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Society Islands & the Tuamotus

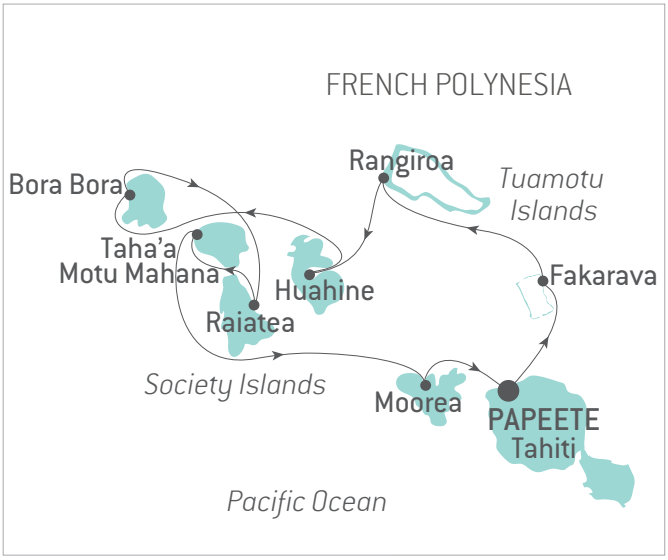
Papeete, Tahiti Island to Papeete, Tahiti Island | 10 nights aboard *Le Paul Gauguin*

2025 departures: 14 May, 4 June, 8 October and 26 November 2025.

2026 departures: 27 January, 25 February, 8 April, 2 & 13 May, 18 & 29 July, 12 & 23 September, 2 December 2026.

2026 departures: 28 April, 29 May, 9 June, 24 July, 4 August, 25 September, 6 October, 17 November, 29 December2027.

PAUL GAUGUIN Cruises is offering an exceptional 12-day voyage leaving from Tahiti to discover the gems of the Society Islands, including extraordinary landscapes and enchanting historical and cultural treasures. You will be captivated by the resolutely Polynesian ambiance that prevails aboard the Paul Gauguin: a ship with a relaxed and international atmosphere, especially designed for sailing in these shallow turquoise waters. You will discover the wonderful Society Islands, with lush rainforests, impossibly clear lagoons, and endless palm trees swaying in the warm breeze. The sweet scent of vanilla and Tahitian gardenias bewitches you and your dreams of escape and contemplation now seem within hand's reach. Marvel at the beauty of Huahine; the cradle of Polynesian culture on the mythical island of Raiatea; the majestic ballet of the colourful fish undulating through the turquoise waters of motu Mahana, our small, private paradise steeped in the scent of vanilla; and Bora Bora's stunning lagoon and distinctive volcanic silhouette. In the Tuamotus, Rangiroa, a gigantic atoll with breathtaking underwater scenery, is most known for the cultivation of its famous black pearls. Be sure to try snorkelling in these natural aquariums where colourful fish, rays and friendly sharks can be found playing amid the reefs, or to explore the marvellous depths of the atoll of Fakarava, a UNESCO-classified nature reserve. Before disembarking in Papeete, feast your eyes on the incomparable beauty of Moorea.



Voyage highlights:

- Indulge in two full days in the Pacific paradise of Bora Bora. As if vistas of towering Mount Otemanu, romantic lagoon, and an unhurried pace of life weren't enough, our exclusive white-sand beach offers ample places to relax.
- Discover the "infinite lagoon" on Rangiroa, the biggest atoll in Polynesia, which is famous for its "wall of sharks".
- UNESCO World Heritage Site: Fakarava, a biosphere reserve, and the world's second-largest lagoon, home to unique flora and fauna, gray sharks and untouched coral reefs.
- Live the life idyllic with a memorable day on Motu Mahana, our own private slice of paradise. On this exclusive islet, treat yourself to sand between your toes, the shade of swaying palm trees, a sumptuous barbecue lunch, and, of course, drinks sipped from coconuts.
- Discover Polynesia's culture and traditions.

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