

# 27 Days | Majestic Europe | With Greek Isles Cruise

Prague - Frankfurt - Cologne - Amsterdam - Brussels - Bruges - Paris - Lyon - Geneva - Zurich - Lucerne - Milan - Rome - Salerno - Santorini - Mykonos - Athens

From **\$9,499** Typically \$10,599 **★** pp Twin Share



**Return International Economy Class Flights** 

7 Night Greek Isles cruise from Rome

A range of fantastic included experiences, including a Rhine river cruise, the Eiffel Tower & MORE!

# Travel**dream**

# **Description**







# Our ultimate European adventure is now on sale for 2025!

This 27-day land and cruise package is the perfect way to explore Europe's iconic sights while relaxing with the comforts of Royal Caribbean

Embark on an extraordinary journey that will take you through some of Europe's most captivating destinations, blending the allure of historic cities with the breathtaking beauty of natural landscapes. Your adventure begins with an exciting flight from Australia to Prague, where you'll be immersed in the rich architectural tapestry of this enchanting city.

As you explore Prague, let its iconic landmarks and vibrant atmosphere captivate your senses. Delight in leisurely strolls through the Old Town Square, indulging in the flavors of local cuisine and soaking up the city's timeless charm.

From Prague, your journey winds through picturesque landscapes, stopping at cultural gems such as Pilsen and Rothenburg, where fairytale-like villages and historic treasures await. Traverse the romantic Rhine Valley, marveling at UNESCO-listed wonders, before arriving in the dynamic city of Amsterdam.

# Read our latest Travel Blogs at 'Wake Up Here'

In Amsterdam, experience the unique charm of Dutch culture as you wander through authentic windmills and picturesque fishing villages. Delve into the city's rich history with a visit to a diamond factory and savor the vibrant



atmosphere of Rembrandtplein.

Continue your voyage through Europe, discovering the medieval splendor of Bruges before arriving in the iconic city of Paris. Explore the grandeur of Versailles and Montmartre, soaking in the beauty of Parisian boulevards and monuments.

Venture into the heart of France's wine country, exploring the charming streets of Beaune before arriving in Lyon, a city steeped in Roman history. Traverse the scenic landscapes of Switzerland, from Geneva to Zurich, enjoying picturesque boat cruises and breathtaking mountain vistas.

Your journey culminates with an unforgettable Greek Isles cruise, where you'll sail from Rome to explore the stunning landscapes and rich history of destinations such as Naples, Sicily, Santorini, Ephesus, Mykonos, and Athens. Immerse yourself in the captivating contrasts of ancient and modern Greece, tracing the footsteps of legends through iconic landmarks such as the Acropolis.

Throughout your adventure, enjoy comfortable accommodation, delectable meals, and expert guidance from English-speaking tour guides. With a perfect blend of cultural immersion and natural wonders, this travel package promises an unforgettable European odyssey.





# **Itinerary**

Day 1

#### Australia X Prague

Today you will depart your home city for Prague.

Meals: Inflight Menu

Day 2

#### **Prague**

Ahoj! Welcome to Prague. Upon arrival into Prague, you will be met and transferred to hotel. Worried about arriving earlier before anyone else? No-way! Just enjoy your free time exploring Prague's must-see architectural landmarks and hanging out like a local in this architectural gem. This evening, we will be transferred to the Old Town Square, a place that helps stay you energized with various touristic activities and where we can enjoy meals that delight your taste buds. After dinner (own expense), return to hotel.

Tips: sit back and relax, hotel reception can be your lifesaver! Normal check in at 3PM.

Meals: None

Accommodation: Panorama Hotel Prague or similar

Day 3

#### **Prague**

Be prepared to energize your day with breakfast! Join your local guide and companions for a lovely city tour. Broadening your mind by visiting "Prague Castle" (admission included). Subsequently we'll take a boat tour on the VItava River. Free afternoon to explore this beating heart of Europe on your own after cruise. In the evening, we'll spend a night having mouth-watering meals (own expense) in a historic setting and return to hotel.

Meals: Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Panorama Hotel Prague or similar



#### Prague Pilsen Rothenburg Frankfurt (555Km)

Leave Prague for Frankfurt today with a quick visit to Pilsen, in the region of West Bohemia, a city renowned for its beer. Time for a walk through its historic center where we find the Great Square, the cathedral, the Plague Column and a Renaissance-era town hall. We will then cross into Germany where we will follow a section of the so-called "Romantic Route". Next, we will visit Rothenburg, a town that seems to come straight out of a fairy tale and is one of the most beautiful villages in the country. We continue the journey to Frankfurt after lunch. Upon arrival, enjoy your evening at leisure to explore the historic centre and return to the hotel for check-in after dinner (own expense).

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Mercure Hotel Residenz Frankfurt Messe or similar

# Day 5

#### Frankfurt Cologne Amsterdam (480km by road & 30km additional by boat)

Kick off your journey with cruise (boat ride included) along the romantic Rhine from Frankfurt and take in the UNESCO-listed wonders of the Rhine Valley between the villages of Rudesheim and St. Goar. After this, you will travel to Cologne, a city which stands out for its immense gothic cathedral. Then continue travel to our destination for today – Amsterdam.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Amedia Amsterdam Airport or similar

# Day 6

#### **Amsterdam**

Visit the authentic windmills a short scenic drive through the Dutch countryside to the village of Zaanse Schans. Travel the world-famous fishing villages of Volendam, we board on a short boat trip to Marken, an island that was united to the mainland by a fixed dike, their characteristic wooden houses were built on stilts. We will have lunch before joining a comprehensive tour with our local guide. The tour finishes in the Museum Quarter, we will visit a diamond factory to see the thrill of the diamond polishing process (ticket included) in Amsterdam.

In the evening, we will provide a transfer service to the red-light district of Rembrandtplein, with its liberal values and its many restaurants nearby where you can try out a Dutch Cuisine.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Amedia Amsterdam Airport or similar



#### Amsterdam A Bruges A Paris (550 km)

We will leave for Bruges, a charming medieval city known as the "Venice of the North" due to its picturesque canals. Its atmosphere is magical with cobblestone streets, historic buildings and romantic bridges. If you wish, you can climb the Belfort with its impressive views. You can try either the famous Belgian chocolate or typical craft beer. We will continue to France. Paris arrival at the end of the day.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Mercure Porte D'Orleans or similar

# Day 8

#### **Paris**

After breakfast, spend a morning exploring the unforgettable attractions of Versailles (admission not included) the extraordinary gardens and opulent palace that are both on UNESCO's list of World Heritage Sites. After that, we return to Paris, we head to Montmartre and take a cable car (included) to go up to bohemian neighbourhood known for its painters, artists, and cabarets. To contemplate the beauty of the impressive avenues and monuments of Paris, you will have the city tour with a local guide. Return to hotel and optionally you can attend the variety show.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Mercure Porte D'Orleans or similar

# Day 9

#### **Paris**

After breakfast, you will be taking a guided orientation tour to discover the history and monuments of Paris. Ascend to the second level of the Eiffel Tower (ticket included) for a breathtaking view of the city and follow by a boat cruise (boat ticket included) along the River Seine. Spend the rest of the day exploring the sights that interest you.

Meals: Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Mercure Porte D'Orleans or similar



#### Paris Beaune Lyon (470km)

We travel to the centre of France to the Bourgogne region, famous for its wines. After this we will visit Beaune the wine capital of Burgundy, in the centre of the Bourgogne region where its streets are full of flowers, hospice and wine museum aqll points of interest. Arriving in Lyon mid-afternoon it is the capital of Roman Gallia on the banks of the Rhône, its historic centre has been classified as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. We include a cable climb to Notre Dame de Fourviere, where we have a great view of the city. Enjoy some leisure time to walk around the city prior heading back to hotel for check in.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Appartcity Lyon Cite Internationale or similar

# Day 11

#### Lyon Geneva Neuchatel Zurich (425km)

Enjoy a morning scenic drive from Lyon to Geneva a city that is surrounded by the Alps and Jura mountains, the city has views of Mont Blanc. Upon arrival you will visit the Palais des Nations (the United Nations headquarters), and then to the beautiful garden Jardin Anglais with its flower clock and admire the Jet d'Eau (the tallest fountain in Europe). After lunch (own expense), you will continue your journey to Switzerland by the beautiful Leman and Neuchatel lake then we will drive along the scenic road alongside the three large lakes. We will also stopping in NEUCHATEL, where you can enjoy a walk by the lake. We will continue our journey to Zurich, this part of the trip might be done by train – in which case, there will be no stop in Neuchatel. Accommodation: Saphir Lyon or similar

Meals: Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Harrys Home Schweiz or similar

# Day 12

#### Zurich Rapperswil Zurich (42km)

A morning visit with our guide to stroll in the most populated city of Switzerland, the financial and cultural capital of the country. The city of banks has twice been declared the city with the best quality of life in the world. Mid-morning you will enjoy an unforgettable boat cruise along the Lake Zurich, taking the journey from Zurich to Rappers will (approx. 2hours). The boat makes brief stops, allowing us to admire the villages on the way. We get off in RAPPERSWIL, the picturesque village overlooked by its medieval castle. We then travel by train and appreciate the efficiency of the Swiss railway. (Depending on the number of travellers, the transfer to and from the centre might be carried out by public transport.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Harrys Home Schweiz or similar



#### Zurich Grindelwald Lucerne Zurich (280km)

Start the of the day with a hot breakfast whereby today's journey has stunning landscapes with high mountains and lakes. On a clear day, you may be able to see Jungfrau from the city centre. Stop at Grindelwald, we blend into this spectacular view and enjoy a coffee break before taking an unforgettable cable car ride up to mountain (ticket included). We then walk along the ending path which will lead us to suspended bridge amongst the fantastic scenery enjoying glaciers all around us. We then have lunch in the mountain (included) before heading back down. We then continue to LUCERNE, one of the most beautiful cities in Switzerland. We will have time to stroll around the city and free time in Zurich before going to the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Harrys Home Schweiz or similar

#### Day 14

#### Zurich 🖨 Lugano 🖨 Morcote 🖨 Milan (295km)

Travel from Zurich and cut across the Alps to reach the Italina speaking part of Switzerland. You will have experience to see the beautiful lake and snow-capped mountains. Afterwards, we will reach a picturesque village by the Lake Lugarno, this enchanting little town of Morcote was awarded as the nicest village of Switzerland in 2016. Upon arrival in Milan where our guide will take us to the impressive Duomo Square. Here you will find a variety of local and international restaurants to have dinner then tranfer to the hotel.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: IH Milano 2 or similar

# Day 15

#### Milan Pisa Rome (640km)

Today we continue our journey towards PISA. On a little tourist train ride, we will travel to the Piazza Dei Miracoli (Square of Miracles) to admire one of the most alluring and beautiful art complexes in Italy, have your camera ready and strike some creative poses for memorable photos with the well-known Leaning Tower of Pisa. Then we continue to ROME, arriving at the end of the day.

Meals: Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Ibis Styles Roma Aurelia or similar



#### Rome

Free at leisure in the morning. Get ready at hotel lobby at 1PM and be transferred to cruise terminal for check in. The cruise will depart at 5PM. Sit back and relax.

Ciao & welcome aboard! Cruises from Rome are on everyone's bucket list. Enjoy a cruise as part of this fantastic itinerary!

Meals: All Meals Onboard

Accommodation: 'Voyage of The Seas'

#### Day 17

#### A Naples (Capri), Italy

The ship will arrive at 7AM.

With a skyline defined by towering Mount Vesuvis, Naples is a bustling Italian city brimming with beauty. Experience its rich neoclassical architecture at sites like Gesu Nuovo Church, with its lavish interior adorned with detailed frescoes, statues and gold inlay. Go even deeper into history at the San Gennaro catacombs, where Naples' first bishops were buried in the second century A.D. Walk along the Miglio Sacro ("Holy Mile") and people-watch your way through the cafes and shops of the Sanita district with a zuccherato (sweetened espresso) in hand. Jump onboard a Naples cruise and take the short bus ride to the base of Mount Vesuvius — it's an easy 20- to 30-minute hike will take you to the summit — and tour the ruins of Pompeii afterward.

The ship will depart at 6PM.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

**Accommodation:** 'Voyage of The Seas'



#### Sicily (Messina or Siracusa), Italy

The ship will arrive at 8AM.

For Sirausa, it might be tempting to assume this Sicilian port is just another Italian city, but you would be mistaken. Historical icons, like the pre-Roman Empire Greek Theatre, to the piercingly blue, clear waters lapping at the shores of Ortygia island, make Siracusa stand apart from other places to holiday in Italy. A shopping trip through the Old Street Market or a fresh seafood meal along the water further cements the truth: Siracusa is a place of legends to visit with your cruise.

For Messina, Messina is Sicily's panoramic gateway – located on the northeastern corner of the island, the city just kisses the boot of mainland Italy's southern tip. Get lost among the patchwork of churches and antique palaces. The Messina Cathedral is in the heart of the city, and its famous bell tower houses the largest mechanical clock in the world – every day at noon, the statues move to Schubert's 'Ave Maria'. In front of this church, you'll find the Fontana di Orione, a 16th-century fountain that's a work of art in itself, with sculptures of figures from ancient mythology. Cruise to Sicily and take a leisurely walk to the Sacrario di Cristo Re, a hilltop church with panoramic views of the town and the surrounding mountains.

The ship will depart at 6PM.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

Accommodation: 'Voyage of The Seas'

# **Day 19**

# **Cruising**

Whether you seek an adrenaline rush or total tranquillity, our ships have it all. Try rock climbing and experience whimsical aerial shows that take place high above. Melt away land-based stress with a spa massage, build a scrapbook of memories or simply relax by the side of the pool.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

**Accommodation:** 'Voyage of The Seas'



#### â Santorini, Greece

The ship will arrive at 7AM.

Santorini is one of the world's most popular islands, known best for its dramatic scenery, whitewashed villages and fiery volcanic activity. Here adventure bubbles above the Aegean Sea in the most bold and breathtaking ways. A cable car takes you to the capital of Fira, a bustling cliff-top town awash with old cathedrals, enthralling museum collections and cozy tavernas. Venture to the coast for a swim in the deep blue waters that lap red and black pebbled beaches. And peel back layers of lava and history among excavated Akrotiri. Whether it's by bicycle, ATV or on your own two feet, exploring this Cyclades isle never fails to impress.

The ship will depart at 8PM.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

**Accommodation:** 'Voyage of The Seas'

#### Day 21

#### 🚊 Ephesus (Kusadasi), Turkey

The ship will arrive at 8AM.

The UNESCO World Heritage ruins of Ephesus impress even those familiar with the world's other ancient cities. Though excavations have been underway for 150 years, only 20 percent of the city has been uncovered. Check out the the Celsus Library — built in 117 A.D., the site is made up of towering columns highlighted by the statue of the goddess of wisdom. Cruises to Ephesus will give you a taste of Turkish life by strolling the seafront promenade and the bustling city center. Walk Marble Street, paved with actual marble slabs, which takes you from downtown to the Temple of Artemis — you can still see one lone remaining column from this wonder of the ancient world.

The ship will depart at 8PM.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

**Accommodation:** 'Voyage of The Seas'



#### Mykonos, Greece

The ship will arrive at 7AM.

Nestled in the heart of Greece's Cyclades archipelago, Mykonos pulses with irrepressible energy. With its powder white houses, sparkling blue waters and red-hot nightlife, The Island of the Winds is as colourful as the people who call the island home. You can walk narrow marble pathways laced with purple bougainvillea blooms, or go cycling on two wheels past off-the-beaten-track Ano Mera village. Explore Greece's maritime history at Armenistis Lighthouse, and check out the Folklore Museum's Mykonian ship models. Join in the raucous beach party on Super Paradise's shimmering sands, or watch the sun burn out beyond an Aegean horizon from an open-air seaside taverna.

The ship will depart at 8PM.

Meals: All Meals Onboard

**Accommodation:** 'Voyage of The Seas'

#### Day 23

#### Athens (Piraeus), Greece

The ship will arrive at 6AM.

After disembarking your cruise, make your own way to your hotel. Check in and enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Hotel Johnson Inn or similar

# Day 24

#### **Athens**

Explore the captivating contrasts of Athens on this tour, led by our knowledgeable guides. Begin at the historic Panathenaic Stadium, site of the inaugural modern Olympic Games in 1896. Journey past notable landmarks such as the Prime Minister's residence, the Temple of Olympian Zeus, and the Parliament. Pause at significant sites including the Academy, University, and Constitution Square. Ascend the Acropolis to marvel at its architectural marvels from the Golden Age of Athens, including the Propylaea, Temple of Athena Nike, Erechtheion, and the iconic Parthenon. Conclude your tour with a visit to the new Acropolis Museum, where classical treasures find their rightful place.

Spend your afternoon leisurely exploring the charming old Plaka neighborhood. Take your time strolling through its quaint streets, and maybe indulge in some souvenir shopping along Ermou Street.

Meals: Breakfast

**Accommodation:** Hotel Johnson Inn or similar



#### **Athens**

Enjoy the freedom to explore Athens at your leisure. Discover its rich history, vibrant culture, and bustling streets at your own pace.

Meals: Breakfast

Accommodation: Hotel Johnson Inn or similar

Day 26

#### Athens **X** Australia

As our tour comes to an end, bid farewell to your fellow passengers. Transfer arrangements will be made to ensure your journey back home or to your next destination is seamless.

\*Normal check out at 11AM, you can leave your luggage at the hotel reception until you transfer to airport.

Meals: Breakfast and Inflight Menu

Day 27

#### **X** Australia

Arrive back into your home city. We hope you have had an amazing time away and we look forward to making your next Traveldream a reality!



# **Inclusions & Exclusions**

#### **Inclusions**

- Return Economy Class flights from Sydney, Melbourne, Brisbane, Adelaide or Perth
- 17 nights hotel accommodation
- Transfer from Rome Hotel to Cruise Terminal on Day 16
- 7 nights Greek Isles Cruise from Rome aboard Voyage Of The Seas in an Inside Stateroom
- Meals as indicated: 25 Breakfasts, 7 Lunches and 7 Dinners
- Air-conditioned coach transportation
- English Speaking Tour Guides
- Guided sightseeing city tours: Prague, Amsterdam & Paris Entrance
- Entrance fee/admission/boat ride mentioned on the itinerary:
- Prague Castle (Prague)
- Boat Trip along the VItava River (Prague)
- Diamond Cutting Workshop (Amsterdam)
- Boat rider at I Jsselmeer lake from Voledam to Marken (Amsterdam)
- Rhine River Cruise Boat Trip (Frankfurt)
- 2nd Floor Eiffel Tower (Paris)
- Boat Trip along River Seine (Paris)
- Cable Car to Grindelwald First (Zurich)
- Boat ride at Lake Zurich (Zurich)
- Train in Rapperswil to (Zurich)
- Little Tourist Train in Piazza dei Miracoli (Pisa)

#### **Accommodation:**

- Prague: Panorama Hotel Prague or similar
- Frankfurt: Mercure Hotel Residenz Frankfurt Messe or similar
- Amsterdam Amedia Amsterdam Airport or similar
- Paris: Mercure Porte D'Orleans or similar
- Lyon: Appartcity Lyon Cite Internationale or similar
- Zurich: Harrys Home Schweiz or similar
- Milan: IH Milano 2 or similar
- Rome: Ibis Styles Roma Aurelia or similar
- Royal Caribbean Cruise: Voyages of the Seas
- Athens: Hotel Johnson Inn or similar

#### **Exclusions**

- Meals/beverages not stated in the itinerary
- Optional gratuities/tipping
- Optional activities/tours/entrance fees
- Personal Expenses
- Travel Insurance (strongly recommended)
- Visa(s)/Visa fees
- A hotel tax of €7-9 in 2025 per room per night to be paid directly to the Athens hotel at time of check in

**Travel Insurance:** We recommend Covermore travel insurance. To quote and book, please click HERE.



**Child Policy:** No child discounts apply. A full priced voucher must be purchased for all children travelling. Children must be accompanied by a responsible adult 18 years old and over to travel. No unaccompanied minors are allowed.

**Single Supplement:** The additional supplement for a single traveller is \$4200 and available on check out.

**Group Size:** Minimum 2 people with a Maximum of 56 people.

**Arrive early/stay longer:** Want to stay longer, or arrive early? Ask our friendly Customer Service team for a quote.

This Traveldream deal is backed by a 14-day refund guarantee!