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OCTOBER 22-30, 2027

with optional
Lyon Pre-Tour and
Côte d'Azur Post-Tour

FLAVORS OF PROVENCE

BY LUXURY RIVER SHIP



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Dear National Trust Traveler,

Set sail along the tranquil waters of the Rhône for seven captivating nights aboard the innovative *Emerald Liberté*, navigating through the heart of southern France. Along the way discover the region's rich history and cultural heritage as you explore vibrant cities, charming villages and celebrated wine regions.

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Sincerely,

Meg Annacone Poretz
Director
National Trust Tours

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September 24 - October 2, 2027

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Flavors of Provence by Luxury River Ship | Itinerary Highlights *(subject to change)*

Day 1 EN ROUTE FROM U.S. Full travel day from U.S. ✈

Day 2 ARRIVE IN LYON, FRANCE – EMBARKATION (R,D)
Upon arrival an Orbridge representative will be waiting to assist with your transfer to the river ship. Take time to unpack and become familiar with your accommodations. This evening gather with fellow travel companions for a welcome reception and dinner.

Day 3 LYON (B,L,D) Become acquainted with this beautiful city during an immersive guided tour. Descend into the heart of Vieux Lyon (Old Lyon), a UNESCO World Heritage Site, with its well-preserved Renaissance buildings and *traboules*—hidden passageways linking buildings by vaulted corridors and courtyards. A gentle ascent to Fourvière Hill provides breathtaking panoramic views of Lyon and the convergence of the Rhône and Saône rivers. Continue to Les Halles de Lyon Paul Bocuse, a Mecca of culinary excellence. After lunch at a cozy bistro, travel into the Beaujolais countryside for a winery tour and tasting.

Day 4 MÂCON (B,L,D) Explore the Royal Monastery of Brou at Bourg-en-Bresse. Built between 1506 and 1532 by Margaret of Austria in honor of her husband, Philibert the Fair, Duke of Savoy, the church is a flamboyant Gothic masterpiece. Stained-glass windows, restored varnished roof tiles and a rich selection of tombs, statues and sculptures make the monastery an exceptional museum showcasing 16th-century Flemish art and design. Stroll through the exhibition rooms, refectory and cloisters. This afternoon embrace leisure time on board.

Day 5 TOURNON-SUR-RHÔNE (B,L,D) After a leisurely morning and afternoon on board, set off on a guided walking tour of Tournon-sur-Rhône. This storybook village is known for its terraced vineyards, grandiose architecture and pedestrian-friendly old town. Continue to La Cité du Chocolat Valrhona, a chocolate producer dedicated to ecological awareness, sustainability and responsible manufacturing. Their innovative facility offers guests an immersive sensory experience through virtual chocolate plantation visits, tastings, and hands-on workshops and activities.



Day 6 VIVIERS • GRIGNAN (B,L,D) Disembark for a scenic drive to a truffle farm near Grignan. During a tour learn about the canines specially bred to sniff out these black and white delicacies, and watch a demonstration of the seeking and retrieval methods. Conclude the visit with a truffle oil tasting. This afternoon enjoy an enlightening experience at the Lavender House estate and museum. Enjoy a guided tour through lavender fields aboard the Little Lavender Train and see a demonstration of lavender oil distillation.

Day 7 AVIGNON (B,L,D) Join a guide for a panoramic walking tour through Avignon including an inside visit to the lavish Palais des Papes (Palace of the Popes). Afterward see the ruinns of Pont d'Avignon, the Petit Palais art museum and Avignon Cathedral with its ramparts and gardens. This afternoon features an optional excursion *(additional fee applies)* to visit Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a winery tour and tasting. Alternatively explore Avignon independently or relax on board the ship.

Day 8 AVIGNON • ARLES (B,L,D) During a guided panoramic walking tour see Arles' famous monuments including the Roman arena and theater, and the Romanesque Church of Saint-Trophime. Later tour an artisanal olive oil mill. This evening gather together for a special Captain's Gala Dinner to commemorate your time exploring this beautiful region.

Day 9 LYON – DISEMBARKATION | DEPART FOR U.S. (B) After breakfast guests departing during the suggested times take a complimentary transfer to the airport for flights home.

(B = Breakfast, L = Lunch, D = Dinner, R = Reception)

What's Included

- 7 nights aboard the stylish and modern *Emerald Liberté*
- 7 breakfasts, 6 lunches and 7 dinners served with locally produced vintages plus a special welcome reception
- All lessons, private tours, tastings and unique small-group excursions noted in the 9-day itinerary
- Full guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director and expert local guides
- Private motor coach transportation
- Luggage porterage
- Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving and departing during the suggested times



Activity Level: Guests should be able to enjoy two hours or more of walking, be sure-footed on cobbled surfaces, and walk up and down stairs without assistance. Historic city centers are usually more accessible by foot than vehicle. Due to the structure of some buildings, facilities for those with mobility issues may be limited.





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Orbridge Standard of Excellence

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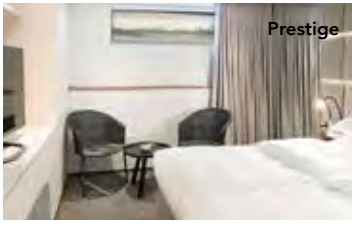
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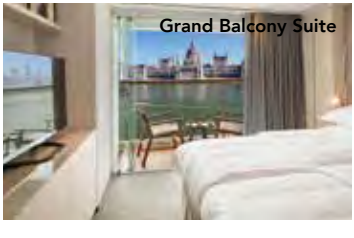
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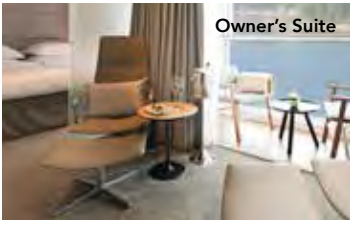

Superior


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Grand Balcony Suite


Owner's Suite

Superior Stateroom (153 sq.ft.)
Riviera Deck — View window

Prestige Stateroom (160-170 sq.ft.)
Riviera Deck — Picture window

Deluxe Balcony Suite (160-180 sq.ft.)
Vista Deck — Floor-to-ceiling window with open-air system

Panorama Balcony Suite (160-180 sq.ft.)
Horizon Deck — Floor-to-ceiling window with open-air system

Grand Balcony Suite (207-210 sq.ft.)
Horizon Deck — Private outdoor balcony with open-air system, pillow menu, optional in-room continental breakfast delivery

Owner's Suite (285-315 sq.ft.)
Horizon Deck — Private outdoor balcony with open-air system, separate living room and bedroom, walk-in wardrobe

Sun Deck



Horizon



Vista



Riviera







Optional Pre-Tour: Lyon

Day +1 **EN ROUTE FROM U.S.** Full travel day from U.S.

Day +2 **ARRIVE IN LYON, FRANCE** (D) Upon arrival an Orbridge representative will be waiting to assist with your transfer to the hotel. Take time to refresh before joining fellow travel companions for a welcome dinner.

Day +3 **VIENNE** (B,L) Join a local guide for a leisure walking tour of Vienne. Afterward discover the aromatic wines of the Côte-Rôtie during a wine pairing with lunch. This afternoon set out for a tour and tasting at a local producer of fruit jams. The remainder of the day and evening are at leisure to explore Lyon independently.

Day +4 **LYON • PÉROUGES • MAIN PROGRAM BEGINS** (B,L) Following breakfast set off to explore the beautifully preserved medieval village of Pérouges during a guided walking tour with lunch followed by a Galette de Pérouges tasting. This wonderfully sweet flat cake was created in 1912 by Marie-Louise Thibaut and has remained a town speciality ever since. Afterward join guests arriving at the port for the main program and embarkation.

What's Included

- 2 nights hotel accommodations at Hôtel Globe et Cecil (or similar)
- 2 breakfasts, 2 lunches and 1 dinner
- Guided panoramic touring of Vienne
- Winery tour and tasting
- Jam producer tour and tasting
- Luggage porterage
- Guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director
- Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guides, drivers, porters and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests arriving during the suggested times

Optional Post-Tour: Côte d'Azur

Day 9 **NICE** (L) After disembarkation set off on a guided panoramic city tour of Nice. Stroll through the picturesque streets of Old Nice, admire the sweeping panoramic views from Castle Hill, then break for a delightful lunch. The afternoon and evening are at leisure to discover this stunning seaside village independently. Perhaps wander through the Promenade du Paillon, soak up the sun from one of Nice's inviting beaches or visit the bustling flower and flea market.

Day 10 **ÈZE • MONACO** (B,D) Board a motor coach for a leisurely drive to Èze, stopping at the Moyenne Corniche for spectacular photography opportunities. Arriving at the medieval hilltop village of Èze, enjoy leisure time to wander the cobblestone streets and exotic gardens, peruse the colorful boutiques and visit one of the many restaurants for lunch. Later join a local guide for an insightful walking tour of Monaco and its fabulous district of Monte Carlo. Tonight gather for a marvelous dinner—a fitting finale to your time exploring this enchanting coastal paradise.

Day 11 **NICE • DEPART FOR U.S.** (B) After breakfast guests departing during the suggested times take the complimentary group transfer to the airport for flights home.

What's Included

- 2 nights hotel accommodations at Hôtel Masséna Nice (or similar)
- 2 breakfasts, 1 lunch and 1 dinner
- Guided panoramic touring of Nice, Monaco and Monte Carlo
- Transportation for included activities
- Luggage porterage
- Guiding services of an Orbridge Travel Director
- Gratuities to Orbridge Travel Director, local guide, driver, porters, hotel staff, and wait staff for included meals
- Airport transfers for guests departing during the suggested times













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Lyon Pre-Tour: October 20-23, 2027

Côte d'Azur Post-Tour: October 30 - November 1, 2027

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A Panorama Balcony Suite	~~$7,999~~	$7,495
Grand Balcony Suite	~~$9,399~~	$8,895
Owner's Suite	~~$10,299~~	$9,795
Single Superior State	~~$8,999~~	$8,495
Single C Deluxe Balc. Suite	~~$11,399~~	$10,895
Single B Deluxe Balc. Suite	~~$12,199~~	$11,695

Optional Excursion	Rate Per Person
Châteauneuf-du-Pape Wine Tasting	$115

Lyon Pre-Tour	Standard Rate	Special Rate*
Double	~~$2,199~~	$1,995
Single	~~$2,799~~	$2,595

Côte d'Azur Post-Tour	Standard Rate	Special Rate*
Double	~~$2,199~~	$1,995
Single	~~$2,799~~	$2,595

DEPOSIT AMOUNT PER PERSON

$500 pre-tour • $850 main tour • $500 post-tour

*Special group rates; limited offer. All rates are per person in U.S. dollars based on double occupancy except where noted as Single. Single availability limited. Unless noted otherwise, airfare is not included. **An exclusive Early Booking Bonus, Expedition Libraries are curated collections of useful resources and background reading tailored to this program. Place your deposit on or before the specified date, and one Expedition Library per room will be sent after receipt of final payment. Libraries may be purchased; call for details. Full Terms & Conditions at terms.orbridge.com. Any payment to Orbridge, LLC constitutes your acceptance of the terms and conditions set out therein, including but not limited to the cancellation and refund terms. CST#2098750-40 WST#602828994

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