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As we approach our nation's 250th birthday, we invite you to celebrate America by following the storied route of Lewis and Clark in the Pacific Northwest; cruising the mighty Mississippi while soaking in its southern riches; or retracing the footsteps of America's Founding Fathers in Paris. Yearning to go further afield? Choose to experience Florence or Barcelona in the quieter season, when the tourist traffic has retreated. Delight your palate in Tuscany, Dordogne, Spain, and the Piedmont with our immersive Flavors of Europe tours. A trek to the secluded Himalayan kingdom of Bhutan, cruises to the Seychelles and Madagascar, and an island exploration through the Azores are just a few of our new offerings.

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We can't wait to show you the world in 2026!

Sincerely,



Meg Annacone-Poretz, *Director, National Trust Tours*

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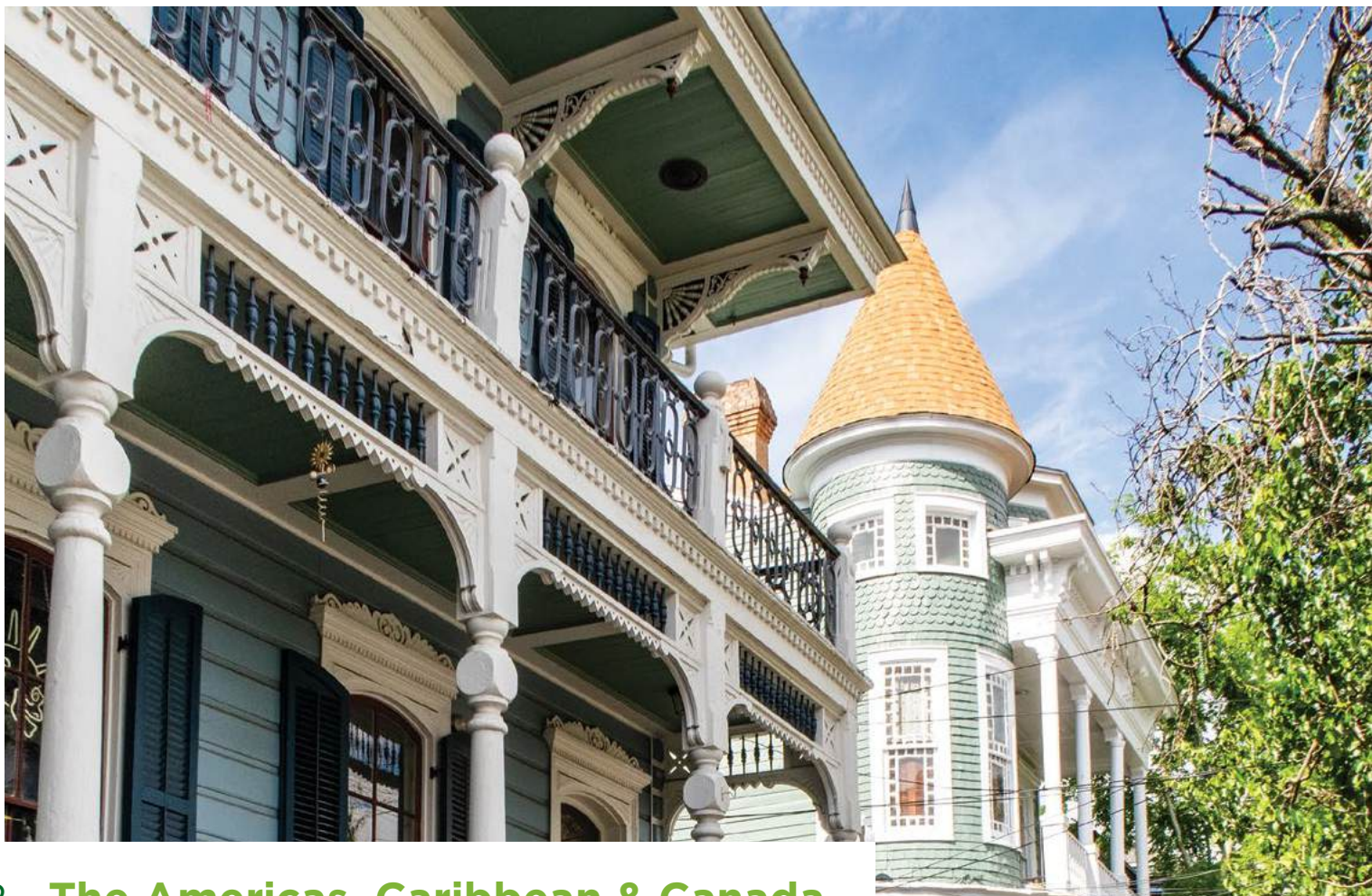
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Cuba & Its People: Havana

OCT. 24-31, 2025 & NOV. 13-20, 2026

Step into the heart of Cuba for a week of meaningful cultural exchange and unforgettable discovery. Stay in a boutique hotel in Havana's elegant Miramar district and explore UNESCO-listed Old Havana, ride in a classic 1950s convertible along the Malecón, and visit Ernest Hemingway's former home. Engage with artists, entrepreneurs, musicians, and dancers. Visit vibrant markets, artists' studios, and community programs. Explore the hidden gem of Matanzas, tour a French-style pharmacy museum, and enjoy a private choir performance. Expert talks and people-to-people encounters reveal the rich spirit, history, and resilience of the Cuban people.

AIR (FROM MIAMI)/LAND RATE: from \$4,795



Miami: Deco & Beyond

NOVEMBER 16-21, 2025

Spend five culture-filled days in sunny, one-of-a-kind Miami, exploring its stunning diversity of architecture. See the city's early 1900s roots at palatial Vizcaya and charming Coconut Grove; examine the boomtown Mediterranean Revival towers, theaters, and houses of the 1920s; enjoy Miami Beach's glorious 1930s Art Deco heritage; and observe the surge in dynamic new architecture by local firm Arquitectonica, Renzo Piano, Cesar Pelli, and Zaha Hadid. Spend a morning in vibrant Little Havana and take a private architecture-focused cruise on Biscayne Bay.

LAND RATE: from \$4,495

Private Houses & Gardens of Bermuda

DEC. 2-7, 2025 & DEC. 1-6, 2026

Take an exclusive holiday-season escape to experience Bermuda's refined beauty, rich heritage, elegant private homes, lush island gardens, and historic architecture. Walk the storied streets of St. George's, visit Carter House and Waterville, and tour grand estates adorned with centuries-old cedar furniture, fine porcelain, and rose gardens. Sail on a private cruise to enjoy the festive Bermuda National Trust Christmas Walkabout. Explore the Royal Naval Dockyard, the Commissioner's House, and the Masterworks Museum of Bermuda Art. Enjoy luncheons hosted by local homeowners and stay at a cliffside resort with panoramic ocean views on this tour favorite featuring study leader John Meffert.

LAND RATE: from \$4,295

The Wolves & Wildlife of Yellowstone

JANUARY 10-16, 2026

Yellowstone's winter magic is yours to discover on this unforgettable wildlife expedition from Jackson to Bozeman. Travel in custom-outfitted safari vans through snow-dusted Lamar Valley, home to bison, elk, eagles, and elusive wolves. Witness geothermal wonders at Mammoth Hot Springs and Old Faithful, and glide by sleigh through the National Elk Refuge. Naturalist guides enrich each moment with insights into Yellowstone's rewilding and the triumph of wolf conservation. Stay in well-appointed lodges, enjoy expert-led field talks, and scenic snowshoe treks. This intimate adventure blends wilderness, education, and awe in America's first—and most iconic—national park.

LAND RATE: from \$5,995

Baja California: Among the Great Whales—*National Geographic Venture*

JANUARY 17-24, 2026

The pristine waters and desert isles of Baja California beckon on this life-enriching expedition by small ship. Cruise the Sea of Cortez and Pacific lagoons in search of dolphins, sea lions, and up to six species of whales—including intimate encounters with gray whale mother-calf pairs in Bahía Magdalena. Snorkel with sea lions at Los Islotes, hike cactus-lined canyons, and kayak through mangrove estuaries. Visit Cabo Pulmo's coral reefs and Espíritu Santo's volcanic shores. Daily naturalist-led outings, expert photography instruction, and flexible itineraries offer an immersive and exhilarating experience in one of the world's richest marine ecosystems.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,986

The Luxurious Caribbean—*Sea Cloud Spirit*

FEBRUARY 1-9, 2026

Sail into the heart of the Caribbean aboard the magnificent, new *Sea Cloud Spirit*, where vibrant cultures, rich history, and stunning natural beauty await. Discover San Juan's colonial allure, stand atop St. Kitts' formidable Brimstone Hill Fortress, and lose yourself in Dominica's verdant rainforests and rushing waterfalls. Stroll through the French-Caribbean boulevards of Martinique and admire the dramatic Pitons of St. Lucia. In Grenada, inhale the fragrant spices of bustling markets before regarding Curaçao's candy-colored Dutch architecture. With expert-led excursions and unparalleled comfort, this journey offers an immersive escape into the soul of the Caribbean.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,495

Mexico City Featuring Zona Maco & Art Week Mexico City

FEBRUARY 2-8, 2026

Explore the lively metropolis of Mexico City with special access to Zona Maco, Latin America's premier art fair. Meet the artists and collectors before the event opens to the public. Venture to Frida Kahlo's birthplace and lifelong home, and explore the studio where Diego Rivera created some of his famous works. Take an after-hours tour of the Museo Nacional de Antropología, and marvel at UNESCO-listed murals at the Museo del Palacio de Bellas Artes. Meet with curators for guided tours of cutting-edge contemporary art museums and galleries such as the Museo Jumex and Museo Universitario Arte Contemporáneo.

LAND RATE: from \$9,999

Costa Rica & The Panama Canal—*National Geographic Quest*

FEB. 23-MAR. 2, 2026

A compelling exploration of Costa Rica's rainforests and a two-day transit of the legendary Panama Canal await on this small-ship expedition. Visit Corcovado National Park, home to scarlet macaws and four monkey species. Kayak through the Golfo Dulce, meet with local communities, and visit the Latin American Sea Turtle Association on the Osa Peninsula. Snorkel vibrant reefs in Coiba National Park, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and explore jungle trails near Gatún Lake and Barro Colorado Island. Enjoy expert-led Zodiac cruises, wildlife encounters, and exclusive access to one of the most biodiverse corners of the planet.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,162

Wonders of Peru Featuring *Delfin III*

FEB. 28-MAR. 11, 2026

From the vibrant streets of Lima to the misty peaks of Machu Picchu, uncover Peru's rich heritage. Admire the treasures of the Larco Museum, explore the Sacred Valley's Inca terraces and salt mines, and ride a scenic train to the fabled Lost City of the Incas. Wander Cusco's colonial cathedrals and ancient ruins before venturing into the Amazon Basin aboard *Delfin III*. Cruise through lush rainforests, glide along hidden tributaries, spot pink river dolphins and exotic wildlife, and visit a manatee rescue center, gaining a deeper appreciation for the Amazon's extraordinary biodiversity and indigenous cultures.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,195

A Mississippi River Voyage: Memphis to New Orleans—*American Splendor*

MARCH 3-11, 2026

Transit the mighty Mississippi aboard a classic-style paddle-wheeler evoking 19th-century riverboat charm. The journey commences with a keynote by Pulitzer Prize-winning author and Presidential Historian Doris Kearns Goodwin and features study leader John Meffert. A full day in New Orleans includes your choice of a tour through the Garden District, dotted with antebellum mansions, or the acclaimed National WWII Museum. Other highlights include Oak Alley and Laura Plantation, a stroll through the historic streets of Baton Rouge, and a guided swamp tour to encounter Bayou wildlife. Visit the stately homes of St. Francisville, Civil War sites in Vicksburg, and pre-war mansions like Longwood and Stanton Hall.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,990



Havana, Cuba

Colombia's River of Dreams: Cartagena to Barranquilla—*AmaMagdalena*

MARCH 13-21, 2026

Discover Colombia's diverse culture, from its music and dance to its unique wildlife, with the guidance of local experts and naturalists. Admire colonial churches and colorful architecture in the historic city of Cartagena, then set sail along Columbia's scenic Magdalena River aboard the brand-new *AmaMagdalena* riverboat. Tour the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Santa Cruz de Mompox and take an inside look at the gold filigree crafted by local artisans. Explore the Ciénaga de Pijiño wetlands and scan for birds, howler monkeys, and other wildlife. In Barranquilla, listen to Colombian music and delight in local cuisine at a Carnival-themed farewell dinner.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,999

Cuba: Art, Culture & History

MARCH 22-28, 2026

Experience the enigmatic island of Cuba through the lens of a local. Attend a lecture on Havana's architectural revolution, followed by a tour of the UNESCO-recognized historic center. Peruse local art at the Fábrica de Arte Cubano and enjoy an after-hours tour of the Ceramics Museum. Dine at family-run, *paladres* and take in a private dance performance. Meet with Cuban cultural leaders and attend a reception hosted by the president of a nonprofit supporting emerging Cuban artists. Enjoy a curator-led tour of Museo Nacional de Bellas Artes de La Habana and join farmers at a tobacco *hacienda* in the Viñales Valley.

LAND RATE: from \$5,499

Savannah, Beaufort & Jekyll Island: A Lowcountry Sojourn

MARCH 23-27, 2026

Georgia's Lowcountry charm, culture, and cuisine take center stage on this exploration of Savannah, Beaufort, and Jekyll Island, featuring study leader favorite John Meffert. Visit stately homes rich with art and antiques, view impressive museum collections, and dine in some of the finest restaurants in the Southeast. Architecture lovers will appreciate a rich diversity of styles, from Georgian mansions in Savannah to Gilded Age "cottages" on Jekyll Island. For art lovers, personal interaction with museum staff provides a unique view of the region's treasures. Home is the River Street Inn, with a perfect Savannah location in an 1817 building.

LAND RATE: from \$4,995

Columbia & Snake Rivers: Food, Wine & History: Six-Day—*National Geographic Sea Lion*

MAR. 29-APR. 3, 2026

Take in the dramatic landscapes and rich history of the Columbia and Snake Rivers aboard the intimate *National Geographic Sea Lion* on this six-day expedition. Cruise through some of the most scenic and geologically interesting stretches of the Columbia River, and kayak through the still waters of the Palouse River, beneath towering basalt cliffs. Tour Walla Walla's vineyards, dine at Seven Hills Winery, and visit the Whitman Mission. See Multnomah Falls, hike Beacon Rock, and cruise through eight monumental locks. Learn from geology and history experts and enjoy onboard wine tastings curated by *Food & Wine* magazine's executive wine editor.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$4,118

Chicago: Epicenter of American Architecture

MAY 24-28, 2026

Explore the architectural soul of Chicago on a four-night journey tracing the evolution of iconic American architecture. Cruise the Chicago River on an architectural boat tour and walk through the Loop to admire pioneering skyscrapers. Visit the Art Institute of Chicago, Frank Lloyd Wright's home and studio, and his revolutionary Unity Temple and Robie House. Step inside Mies van der Rohe's minimalist masterpiece, the Farnsworth House, and tour the influential Glessner House. From Prairie style to Modernist icons, discover the city's bold skyline, rich legacy, and the visionaries who shaped it.

LAND RATE: from \$3,695

Puget Sound & The San Juan Islands— American Spirit

JUNE 6-13, 2026

Embark on an eight-day voyage through the Pacific Northwest's serene waters, where the Cascade and Olympic Mountains frame a landscape rich in natural beauty and cultural heritage. Cruising round-trip from Seattle, explore Anacortes' coastal charm, witness orcas near Friday Harbor, and stroll through British Columbia's Butchart Gardens. Discover Port Angeles', gateway to Olympic National Park, the Victorian elegance of Port Townsend, and Poulsbo's Scandinavian flair. Onboard, enjoy spacious staterooms, regionally inspired cuisine, and enriching lectures. This itinerary offers myriad excursions from which to choose and the ability to set your own pace.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,150

Toronto to Vancouver by Rail

JUL. 14-20 & OCT. 1-7,* 2026

Gaze at the grandeur of Canada's vast landscapes in comfort and style aboard VIA Rail's *The Canadian* in Prestige Class. This seven-day journey features two nights in luxury Fairmont hotels and four nights in elegantly appointed staterooms with panoramic windows, gourmet cuisine, and personalized concierge service. Traverse five provinces, from scenic lakeshores and golden prairies to the snowcapped Rockies and Pacific Coast. Enjoy guided city tours in Toronto and Vancouver, enriching onboard lectures, wine tastings, and relaxed socializing. Optional pre- and post-tours to Niagara Falls and Victoria add even more unforgettable experiences to this coast-to-coast rail adventure.

LAND/RAIL RATE: from \$7,995

* OPERATES IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION

Polar Bears & Beluga Whales

JUL. 26-AUG. 1, 2026

Encounter the wonders of the Canadian Arctic on this unforgettable wildlife adventure. Begin in Winnipeg with a private welcome dinner at Assiniboine Park Zoo. In Churchill, stay at the charming Lazy Bear Lodge and embark on two Hudson Bay boat tours to witness thousands of playful beluga whales. Ride a custom Arctic Crawler™ across tundra in search of polar bears, arctic foxes, and snowy owls. Visit Prince of Wales Fort, enjoy dog mushing, explore the Itsanitaq Museum, and choose from optional kayaking or Beluga AquaGliding™. Expert guides and spectacular northern landscapes make this a truly rare and enriching journey.

LAND RATE: from \$7,995



Chicago, Illinois

The San Juan Islands: Whales & Wildlife in the Pacific Northwest

JUL. 27-AUG. 7, 2026

Travel through Washington's breathtaking San Juan Islands on this exploration of natural beauty, rich history, and coastal charm. Enjoy island-hopping adventures with opportunities to spot orcas, seals, and bald eagles. Visit historic sites like the Pig War settlement and Lime Kiln Point State Park, known for whale sightings from shore. Discover Moran State Park and savor sweeping views from Mount Constitution. Explore Deception Pass, stroll the art-filled streets of La Conner, and indulge in fresh Pacific Northwest cuisine. With waterfront stays, ferry crossings, nature walks, and engaging local guides, this journey captures the essence of the islands.

LAND RATE: from \$5,895



The Canadian, Vancouver, British Columbia

National Parks & Lodges of the Old West

AUGUST 14-22, 2026

Step into the majestic landscapes of the American West on this immersive journey through iconic national parks and historic lodges. Explore the dramatic spires of the Badlands, witness wildlife in Custer State Park, and take in Mount Rushmore and the Crazy Horse Memorial. Visit the world's largest mammoth site, trek through scenic Spearfish Canyon, and delve into the rich heritage of Cody. Spend two days amid Yellowstone's geothermal wonders and continue to the stunning vistas of Grand Teton National Park. Expert guides, charming lodges, and enriching commentary make this a soul-stirring exploration of the Old West's enduring beauty.

LAND RATE: from \$5,895

Alaska's Glaciers & The Inside Passage—*Star Seeker*

AUGUST 15-22, 2026

Venture into the wild beauty of Alaska's Inside Passage, where towering glaciers, remote villages, and abundant wildlife create indelible memories. En route from Juneau to Vancouver, witness the towering icebergs and cascading ice of Tracy Arm Fjord and explore the remote fishing village of Elfin Cove, nestled in the Tongass National Forest. In Sitka, admire indigenous totems and stroll forested trails in Sitka National Historical Park. Experience humpback whale watching near Point Adolphus and uncover ancient petroglyphs in Wrangell. Discover the rich traditions of the Tlingit people in Ketchikan and marvel at the dramatic Misty Fjords. While cruising through British Columbia's protected waterways, be on the lookout for sea lions, porpoises, and bald eagles.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,995

Canadian Rockies by Rail Featuring the *Rocky Mountaineer*

AUGUST 19-25, 2026

Witness the majesty of Western Canada's alpine landscapes on a luxurious seven-day ride on the renowned *Rocky Mountaineer* in GoldLeaf Service. Begin with a guided exploration of Vancouver, including Gastown and Granville Island. Then, travel in a bi-level glass-domed coach with panoramic views, gourmet dining, and an open-air viewing platform. Be awed by thundering waterfalls, mountain passes, and deep river canyons en route to Kamloops and Banff. Spend three nights in Banff, with visits to Lake Louise, Moraine Lake, and the Fairmont Rimrock Resort. A farewell dinner in Calgary and an optional Victoria pre-tour complete this fabulous rail experience.

LAND/RAIL RATE: from \$6,995

The Canadian Maritimes & Newfoundland—*National Geographic Explorer*

AUG. 24-SEP. 2, 2026

Circumnavigate Newfoundland, the islands of St.-Pierre—France's oldest remaining overseas territory—and Îles de la Madeleine. Sail through The Narrows of St. John's, Newfoundland, the isles of the Gulf of St. Lawrence, and Cape Breton Island, Nova Scotia. Highlights include two UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Gros Morne National Park and the 11th-century Viking village at L'Anse aux Meadows. Throughout the voyage, discover charming communities and fisheries ensconced in incredible natural beauty. A team of expert naturalists, a photographer, and an undersea specialist are with you throughout to expand your knowledge and provide valuable insight.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$10,077

Pittsburgh: Art & Architecture in the Steel City

SEPTEMBER 22–26, 2026

Discover Pittsburgh's dynamic blend of industrial heritage and artistic innovation on this five-day architectural and cultural journey. Explore the city's downtown landmarks, including Richardson's Allegheny County Courthouse, the Union Trust Building, and the Frick Building's luminous stained glass. Visit the Heinz Chapel, the soaring Cathedral of Learning, and the internationally inspired Nationality Rooms. Tour the Carnegie Museums, stroll Gilded Age estates at The Frick Pittsburgh, and ascend the Duquesne Incline for sweeping city views. A full-day excursion to the Laurel Highlands includes visits to Frank Lloyd Wright's Kentuck Knob and his iconic masterpiece, Fallingwater.

LAND RATE: from \$3,695

Southwest National Parks

SEP. 23–OCT. 1, 2026

Embark on a breathtaking discovery of the American Southwest's most iconic landscapes. Begin in Scottsdale, then travel to Sedona's red rocks and Grand Canyon National Park, where optional flightseeing excursions offer awe-inspiring aerial views. Cruise Lake Powell and explore the sculpted beauty of Antelope Canyon, Bryce Canyon's surreal hoodoos, and Zion's soaring sandstone cliffs. Guided by expert naturalists, gain rich insight into the region's geology, history, and native cultures. With well-located lodges, scenic drives, and immersive excursions throughout five national parks, gain a deep connection to the natural and cultural majesty of the Southwest.

LAND RATE: from \$4,495

Civil War Battlefields: The Road to Gettysburg

OCTOBER 4–8, 2026

Trace the turning points of the American Civil War on a profound five-day journey through pivotal battlegrounds. Begin in Gettysburg with a historian-led lecture and visit to the acclaimed Cyclorama and Gettysburg National Military Park. Walk the grounds of Harpers Ferry, a symbol of abolitionist resistance, and Antietam, site of the war's bloodiest day. Explore the Shriver House for insight into civilian life, and follow expert guides across Gettysburg Battlefield, from Little Round Top to Pickett's Charge. With in-depth tours, thought-provoking talks, and well-located accommodations, this experience brings the hallowed grounds of history to life.

LAND RATE: from \$2,695



Architecture, Art & Craft in Asheville

OCTOBER 5–9, 2026

Asheville is back! Celebrate its artistic spirit and architectural beauty during peak autumn color. Explore downtown's Art Deco landmarks, enjoy a curatorial tour at the Asheville Art Museum, and visit working studios at historic Groveswood Village. Discover the Gilded Age grandeur of the Biltmore Estate, including its vast gardens by Frederick Law Olmsted. Stroll Biltmore Village, see Cherokee and regional craft at the Folk Art Center, and enjoy a mountaintop sunrise hike. Tour notable churches like First Baptist, visit private historic homes, and dine at the famed Grove Park Inn—a perfect blend of culture, craftsmanship, and mountain majesty.

LAND RATE: from \$3,595

Hudson River Fall Foliage Cruise—*American Ranger*

OCTOBER 17–24, 2026

Peak autumn color surrounds you as you cruise through the Hudson River Valley aboard the intimate *American Ranger*. Depart from New York City, with its iconic skyline, call in Sleepy Hollow, famed for Washington Irving's legend, then tour the renowned United States Military Academy at West Point. Visit Hyde Park, home to FDR's legacy and admire the grandeur of the Vanderbilt Mansion. Discover the artistic legacy of Thomas Cole in Catskill and ride the Catskill Mountain Railroad. Conclude in the capital city of Albany and admire its ornate State Capitol.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,375



Polar Bears, Churchill, Manitoba



Gettysburg, Pennsylvania

Columbia & Snake Rivers: Food, Wine & History: Eight-Day—*National Geographic Sea Bird*

OCTOBER 17-24, 2026

The dramatic landscapes and rich history of the Columbia and Snake Rivers are yours to take in on this eight-day expedition. Jet boat into Hells Canyon, North America's deepest river gorge, and kayak through the still waters of the Palouse River, beneath towering basalt cliffs. Tour Walla Walla's vineyards, dine at Seven Hills Winery, and visit the Whitman Mission. See Multnomah Falls, hike Beacon Rock, and cruise through eight monumental locks. Learn from expert geologists and historians, enjoy onboard wine tastings selected by *Food & Wine* magazine's executive wine editor, and hear stories from a Nez Perce elder.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,643

Polar Bears of Churchill

OCTOBER 21-26, 2026

Witness polar bears in their natural habitat on this extraordinary expedition to Churchill, Manitoba. Begin with a private welcome dinner and presentation at Winnipeg's Assiniboine Park Zoo. In Churchill, stay at the hand-built Lazy Bear Lodge and journey across the tundra in a custom Arctic Crawler™ to spot polar bears, arctic foxes, and snowy owls. Visit the Itsanitatq Museum to explore Inuit culture and enjoy an exhilarating dog sled ride through the boreal landscape. With expert naturalist guides and immersive experiences, this unforgettable journey offers rare insight into the heart of the Canadian Arctic.

LAND RATE: from \$8,995

Patagonia & The Chilean Fjords—*Exploris One*

NOVEMBER 4-15, 2026

Venture to the edge of the world on an exceptional journey through Patagonia's untamed landscapes. Begin with a stay in Santiago, exploring the city and nearby vineyards. Cruise through the legendary Strait of Magellan, past the towering glaciers of Glacier Alley, and into the remote Chilean fjords. Visit Torres del Paine National Park, where dramatic peaks and turquoise lakes create an awe-inspiring panorama. Witness Magellanic penguins at Tucker Islets and stand at the windswept cliffs of Cape Horn. Zodiac excursions bring you closer to pristine fjords, while expert-led talks enrich your experience in this wild, unspoiled corner of the world.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,495

An Ode to New Orleans

NOVEMBER 15-19, 2026

Explore the vibrant neighborhoods, architectural gems, and cultural legacies that are the heart and soul of New Orleans. Wander through the lively French Quarter and iconic Jackson Square, visit the historic Faubourg Tremé, and learn about Creole's musical roots at Congo Square. Discover the Lower Ninth Ward Living Museum and its stories of resilience. Tour the grand Oak Alley Plantation, the 18th-century Pitot House, and the lush, formal gardens of Longue Vue House. Stroll through the sculpture-dotted park at the New Orleans Museum of Art and enjoy exclusive access to private homes in the Garden District and Irish Channel.

LAND RATE: from \$3,595



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Insider's Japan

OCT. 13-25, 2025 & OCT. 14-26, 2026

Delve into Japan's graceful blend of tradition and innovation on this comprehensive journey. Explore Tokyo's Imperial Palace District, Meiji Shrine, and vibrant neighborhoods. Admire Mt. Fuji and relax in Fuji-Hakone-Izu National Park with an overnight stay in a traditional *ryokan*. Wander Takayama's preserved Edo-period streets and engage in a hands-on cooking class. Discover Kanazawa's samurai district before heading to Kyoto for temple tours, a traditional tea ceremony, peaceful Zen gardens, and a visit to Japan's oldest geisha district. With scenic rail travel, guided cultural experiences, and visits to historic districts, this tour offers a rich, in-depth exploration of Japan's timeless heritage.

LAND RATE: \$6,695 (2025) *, \$7,195 (2026) *

* ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SELECT CITIES AVAILABLE



Traditional Fare, Japan

Christmastime in the Cotswolds & Chilterns

DEC. 6-13, 2025 & DEC. 5-12, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Celebrate the season in storybook style amid the glowing villages and countryside of the Cotswolds and Chilterns. Enjoy Windsor Castle, festively adorned, stroll Kew Gardens' dazzling light trail, and explore the delightful Christmas market in Bath. Be charmed by iconic Cotswold villages like Bibury, Bourton-on-the-Water, and Stow-on-the-Wold, then savor afternoon tea at stately Hartwell House. Tour the romantic halls of Blenheim Palace, the elegance of Waddesdon Manor, and the Tudor beauty of Grey's Court, all decked for the holidays. With festive meals, carolers, and magical moments at every turn, this is England's yuletide at its most enchanting.

LAND RATE: from \$5,000

A Traditional Yuletide in England*

DEC. 7-15, 2025 & DEC. 5-13, 2026

Embrace the spirit of the season on this elegant nine-day yuletide journey through London and Kent. Highlights include festive visits to regal Windsor Castle, dazzling Kew Gardens, and a private tour of Canterbury Cathedral, adorned with medieval stained glass. Discover the magic of Hever Castle, Chartwell, Ightham Mote, and Penshurst Place—each exquisitely decorated for the holidays. Relish afternoon tea, Christmas carols at the Royal Albert Hall, and a nostalgic ride aboard the Kent & Sussex Steam Train. Luxurious accommodations, fine dining, and captivating guest talks round out this enchanting holiday experience, steeped in history and seasonal splendor.

LAND RATE: from \$5,300

*LIMITED SPACE STILL AVAILABLE ON 12/6/2025 DEPARTURE

Iceland & The Northern Lights

FEB. 7-15 & OCT. 17-25, 2026

Discover Iceland's dramatic landscapes and celestial wonders on this expertly guided journey. Explore Reykjavík, the world's northernmost capital, and take in panoramic views from Perlan. Travel the famed Golden Circle to witness the powerful Gullfoss waterfall, Strokkur geyser, and Þingvellir National Park. In Akureyri, marvel at the lava formations of Dimmuborgir, the steaming vents of Námaskarð, and the striking Goðafoss waterfall. Stroll through the charming fishing village of Siglufjörður and visit its historic Herring Era Museum. Venture on thrilling excursions to witness the Northern Lights dancing across Iceland's winter sky for an unforgettable spectacle.

LAND RATE: from \$4,495

The Best of Southern Africa Featuring *Zambezi Queen*

FEB. 17-MAR. 3, 2026

Embark on a remarkable expedition through Southern Africa's diverse landscapes and rich history. Stroll through Cape Town's colorful districts, ride a cable car up Table Mountain, and ferry to historic Robben Island. Travel the scenic Cape Peninsula to Cape Point and the Cape of Good Hope. Set out on exhilarating game drives in a private reserve, encountering Africa's iconic wildlife. In Johannesburg, visit Soweto and explore Nelson Mandela's legacy. Marvel at thundering Victoria Falls, sail the Chobe River aboard the elegant *Zambezi Queen*, and spot elephants and other wildlife on immersive safaris in Chobe National Park.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$12,495



South African Safari

Florence in the Serene Season

FEB. 27-MAR. 7, 2026

Savor Tuscany during a quieter season on an enriching stay in Florence, the jewel of the Renaissance. Admire the Duomo, Michelangelo's *David*, and the Uffizi's masterpieces on guided visits. Journey to San Gimignano for a cooking demo and farm-fresh lunch, sip Sangiovese wines in Chianti, and visit Colle di Val d'Elsa and Siena, home to the stunning Cathedral of Santa Maria Assunta. Enjoy local cafés, markets, and gardens with ample free time. With expert talks, a central 19th-century villa hotel, and small-group camaraderie, this experience captures the true soul of Tuscany.

LAND RATE: from \$4,295



The Northern Lights, Finland

Finland: Arctic Magnificence

MARCH 5-13, 2026

Come to where the Northern Lights illuminate the Arctic sky—escape to Finland's enchanting winter wonderland. Stay in a glass-domed cabin in Lapland, offering prime aurora viewing. Ride a team of huskies across glistening *fjells* and meet a Sámi family at a traditional reindeer farm. Wander through Helsinki's striking mix of neoclassical and modern architecture before ferrying to Tallinn's medieval old town. Plunge into a steamy Finnish sauna ritual and embark on a moonlit snowshoe trek through snow-draped forests, where the silence is broken only by the crunch of fresh powder and the distant call of Arctic wildlife.

LAND RATE: from \$5,395

Barcelona in the Serene Season

MARCH 12-20, 2026

Experience Barcelona's timeless beauty during the *serene season*, a tranquil period in early spring when the city's vibrant energy unfolds without the bustling crowds. Discover Antoni Gaudí's architectural masterpieces, from the awe-inspiring La Sagrada Família to the whimsical Parc Güell. Meander the Gothic Quarter's labyrinth of cobblestone streets, explore El Born's lively atmosphere, and admire Picasso's early works. Behold the splendor of the Palau de la Música Catalana and the stunning Hospital de Sant Pau. Savor Catalan cuisine with a tantalizing *tapas* tour while embracing Barcelona's captivating spirit.

LAND RATE: from \$3,995



Ephesus, Turkey

New Zealand Adventure

APRIL 9-24, 2026

Span two spectacular islands on this small-group exploration of New Zealand's natural and cultural riches. Begin in Auckland with a city tour and harbor cruise before heading to Rotorua's bubbling geothermal wonders. Stroll Napier's Art Deco avenues, ride the scenic *TranzAlpine* train, and walk amid the Franz Josef Glacier's dramatic terrain. Cruise the serene waters of Doubtful Sound and soak in the alpine beauty of Queenstown. With visits to Christchurch and Wellington, immersive experiences, and superior accommodations throughout, this adventure blends unforgettable landscapes with authentic Kiwi charm and indigenous heritage.

LAND RATE: \$7,095 *

* ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SELECT CITIES AVAILABLE

Legendary Türkiye: From Istanbul to the Turquoise Coast

APRIL 10-24, 2026

Soak in the rich cultural tapestry of Türkiye on this all-encompassing discovery of ancient cities, coastal villages, and stunning landscapes. Explore Istanbul's Blue Mosque, Hagia Sophia, Topkapi Palace, and cruise the Bosphorus by private boat. Visit Gallipoli, Troy, Pergamum, and the Roman ruins of Ephesus. Wander Sirince village and sail the Turquoise Coast aboard a private yacht. Examine Lycian rock tombs, the Church of St. Nicholas, and the archaeological wonders of Phaselis and Perge. With deluxe and first-class accommodations, expert guidance, and immersive excursions, this small-group adventure offers a captivating blend of history, nature, and Mediterranean allure.

LAND RATE: \$4,795 *

* ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SELECT CITIES AVAILABLE

America's Founding Fathers in Paris

APRIL 14-21, 2026

Retrace the steps of our founders and celebrate the 250th anniversary of the Declaration of Independence with a historic journey through Paris. Visit 56 rue Jacob, site of the signing of the 1783 Treaty of Paris, officially ending the Revolutionary War. Gain exclusive after-hours entry to the King's Private Apartments at Versailles. Enjoy a guided tour of the Bibliothèque Municipale de Versailles, where Jefferson and Franklin negotiated French support critical to American independence. Admire 18th-century paintings from the Louvre's original collection on a specially arranged tour, then gather for a festive dinner in the former mansion belonging to the Marquis de Lafayette.

LAND RATE: from \$8,999

Swiss Alps & The Italian Lakes

APRIL 15-24, 2026

Experience the romance and grandeur of Switzerland and Italy's breathtaking alpine peaks, serene lakes, and historic cities. Reside in elegant lakeside and mountain accommodations while enjoying expert-led enrichment. Ride the iconic *Bernina Express*, marveling at glaciers and valleys, then cruise Lake Como to charming Bellagio. Discover the grandeur of Milan, including da Vinci's *The Last Supper*, and explore the breathtaking Borromean Islands. With an intimate group, travel through the stunning Maloja Pass, visit picturesque St. Moritz, stroll through Zuoz's cobbled streets, and bask in the culture and history of Europe's most scenic lake districts.

LAND RATE: from \$4,495

Write Around the Finest Homes of Cornwall, Devon & Dorset

APR. 18-MAY 1, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Step into the pages of Britain's literary and architectural heritage as you traverse through Cornwall, Devon, and Dorset, visiting the homes of beloved authors Jane Austen, Thomas Hardy, and Agatha Christie. Stay in historic manor houses and coastal hotels, explore grand estates such as Knightshayes and Lanhydrock, and stroll through exquisite gardens and rugged moorlands. Highlights include a helicopter flight to the Isles of Scilly's Treco Abbey Garden, afternoon tea at St Michael's Mount, a private visit to Roswarne House, and guided tours of Prideaux Place, Chawton House, and more.

LAND RATE: from \$8,700



Market, Florence, Italy

Umbria—The Green Heart of Italy

APRIL 21-29, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Uncover the timeless beauty and ageless charm of Umbria, where rolling vineyards, medieval villages, and artistic treasures await. Stay in the heart of Perugia at a deluxe hotel while discovering medieval hill towns, Renaissance art, and culinary delights. Stroll Orvieto's cobbled streets, explore Assisi's revered Basilica of St. Francis, and Todi's picturesque *piazza*. Sample local olive oils, savor handcrafted chocolates, and enjoy a hands-on Umbrian cooking experience. With expert guides, exclusive cultural experiences, and leisurely exploration in Tuscany and Gubbio, this thoughtfully curated adventure captures the essence of Italy's unspoiled countryside.

LAND RATE: from \$4,395

Greece: Athens & Kalamata

MAY 1-10, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Discover Greece's wonders on this enriching journey blending ancient history, coastal charm, and cultural immersion. Walk through the majestic Acropolis in Athens and admire the Parthenon's classical elegance. Explore Mycenae's Bronze Age ruins and savor Greek wines at a local vineyard. Delight in Kalamata's old-town ambience, taste its famous olives, and uncover the well-preserved ancient city of Messene. Witness the splendor of Mystras' Byzantine architecture and retrace the steps of Olympians in ancient Olympia. Complete your adventure with a festive Greek Night, brimming with joyful dancing, delectable cuisine, and lively music.

LAND RATE: from \$3,995

Village Life® Italian Lakes

MAY 2-10 & OCT. 17-25, 2026

Immerse yourself in the beauty and culture of northern Italy's legendary lakes. Stay for seven nights in the elegant Palace Hotel on Lake Como's waterfront, just steps from the city's marble-clad Duomo. Cruise Lake Maggiore to Isola Bella's baroque palace and terraced gardens, then explore Isola dei Pescatori's idyllic village. Visit Stresa, a jewel of the Italian lakes, and admire its Belle Époque architecture. Glide across Lake Como to Villa del Balbianello before strolling Bellagio's colorful lanes. Discover Milan's Gothic Duomo, La Scala museum, and the medieval Sforza Castle. Optional experiences include vineyard visits and culinary tours.

LAND RATE: from \$3,995

The Chelsea Flower Show & Kent

MAY 13-21, 2026

Celebrate springtime in full bloom on this exquisite jaunt through England's most iconic gardens. Enjoy exclusive Member's Day access to the RHS Chelsea Flower Show, a dazzling showcase of color and design. Wander through the elegant grounds of Sissinghurst, Kew Gardens, and Great Dixter, and savor guided tours of hidden gems like Hole Park and Lullingstone Castle's World Garden. Visit the historic Eltham Palace, stroll London's secret gardens, and unwind at luxurious countryside retreats. Afternoon teas, expert commentary, and stunning scenery make this a richly rewarding experience for garden lovers and Anglophiles alike.

LAND RATE: from \$5,550

Flavors of Tuscany

MAY 14–22, 2026

Delight in the richness of Tuscan life on this exploration of Italy's heartland, based at the luxurious Castello La Leccia amid Chianti's vineyards and olive groves. Discover UNESCO World Heritage gems Siena and Pienza, tour the hilltop towns of Cortona, San Gimignano, and Volterra, and stroll through the medieval village of Monteriggioni. Partake in hands-on cooking classes, including one at the historic Badia a Coltibuono winery. With expert guides, private tastings, farm-to-table meals, visits to organic farms and abbeys, and sweeping countryside views, this immersive journey captures the full flavor of Tuscany's culinary, cultural, and scenic treasures.

LAND RATE: from \$6,295

Flavors of Dordogne

MAY 22–30, 2026

Savor the essence of southwestern France on this culinary and cultural journey through the Dordogne and Lot Valleys. Stay at the exquisite Château de Mercuès, a medieval hilltop retreat surrounded by vineyards. Indulge in gourmet meals at Michelin-starred restaurants, sip acclaimed vintages at Château de Haute-Serre and Château de Cayx, and join a hands-on cooking class with a local chef. Explore ancient cave art at Pech Merle, the cliffside village of Rocamadour, the medieval stronghold of Beynac, and the charming towns of Sarlat and Saint-Cirq-Lapopie. This immersive experience delights the palate and enriches the soul.

LAND RATE: from \$6,795

France: Pleasures of Provence

MAY 26–JUN. 3, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Sample the magic of Provence on this alluring nine-day journey through southern France. Wander Aix-en-Provence's elegant Cours Mirabeau and tour Cézanne's inspiring atelier. Cruise the scenic Calanques of Marseille and explore the medieval Palais des Papes in Avignon. Marvel at the Roman engineering wonder of the Pont du Gard and sip renowned wines in Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Discover Arles' ancient amphitheater, discover enchanting Les Baux, and revel in the natural beauty of Saint-Rémy. Complete your experience with visits to Marseille's historic treasures and the charming villages of Lourmarin and Cucuron.

LAND RATE: from \$4,495

Spain: Andalucía in a Parador

MAY 28–JUN. 5, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Experience the timeless charm of Andalucía, arguably the most enchanting region in Spain. Discover the Moorish grandeur of the Alhambra's palaces and gardens in Granada, witness a passionate flamenco performance, and marvel at the stunning views of El Tajo Gorge in Ronda. Explore Sevilla's magnificent Alcázar and awe-inspiring Gothic cathedral, and wander through Córdoba's historic Jewish Quarter. Enjoy a countryside bodega lunch and savor local wines, visit prehistoric dolmens in Antequera, and delve into Spain's rich heritage with guided tours, cultural performances, and visits to four UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

LAND RATE: from \$2,995

Denmark: Copenhagen & Coastal Treasures

MAY 28–JUN. 7, 2026

The cultural and historical treasures of captivating Denmark are yours to discover on this 11-day exploration. Delight in Copenhagen's grandeur, highlighted by Amalienborg Palace and the lively Nyhavn canal. Explore Kronborg Castle, the setting of *Hamlet*, and marvel at the Viking Ship Museum in Roskilde. Visit the charming island of Ærø, with its preserved 18th-century town, and cruise through Denmark's serene Lake District aboard a paddle steamer. Experience Aarhus' cutting-edge art and vibrant history, and uncover the country's Viking roots at the Jelling monuments. This enriching journey includes three UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

LAND RATE: from \$5,995

A Tour Around the Treasure Houses of England

MAY 30–JUN. 11, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

England's most magnificent stately homes come to life on this exploration of heritage, architecture, and aristocratic tradition. Visit legendary estates including Highclere Castle, Chatsworth, Castle Howard, Blenheim Palace, and Burghley House, where opulent interiors and grand gardens tell stories of centuries past. Enjoy private tours, champagne teas, and elegant accommodations throughout, and look forward to exploring the artistic treasures of Waddesdon Manor, the Elizabethan charm of Hardwick Hall, and the rich legacy of Harewood House. With expert commentary and unforgettable settings, this refined journey offers an intoxicating glimpse into the splendor of Britain's most celebrated historic homes.

LAND RATE: from \$8,500

Flavors of Piedmont: Culture & Cuisine of the Alpine Foothills

JUNE 13-21, 2026

Immerse yourself in the gastronomic heart of northern Italy on this curated journey through the UNESCO-listed vineyard landscapes of Piedmont. Stay in a luxurious private villa and enjoy hands-on experiences including a truffle hunt with a local expert, cheese-making at a mountain farm, and a market-to-table cooking class in Canale. Savor regional cuisine paired with celebrated wines, and explore charming towns like Alba, Bra, and Turin. With scenic cycling excursions, vineyard tours, and immersive cultural encounters, this intimate, small-group experience offers an authentic and flavorful introduction to Italy's most deliciously undiscovered region.

LAND RATE: from \$5,895

Kenya Safari: The Big Five

JUNE 17-27, 2026

Venture deep into the heart of East Africa on this luxurious safari, showcasing Kenya's most renowned wildlife and landscapes. Enjoy up to 12 thrilling game drives in Samburu, Lake Nakuru, and the Maasai Mara National Reserve—home to the legendary Big Five. Visit the Sheldrick Wildlife Trust and Giraffe Centre in Nairobi, meet members of local Samburu and Maasai communities, and observe rhinos at Lake Nakuru's conservation sanctuary. Stay in stylish lodges and tented camps with sweeping views. Highlights include a scenic bush dinner, a farewell celebration under the stars, and the option to soar by hot air balloon on a sunrise safari.

LAND RATE: from \$7,995

Normandy: Honfleur & D-Day Reflections

JUNE 20-28, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Step back in time amid the poignant history and captivating beauty of Normandy. Walk along the hallowed D-Day beaches, honor the fallen at the Normandy American Cemetery, and explore the powerful exhibits at Le Mémorial de Caen. Experience the tidal wonder of Mont-Saint-Michel and admire the stunning Bayeux Tapestry. Stroll through charming Honfleur, with its vibrant harbor, and enjoy a wine tasting at a 10th-century château. Visit the post-war architectural marvels of Le Havre and delve into Impressionist treasures at Musée Malraux. This unforgettable journey includes two UNESCO World Heritage Sites.

LAND RATE: from \$3,795

Bulgaria & Romania Discovery

JUN. 25-JUL. 11, 2026

The rich heritage and stunning contrasts of the Balkans are on full display during this intimate journey through Bulgaria and Romania. In Bulgaria, explore Sofia, Plovdiv's Old Town, and the Black Sea resort of Varna. Visit UNESCO treasures including Rila Monastery, Nessebar, and the Madara Rock Horseman. Enjoy a Bulgarian cooking demonstration and a private organ concert. In Romania, discover Bucharest's Parliament Palace, the walled town of Sighisoara, medieval Brasov, and Transylvanian villages. Highlights include visits to Bran Castle, Peles Castle, and the Prejmer Fortified Church. With expert guides and immersive cultural experiences, this journey offers deep insight into two storied nations.

LAND RATE: \$5,195 *

** ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SELECT CITIES AVAILABLE*



Aristocrats & Manor Houses & A Grand Tour to the North

JULY 11-21, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Britain's aristocratic heritage unfolds across a landscape of stately homes, sweeping countryside, and cultural treasures. Tour Highclere Castle, the iconic *Downton Abbey* estate, and enjoy afternoon tea at elegant Chatsworth House. Explore Hardwick Hall's striking Elizabethan architecture and the exquisite Georgian interiors of Fairfax House before wandering the awe-inspiring ruins of Fountains Abbey and strolling through Studley Royal Water Garden. Discover Castle Howard's gilded dome, Alnwick Castle's famous film halls, Cragside's pioneering Victorian technology, and admire Chippendale treasures at Nostell Priory and Churchill's legacy at Blenheim Palace. Luxury hotels, expert commentary, and refined experiences enrich every day.

LAND RATE: from \$6,950

The Royal Palaces & Regal Places of England

AUGUST 1-12, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Trace the legacy of British royalty on this exclusive tour of England's most illustrious palaces, castles, and estates. Explore the grandeur of Buckingham Palace's State Rooms, the timeless majesty of Windsor Castle, and the intimate charm of Kensington Palace. Tour the serene Kew Gardens, the striking Art Deco interiors of Eltham Palace, and the Tudor splendor of Hampton Court. Enjoy private access to Highgrove Gardens, King Charles III's organic masterpiece, and Sandringham's royal retreat. Visit Belvoir Castle, Berkeley Castle, and the ancestral home of Princess Diana, Althorp. Afternoon teas, royal rituals, and lush gardens create a richly layered experience.

LAND RATE: from \$9,650



The Alps, Switzerland

Switzerland's Alpine Majesty

AUGUST 19-28, 2026

Switzerland's breathtaking beauty unfolds on this unforgettable journey through the Bernese Oberland and along the shores of Lake Geneva. Gaze upon the iconic peaks of Eiger, Mönch, and Jungfrau from the heights of Schilthorn. Explore medieval Gruyères, savor artisan cheese, and sample crisp wines in Lavaux's UNESCO-listed vineyards. Glide across Lake Geneva after exploring its cosmopolitan namesake city. Wander through Kandersteg's alpine paradise and gaze at the shimmering waters of Lake Oeschinen. Stroll along Annecy's enchanting canals, known as the "Venice of the Alps." Immersive cultural experiences and expert-led enrichment make this adventure truly captivating.

LAND RATE: from \$4,995

Journey to Southern Africa Featuring Rovos Rail

AUG. 23-SEPT. 7, 2026

Southern Africa's rich landscapes and vibrant cultures are revealed on this thrilling 16-day adventure through South Africa, Zimbabwe, and Botswana. Witness the breathtaking power of Victoria Falls, embark on exhilarating safaris at Kapama Private Game Reserve, and be awed by the abundant wildlife—keeping eyes peeled for the Big Five—in Chobe National Park. Explore Cape Town's captivating history, follow Nelson Mandela's footsteps on Robben Island, and indulge in the timeless luxury of *Rovos Rail*. Visit Soweto's inspiring youth programs and encounter diverse scenery, from lush winelands to the wild African bush. Enriching excursions, expert insights, and unforgettable moments await.

LAND/RAIL RATE: from \$9,295

Sicily in Depth

SEPTEMBER 3-14, 2026

Unveil layers of Sicily's rich heritage on this immersive, small-group journey. Explore Palermo's Arab-Norman architecture and savor its vibrant street food scene. Visit the Monreale Cathedral, stroll the medieval streets of Erice, and admire the salt pans of Trapani. Discover the ancient wonders of the Valley of the Temples and the mosaics of Villa Romana del Casale. Wander through Syracuse's Archaeological Park, sip local wines, and enjoy a farmhouse lunch near Mount Etna. Conclude with guided touring in coastal Taormina, breathtaking views of the Ionian Sea, and time to explore Catania's historic center.

LAND RATE: \$4,995 *

* ROUND-TRIP AIR FROM SELECT CITIES AVAILABLE

Around the World by Private Jet

SEPT. 13-OCT. 3, 2026

The adventure of a lifetime awaits on this 21-day global odyssey aboard a luxurious, 68-passenger private Boeing 767. Explore Stonehenge and Avebury's prehistoric wonders, tour the Grand Egyptian Museum, and stand before the Great Pyramids. Traverse Wadi Rum's desert landscapes en route to ancient Petra. In India, visit Old and New Delhi, marvel at the Taj Mahal, and explore Jaipur's Amber Fort. Watch sunrise at Angkor Wat, cruise Ha Long Bay, and wander Hanoi's Old Quarter. Conclude in Oman with Nizwa's souks and Muscat's Grand Mosque. With expert-led excursions, five-star hotels, and seamless private air travel, every moment inspires.

LAND/INTERNAL AIR RATES: from \$89,995

Italian Lakes & Swiss Alps by Luxury Train

SEPTEMBER 15-24, 2026

Revel in the scenic splendor of northern Italy and the Swiss Alps on this extraordinary journey featuring two of the world's most iconic railways. Ride the *Bernina Express*—Europe's highest railway—across the Alps, passing glaciers and alpine meadows en route to Switzerland's Engadin Valley. Then board the legendary *Glacier Express*, known as the "slowest express train in the world," for a breathtaking route through 91 tunnels and over 291 bridges. Highlights include Monte Baldo's summit, Trento's Renaissance heart, Alpine cheese-making, and the majestic Matterhorn via the Gornergrat Bahn. Enjoy premier hotels, fine dining, and immersive cultural experiences throughout.

LAND/RAIL RATES: from \$9,995

Apulia: Undiscovered Italy

SEPTEMBER 16-24, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Apulia's timeless beauty and rich heritage beckon on this captivating journey through Italy's enchanting southern region. Gaze upon Polignano a Mare's dramatic limestone cliffs and explore Bari's lively harbor. Wander through Matera's mystical Sassi cave dwellings and admire Alberobello's iconic *trulli* houses. Discover Lecce's baroque splendor and Ostuni's dazzling whitewashed charm. Sample wines at a family vineyard, taste artisanal olive oils, and indulge in authentic Apulian cuisine. Expert-led enrichment and immersive excursions offer an unforgettable glimpse into the vibrant traditions and cultural treasures of this undiscovered Italian gem.

LAND RATE: from \$3,795

Slovenia & Croatia: Adriatic Wonders

SEPT. 23-OCT. 2, 2026

Be captivated by the allure of Slovenia and Croatia, where breathtaking landscapes and stunning beauty come together in a journey of discovery. Drift across Lake Bled's pristine waters and admire its cliffside castle. Explore Ljubljana's Renaissance and baroque treasures before venturing to Postojna Cave and the medieval majesty of Predjama Castle. Witness Piran's Venetian-style elegance and uncover Roman history in Pula. Meander through Rovinj's colorful harbor and delight in Istria's truffle-rich hilltop villages of Motovun and Grožnjan. Sample sumptuous wines, truffles, and olive oils while expert-led excursions and immersive cultural encounters bring this enchanting region to life.

LAND RATE: from \$4,395

Flavors of the Spanish Coast

SEPT. 26 - OCT. 4, 2026

The intoxicating flavors, art, and landscapes of Catalonia surround you on this curated exploration of northeastern Spain. Stay in a luxurious 17th-century farmhouse in the medieval village of Madremanya. Explore Salvador Dalí's dreamlike world at his museum and Gala's Castle, wander Girona's medieval lanes, and discover the Greco-Roman ruins of Empúries. Enjoy tastings and dinners at Masia Serra and La Vinyeta wineries, experience a live fish auction in Palamós, and shop bustling local markets. With expert guides, vibrant seaside villages, and unforgettable culinary moments, this small-group adventure captures the soul and flavor of the Spanish coast.

LAND RATE: from \$4,995



Eternal Rome & Italy by Rail—*La Dolce Vita Orient Express*

OCTOBER 12-20, 2026

Step aboard the elegant *La Dolce Vita Orient Express* for a journey through Italy's most enchanting landscapes and timeless cities. Enjoy five luxurious nights in Rome, where you'll explore the Colosseum, Vatican City's Sistine Chapel, and lively *piazze*. Venture into the Alban Hills to visit medieval towns, including Castel Gandolfo, Grottaferrata, and Frascati for a private wine tasting. Travel in style to Matera, home to ancient Sassi cave dwellings, and Palena, nestled in Abruzzo's scenic mountains. With fine dining, exclusive excursions, and immersive cultural experiences, this adventure captures the essence of Italy's rich heritage.

LAND/RAIL RATE: from \$12,995



The Azores, Portugal



Sorrento, Italy

Kingdom of Bhutan

OCTOBER 16-27, 2026

A secluded Himalayan kingdom where tradition and spirituality shape daily life, discover Bhutan on this extraordinary journey. Begin in Bangkok before flying to Paro, then on to Thimphu's vibrant markets and revered monasteries. Journey through Dochula Pass for panoramic mountain views, then visit Punakha's majestic dzong and cross its iconic suspension bridge. In Paro, hike to the legendary Tiger's Nest Monastery, perched high on a cliffside. Experience Bhutanese culture firsthand with a cooking class and visits to the Folk Heritage and Textile Museums. This immersive new tour offers a rare glimpse into Bhutan's serene and timeless way of life.

LAND RATE: from \$7,995

The Azores: An Island Adventure

OCTOBER 19-30, 2026

Uncover the breathtaking beauty and heritage of Lisbon and the Azores on this unforgettable island escapade. Explore Lisbon's iconic landmarks, including Jerónimos Monastery and the Tower of Belém. Discover Terceira's colonial charm, marvel at Pico Island's lava-rock vineyards, and explore Faial's volcanic landscapes. Witness Sete Cidades' twin lakes and Furnas' steaming geothermal wonders on São Miguel. Experience the city of Ponta Delgada, take a scenic jeep excursion to Lagoa do Fogo, visit a family-run tea plantation, and enjoy a hands-on culinary demonstration. Thrilling whale-watching, local wine tastings, and folklore performances complete this remarkable journey.

LAND/INTERNAL AIR RATE: from \$5,295

The Charm of The Amalfi Coast

OCTOBER 21-29, 2026

Take in Italy's alluring Amalfi Coast, where stunning scenery and ancient history blend seamlessly. Stay in cliffside Vietri sul Mare, surrounded by terraced vineyards and the glistening Tyrrhenian Sea. Explore the ruins of Pompeii and Herculaneum, frozen in time by Mount Vesuvius. Marvel at the grandeur of Naples' Archaeological Museum and discover Paestum's ancient Greek temples. Meander through Sorrento's charming streets, cruise along the Amalfi Coast, and enjoy a farm visit with samplings of fresh olive oil and cheese. Expert lectures and guided excursions ensure a culturally enriching and unforgettable experience.

LAND RATE: from \$3,995



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Expedition to Antarctica—*Exploris One*

JANUARY 11-24, 2026

Embark on the ultimate adventure to Earth's last great wilderness on an expertly-guided expedition aboard *Exploris One*. Cross the legendary Drake Passage to reach the awe-inspiring Antarctic Peninsula, where sculpted icebergs and towering glaciers create an unforgettable landscape. Navigate the breathtaking Lemaire Channel, set foot on remote shores like Paradise Bay, and encounter vast penguin colonies, basking seals, and majestic whales. Daily Zodiac excursions bring you closer to this pristine, otherworldly realm, offering unrivaled access to its raw beauty and wildlife. A rare and exhilarating journey to the heart of the White Continent awaits!

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$10,495



Madagascar, Africa

Antarctica Direct: Fly the Drake Passage—*National Geographic Explorer*

FEB. 22-MAR. 1, 2026

Fly over the Drake Passage, straight to the wonders of the White Continent on this expedition aboard a polar ice-class ship—perfect for those who haven't been to Antarctica and are looking for a more time-efficient way to explore the Antarctic Peninsula. Kayak among towering icebergs, cruise in Zodiacs alongside penguins and leopard seals, and hike ashore near whale-rich channels and calving glaciers. Seek out volcanic beaches at Deception Island, marvel at the basalt columns of Edinburgh Hill, and observe penguin colonies on remote, ice-fringed coasts. Daily expert talks and photo instruction ensure deep connection with this vast, surreal wilderness.

LAND/INTERNAL AIR/CRUISE RATES: from \$12,002

Passage from the Seychelles to Madagascar—*Le Bougainville*

FEB. 24-MAR. 9, 2026

Cruise the stunning isles of the Seychelles and Madagascar aboard the elegant *Le Bougainville*. Hike through the lush jungles of Mahé's Morne Seychellois National Park, then wander Victoria's vibrant markets. In Praslin, explore the UNESCO-listed Vallée de Mai, a primeval forest teeming with rare coco de mer palms. Travel by ox cart through La Digue's tranquil lanes, where towering granite formations frame powder-white beaches. Snorkel in secluded lagoons, visit remote coral atolls, and witness Madagascar's unique wildlife. This immersive voyage blends adventure, relaxation, and discovery in one of the world's most breathtaking island paradises.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$11,995

Tahiti & French Polynesia—*Star Breeze*

MARCH 3-13, 2026

Glide through the sapphire waters of French Polynesia on a luxurious small-ship voyage aboard *Star Breeze*, where every suite boasts ocean views. Begin in Tahiti, delving into the island's cultural treasures at Arahurahu Marae and the tranquil Vaipahi Spring Garden. Cruise to Mo'orea's emerald peaks, explore Ra'iatea's untamed beauty, and visit a fragrant vanilla plantation on Taha'a. In Bora Bora, snorkel vibrant coral gardens and savor an exclusive *motu* feast. Discover Huahine's sacred sites and secluded beaches. Optional excursions include pearl diving, 4x4 adventures, and stingray encounters. Experience Polynesia's breathtaking landscapes, vibrant traditions, and idyllic lagoons.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,095



Flamenco Dancers, Seville, Spain

Wonders of the Galápagos Islands—*La Pinta*

MARCH 11-20, 2026

Venture into the unparalleled wonders of the Galápagos Islands, where nature unfolds in its purest form. Aboard the intimate *La Pinta*, navigate waters shaped by volcanic forces, landing on islands teeming with unique wildlife. Walk among blue-footed boobies, sunbathing marine iguanas, and ancient giant tortoises on Española, Floreana, and Santa Cruz. Snorkel alongside playful sea lions and gliding rays in crystal-clear waters. Explore Darwin's legacy at the Charles Darwin Research Station and marvel at Genovesa's soaring cliffs, alive with nesting seabirds. Each stop unveils a new ecosystem, promising an awe-inspiring and deeply immersive experience.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,495

Shores of Iberia: Portugal & Spain—*Sea Cloud II*

APRIL 13-22, 2026

Experience the timeless allure of sea travel aboard *Sea Cloud II*, a majestic three-masted yacht, as you explore the storied shores of Portugal and Spain. Begin with one night in Lisbon, discovering Sintra's royal palaces and Jerónimos Monastery before cruising to the Algarve's dramatic cliffs in Lagos. Enjoy a flamenco night in Seville, wander Cádiz's medieval lanes, and spy the Barbary macaques atop the Rock of Gibraltar. In Málaga, choose between the Picasso Museum or ancient Dolmens of Antequera, then finish in Granada with a private, after-hours tour of the Alhambra Palace. Cultural immersion, gourmet cuisine, and rich history await.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,990

Islands of the Azores: Basalt Peaks to Volcanic Vineyards—*National Geographic Orion*

APRIL 16-23, 2026

Sail the wild Atlantic aboard the intimate *National Geographic Orion*, exploring the remote volcanic isles of the Azores as spring is in full bloom. Begin on São Miguel, with time to stroll Furnas' bubbling hot springs and taste traditional *cozido* stew cooked underground. Visit Pico Island's lava-rock vineyards, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, and the historic whaling village of Lajes. Explore Faial's ash-covered Capelinhos volcano, São Jorge's scenic *fajãs* and cheese farms, Terceira's lava caves, and the beautifully preserved capital, Angra do Heroísmo. Hike to crater lakes, spot dolphins and seabirds, and sample Azorean wines while surrounded by Atlantic grandeur.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,204

Rivieras of France & Italy—*Wind Spirit*

APR. 21-30 & OCT. 21-30, 2026

Relax on this mesmerizing cruise along the sun-kissed coasts of France and Italy aboard the graceful, four-masted *Wind Spirit*. Stroll the medieval ramparts of Carcassonne, a storybook fortress of soaring turrets and ancient stone walls. Wander through Aix-en-Provence's charming squares, lined with fountains and lively cafés. Immerse yourself in the elegance of Nice's Old Town and the regal splendor of Monaco. In Italy, admire Genoa's opulent palaces, cruise past Cinque Terre's vibrant cliffside villages, and trace Napoleon's footsteps in Elba. End in Bonifacio, where dramatic limestone cliffs tower over the sapphire sea.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,695



Rabat, Morocco



Sea Cloud II

Crossroads of Cultures: Canary Islands, Morocco & Iberia— *Exploris One*

APR. 27–MAY 9, 2026

Embark on an intercontinental adventure from the Canary Islands and Morocco to Spain's palaces and Portugal's Age of Discovery landmarks. Drive through UNESCO-designated Teide National Park, then tour La Laguna's historic quarters in the volcanic backdrops of the Canary Islands. Discover Morocco's most intriguing cities, including Marrakech, Tangier, Casablanca, and Rabat. Enjoy a private tour

of fashion designer Yves Saint Laurent's private Marrakech retreat. Then, venture to Spain and witness the legacy of maritime empires in Cádiz, one of Europe's oldest continually inhabited cities. Or, visit Seville for an expert-led tour of the Alcázar, Europe's oldest royal palace still in use.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$9,999

Casablanca to Porto & Andalusia—*World Voyager*

MAY 4–13, 2026

Journey through a tapestry of cultures on an extraordinary passage from Morocco to Portugal. Stand in awe before Casablanca's majestic Hassan II Mosque and explore Rabat's storied imperial sites. In Tangier, lose yourself in the lively *souks* and uncover the myths of the Caves of Hercules. Cross into Spain to witness the splendor of Granada's Alhambra and Seville's Royal Alcázar. Gaze across two continents from Gibraltar's iconic Rock, then explore Portugal's sun-drenched Algarve, Lagos' seafaring heritage, and Setúbal's famed wine country.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,495

Sailing the French & Italian Rivas: Art, Architecture & Antiquity—*Sea Cloud II*

MAY 7–15, 2026

Indulge in the romance of the Mediterranean on a luxurious cruise through the French and Italian Rivas, blending glamorous ports, storied towns, and sun-swept scenery. Home is the elegant sailing yacht *Sea Cloud II* and each harbor offers a cinematic arrival. Begin in Cannes, explore Antibes' Picasso Museum and medieval lanes, enjoy the hilltop beauty of Saint-Paul-de-Vence, and Grasse's terraced gardens and perfume heritage. Explore Monaco's royal palace, stroll the cliffside villages of the Cinque Terre, and embark on personalized excursions to Florence, Lucca, or the regal Villa Reale di Marlia. Visit Napoleon's Elba retreat and toast your journey with regional wines.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,990

Nice, Monaco & Portofino—*Sea Cloud Spirit*

MAY 12–20, 2026

Savor the glamour of the French and Italian Rivas on this exceptional journey, blending land and sea. Stay in Nice, exploring its vibrant Old Town and coastal charm before venturing to artistic St. Paul de Vence or perfume capital Grasse. Embark on the exquisite *Sea Cloud Spirit*, a three-masted sailing yacht, for a luxurious four-night cruise. Discover San Remo's historic La Pigna, the picturesque harbor of Portofino, and Monte Carlo's dazzling opulence. A private boat cruise unveils the secluded beauty of San Fruttuoso and Camogli. Experience breathtaking coastal landscapes, world-class cuisine, and rich cultural heritage in true style.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,495

Celtic Lands—*Exploris One*

MAY 12–21, 2026

Dramatic landscapes and fabled history unfold before you as you journey through France, England, Wales, Ireland, and Scotland. Walk the historic beaches of Normandy, with expert insights from historian Dwight David Eisenhower II. Stroll through the lush Tresco Abbey Gardens in England's Isles of Scilly. In Wales, choose between exploring the medieval stronghold of Caernarfon Castle or the enchanting Bodnant Garden. Experience Dublin's rich heritage, from St. Patrick's Cathedral to the treasured Book of Kells. Cruise to Scotland's Inner Hebrides, visiting Iona Abbey and the colorful port of Tobermory before marveling at Eilean Donan Castle and the Isle of Skye.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,495

Japan by Sea: Land of the Rising Sun—*Heritage Adventurer*

MAY 12–23, 2026

Discover Japan's cultural treasures and coastal beauty on an eight-night cruise through the Inland Sea and the Sea of Japan aboard the 140-passenger *Heritage Adventurer*. Venture beyond major cosmopolitan cities to a fascinating variety of historic towns, artistic centers, and remote islands. Discover a Japan that few visitors see—from the bustle of Tokyo to the tranquil historic quarters of Kanazawa and the island worlds of Miyajima and Sado. Excursions highlight modern art and architecture as well as the ancient traditions of Japan, with visits to sacred temples and shrines, celebrated gardens and castles, and cultural performances.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,990

Cruise Italy: Tuscany, Cinque Terre & The Amalfi Coast—*World Traveller*

MAY 18–26, 2026

Be enthralled by Renaissance grandeur, medieval villages, and sun-drenched shores while sailing along Italy's spectacular coastline aboard the deluxe *World Traveller*. Discover Florence's artistic treasures or stroll through Lucca's charming streets. Explore the pastel-hued villages of Cinque Terre, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Wander the clifftop citadel of Bonifacio, Corsica, before experiencing the legendary Isle of Capri. Visit the haunting ruins of Pompeii, then cruise along the Amalfi Coast, where Positano and Ravello cascade toward the sea. Delve into World War II history at the Sicily-Rome American Cemetery with insights from historian Dwight David Eisenhower II.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,695

Circumnavigating the Emerald Isle—*Exploris One*

MAY 20–30, 2026

Embark on an eight-night cruise aboard *Exploris One* as she circumnavigates Ireland. Begin in Dublin, before journeying to Belfast, home to the state-of-the-art Titanic Museum and a vibrant historic city center. Wonder at the basalt columns of the Giant's Causeway and explore the walled city of Derry. Cruise past windswept islands to discover the early Christian fort of Dún Aonghasa, the serene gardens of Kylemore Abbey, and dramatic sites including the Cliffs of Moher and Skellig Michael. During a robust educational program, enjoy a choice of shore excursions at a leisurely pace with free time for independent exploration.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,990



European Coastal Cruise—*World Voyager*

MAY 23–JUN. 1, 2026

Uncover Europe's rich history, striking landscapes, and vibrant cultures aboard the *World Voyager* as you sail from Lisbon to London. Stroll through Porto's charming Ribeira district and savor its renowned port wine. Stand before the awe-inspiring Cathedral of Santiago de Compostela, a timeless pilgrimage site. Admire the bold architecture of Bilbao's Guggenheim Museum or delight in Basque culinary traditions. Witness Mont-Saint-Michel's ethereal beauty as it rises from the tides, then reflect on the past at Normandy's D-Day beaches with insights from Dwight David Eisenhower II. Arrive in London, enriched by an unforgettable coastal adventure.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,495

Cruise Sicily, Malta & The Amalfi Coast—*World Traveller*

MAY 25–JUN. 2, 2026

Lose yourself in romance and history on this unforgettable voyage through Sicily, Malta, and Italy's dazzling Amalfi Coast. Stroll Naples' storied streets and step back in time amid Pompeii's haunting ruins. Take in Capri's dramatic Faraglioni rock formations before gliding past Positano's pastel-hued cliffs. In Palermo, admire Monreale Cathedral's dazzling mosaics or the Palatine Chapel's regal splendor. Stand in Taormina's ancient Greek theater, gazing at Mount Etna's imposing peak. Explore the volcanic wonders of the Aeolian Islands before arriving in Valletta, where medieval treasures like St. John's Co-Cathedral and the Grand Master's Palace await discovery.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,495



Island Life® Greek Isles & Ephesus—*Wind Spirit*

MAY 27–JUN. 4 & OCT. 7–15, 2026

Step into a world of ancient legends and timeless beauty along the Aegean coast. Explore the sacred ruins of Delos, the fabled birthplace of Apollo, and stand before Ephesus' grand Library of Celsus. Visit Patmos' revered Cave of the Apocalypse and wander the medieval streets of Rhodes. Take in Santorini's breathtaking caldera views, uncover the hidden coves of Milos, and soak up the charm of Mykonos. Delight in a private tour of Akrotiri's prehistoric ruins and witness the artistry of Greek pottery in a local workshop. Savor authentic Greek cuisine, traditional music, and the rich heritage of these sun-drenched islands.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,995

Highlands, Islands & Fjords: Scotland to Norway—*Exploris One*

MAY 30–JUN. 9, 2026

During peak spring bloom, sail through the spectacular landscapes of northern Scotland and coastal Norway. Begin in Inverness, then explore the Orkney Islands, where Neolithic wonders like Skara Brae and the Ring of Brodgar await. Cross the North Sea to enter Norway's breathtaking Sognefjord and glide through the narrow, UNESCO-listed Nærøfjord. Visit Vik, home to the Hopperstad Stave Church, and witness the power of the Briksdal Glacier. Explore Ålesund's Art Nouveau charm, gaze at Torghatten's pierced mountain, and discover the Viking heritage of the Lofoten Islands. Optional museum visits, hikes, and local tastings round out this richly curated voyage.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,990

Dalmatian Coast & Italy—*World Traveller*

JUNE 11–20, 2026

Cruise from Dubrovnik to Venice on a scenic journey through the Dalmatian Coast and Italy's timeless seaside cities. Walk atop Dubrovnik's city walls and meander through Kotor's medieval alleyways. Uncover the ancient past in Bari before exploring the idyllic islands of Korčula and Hvar, where terracotta-roofed towns overlook sapphire waters. Stand amidst the ruins of Diocletian's Palace in Split and admire Pula's remarkably preserved amphitheater. In Rovinj, soak up Venetian charm along its scenic harbor, then gaze upon Ravenna's dazzling mosaics before arriving in Venice, where history and grandeur unfold along its fabled canals.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,495

The Greek Isles by Luxury Sailing Yacht—*Le Ponant*

JUNE 12–20, 2026

Uncover the timeless beauty of the Aegean aboard the exclusive *Le Ponant*, a deluxe sailing yacht limited to just 32 guests. Enjoy private beach landings, glass-bottom kayaking, snorkeling, and paddleboarding in secluded bays. In Tinos, set off on a guided walk along a rocky trail, stopping at the quaint village of Volax. Visit the Monastery of Taxiarches in Serifos, which served as a place of worship and spiritual retreat for centuries. Explore the upper and lower towns of Monemvasia, the uniquely preserved medieval village of the southern Peloponnese. This unforgettable journey offers unparalleled access to the rich traditions, natural beauty, and vibrant spirit of the Greek Isles.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$12,995

Scottish Highlands & Caledonian Canal— *Lord of the Glens*

JUN. 26–JUL. 7, 2026

Experience the wild beauty and tumultuous history of the Scottish Highlands on an intimate voyage aboard *Lord of the Glens*. Begin in Edinburgh, where cobbled streets lead to the city's UNESCO-listed Old and New Towns. Walk the battlefield of Culloden and explore the ancient Clava Cairns. Cruise the legendary Loch Ness, framed by misty hills and the ruins of Urquhart Castle. Navigate Neptune's Staircase, uncover the charms of Tobermory, and visit Iona's sacred abbey. Stand before the dramatic Eilean Donan Castle and ride the famed West Highland Railway to Glenfinnan for an unforgettable Highland adventure.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$9,195

Norwegian Splendor: Serenity Among the Fjords— *Le Champlain*

JUN. 27–JUL. 6, 2026

Sail Norway's majestic coastline aboard the intimate *Le Champlain* on an unforgettable 10-day voyage. Explore the fjord-side wonders of Olden, Ålesund, Måløy, Eidfjord, Stavanger, Arendal, and Fredrikstad, with guided hikes and cultural excursions revealing rich maritime heritage and Nordic charm. Cruise the serene Hardangerfjord and dramatic Lysefjord. With immersive shore tours, visits to quaint coastal villages, fjord cruises, scenic drives, and onboard enrichment by expert guides, this journey captures the soul-stirring beauty and traditions of Norway in luxurious style.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,695

Scandinavia & The Baltic Sea—*World Navigator*

JULY 9–19, 2026

Medieval charm, imperial grandeur, and Nordic heritage converge on this voyage through the heart of Scandinavia and the Baltic. Explore Tallinn's well-preserved Old Town, admire Helsinki's neoclassical landmarks, and discover Riga's striking Art Nouveau architecture. Wander the storied streets of Gdansk, Poland, and step into history at its famed shipyards. Experience the Viking legacy of Visby, Sweden, and cruise through Copenhagen's picturesque canals. Conclude in Oslo, Norway, after visiting the cultural hub of Gothenburg. This voyage offers a rare blend of history, architecture, and coastal beauty in one of Europe's most fascinating regions.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,495

Celestial Iceland: Natural Wonders & The Eclipse— *SH Vega*

AUGUST 8–15, 2026

Witness the awe-inspiring 2026 total solar eclipse from the path of totality aboard the luxurious *SH Vega* on an Icelandic expedition. Begin with a scenic tour of Reykjavík before setting sail to explore Ísafjörður, Flatey Island, Stykkishólmur, and the Snæfellsnes Peninsula. Visit the powerful Deildartunguhver hot spring, relax in the Krauma Geothermal Baths, and observe puffins and Arctic terns in their natural habitats. Learn about Iceland's maritime heritage through curated museum visits. With guided Zodiac excursions, onboard lectures, panoramic lounges, and refined dining, this voyage combines a rare celestial spectacle with Iceland's dramatic landscapes and cultural richness.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$9,495



Treasures of Ancient Greece: Circumnavigating the Peloponnese—*Emerald Azzurra*

SEPTEMBER 17–26, 2026

Cruise through the cradle of Western civilization aboard the elegant *Emerald Azzurra*, circling the Peloponnese Peninsula. Begin in Athens with a rooftop welcome featuring views of the mighty Acropolis. Explore five UNESCO World Heritage Sites: Mycenae, a citadel of Homeric legend; Epidaurus, with its perfectly preserved 4th-century theater; Mystras, a Byzantine city cascading down a mountain; Olympia, birthplace of the ancient Olympic Games; and Delphi, where the Oracle once shaped the fate of kings. Visit Diros Caves, navigate the Corinth Canal, and delight in vibrant port towns, expert-led excursions, and refined onboard luxury.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$10,990



Porto, Portugal

Singapore to Bali—*Heritage Adventurer*

SEPT. 25–OCT. 10, 2026

The diverse cultures, landscapes, and wildlife of Southeast Asia are on display on this extraordinary voyage across the Java Sea. In Borneo's Tanjung Puting National Park, glide along jungle rivers in search of orangutans and proboscis monkeys. Stand before the awe-inspiring Borobudur and Prambanan temple complexes in Java. Witness Sumbawa's exhilarating water buffalo races, then trek Komodo Island's rugged terrain to observe its legendary dragons. Conclude in Bali, exploring Denpasar's artistic heritage and watching a mesmerizing dance performance. This journey blends adventure, history, and natural beauty aboard an intimate, first-class expedition ship.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,995

Bordeaux to Lisbon: An Epicurean Journey—*Le Lapérouse*

OCTOBER 1–12, 2026

The art, heritage, and coastal splendor of Western Europe surround you on this luxury voyage aboard the intimate *Le Lapérouse*. Journey from Bordeaux to Lisbon with enriching stops in Rochefort, Saint-Jean-de-Luz, Bilbao, Gijón, A Coruña, Santiago de Compostela, Porto, and more. Highlights include a tour of the Guggenheim Museum, an Asturian cider tasting, a live fish auction, UNESCO World Heritage Sites including the Tower of Hercules, and guided strolls through Old Towns and lively markets. Enjoy exclusive wine tastings, cathedral visits, and cultural performances, all while savoring five-star dining, oceanview staterooms, and insightful commentary from expert guides.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$8,995

Croatia & Cruising the Dalmatian Coast—*MV Infinity*

OCTOBER 13–24, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Experience the sun-drenched magic of Croatia on this seamless blend of land and sea. Begin in elegant Zagreb before wandering the turquoise cascades of Plitvice Lakes National Park. Cruise aboard the intimate *MV Infinity* for seven nights, gliding to charming ports and hidden islets. Explore Roman ruins in Split, medieval treasures in Dubrovnik, and Šibenik's UNESCO-listed cathedral. Stroll Hvar's fragrant lavender fields, sip wine on Korčula, and taste fresh oysters on the Pelješac Peninsula. Visits to local farms, ancient towns, and vibrant markets offer rich cultural immersion. Expert-led excursions deepen your connection to Croatia's striking coastline.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,795

Cruise Spain, Portugal & Morocco—*World Traveller*

OCTOBER 16–25, 2026

Centuries of history, stunning landscapes, and vibrant cultures await on this captivating voyage from Barcelona to Lisbon. Discover Valencia's stunning Gothic silk exchange and the vibrant city center. Explore Granada's majestic Alhambra Palace and Generalife gardens. Stand atop Gibraltar's legendary Rock, home to the famous Barbary apes. In Tangier, wander the labyrinthine Kasbah, visit the Caves of Hercules, and admire the Cap Spartel lighthouse. Navigate the Guadalquivir River to Seville to see its awe-inspiring Royal Alcázar. Conclude in Portugal's Algarve, uncovering Lagos' dramatic coastal cliffs and historic walled town before disembarking in Lisbon.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,195



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Amsterdam, The Netherlands

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Legends of the Nile— *Sanctuary Nile Adventurer*

MARCH 11-22, 2026

Ancient wonders and modern luxury intertwine on this extraordinary Egyptian adventure. Stand before the Great Pyramid of Giza, gaze at the enigmatic Sphinx, and explore the necropolis of Saqqara. Wander through Cairo's vibrant bazaars, visit the Egyptian Museum, and uncover the city's Islamic and Coptic treasures. Cruise the Nile aboard the deluxe *Sanctuary Nile Adventurer*, stopping at the awe-inspiring temples of Karnak, Edfu, and Kom Ombo. Witness Abu Simbel's colossal statues and sail to the island temple of Philae. In Luxor, delve into the tombs of pharaohs before concluding in historic Aswan.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,995

Cambodia, Vietnam & The Mekong River— *Jayavarman*

JAN. 19-FEB. 2, 2026

This enriching journey through Cambodia and Vietnam immerses you in the vibrant cultures and breathtaking landscapes of the Mekong. Delve into the ancient grandeur of Angkor Wat, explore Phnom Penh's poignant history, and experience the charm of colonial Saigon. Cruise along the Mekong River, where traditional floating villages and bustling markets offer a glimpse into daily life. Visit the enchanting temples of Oudong, witness skilled artisans weaving silk by hand, and stroll through atmospheric streets lined with French colonial architecture, aromatic food stalls, and colorful pagodas. This journey unveils a captivating blend of history, tradition, and everyday life.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$7,495

Dutch Waterways—*Amadeus Queen*

APRIL 11-19, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Bask in the timeless beauty and rich heritage of the Netherlands and Belgium on this enchanting river cruise. Glide along Amsterdam's iconic canals, admiring its historic gabled houses, then marvel at the vivid floral displays of Keukenhof Gardens. In Enkhuizen, step back in time at the Zuiderzee Museum before discovering Hoorn's maritime legacy. Wander through Delft's charming streets, visit The Hague's Mauritshuis Museum, and savor Gouda's world-famous cheese. Conclude in Belgium with Antwerp's stunning cathedral, Bruges' medieval splendor, and Ghent's dramatic Gravensteen Castle—each stop revealing a new layer of European history, art, and culture.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$3,495

Cruise the Heart of Europe—*Amadeus Amara*

MAY 4-19, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Travel through the Netherlands, Germany, Austria, Slovakia, and Hungary on a journey where history, culture, and breathtaking scenery converge. Cruise the iconic Rhine, Main, and Danube rivers, passing the legendary Lorelei Rock and the lush Wachau Valley. Explore Amsterdam's charming canals, admire Cologne's magnificent Gothic cathedral, and savor local specialties in Miltenberg's romantic market square. Witness the grandeur of Vienna's imperial treasures, take in the glittering landmarks of Budapest on an evening cruise, and visit the awe-inspiring Melk Abbey. Enjoy personalized excursions, guided tours of 10 UNESCO World Heritage Sites, and enriching lectures that illuminate each destination's storied past.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$6,295

Romance of the Douro River—*Amalia Rodrigues*

MAY 15-26, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Get to know the magic of Portugal and Spain while journeying along the Douro River. In vibrant Lisbon, explore historic neighborhoods, admire the grandeur of Belém Tower, and visit the stunning Monastery of the Hieronymites. Stroll through medieval Óbidos and admire the University of Coimbra. Cruise through the breathtaking

Alto Douro Wine Region, visiting the grand Mateus Palace, discovering the charming alleys of Porto, and appreciating the baroque beauty of Lamego. Explore the elegant Spanish city of Salamanca, witness Guimarães' historic charm, and savor a port tasting at a traditional quinta. Delight in authentic cultural performances, a Fado dinner, and personalized excursions.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,295

Great European Journey: Geneva to Amsterdam—*Viva One*

MAY 16-27 & MAY 26-JUN 6, 2026*

Experience the beauty of Switzerland, Germany, France, and the Netherlands on a captivating journey from Montreux to Amsterdam. Sail aboard the exclusively chartered *Viva One*, a deluxe riverboat, through the breathtaking Upper Middle Rhine Valley, passing medieval castles and the legendary Lorelei Rock. Explore the half-timbered charm of Strasbourg's Petite France, tour Heidelberg's grand Renaissance castle, and admire Cologne's magnificent Gothic cathedral. Discover Montreux's musical heritage, cruise scenic Lake Geneva, and indulge in Swiss cheese and chocolate in Gruyères. Conclude with a private canal cruise in Amsterdam's UNESCO-listed historic district.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,495

**OPERATES IN OPPOSITE DIRECTION*



Danube River

Belgium & Holland: Bruges to Amsterdam—*Magnifique III*

MAY 17-26, 2026

Drift through Belgium and Holland's famous waterways on a journey rich in art and history. Explore both countries' medieval heritage and masterworks from the Dutch Golden Age. Begin with a night in the fairytale city of Bruges. Travel to magical towns and villages aboard *Magnifique III*, a 21-cabin, boutique riverboat, and step off to explore majestic cathedrals, picturesque gardens, and the region's iconic windmills. Enjoy curator-led viewings of works by Dutch and Flemish masters like van Gogh, Vermeer, Memling, Rembrandt, Bosch, and Bruegel, at some of the country's most acclaimed museums.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$9,999



Grand Seine River & Normandy Passage—*MS Renoir*

JUNE 20-28, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

History, art, and culture unite on this unforgettable nine-day voyage along the Seine River. Explore the opulent Palace of Versailles and its exquisite gardens. Visit Rouen's majestic cathedral and stroll through Honfleur's charming harbor. Pay tribute to the heroes of D-Day at Omaha Beach and Pointe du Hoc, and discover the powerful exhibits at the Caen Memorial Museum. Step into Monet's vibrant world at Giverny and cruise through the heart of Paris, taking in iconic landmarks. This enriching journey includes two UNESCO World Heritage Sites and expert-led excursions that bring the region's stories to life.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$4,795

Spectacular Seine River—*Viva Beyond*

SEPTEMBER 12-20, 2026

Delve into the heart of France on an unforgettable Seine River cruise, round-trip from Paris. Wander Monet's enchanting gardens in Giverny, explore Honfleur's picturesque harbor, and admire Rouen's soaring Gothic cathedral. Walk the hallowed D-Day beaches of Normandy with guest speaker Dwight David Eisenhower II. Discover the medieval charm of Les Andelys and its imposing Château Gaillard. Stroll through Vernon's cobbled streets, lined with half-timbered houses, and savor Normandy's world-famous cider and Camembert cheese. Conclude in Paris with a visit to the opulent Palace of Versailles and a scenic cruise past the city's iconic landmarks along the UNESCO-listed Seine.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$3,995

Grand Danube Passage: Prague to Sofia—*Amadeus Queen*

OCTOBER 2-16, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Be captivated by eight countries on this 14-night Danube River journey through the heart of Europe. Discover Prague's enchanting old town, Vienna's imperial grandeur, and explore Budapest's vibrant streets. Visit medieval Dürnstein, cycle along the scenic Wachau Valley, and sip wines in Austria's vineyards. Glide through the Iron Gate Gorge and witness the timeless beauty of Melk Abbey. Enjoy exclusive experiences, including a Viennese waltz performance and local culinary delights. Expert lectures and enriching excursions immerse you in the region's history, culture, and natural beauty.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,995

Bohemian Wonders: A River Cruise in the Czech Republic—*Elbe Princesse*

OCTOBER 7-16, 2026

Uncover the cultural wonders of Central Europe on this exploration of Prague and the Bohemian countryside. Begin with two nights in Prague, exploring the Old Town, Jewish Quarter, and majestic Prague Castle. Embark the elegant *Elbe Princesse*, gliding past riverside castles, baroque villages, and vine-covered hills. Visit Konopiště Castle, Franz Ferdinand's armory-filled residence, and the fairy-tale town of Český Krumlov. In Karlovy Vary, ride a cable car to panoramic views. Tour Nelahozeves Castle, admiring its extensive art collection, explore Litoměřice's medieval core, and appreciate Dresden's treasures—all with expert guides and enriching cultural encounters.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,295

Spain & Douro River Voyage—*Porto Mirante*

OCT. 26–NOV. 6, 2026

The rich heritage of Spain and Portugal unfolds on this exclusive journey through the Douro Valley. Begin in Madrid with a stay at the elegant Wellington Hotel & Spa and explore the world-renowned Prado Museum. In Salamanca, marvel at its UNESCO-listed old town before embarking on a seven-night cruise aboard *Porto Mirante*. Visit medieval Castelo Rodrigo, tour the baroque Mateus Palace, and admire the stunning azulejos of Pinhão. Discover Porto's historic center and São Bento Station's iconic tilework. Enjoy authentic culinary experiences, fine wines, and breathtaking river landscapes along this storied route.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$5,495

Europe's Historic Rivers: Main, Rhine & Moselle—*Amadeus Star*

OCT. 30–NOV. 9, 2026

Sail through the heart of Europe on a nine-night cruise aboard the elegant *Amadeus Star*, where storybook towns and historic treasures unfold along the Main, Rhine, and Moselle Rivers. Stroll Regensburg's Roman ruins and medieval lanes, sip brandy in Miltenberg's timber-framed charm, and explore the baroque grandeur of Würzburg Residenz. Admire hilltop Reichsburg Castle in Cochem, explore Trier's Roman Gate and Baths, and cruise through the vine-draped Middle Rhine Valley, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Enjoy Frühschoppen beer tastings, onboard lectures, walking tours, culinary samplings, and personalized excursion options tailored to your interests each day.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$4,295



Colmar, France

Christkindlmärkte of Austria & Germany—*Amadeus Imperial*

DECEMBER 4–12, 2026

Celebrate the magic of the holiday season with a seven-night cruise along the Danube, visiting Europe's most enchanting Christmas markets. Stroll through Nuremberg's historic Old Town, illuminated by twinkling lights and festive stalls. Wander Regensburg's medieval streets and Passau's charming squares, adorned with handcrafted treasures. In Salzburg, enjoy an exclusive string quartet performance at Mirabell Castle Church before browsing its famed Christkindlmarkt. Explore the Benedictine abbey in Melk, then admire Vienna's imperial grandeur, from Schönbrunn Palace to the Spanish Riding School. This festive journey blends Old-World charm, holiday traditions, and breathtaking scenery in true seasonal splendor.

LAND/CRUISE RATES FROM: \$2,995

Holiday Markets: The Festive Rhine River—*Amadeus Star*

DECEMBER 13–21, 2026

NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT

Be charmed by the fanciful Rhine River during Europe's most magical season. Stroll decorated streets lined with timbered houses, browse enchanting holiday markets in Cologne, Strasbourg, and Colmar, and sip glühwein aboard your first-class river ship. Wonder at the Gothic grandeur of Cologne Cathedral, cruise through the romantic Rhine Gorge, and explore Heidelberg's hilltop castle. Choose immersive excursions in Rüdesheim, Düsseldorf, Breisach, and beyond. Exclusive concerts, expert lectures, and regional cuisine enrich this joyous journey.

LAND/CRUISE RATES: from \$3,395



Christmastime in the Charming Cotswolds & Chilterns

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\$150^{PP}

Dec 6, 2025 & Dec 5, 2026

Standard price from \$5,150^{PP} **Early Booking Price \$5,000^{PP}**

With sleepy villages dotted throughout rolling hills, honey-hued buildings embellished with fairy lights, roaring fires in cozy pubs and sparkling trees adorning picture-perfect towns, the Cotswolds is a magical place to spend the run-up to the holidays. Our memorable tour meanders through a stunning cluster of Cotswolds favorites to the southern tip of this Area of Outstanding Natural Beauty, the UNESCO World Heritage city of Bath, where the delightful Christmas Market and twinkling Georgian streets await.

What's Included

- ✦ Arrival/departure airport transfers from London Heathrow*
- ✦ 2 nights at the Macdonald Windsor Hotel
- ✦ 1 night at the Queens Hotel Cheltenham - MGallery
- ✦ 3 nights at Hartwell House & Spa
- ✦ Welcome drink and canapés
- ✦ Full English/Continental breakfast each day
- ✦ 3-course table d'hôte dinner on 4 nights at the hotels (with after-dinner tea and coffee)
- ✦ 1 dinner at a local restaurant
- ✦ Services of a tour director throughout your stay
- ✦ Travel to and from all excursions
- ✦ All excursion costs
- ✦ Porterage where available

*supplement applies for transfers from all other airports and all other locations, including central London



Tour Highlights

Admission to Christmas at Kew ✦ Guided tour of the Roman Baths ✦ Scenic drive through the Cotswolds (Bibury, Bourton-on-the-Water and Stow-on-the-Wold) ✦ Afternoon tea at Hartwell House ✦ Admission to Christmas at Blenheim ✦ Festive lunch at the Five Arrows, Waddesdon Estate ✦ Private carol singing performance at the Macdonald Windsor Hotel

ALSO AVAILABLE



A Traditional Yuletide in England Festive Feasts, Lights & Carols

Dec 7, 2025 & Dec 5, 2026

Standard price from \$5,450^{PP}

Early Booking Price \$5,300^{PP}

Combining the captivating blend of Kent's natural beauty with the festive magic of Christmas, we embark on an enchanting yuletide journey through historic treasures, including wonderful castles and grand stately homes, all culminating with a thrilling evening singing along to carols at the Royal Albert Hall.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS: Guided tour of Canterbury Cathedral ✦ Afternoon tea at Cathedral Lodge ✦ Behind-the-scenes guided tour at Penshurst Place ✦ Festive lunch at Hever Castle ✦ Ticket to Christmas Carols at the Royal Albert Hall ✦ Themed evening talk by a guest speaker

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