

NICOLE BEASLEY
LUXURY TRAVEL

2 February 2023

SPECTACULAR PARIS & SOUTH OF FRANCE WITH BELLA ITALIA

A PRIVATELY CURATED TOUR
WITH JOZEFA HOFFMANN



"I would be delighted if you would join me for a most exciting adventure featuring five gorgeous nights in Paris, 10 nights on the captivating 5 star, truly luxurious, all-inclusive Scenic Sapphire "Spectacular South of France" River Cruise, 2 nights in Milan, 3 nights in Bellagio on Lake Como, culminating this luxury tour with three nights in bella Venezia." - Jozefa Hoffmann

ENJOY THIS 4-WEEK TOUR WITH EXPERIENCED TRAVELLER, JOZEFA HOFFMANN IN THE Milder
EUROPEAN AUTUMN WITH A SMALL GROUP OF LIKE-MINDED TRAVELLERS.
A NEW LEVEL OF LUXURY AWAITS YOU.



Sunday 15 September Our wondrous adventure begins! Meet Jozefa from 6pm at Brisbane International Airport – DEPART BRISBANE 9pm

BRISBANE TO DUBAI

Emirates flight EK 435

Departs 9 pm Arrives Dubai 5.10am

Non-Stop 14 hours 30 mins

Transit in Dubai

Monday 16 September DUBAI TO PARIS CHARLES de GAULLE

Emirates flight EK 73

Departs 8.20 am Arrives 1.30 pm

Non-Stop 7 hours 20 minutes

Arrive in enchanting Paris, transfer to our hotel. We have four days in Paris to enjoy, visiting galleries enjoying the delectable cuisine and taking in the stunning sights.

Stay 5 wonderful nights at the charming
HOTEL DES GRANDS VOYAGEURS
92, Rue De Vaugirard (Paris 6th district)
Quartier Saint – Placide – Rive Gauche
Tel (+33 1) 49 54 87 00



Drawing inspiration from both the world of travel and the art scene of Paris, Fabrizio Casiraghi is the visionary behind our hotel's captivating design.



Monday 16 Sept cont. Fabrizio has created a brand-new destination that marries the elegance of 1930s and 1940s aesthetics with the sense of adventure and discovery that comes from global exploration.

Our hotel is located on Rue Vaugirard in the chic 6th Arrondissement, steps from the St Germain area on Paris's Left Bank. Saint-Placide is a peaceful area bordered by iconic Rue de Sèvres, home of the Grande Epicerie, the Bon Marché, vibrant Rue de Rennes.



The afternoon is free to meander at your leisure. Perhaps a fabulous cafe in The Marais, wandering the Tuileries Garden or strolling the local streets of St Germain.

7pm – Welcome drinks and dinner in St Germain des Prés, the quintessential Paris neighbourhood. This beautiful Quartier in the 6th Arrondissement is our enchanting 'home away from home' for the next five nights...





Tuesday 17 September 10am - This morning after breakfast we meet Benjamín and board our Vintage Citroen DS with Open-Roof for our fabulous *Emily in Paris Classic Cars Tour*! Visit Paris in our fleet of vintage French cars with open-tops, passing by the best Emily in Paris locations!



1pm - We end our *Emily in Paris Tour* in Montmartre for lunch.

3pm – This afternoon we set off for our *Montmartre Walking Tour*. During La Belle Époque (1880-1914), Montmartre was home to some of the world's most legendary artists. To this day, the extravagant, eclectic, whimsy and creative energy of this artistic hub still seeps through every building and flows at every turn.





Tuesday 17 Sept. cont. 5pm – We visit the *Louis Vuitton Foundation*, a cultural centre and home to a beautiful display of modern and contemporary art. An absolute inspiration inside and out!



This evening is at leisure. Perhaps take a stroll along on The Seine, try one of the exciting restaurants at Place de la Bastille or wander the treelined streets of Le Marais and have dinner in one of the 4th Arrondissement's fabulous hidden alleyways.





Wed'day 18 September 10am – This morning we embark on a *Secret Food Tour of St Germain*! We meet our guide and start in the bustling heart of St Germain Des Prés. Our tour will take us through the heart of Paris and we will see the contrast between medieval streets and the massive Hausmanian housings. We will realise how the locals live in this part of Paris and how the city's history has influenced its gastronomy.



1pm – This afternoon is free to explore St Germain or venture across the river to explore Île de la Cité and Notre Dame.

5pm – Brace yourself for an afternoon luxe inspiration and sheer extravagance as we visit *La Galerie Dior*. This magnificent private museum around Haute-Couture, Maison Dior and the history of this whimsical fashion storyteller.

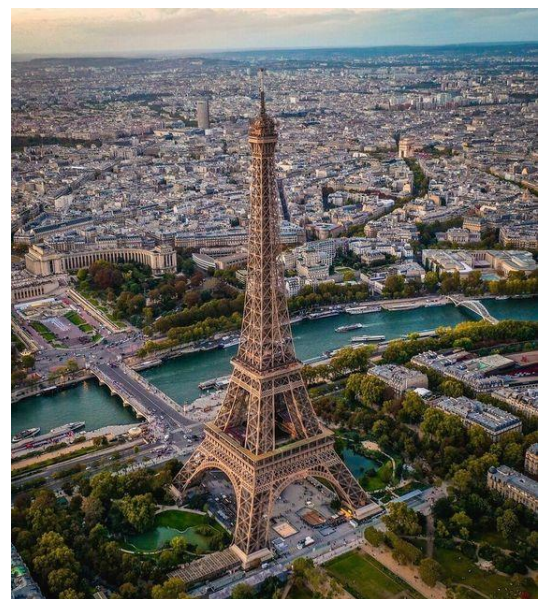
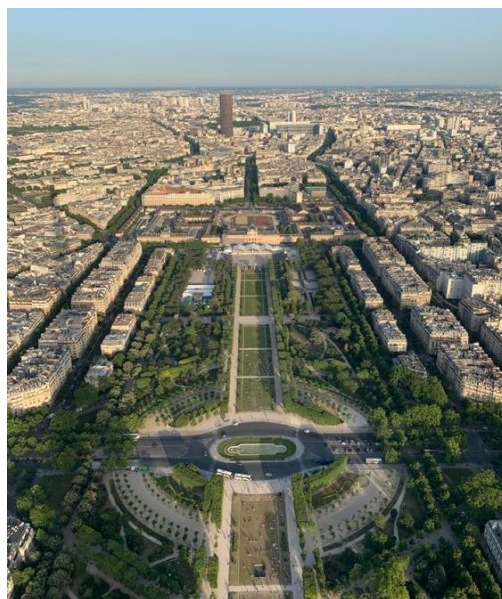




Wed'day 18 Sept cont. After our luxurious experience at *Maison Dior*, we will have dinner on chic Avenue Montaigne in the 8th Arrondissement. Considered *la grande dame* of French streets for high fashion and accessories and home to many luxury designers' headquarters, Avenue Montaigne's elegant architecture will be sure to leave us swooning!



Thu'day 19 September 10am – After breakfast we meet at the *Eiffel Tower* for a *Guided Tour to the Summit*. Enjoy 360-degree views of the Trocadero, and spot your favourite sights, Montmartre, The Seine, and the Arch de Triomphe.





Thu'day 19 Sept cont. 1pm – lunch is at leisure at one of the cafes... or purchase some take away have a picnic at the Trocadero – one of the best “picnic spot views” in the world!

2pm – This afternoon we continue exploring Paris with a visit to the extraordinary *Musée d'Orsay*. Filled to the brim with so many delightful Impressionists of the day – afterward we explore by *L'Orangerie*. Amazing art abounds at every turn in Paris...



5pm – We have been granted special closing time access to *The Louvre*! After exploring this iconic and captivating museum, we will have dinner together near the architectural marvel of *The Paris Garnier (Paris Opera House)*, also known as *Opéra Garnier*.





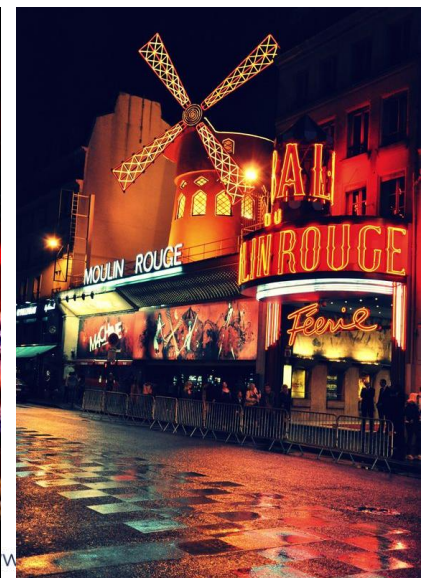
Friday 20 September

This morning we take a tour of the remarkable flagship store of *Galeries Lafayette*, spanning eight levels, with its Belle Époque glass-and-steel dome ceiling and Art-Nouveau staircase, this is one of the world's most beautiful department stores.



1pm – After shopping till we drop, we will enjoy a well-deserved lunch stop! You have the choice of having lunch at one of the many in-store dining options at *Galeries Lafayette* or heading across the road to the chic and swoon-worthy Perouche Rooftop!

On our final evening in the City of Lights, there are options galore! Return to Montmartre for a fabulous pre-show dinner and to see the most famous Parisian Cabaret... *THE MOULIN ROUGE*!! Or you may prefer to enjoy dinner in the Opera District, stroll along the Seine, or gaze one last time upon the beauty of the Tour de Eiffel as she sparkles in the night sky!





Sat'day 21 September

Transfer to Gare de Lyon then take the train to Lyon, where you will transfer to board the SCENIC SAPPHIRE for 10 awe-inspiring nights in the South of France.

PARIS GARE DE LYON TO LYON PART DIEU STATION

TGV rail service 6647

Departs 9:30am Arrives 11.26am

Standard Class only available

SCENIC SAPPHIRE RIVER CRUISE “THE SPECTACULAR SOUTH OF FRANCE”



Awaken your senses in the South of France

The South of France is a feast for your eyes, soul and appetite; discover this incredible region on a luxury cruise with Scenic.

Over 10 awe-inspiring nights, the tastes, sights and smells of Southern France unravel as you cruise the magical Saône and Rhône Rivers.





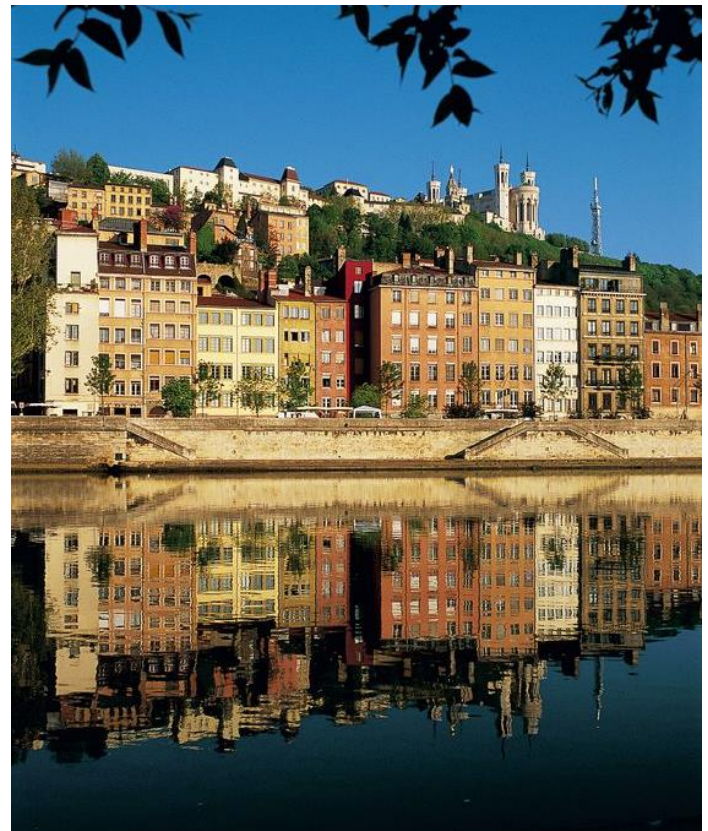
Sat'day 21 Sept cont.

Taste the gourmet offerings in Lyon, the food capital of France, and immerse yourself in the acclaimed Burgundy wine region, sampling different varieties as you soak up the picturesque scenery.

Marvel at iconic sceneries such as the Palais des Papes in Avignon and visit Arles to see the sights Vincent Van Gogh so famously painted during his time here. All your senses will be satiated after this spectacular voyage through the South of France.

DAY 1 - LYON

Welcome to spectacular Lyon, France's third largest city and one of its most culturally vibrant with a blend of fascinating history and a sophisticated dining and shopping scene.



Upon arrival, transfer to Scenic Sapphire, where your friendly crew await to welcome you on board.



Sat'day 21 Sept cont.

Spend the afternoon exploring your Scenic Space-Ship.



Relax in your luxurious suite or take a beverage to the Sun Deck and admire the magnificent views across the city of Lyon.

Meals Included: Dinner

Sunday 22 September DAY 2 - LYON > CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

Perhaps wake up to a coffee delivered to your suite by your personal butler and enjoy a leisurely breakfast at Crystal Dining as your Scenic Space-Ship cruises along the Saône River. You will be sailing towards Chalon-sur-Saône. An idyllic base for exploring the Burgundy wine region, Chalon-sur-Saône is a charming town with half-timbered houses and a magnificent Gothic cathedral just south of Beaune, often referred to as the epicentre for oenophiles.





Sunday 22 Sept cont. **FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES**

Guided tour of Beaune and Les Hospices: From Chalon-sur-Saône, you will travel through spectacular countryside past stone houses and vineyards to the beautiful town of Beaune, where you will join a guided tour. The highlight will be the spectacular Les Hospices de Beaune, a Gothic-style hospital founded in the Middle Ages, with decorative flamboyant roof tiles, surrounded by vineyards producing prestigious wine and now housing a museum. You will have free time to explore the town at your own leisure before returning to your Scenic Space-Ship.

Local Estate Visit; Visit a local estate situated in the heart of Burgundy. This Burgundy wine domain is a place full of history where you will be able to taste the wines from Côte de Beaune surrounded by unique architecture.

Photography Museum (Please note: This is closed on a Tuesday): Learn the history of photography in the town where it was first invented. The museum aims to explain photography since its invention through to the digital image, with a collection including almost three million photographs and objects, which you will observe during a guided tour.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Monday 23 September DAY 3 – TOURNUS

Your Scenic Space-Ship will depart Chalon-sur-Saône early this morning and sail to Tournus, a riverside town founded by the Romans, its dominating abbey a splendid example of Romanesque architecture.





Monday 23 Sept cont. **FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES**

Excursion to Chateau de Cormatin: Transfer by coach from Tournus to the historic Château de Cormatin, built in 1606. The castle boasts a fascinating history and has been lovingly restored back to its original glory. Admire the castle's gilded rooms, moat, water features and more than 10 hectares of manicured gardens on a guided tour.

Truffle Tasting: Meet a local truffle farmer and his dog and learn the tricks and techniques of truffle farming before enjoying a tasting of his delicious produce.

Cooking Class at the restaurant of Georges Blanc: Take a short coach transfer to the villages of Vonnas where you will have a short orientation tour before visiting the restaurant of the three star Michelin Chef, Georges Blanc for a cooking demonstration. After the cooking demonstration, take the opportunity to visit the village museum, the Museum has been lovingly created by Georges Blanc in dedication to his family who have lived and worked in this region of France for 150 years, with his great-grandparents first settling in Vonnas in 1872 where they opened a lemonade cafe.

Cooperage demonstration: Step outside your Space-Ship to witness the long-standing tradition of cooperage. Admire a skilled artisan as it shows you the secret of this art and learn how this craft still plays a crucial role in wine and spirit making.

Tonight, your on-board Chef has specially sourced local Truffles and will cook an extraordinary welcome dinner showcasing the region's Truffles.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Tuesday 24 September DAY 4 – TOURNON

This morning you will arrive in Tournon, a hillside village with terraced vineyards, an enchanting castle dating back to the 10th century and quaint cobblestoned streets.





Tuesday 24 Sept cont. Explore beautiful Tournon by selecting one of these activities.

FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES

Walking tour of Tournon: Explore the riverside town of Tournon by foot. Discover its fascinating history and make a stop at the impressive castle built between the 10th and 16th centuries that dominates the town. Afterwards you have free time to wander the narrow streets of Tournon or cross France's oldest suspension bridge to the neighbouring town of Tain l'Hermitage, home to prestigious chocolatiers Valrhona Chocolate, which has been operating here since 1922.

Hiking through the vineyards in Tournon: Get close to nature as you hike through the sloping vineyards that overlook the Rhône River above Tournon. Learn about the local wine production and taste some of the delicious drops of the region.

Biking along the Rhône: Enjoy a guided cycling tour along the banks of the Rhône through picturesque villages to the charming recreational village of Glun.

This afternoon enjoy a refreshing drink on the terrace of Tournon Castle. This ancient castle holds prime position overlooking the Rhône river and the surrounding terraced vineyards.



Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Wed'day 25 September DAY 5 – AVIGNON

This morning you'll have time to relax on board as your Scenic Space-Ship cruises towards the city of Avignon in Provence. Known as the City of the Popes, Avignon is rich in history and astounding medieval architecture but has a youthful energy to it with a buzzing arts scene.

The former 14th century papal capital is circled by city walls, home to the magnificent World Heritage-listed Palais des Papes (Pope's Palace), one of the largest surviving Gothic palaces in Europe, and the remaining four arches of the famous Pont d'Avignon bridge, which was once the only way to cross the Rhône between Lyon and the Mediterranean Sea.



FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES

Guided walking tour: From the ship, you will be guided on a walk in Avignon, to the historic city walls and the Pope's Palace, home to the Papacy and seat of Western Christianity in the 14th century. Avignon is filled with cobblestoned streets and the palace comprises numerous steps, so a moderate degree of fitness is required for this tour.

Excursion to Pont Du Gard: Visit the ancient Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, on a guided tour. Dating to the middle of the first century, this engineering masterpiece was designed to carry water to the city of Nîmes.

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Wed'day 25 Sept cont.

Kayaking at Pont du Gard: Paddle along the Gardon River towards the impressive and well-preserved Pont du Gard, the ancient aqueduct which dates to the Roman empire.

ENRICH

This evening's Scenic Enrich:

Private classical concert and dinner at the Pope's Palace: You will be treated to a truly unforgettable classical concert at the prestigious Pope's Palace of Avignon. When the doors are closed to the general public, you'll have one of the most visited sites in France to yourself. Upon arrival, you will be ushered into the grandiose palace for an exclusive gala dinner and a concert by a trio of musicians. Be immersed in the beauty of famous classical pieces, which gain a new fascinating dimension inside the palace's walls.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Thu'day 26 September DAY 6 - AVIGNON

Avignon is known as the gateway to Provence, a region blanketed in vineyards and lavender fields, rolling hills and historic villages. Today you will have the chance to explore more of this captivating part of southern France.



Thu'day 26 Sept cont. Select one of these activities and explore beautiful Avignon.

FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES

Excursion to Luberon villages and Senanque Abbey: Visit the village of Gordes, considered "one of the most beautiful villages in France". Teetering high above the hills of Luberon, Gordes' stone buildings spiral around the rock on which it is perched, its church and castle at the apex. After Gordes, you will visit nearby Senanque Abbey, a picturesque Cistercian Abbey.



Wine tasting in Chateauneuf du Pape: Explore the fertile and picturesque Rhône vineyards, including at the village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape, where centuries of wine production make for a very fascinating history. Take this opportunity to sample some of the region's most celebrated wines.

Lavender Museum with visit to the village of Roussillon: Roussillon and its Ochre Trail are among the main attractions on Luberon's ochre circuit, a landscape of ochre cliffs. Take a guided tour through this charming village before a visit to a local lavender producer where you will learn how lavender is grown, harvested and utilised in this region.

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Thu'day 26 Sept cont.

Shop with a chef & Scenic Culinaire (Please note: Avignon Markert is closed on a Monday): Gourmands can join Scenic's on board chef on a visit to a local food market where you will have an opportunity to shop for and taste the best ingredients this region has to offer. Upon returning to your Scenic Space-Ship, head to the Scenic Culinaire cooking school for an interactive cooking demonstration making some of France's most popular and delicious dishes using the ingredients you have just bought.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Friday 27 September DAY 7 - ARLES

Leaving Avignon early this morning, your Scenic Space-Ship will depart for Arles. Founded by Julius Caesar, this city is rich in Roman history and is thought to have the largest number of Roman ruins after The Eternal City itself. It was also home to Vincent Van Gogh in 1888, who drew inspiration from the landscape for a multitude of his paintings and drawings.





Friday 27 Sept cont. Select one of these activities and explore beautiful Arles.

FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES

Guided tour of Arles: Take a short walk from your Scenic Space-Ship to the heart of Arles. The city is home to some impressive Roman ruins, including Las Arenas, an amphitheatre that seats 20,000 and is still in use today. Experience the vibrant colours and striking quality of Arles' light - it will be easy to see why the city has inspired so many artists.

Visit Les Baux with Carrières de Lumières: Journey to the stunning medieval village of Les Baux, perched on a rocky outcrop and often regarded as one of France's most beautiful villages. Visit a former quarry in the Les Baux region that is now the site of Carrières de Lumières, an enormous 7,000 square-metre site that hosts a visual and musical production highlighting the works of notable world-famous artists.

Ancestry of the Kitchen: Visit a local olive farm where you will learn the techniques of olive oil production. Here you will meet with a local who's family have worked the land on this Olive Farm for centuries and who will share insight into everyday life in the region, as well as divulge traditional Provencal recipes.

Cosmetic Workshop; The Provence region is renowned for its spectacular scenery and at certain times throughout the year (typically late June to Mid-August) is blanketed in purple lavender. Today visit a local farm that produces a variety of lavender-based products and join your host for a cosmetics workshop.





Friday 27 Sept cont.

This afternoon is free to explore Arles at your own pace or return to your Scenic Space-Ship and indulge in an on-board painting class. Vincent Van Gogh said that 'The whole future of art is to be found in the South of France' this is just one example of the high regard this region is held by artists the world over. Learn about the artistic heritage of this region while painting a masterpiece of your own.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Saturday 28 September DAY 8 – VIVIERS

This morning you will arrive in Viviers, often described as an open-air museum for its rich medieval heritage and architecture.



FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES - MORNING

Walking tour of Viviers: Enjoy a walking tour with your local guide to explore Viviers, a town with an important heritage and rich past. Admire the many monuments and architectural treasures such as the Cathedral of St. Vincent, which was first built in the 11th century and is resplendent in 18th-century gothic style and a Renaissance facade. Afterwards, enjoy some free time to explore Viviers at your leisure.

French Resistance Walking Tour: During a walking tour of Viviers, learn about the French Resistance, who fought against the Nazi Occupation of France during World War II. Hear local stories of heroism and daring missions as you explore the historic town.



Saturday 28 Sept cont.

FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES - AFTERNOON

Ardèche Nature Park with Caverne du Pont-d'Arc Museum: Explore the Ardèche Nature Park, which stretches from the Rhône Valley to the Ardeche Mountains and contains medieval fortress ruins. You will also be immersed in the Caverne du Pont-d'Arc Museum, the largest decorated Palaeolithic cave replica in the world. The original site was deemed too fragile for public access, so this replica cave was built only a few kilometres from the actual cave.

Explore the caves in the Ardeche Nature Park: Drive through the rugged natural beauty of Ardeche Nature Park, from the Ardeche Gorge to the equally impressive Madeleine Caves, where you can admire the intricate rock formations, stalagmites and stalactites, and underground lakes.

Excursion to Grignan de Provence: Join your local guide in an exploration of this beautiful town; see the mighty castle that dominates from a hilltop, as well as the Collegiate Church of the Holy Saviour, before enjoying some time at leisure.



Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Sunday 29 September DAY 9 - CRUISING TO LYON

Enjoy watching a rolling tapestry of the Rhône River as you sail towards Lyon, the gastronomic heart of France, where you will arrive this evening. Soak up the uninterrupted vistas from your luxury suite, many of which have a window that converts into a Scenic Sun Lounge.



Sunday 29 Sept cont.

Perhaps you'd like to spend time in the state-of-the-art gym doing an invigorating workout or if you'd prefer to wind down, head to the wellness centre for a relaxing massage[^]. Savour regional cuisine in Crystal Dining or sharpen your skills on French cookery at a lesson in Scenic Culinaire.



ENRICH

Tonight, admire the beauty of one of the city's grandest Baroque buildings, Trinity Chapel. Built in the 17th century, the interior is decadently covered in Carrera marble. As a special Scenic guests, you will be treated to an exclusive experience, join your fellow guests for a breath-taking acapella choir performance in this wonderful setting.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Monday 30 September DAY 10 - LYON



Wake up this morning in Lyon. This fascinating city rivals Paris in the culinary stakes!

Prestigious chef Paul Bocuse and Lumiere brothers who invented the cinematograph lived here, it has a long history of silk production, comprises ancient Roman ruins and fascinating subterranean passageways that date to the 4th century.



Monday 30 Sept cont.

FREECHOICE EXPERIENCES

Guided tour of Lyon: Traverse Lyon's hidden traboules, secret passageways that were built for easy transport of silk and other textiles. There are hundreds in the region and some date to the 4th century; they were used in World War II by the Resistance. You will also visit Notre Dame de Fourviere, a majestic basilica built in 1872 that also offers a fabulous vantage point for views across Lyon.

Silk painting workshop: Lyon has a rich heritage in silk production that dates back almost five centuries when Louis XI chose the city as a potential base for the silk weaving industry. In the 19th century, silk was one of the city's largest industries. During a workshop, learn about the history and process of its production.

Excursion to Perouges: Visit the medieval walled village of Perouges, perched atop a hill overlooking the Ain River. The village has been well-preserved since the 14th century and is one of the most picturesque villages in the region.



The afternoon is free to wander the cobbled streets of Lyon.

Perhaps you'd like to spend time sampling local dishes in a bouchon 'local eating houses' or head to the Le Halles de Lyon Paul Bocuse, an undercover gourmet market that will tickle your tastebuds.

This evening, a local pâtissier will come on board with a selection of their finest desserts for your dining pleasure.

Meals Included: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Tuesday 1 October

DAY 11 - LYON

Depart after a wonderful farewell breakfast. Lyon is the end of your cruise, but it will be the start of a lifetime of wonderful memories.

This itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons such as high and low water. As such, the cruise may operate altered from that stated above. Please refer to our terms and conditions.

Massage/spa treatments at additional cost.
Please note: Scenic Culinaire capacity is limited.

Meals Included: Breakfast

JOURNEY INCLUSIONS

The Scenic Difference

- Be amazed by the magnificent surrounds at an exclusive classical concert accompanied by dinner at the grandiose Popes' Palace in Avignon
- Join French cooking demonstrations in our exclusive on-board cooking school, Scenic Culinaire
- Enjoy an exclusive acapella choir performance at the ornately decorated Trinity Chapel in Lyon
- Explore the rugged beauty of the Ardeche National Park and immerse yourself in the Caverne du Pont-D'Arc Museum
- Tailor your journey with a variety of Scenic Freechoice including Active, Your way excursions, Moments, Masters & Music activities and Interactive Encounters

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- Your choice of spacious Standard Suite, or a Balcony Suite with an innovative Scenic Sun Lounge
- 2 Scenic Enrich experiences including an extraordinary classical concert and dinner in the magnificent Popes' Palace in Avignon and an acapella Choir performance at the Baroque Trinity Chapel in Lyon – Exclusive to Scenic
- Scenic Culinaire – for Exclusive on-board cooking lessons
- Personalise your trip with 28 included Scenic Freechoice activities
- Enjoy a choice of up to five on board dining experiences, from casual to fine dining



- 29 meals – 10 breakfasts (B), 9 lunches (L) and 10 dinners (D)
- Complimentary premium beverages all day, every day* – not just at mealtimes
- Butler service for every suite
- Complimentary full mini-bar restocked daily
- Innovative Salt Therapy Lounge and fitness area
- The freedom of our e-bikes – electrically assisted bicycles
- Scenic Cruise Director to guide and assist & expert local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout your cruise
- Return airport transfers^
- All tipping and gratuities on board and on shore

Tuesday 1 Oct cont. After disembarking in Lyon, we take the train to Milan.

LYON PART DIEU TO GENEVA

Swiss Rail TER 96508

Departs 10:38am Arrives 12:36am

Premier Class

Transfer at the beautiful Geneva Station, enjoy some lunch at one of the lovely Swiss cafés. (53 minutes)

GENEVA TO MILANO CENTRALE

Swiss Rail ER 39

Departs 1:39pm Arrives 5:40pm

Premier Class

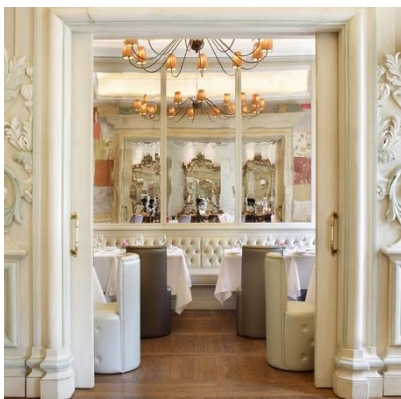
Stay 2 nights at the charming

CHATAEU MONTFORT

Corso Concordia, 1, Piazza Tricolore, Milano, IT 20129

Tel (+39) 02 7767610

Dinner is at your leisure after a long travel day.





Wednesday 2 October Our Day in Milan! Milan is known for its awe-inspiring fashion industry, for landmarks like Milan Cathedral, La Scala, and the Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, and for its refined and delicious cuisine.



10am – This morning we meet our guide, for our *Milan Walking Tour including Last Supper Tour – ‘Skip the Line’ Package*. On this tour, we explore Milan and we have the rare opportunity to get up close and personal with Leonardo Da Vinci’s Last Supper—one of the world’s most celebrated artworks.





Wednesday 2 Oct cont. After our tour we will enjoy lunch. This afternoon is at leisure is to continue exploring Milan on your own. You may like to visit La Scala, opened in 1778, it's quite possibly the most prestigious opera house on Earth. Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II is also a great option for spectacular shopping and must be experienced!



This evening we have a gorgeous treat planned for you! A very special dinner at our magnificent hotel, Chateau Monfort. This is a beautiful opportunity for us to stop and celebrate all we have seen on this magnificent tour, the precious friendships forged and all the beautiful moments we still have to come!





Thursday 3 October

This morning after breakfast we travel by private transfer from Milan to the majestic Lake Como (approx 90 minutes).

Stay 3 nights in the beautiful pearl of Lake Como - BELLAGIO

HOTEL FLORENCE,
Piazza Giuseppe Mazzini, 46 TEL (+39) 031 950 342

A delightful breakfast is included each day.



Your hotel is located right on the lake front, a lovely bar and wisteria covered café to sip and ponder.

7pm – This evening we will meet for a magnificent seafood dinner by the lake tonight at LA PUNTA.



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Friday 4 October

A GRAND SURPRISE awaits today! After breakfast meet at 11am at a designated location (to be disclosed this morning!)

After our surprise, a glorious treat – at 1.30pm we arrive for a late lunch at the exquisite GRAND HOTEL TREMEZZO.



This swoon worthy landmark piece of Italian history opened in 1910 in the height of La Belle Époque, and still radiates with the extravagance of old world glamour today.





Saturday 5 October

Today after breakfast we start at 10am with a guided walk of the elegant Villa Serbelonni Gardens. This beautiful villa was built in 1873 and these gardens and park-like grounds provide the most glorious sweeping views of Lake Como.



Saturday 5 Oct cont.

2pm – This afternoon we explore Lake Como's many enchanting villages by local ferry.

4pm – We visit the charming Villa Carlotta then walk to dinner at TRATTORIA BAITA BELVEDERE.





Sunday 6 October

This morning after breakfast we transfer to the train station and travel from Como to Venice for our glorious 3-night finale!

COMO SAN GIOVANNI TO MILANO CENTRALE

Rail Italia TR 25515

Departs 10:36am Arrives 11:17am

Premier Class

MILANO CENTRALE TO VENEZIA SANTA LUCIA

Frecia Rossa train FR 9723

Departs 11:45am Arrives 2:12pm

Premier Class



After arriving in Venice, we transfer to our beautiful hotel. Our final three wonderful days are to explore BELLA VENEZIA!

Stay 3 nights at the charming LIASSIDI PALACE HOTEL

Castello, Ponte Dei Greci 3405, Venezia,

TEL: +39 041 5205658





Sunday 6 Oct cont.

This afternoon is free to explore at your leisure.

VENICE IS UNIQUE AND UNFORGETTABLE. It is a city like no other. It is built on a group of 118 small islands, separated by canals and linked by over 400 bridges. It is a major seaport, a cultural hub, and a World Heritage Site.

5pm-8pm – this evening we meet our guide for our take the *Venice at Sunset with Grand Canal & Tower Climb*.



Monday 7 October

10am – This morning is at leisure to explore magnificent Venezia! If you would prefer to explore with a guide there is the wonderful *Venice in a Day Tour: Basilica San Marco, and Doge's Palace & Gondola Ride*. (6 hours 30 mins).





Tuesday 8 October

On your last day in magical Venezia, wander the streets and explore the canals before our farewell dinner. You have a full day to explore Venezia at your leisure!



7pm – Tonight we celebrate our spectacular tour and the beautiful friendships made with our very special Farewell Dinner 😊

Wednesday 9 October

Depart from Venice this afternoon for Brisbane. You have an option to visit Florence and Rome.

VENICE TO DUBAI

Emirates flight EK 136

Departs 3.35pm Arrives Dubai 11.20pm

Non-Stop 6 hours 15 mins

In transit Dubai...

Thursday 10 October

DUBAI TO BRISBANE

Emirates flight EK 430

Departs 2.30am Arrives 10.20pm

Non-Stop 13 hours 50 minutes

Arrive Brisbane 10.20pm

**END OF YOUR SPECTACULAR SOUTH OF FRANCE
AND BELLA ITALIA ADVENTURE 😊**



SPECTACULAR PARIS, SOUTH OF FRANCE AND BELLA ITALIA PRIVATE TOUR COSTS - 2024

As of 2 February 2024

COST PER PERSON INCLUDES :

AIR TRAVEL

Brisbane - Dubai – Paris / Venice – Dubai – Brisbane

Emirates Airways Economy Class Fare

Upgrade to Business Class Fare add \$10,600

- *Enquire if you wish to extend your journey.*

ACCOMMODATION – PARIS, MILAN, VENICE, LAKE COMO

- 5 nights 4* Hotel Des Grands Voyageurs, Paris
- 2 nights 5* Chateau Monfort with breakfast, Milan
- 3 nights 3* Hotel Florence Bellagio with breakfast, Lake Como
- 3 nights 4* Liassidi Palace Hotel with breakfast, Venice

TRANSFERS – PARIS, LYON, MILAN, LAKE COMO, VENICE

- Arrival Transfer CDG Paris Airport to Paris Hotel
- Transfer Paris Hotel to Gare de Lyon
- Transfer Lyon station to board Scenic Sapphire
- Transfer Lyon train to Milan Hotel
- Private Transfer Milan Hotel to Bellagio, Lake Como
- Transfer Bellagio Hotel to Como Train Station
- Transfer Venice Station to Hotel
- Transfer Venice Hotel to Airport
- All taxes

TOURS & SPECIAL DINING

- Welcome to Paris Celebration Dinner
- Eiffel Tower Tour, Summit Access, Seine River Cruise
- La Galerie Dior entry
- Louvre at closing time private tour



- Emily in Paris Tour with Vintage Citroen DS - 3 hours
- D'Orsay Museum & la Orangerie, Paris entry
- St Germain Secret Food Tour
- Milan Walking Tour & Last Supper Tour – Skip the Line access
- Fine Dining Dinner - Chateau Monfort, Milan
- Villa Serbellonni Guided Walk
- Dinner - La Punta, Bellagio
- Long Lunch - Grand Hotel Tremezzo, Lake Como
- Long Lunch - Trattoria Baita Belvedere
- Cicchetti & Wine Tour of Venice
- Venice at Sunset with Grand Canal and Tower Climb
- Farewell Dinner in Venice

RAIL TRAVEL *(Senior rate applicable to over 60 yrs less 15%)*

- First Class Train from Paris to Lyon
- First class Train from Lyon to Milan
- First class Train Como to Venice

YOUR SCENIC RIVER CRUISE
SPECTACULAR SOUTH OF FRANCE ON SCENIC SAPPHIRE

21 September – 1 October 2024

- Your all inclusive 10 day cruise Lyon to Lyon
- Scenic Sapphire Balcony Suite BA – Sapphire Deck 19 sqm
- With a 4400 Early Bird reduction
- 28 included Scenic Free Choice Activities:
Highlights include:
 - An exclusive classical concert accompanied by dinner at the grandiose Popes' Palace in Avignon. Upon arrival, you will be ushered into the grandiose palace for an exclusive gala dinner and a concert by a trio of musicians.
 - An exclusive acapella choir performance at the ornately decorated Trinity Chapel in Lyon
 - Lavender Museum with visit to the village of Roussillon
 - Shopping with a chef and Scenic Culinaire at Avignon Market



- Visiting a local olive farm in Arles where you will learn the techniques of olive oil production.
- Exploring caves at Ardèche Nature Park with Caverne du Pont-d'Arc Museum
- Silk painting workshop in Lyon
- 29 meals – 10 breakfasts (B), 9 lunches (L) and 10 dinners (D)
- Butler service for every suite
- Innovative Salt Therapy Lounge and fitness area
- Complimentary premium beverages all day, every day* – not just at meal times
- Complimentary full mini-bar restocked daily
- 90 Day Scenic Flexible Booking Plan
- All tipping and gratuities on board and on shore

If you wish to upgrade your cabin to :

- *Scenic Sapphire Balcony Suite BB – Sapphire Deck 19 sqm add \$320*
- *Scenic Sapphire Balcony Suite B – Sapphire Deck 19 sqm add \$330*
- *Scenic Sapphire Balcony Suite A – Diamond Deck 19 sqm add \$320*
- *Scenic Sapphire Balcony Suite PA – Diamond Deck 19 sqm add \$320*

TOTAL TRIP COST PER PERSON TWIN SHARE

\$ 23,352

ADD FOR SINGLE ROOM (Paris, Milan, Lake Como, Venice) \$4,070

ADD FOR SINGLE ROOM (Scenic Cruise Cabin) \$9,755

ADD FOR MOULIN ROUGE - DINNER AND SHOW \$450

ADD FOR SCENIC CRUISE CABIN UPGRADE \$....

ADD FOR TRAVEL INSURANCE

YOUR TOTAL JOURNEY



PAYMENT PLAN

HOLDING DEPOSIT	500
CRUISE DEPOSIT & AIRFARE DUE ON CONFIRMATION	7,000
PAYMENT DUE BY 1 MAY 2024	5,000
PAYMENT DUE BY 1 JULY 2024	4,000
BALANCE DUE 1 AUGUST 2024	6,852

PRICES BASED ON A GROUP OF 10 TRAVELLERS

TOUR PRICE EXCLUSIONS:

- Meals and Drinks not listed above
- Any Local Guides or Entrance Fees not listed above
- Any Trains and Transfers not listed above
- Personal Expenses
- Porterage and Tips

Travel Insurance – essential for all travellers

** Subject to pre-existing medical conditions and specific age.*

For traveller aged 50 years	
with \$25,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	512
with 40,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	667
For traveller aged 60 years	
with \$25,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	628
with 40,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	850
For traveller aged 70 years	
with \$25,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	1133
with 40,000 cancellation cover 20% off discount	1494



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TRAVEL INSURANCE

We recommend that all passengers insure themselves against loss of travel and accommodation expenses that may be incurred due to involuntary cancellation and against injury, medical and hospital expenses.

A quote has been included if cover is required.

IDENTIFICATION

All travellers must hold a PASSPORT valid for at least 6 months for travel to France. We will require a copy of your Passports at the time of booking.

CONDITIONS OF QUOTATION

All quotes and prices given to you and any travel arrangements set forth in the booking requests are:

- a) Subject to confirmation by the Operator and
- b) Subject to the terms set forth in any brochure supplied by the operator.
- c) Subject to availability
- d) Prices subject to change until paid in full.

FORM OF PAYMENT / CREDIT CARDS

Once you have paid your deposit and a booking is made, we will let you know when final payment is due. Please note all deposits are non – refundable.

Payment by Credit Card will incur a processing fee of 1.3% for Visa/Mastercard and 1.6% for Amex.

Pay at our secure link pay.travelpay.com.au/nbtvl

Payment by bank deposit Nicole Beasley Travel Pty Ltd

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CANCELLATION/ AMENDMENT FEES

Please note generally all deposits are non-refundable and cancellation fees of up to 100% of your pre-payment may apply. We do recommend availing your Travel Insurance at the time of a substantial deposit or concurrent with your major payments.



Amendment fees of a **minimum** \$150 apply to bookings once confirmed to you.

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