



Papal Palace in Avignon, France

# Provence

FEATURING ART, CUISINE & WINE | 9 DAYS | 8 NIGHTS

## ITINERARY

<b>Day 1</b>	Depart home city	<b>Day 6</b>	Lyon
<b>Day 2</b>	Marseille, France for Arles/Embark <b>Viva Voyage</b>	<b>Day 7</b>	Chalon-sur-Saône/Beaune
<b>Day 3</b>	Arles/Avignon	<b>Day 8</b>	Macon/Cortevaix
<b>Day 4</b>	Avignon/Pont du Gard/Châteauneuf-du-Pape	<b>Day 9</b>	Lyon/Disembark boat/Return to home city
<b>Day 5</b>	Viviers for Orange		

Note: Itinerary is subject to change.



## EXCLUSIVELY YOURS

- Exclusive journey** cruising France's storied Rhône and Saône Rivers during autumn, the height of the harvest season.
- Created in our tradition of **innovative programming and educational travel**.
- Access to ports unavailable to larger vessels and **included excursions throughout your program**.
- Specially arranged** excursion to the Hôtel-Dieu in Beaune, with a viewing of Rogier van der Weyden's painting, "The Last Judgment."
- Five UNESCO World Heritage sites:** Roman and Romanesque Monuments, Arles; Historic Centre of Avignon: Papal Palace, Avignon; Pont du Gard (Roman Aqueduct), Occitane; the Roman Theatre and its Surroundings and the "Triumphal Arch" of Orange, Rhône; and the Historic Site of Lyon, Lyon.
- Aix-en-Provence Pre-Tour Extension.

## 2025 DEPARTURES, PRICING & SAVINGS

**September 6 to 14 | Program Begins: September 7**

Standard Rate from \$5,644

Early Booking Savings \$1,000

**Early Booking Rate from \$4,644\***

Rates are per person, based on double occupancy, including taxes. For single pricing and availability please call for details.

Port taxes in the amount of \$149 per person are included in the above prices.

\*Valid when you pay in full at time of booking and book by 12/7/24.



## PROGRAM FEATURES

### Your Travel Program

- Seven-night cruise from Arles, France to Lyon.
- Well-appointed, first-class cabin or suite; some with French balconies.
- All transfers during the Land and Cruise Program: boat and deluxe motor coaches.
- Captain's Welcome and Farewell Receptions.
- All beverages — liquor, wine, beer and nonalcoholic drinks — throughout the cruise.
- All meals aboard ship | 2 receptions, 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 7 dinners.
- Complimentary Wi-Fi access (conditions permitting).
- In Arles, visit the colossal Roman Arles Amphitheatre and the pilgrimage site of the Cathédrale Saint-Trophime. Pass by Le Café La Nuit, which inspired Vincent van Gogh's "Café Terrace at Night."
- Visit the famous wine-making village, Châteauneuf-du-Pape.
- Immerse yourself in charming Arles, Avignon and Orange on guided walking tours.
- Panoramic city tour of Lyon, featuring breathtaking views from the top of Fourvière Hill, and a stroll through the fascinating *traboules*, narrow hidden passageways.
- At the Hospices de Beaune, see the polyptych altarpiece painting, "The Last Judgment," by Rogier van der Weyden. Then tour the 12th-century medieval fortress and lush vineyards of Château de Rully, guided by owner Count Raoul de Ternay. Afterwards, savor a wine tasting in the château's wine cellar or medieval kitchen.
- Tour the Cluny Abbey, a Romanesque Benedictine monastery that was the center of the European monastic empire between the 10th and 12th centuries.

- Travel to beautiful Beaujolais for a guided visit to Château Montmelas, nestled in the heart of an idyllic vineyard. Enjoy a private pianoforte concert. Then, relish a wine tasting with canapés of local cheese and sausages.
- Time at leisure in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, Lyon and Beaune.

### UNESCO

World Heritage sites:

- Roman and Romanesque Monuments, including the Arles Amphitheatre, built in A.D. 90 and the Romanesque Saint-Trophime church.
- Historic Centre of Avignon: Papal Palace, the largest Gothic palace in Europe, with priceless frescoes and restored gardens.
- Pont du Gard, a 2,000 year-old Roman aqueduct.
- Roman city of Orange with a stop at the Roman Triumphal Arch and an inside visit to the ancient Roman theater.
- Historic Site of Lyon, the captivating city located at the confluence of the Rhône and Saône rivers.

### Always Included

- Transfers and luggage handling abroad for passengers who book their air through Gohagan & Company.
- Experienced, English-speaking local guides for included excursions.
- Gratuities to local guides and drivers on included excursions and transfers.
- Complimentary bottled water in your room and on excursions.
- Hospitality desk.
- Experienced Gohagan & Company Travel Directors at your service.
- Complimentary audio headset during guided excursions.
- Automatic \$250,000 flight insurance policy for each participant ticketed on flights by Gohagan & Company.



**Viva Voyage**  
Exclusively Chartered, River Boat

## PRE-TOUR EXTENSION



**Aix-en-Provence, France | 4 days, 3 nights**  
September 4 to 7, 2025 | Program Begins: September 5



Lyon, France

All Program Features are contingent upon final brochure pricing. 2025

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