering your email and creating a password)
Then select the purple 'Book now' tab of the tour you have selected
Select your Departure Date, Departure City, Number of Passengers, Room Configuration, any Upgrade Options, and enter any Special Requests
Click the purple 'Proceed to Secure Checkout' tab
Enter your credit card or PayPal details to secure your deposit/payment. You may also pay via BPAY (not available within 70 days of departure)
Once your order is complete, you will be prompted to complete a Booking Form so that we can fulfil your booking
Your booking is confirmed once your Booking Form is submitted and you can begin the countdown to your Inspiring Vacation!

EXCLUSIONS

Airfares
Personal Expenses
Travel Insurance
Anything not mentioned in the itinerary

HOTEL LIST

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