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ROUTES & EXPERIENCES 2026



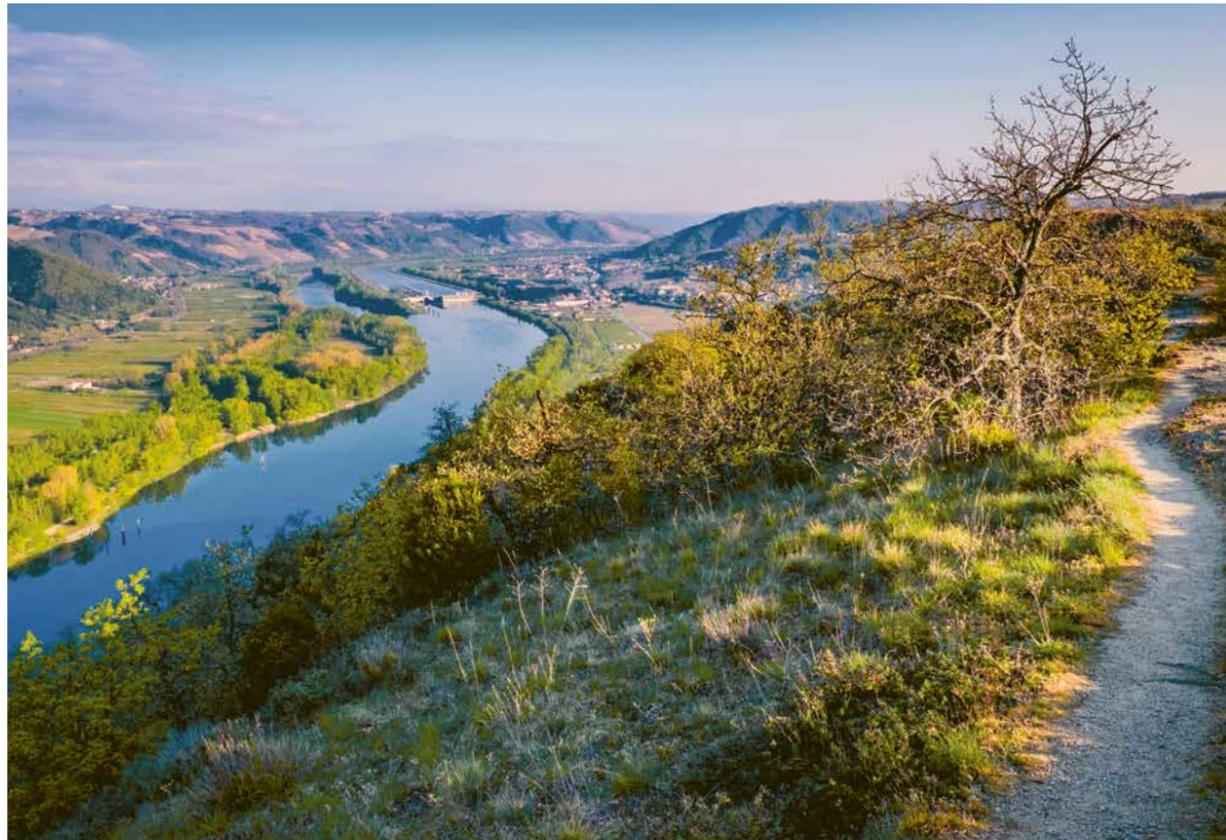
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RIVERSIDE RAVEL PASSING VIENNE

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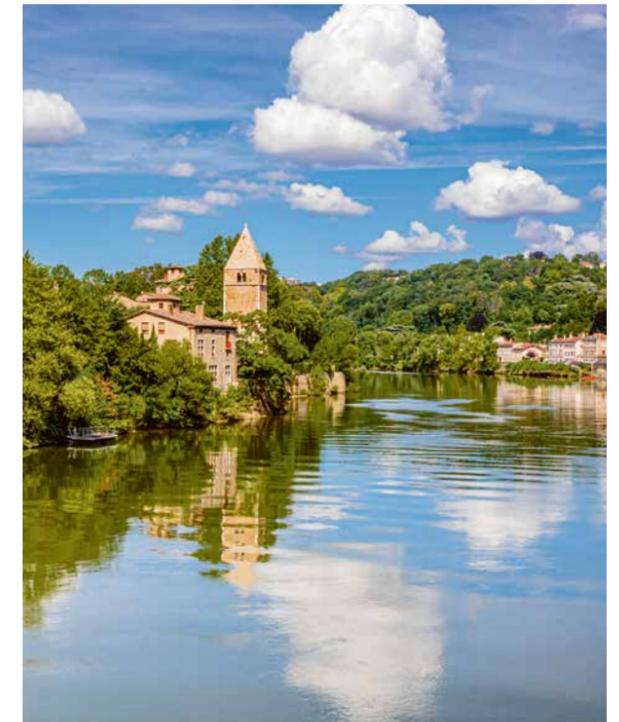
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THE RHÔNE

THE RESOLUTE SAÔNE

Flowing 300 miles from the Vosges mountains and considered the boundary between eastern and western France, the Saône is the quintessential French waterway. It has supported trade and commerce since prehistoric time; pleasure boating since the late-19th century; fishing for pike, perch, and trout; and some of the world's best wines in the Beaujolais and Burgundy regions. The river is both gentle and genteel, ambling past poplar forests, moors and vineyards, grazing Charolais cattle, and colorful villages where residents sip café au lait in centuries-old squares. Also dotting the Saône's environs are world-class cities such as Chalon-sur-Saône, Mâcon, Tournus, and Lyon – and countless churches, both august and humble, giving the river an almost biblical feel. Yet even with grand highlights such as these, the Saône today remains a smaller, quieter river. Not quite a fleuve, according to the French, but a rivière ...



THE SAÔNE

ELEGANT AND GRACEFUL.

THE ALLURING RHÔNE

From its glacial source in the Swiss Alps to its final rush into the Mediterranean Sea, the Rhône courses over 500 miles, finally dividing in the South of France and creating the Camargue, Western Europe's largest river delta. Its landscape is a dream, flowing through some of France's most beautiful regions – Burgundy, Rhône-Alpes, and into Provence. Enchanting cities such as Arles and Avignon line its banks, beavers and river otters reside in its wetlands, and its arms cradle its delta, where flamingos strut through salt lakes and wild horses roam freely. As important as majestic, over the centuries the Rhône has served as a waterway where wine was transported in the Middle Ages as well as olive oil and marble from Italy. In 2003, the river's ancient past revealed itself just a little more as six small, 1st-century ships were discovered during construction work in Lyon. Today, the Rhône has become a special place for epicures and those who appreciate fresh breezes with hints of lavender and herbs ...

TRUE SAVOIR VIVRE.



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENTS

REMARKABLE AND INCLUDED TO FURTHER ENHANCE YOUR EXPERIENCE



DOMAINE DE PANÉRY

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Escape into the magnificent Rhône Valley and experience an unrivaled world of flavors and peaceful, South-of-France ambiance. Atmospheric live music welcomes you to the Domaine de Panéry winery, where a fascinating visit of the breathtaking estate includes the wine cave and details about the award-winning products created here: organic reds, whites, and rosés, and cold-pressed, organic Arbequina, Picholine, Arbosana, and Koroneiki olive oils. Enjoy a tasting of the wines surrounded by the delightful gardens, vineyards, and olive orchards, then dine al fresco on an exquisite multi-course dinner featuring dishes composed from the freshest seasonal ingredients – Aveyron cheeses, Provençal garden vegetables, tender meats from the Luberon region, fish right from the Mediterranean, and heavenly desserts.



WINE TASTING AT DOMAINE DE PANÉRY WINERY

WINE TASTING AT CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

When traversing the South of France, an encounter in legendary Châteauneuf-du-Pape is a must – and a tasting of the region's impeccable wines in an authentic wine cellar makes the experience truly unforgettable! Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley, where the world-famous appellation's connection to the papacy began in the 14th century. Here, amidst the original château and its surrounding vineyards, you'll visit an esteemed domaine and learn about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinguished flavors. Then, join a knowledgeable sommelier in the barrel-filled aging room for a tasting of four red and white Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.



CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE



VINEYARDS NEAR CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE



PROVENCE LAVENDER FIELDS

CRUISE DEPARTURES

SCENES OF SOUTHERN FRANCE WITH RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO AVIGNON - 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS
 23 Apr, 7 May, 21 May, 7 Jun, 21 Jun, 5 Jul,
 19 Jul, 2 Aug, 16 Aug, 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 27 Sep,
 21 Oct, 4 Nov

BURGUNDY BLISS: LYON TO LYON

LYON TO LYON - 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS
 31 May, 14 Jun, 28 Jun, 12 Jul, 26 Jul, 9 Aug,
 23 Aug, 6 Sep, 20 Sep, 4 Oct

SNAPSHOT OF THE RHÔNE WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON - 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS
 19 Apr, 3 May, 17 May, 3 Jun, 17 Jun,
 1 Jul*, 15 Jul, 29 Jul, 12 Aug, 26 Aug, 9 Sep,
 23 Sep, 17 Oct, 31 Oct

RHÔNE SAMPLER WITH AVIGNON & LYON

AVIGNON TO LYON - 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS
 10 Jun, 24 Jun*, 8 Jul*, 22 Jul, 5 Aug, 19 Aug,
 2 Sep, 16 Sep, 30 Sep

RHÔNE RHAPSODY WITH RHÔNE DELTA & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

AVIGNON TO LYON - 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
 12 Apr, 26 Apr, 10 May, 24 May, 10 Oct, 24 Oct,
 7 Nov

TASTE OF SOUTHERN FRANCE

LYON TO AVIGNON - 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS
 7 Oct

SOUTHERN FRANCE MOSAIC

LYON TO AVIGNON - 7 DAYS / 6 NIGHTS
 4 Oct

SOUTH OF FRANCE SOIRÉE WITH PONT DU GARD & RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO LYON - 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
 7 Jun, 21 Jun*, 5 Jul, 19 Jul, 2 Aug, 16 Aug,
 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 27 Sep

FRENCH SALUT: AVIGNON TO LYON

AVIGNON TO LYON - 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
 10 Jun, 24 Jun*, 8 Jul, 22 Jul, 5 Aug, 19 Aug,
 2 Sep, 16 Sep, 30 Sep

SOUTHERN FRANCE SOJOURN: LYON TO AVIGNON

LYON TO AVIGNON - 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
 31 May, 14 Jun, 28 Jun*, 12 Jul, 26 Jul, 9 Aug,
 23 Aug, 6 Sep, 20 Sep

RHÔNE RIVER ROAMING WITH RHÔNE DELTA & PONT DU GARD

LYON TO AVIGNON - 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS
 17 May, 3 Jun, 17 Jun, 1 Jul*, 15 Jul, 29 Jul,
 12 Aug, 26 Aug, 9 Sep, 23 Sep

FRENCH FÊTE ON THE RHÔNE & SAÔNE

AVIGNON TO LYON - 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS
 24 May

RESPLENDENT RHÔNE & SAÔNE WITH PONT DU GARD & RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO LYON - 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS
 7 Jun, 21 Jun*, 5 Jul, 19 Jul, 2 Aug, 16 Aug,
 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 27 Sep

SOUTH OF FRANCE SAFARI WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON - 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS
 31 May, 14 Jun, 28 Jun*, 12 Jul, 26 Jul, 9 Aug,
 23 Aug, 6 Sep, 20 Sep

* departure during lavender season

SCENES OF SOUTHERN FRANCE WITH RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO AVIGNON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS



SAINT-BÉNÉZET BRIDGE, AVIGNON

From its glacial source in the Swiss Alps to its final rush into the sea, the Rhône River courses over 500 miles, finally dividing and creating Western Europe's largest river delta. On this fantastic 4-day luxury cruise, you'll come to appreciate just how majestic the ancient river truly is. Spend time in Van Gogh's beloved Arles, where you could visit a Roman amphitheater dating back to the 1st century AD, as well as the dramatic walled city of Avignon with its 14th-century castle fortress. Highlights include Tarascon Castle, the monumental Palace of the Popes in Avignon, and an al fresco dinner on your ship's Vista Deck as you cruise through the breathtaking Rhône Delta. You'll also have excursion choices, including a variety of both active and leisurely ways to explore Pont du Gard in a way most meaningful to you.

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 3 – Tarascon/ Avignon
Day 2 – Arles/ Rhône-Delta	Day 4 – Avignon

DATES IN 2026

23 Apr, 7 May, 21 May, 7 Jun, 21 Jun,
5 Jul, 19 Jul, 2 Aug, 16 Aug, 30 Aug,
13 Sep, 27 Sep, 21 Oct, 4 Nov



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Escape into an unrivaled world of flavors and South-of-France ambiance at Château de Panéry winery. As atmospheric music welcomes you, tour the estate's wine cave to learn about the process behind its award-winning organic reds, whites, and rosés. Then, enjoy a tasting surrounded by the delightful gardens, vineyards, and olive orchards.



PLACE DE LA RÉPUBLIQUE, ARLES

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs. Embark the luxurious Riverside Ravel and relax as you settle in – or, if you arrive early, join us for a short, guided walk through this fascinating city. The ship departs this evening – be sure to watch for the medieval arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge, inspiration for the 16th-century song “Sur le pont d’Avignon”. Then, meet your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner.

DAY 2 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, this was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, select the excursions that are most meaningful to you! How about spending the morning experiencing the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue, or an afternoon call to Les Baux-de-Provence for a fabulous Sound & Light Show? Other exciting options are also available, so see the Riverside website for details. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 3 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. You might enjoy a guided tour of its medieval castle or eBiking along the

famous ViaRhôna route! After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options at the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, including kayaking along the Gardon River below the monument. You could also enjoy an eBike tour – or explore Avignon on your own. Tonight, your ship remains in port for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE cellar tour and tasting event at the beautiful Château de Panéry winery.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.



CAMARGUE RANCH

BURGUNDY BLISS: LYON TO LYON

LYON TO LYON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS



LYON

World-class wines, stylish châteaux, Roman architecture, unmatched gastronomy – the best of Burgundy is yours on this excitement-packed, 4-day escape. Begin and end in 2,000-year-old Lyon with its secret traboules (passageways) zig-zagging around the city and its hotter-than-hot reputation among foodies. Travel the Saône in Riverside luxury, encountering gems in Art Nouveau Chalon-sur-Saône; Tournus with its 11th-century Church of St. Philibert; Mâcon, where a Louis XV-era apothecary offers a peek at 18th-century medicine; and more. And Riverside lets you personalize your cruise – including activities that introduce you to France’s amazing scenery in a fun and active way!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon	Day 3 – Chalon-sur-Saône
Day 2 – Mâcon / Tournus	Day 4 – Lyon

DATES IN 2026

31 May, 14 Jun, 28 Jun, 12 Jul, 26 Jul, 9 Aug, 23 Aug, 6 Sep, 20 Sep, 4 Oct



UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE

Uniquely Riverside features an authentic destination experience that leaves an unforgettable impression – like an exclusive musical performance at a beautiful venue in Tournus, where the history and heart of southern France are revealed through the music.

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France’s exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel and explore your ship’s many amenities and get settled into your luxury Suite. Later, meet your crew and fellow traveling companions at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure.

DAY 2 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right – how about a made-to-order omelette and toast with honey right off the comb? Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating eBike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an authentic French truffle-hunting lesson (and tasting) experience! You’ll find a full menu of excursions for the entire cruise on our website. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising onward to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you’ll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the

10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians. Your ship cruises overnight.

DAY 3 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography and a place definitely worth snapping a picture or two. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion focusing on the rich culinary heritage of Chalon-sur-Saône, with tastings of regional specialties such as Crème de Cassis, French baked goods, artisanal chocolate, wine, and more. The ship departs in the afternoon – your personal Butler can help schedule an onboard massage or spa treatment, if you like!

DAY 4 – LYON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



CHÂTEAU DE CORMATIN

SNAPSHOT OF THE RHÔNE WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON – 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS



VIENNE

This exceptional 5-day luxury cruise is short, sweet, and utterly magnifique – the perfect introduction to the unforgettable South of France! Embark in Lyon with its secret passageways and best-in-the-world foodie culture, then cruise the river in total luxury aboard your Riverside ship. Experience ancient Vienne; Viviers, a tiny city with a big offering of wonderful excursions; the fine wines and chocolates of Tain-l'Hermitage; and exquisite Châteauneuf-du-Pape with – what else? A wine tasting beyond compare! Enjoy special features galore as well as daily opportunities to personalize your cruise with the activities of your choice! With history, culture, fine French wines and cuisine, active pursuits, and nature at its stunning best, this popular getaway packs a mighty punch!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon
Day 2 – Vienne
Day 3 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 4 – Viviers/
Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Day 5 – Avignon



DATES IN 2026

19 Apr, 3 May, 17 May, 3 Jun, 17 Jun,
1 Jul*, 15 Jul, 29 Jul, 12 Aug, 26 Aug,
9 Sep, 23 Sep, 17 Oct, 31 Oct

* departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel, meet your personal Butler, and get settled into your luxurious Suite. If you arrive early, join us for a guided stroll highlighting Lyon's Old Town, its Roman-era Fourvière Hill, and Presqu'île. Get to know your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner, and raise a glass to toast your adventure as your ship departs.

DAY 2 – VIENNE

Your day begins with breakfast as you cruise to Vienne, a city with a long history as a colony of the Roman Empire. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a great selection of excursions – you might enjoy hopping on the seat of an electric bicycle for a spin through the Rhône Valley with included wine tasting. A full list of options and descriptions is available on our website. Return to the ship in the late afternoon for scenic cruising and the chance to take advantage of your onboard spa or fitness center.

DAY 3 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is all about the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you have so many possibilities – from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical “palace” and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly Valrhona chocolate. The ship departs by early afternoon, with many ways to make the most of your time on board. You can socialize with new friends, take a dip in the pool, or maybe attend an enriching talk or mixology event.



BASILICA OF NOTRE-DAME DE FOURVIÈRE, LYON

DAY 4 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world's largest cave replica? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 5 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.



VIEW OF TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

RHÔNE SAMPLER WITH AVIGNON & LYON

AVIGNON TO LYON – 5 DAYS / 4 NIGHTS



AVIGNON

Sublime scenery, riveting history, superb wines in the very environments where they were crafted – this 5-day luxury cruise is an outstanding foray into the South of France. Embark in the dramatic walled city of Avignon with its 14th-century castle fortress, and end in the foodie paradise of Lyon, where the Saône and Rhône Rivers converge. Along the way are Viviers for truffle-hunting lessons and a prehistoric cave art encounter; the decadent chocolates of Tain-l'Hermitage; an unforgettable wine experience that takes you right into the heart of the Beaujolais wine region; and countless other activities and sights. You could also select active sightseeing, like eBiking around Lyon or hiking in the Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 4 – Lyon
Day 2 – Viviers	Day 5 – Lyon
Day 3 – Tain-l'Hermitage	

FRANCE

DATES IN 2026

10 Jun, 24 Jun*, 8 Jul*, 22 Jul, 5 Aug, 19 Aug, 2 Sep, 16 Sep, 30 Sep

* departure during lavender season



UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE

Uniquely Riverside features an authentic destination experience that leaves an unforgettable impression – like a relaxed evening stroll to experience the lovely lighting of day's end in Old Town Viviers, along with a special, scene-setting performance by a masterful local artist.



BARBE ISLAND, LYON

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, a city bursting with world heritage sites, famous palaces and bridges, and colorful markets. Embark your ship, the luxurious Riverside Ravel, and relax as you settle in – or, if you arrive early, join us for a Discover Avignon walking tour. This evening, meet your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner, followed by social time in the lounge. The ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 2 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you today with a friendly “Bonjour” and a lot to see! Your RIVERSIDE CHOICE menu of excursions offers a morning visit to an authentic French truffle farm and neighboring château, and afternoon kayaking or hiking through the Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon. A complete list of additional excursions is available on our website. The day is topped by an al fresco dinner up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by a performance by a talented local artist.

DAY 3 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today, get to know one of the Rhône's popular wine and chocolate destinations: Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you can attend tastings or investigate whimsical Cheval Palace, the 19th-century creation of a simple postman who stumbled on a stone. Back on board later, enjoy your ship's amenities before a wonderful evening of socializing, gourmet dining, and scenic cruising.

DAY 4 – LYON

Bienvenue – welcome to Lyon, one of Europe's true treasure troves of history, culture, and outstanding food and drink! The options are endless, so what's your pleasure? From wine tasting in Chardonnay to an exclusive boat tour to Barbe Island, RIVERSIDE CHOICE will help make your time here exceptional. Your ship remains in port overnight, so feel free to check out the local nightlife!

DAY 5 – LYON

Disembark after breakfast and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



KAYAK IN THE ARDÈCHE GORGE

RHÔNE RHAPSODY WITH RHÔNE DELTA & CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

AVIGNON TO LYON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



SAINT-BÉNÉZET BRIDGE, AVIGNON

If the South of France is calling with its warm sunshine, exquisite food and wine, and unforgettable sights, then this is the luxury cruise for you! For a whole week, the irrepressible Rhône will be your host, introducing you to the wonders of dramatic Avignon, ancient Arles with its special lighting that captivated Van Gogh, Provençal Tarascon, 2,000-year-old Lyon with its unrivaled commitment to world-class cuisine, and more. Dine al fresco on the Vista Deck while passing through the lovely Rhône Delta; explore the Palace of the Popes; taste the brilliant wines of Châteauneuf-du-Pape during an unforgettable cellar tour; and take an active approach to your sightseeing if the mood strikes you. Other possibilities? How about tasting the decadent chocolates or wines of Tain-l'Hermitage?

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 5 – Viviers
Day 2 – Avignon	Day 6 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 3 – Arles/ Rhône Delta	Day 7 – Lyon
Day 4 – Tarascon/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape	Day 8 – Lyon



DATES IN 2026

12 Apr, 26 Apr, 10 May, 24 May, 10 Oct, 24 Oct, 7 Nov



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to the spectacular walled city of Avignon, whose UNESCO World Heritage ramparts were built in the 14th century to protect the city from mercenaries. Embark the Riverside Ravel and get settled in. If you arrive early, join us for a Discover Avignon walking tour. Later, at your first onboard dinner, meet your crew and fellow traveling companions. The ship remains in port overnight.

DAY 2 – AVIGNON

Today you can fully engage Avignon's Provençal charm and see just what inspired Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs, Florentine poet Petrarch, and countless merrymakers beneath a certain bridge in the Middle Ages! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, you can explore the awe-inspiring Palace of the Popes, the world's most important Gothic palace; kayak below the 1st-century Pont du Gard Roman aqueduct; and other fantastic options. For a complete list of offerings, see the Riverside website. Your ship departs Avignon before dinner.

DAY 3 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Spend today enveloped by Arles, where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence, along with the chance to explore Louis IX's impregnable ramparts surrounding Aigues-Morte, Gateway to the Camargue! This evening, dinner is prepared and served al fresco-style on the Vista Deck as your ship passes through the mesmerizing Rhône Delta.

DAY 4 – TARASCON / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Rise and shine! Begin the day with a delicious breakfast before heading into the Provençal town of Tarascon. How about a guided tour that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh in St. Rémy – or wine tasting the Roman way? After lunch on the ship and time to admire the passing scenery, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT at a featured wine estate. Surrounded by an unforgettable atmosphere, you'll be treated to an exclusive vineyard tour to learn how the aromas of berries, plums, and earthy spices are achieved. Along the way, sample free-flowing Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines and hear how historical popes were associated with the famous appellation.

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you with a friendly "Bonjour" and a lot to see! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, learn the fine art of truffle hunting at an authentic French truffle farm; trek through the lovely Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon; and other tempting activities. Crowning the day is an al fresco dinner, prepared and served up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a talented local artist.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Your time today in Tain-l'Hermitage is an absolute treat. You might enjoy a visit to Cheval Palace, the whimsical 19th-century creation of a simple postman who stumbled on a stone. Or, for a more sensory experience, attend the tasting of your choice: rich French chocolate at Valrhona or an unforgettable wine tasting. The afternoon is ideal for socializing in the lounge or maybe scheduling a massage or spa treatment as your ship makes its way to Lyon.

DAY 7 – LYON

The options are endless today, so what's your pleasure? You could investigate Lyon's traboules (secret passageways) with an expert guide, followed by a funicular ride up Fourvière Hill; or join a wine tasting in the atmospheric Beaujolais or Chardonnay regions. Your ship remains in port, so feel free to celebrate the final night of your cruise surrounded by Lyon's dazzling nightlife!

DAY 8 – LYON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



FLAMINGOS IN THE CAMARGUE

TASTE OF SOUTHERN FRANCE

LYON TO AVIGNON – 4 DAYS / 3 NIGHTS



STATUE OF SAINT MICHAEL IN THE RHÔNE VALLEY

This petite luxury cruise is ideal as a quick getaway – or if you want to begin or end any South of France adventure with a cruise along its magnificent rivers! Embark in 2,000-year-old Lyon, France’s exciting gastronomic capital, then cruise to Tournon, where wine and chocolate take center stage. On to tiny Viviers for some big experiences and Châteauneuf-du-Pape for an amazing RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT featuring – what else? A wine tasting beyond compare! Enjoy countless special features, plus the chance to personalize your time daily with the excursions of your choice! Between the history, culture, French wines and cuisine, active pursuits, and splendors of nature, you’ll quickly understand why this cruise is so popular!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon Day 4 – Avignon

Day 2 – Tournon

Day 3 – Viviers/
Châteauneuf-
du-Pape

DATES IN 2026

7 Oct



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines’ distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.



STONY TERROIR OF CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France’s exciting gastronomic capital. Embark, settle into your luxurious Suite, and explore your ship’s many amenities. If you arrive early, join us for a guided stroll highlighting Lyon’s Old Town, its Roman-era Fourvière Hill, and Presqu’île. Then, at your first onboard dinner, get to know your fellow traveling companions and raise a glass to toast your grand adventure in the South of France.

DAY 2 – TOURNON

Spend time today exploring the area with a RIVERSIDE CHOICE of excursions. You might join a guided walk to see Tournon’s striking hilltop castle; visit Le Palais Ideal (the “Ideal Palace”), the 19th-century creation of a simple postman who stumbled on a stone; or attend a tasting of rich French chocolate at Valrhona. Your ship remains in port until late.

DAY 3 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world’s largest cave replica? Reboard your ship for lunch and a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region’s famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.



TOURNON

SOUTHERN FRANCE MOSAIC

LYON TO AVIGNON – 7 DAYS / 6 NIGHTS



RHÔNE RIVER

Architectural style, famous wine regions, unmatched culture – discover the best of France's southern region on this grand, week-long cruise. Begin in 2,000-year-old Lyon with its secret traboules (passageways) zig-zagging through town and its impressive monuments forever connecting the city to the Roman Empire. Then, cruise past vineyards and châteaux on the way to Mâcon; medieval Tournus; Chalon-sur-Saône with its half-timbered Old Town; Tournon, where wine and chocolate take center stage; tiny Viviers; and Châteauneuf-du-Pape for an amazing RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE wine-tasting event. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you'll also get to personalize your cruise with excursions that introduce you to the ports in a fun and active way!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon	Day 5 – Tournon
Day 2 – Mâcon/ Tournus	Day 6 – Viviers/ Châteauneuf- du-Pape
Day 3 – Chalon-sur- Saône	Day 7 – Avignon
Day 4 – Lyon	



DATES IN 2026

4 Oct



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel and explore your ship's many amenities and get settled into your luxury Suite. Later, meet fellow guests at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure.

DAY 2 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right – how about a made-to-order omelette and toast with honey right off the comb? Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating eBike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an authentic French truffle-hunting lesson (and tasting) experience. You'll find a full menu of excursions for the entire cruise on our website. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising on the way to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians.

DAY 3 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

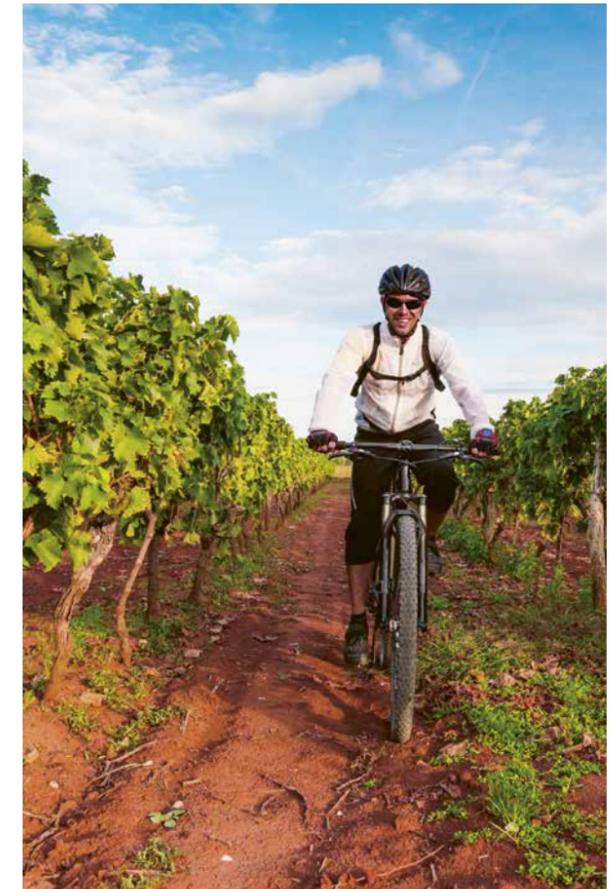
A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an outing along the Burgundy Wine Road to Beaune or a fun foodie tour with tastings of regional specialties and wine. Your ship departs in the afternoon, so maybe head to the Atelier for a decadent bowl of ice cream!

DAY 4 – LYON

A return to Lyon gives you the chance to really get to know this amazing city. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a private wine tasting in Beaujolais, or the chance to see and learn more about the colorful street art of Lyon. Alternatively, head out on your own to shop or explore more independently. The ship cruises overnight.

DAY 5 – TOURNON

Dive into the quaint atmosphere of Tournon with RIVERSIDE CHOICE. You might join a guided tour featuring the wine and wonders of medieval Tournon Castle; visit Le Palais Ideal (the "Ideal Palace"), the fantastical creation of a 19th-century postman who stumbled on a stone; or attend a tasting of rich Valrhona chocolate. Your ship remains in port until late.



RIDE AN EBIKE IN CHARDONNAY

DAY 6 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world's largest cave replica? Reboard your ship for lunch and a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see which delectable notes you can detect with each sip.

DAY 7 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.

SOUTH OF FRANCE SOIRÉE WITH PONT DU GARD & RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO LYON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

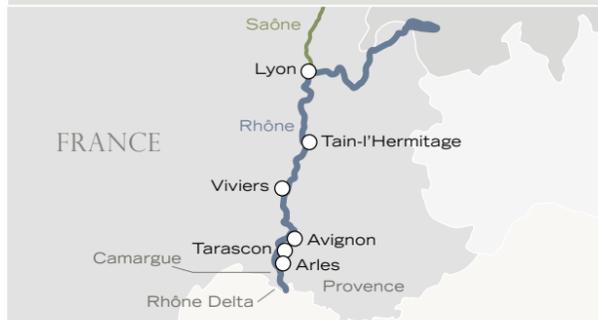


ARLES

The South of France – the embodiment of style and sophistication. This luxury Rhône River cruise features stately Avignon, Van Gogh’s beloved Arles, Tarascon, Viviers, and the foodie paradise of Lyon. Highlights include the Palace of the Popes, a medieval château tour, chocolate tasting, and al fresco dining on the Vista Deck. You can also select excursions meaningful to you with RIVERSIDE CHOICE, like Pont du Gard, Aix-en-Provence, the Camargue, or Ardèche Gorge (Europe’s Grand Canyon) – or stay active with kayaking, cycling, or hiking. Scenic cruising through the Rhône Delta is a true highlight of a perfect week!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 5 – Viviers
Day 2 – Arles/ Rhône Delta	Day 6 – Tain- l’Hermitage
Day 3 – Tarascon/ Avignon	Day 7 – Lyon
Day 4 – Avignon	Day 8 – Lyon



DATES IN 2026

7 Jun, 21 Jun*, 5 Jul, 19 Jul, 2 Aug,
16 Aug, 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 27 Sep

*departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Escape into an unrivaled world of flavors and South-of-France ambiance at Château de Panéry winery. As atmospheric music welcomes you, tour the estate’s wine cave to learn about the process behind its award-winning organic reds, whites, and rosés. Then, enjoy a tasting surrounded by the delightful gardens, vineyards, and olive orchards.



HIKE IN THE ARDÈCHE GORGE

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe’s powerful pontiffs in the 14th century. Embark the luxurious Riverside Ravel and relax as you settle into your Suite. If you arrive early, join us for a guided walking tour through this fascinating city. The ship departs this evening – be sure to watch for the medieval arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge, inspiration for the 16th-century song “Sur le pont d’Avignon”. Later, meet fellow guests during your first gourmet dinner on board.

DAY 2 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

A magnet for artists, Arles is center stage today. With its special light, this was where Vincent van Gogh completed more than 300 paintings, drawings, and watercolors. Join the RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursion of your choice to see for yourself what makes the city so special. Or, how about spending time experiencing the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue wetlands, or fabulous Aix-en-Provence, including tastings of delectable local treats? Other exciting options are also available – see the Riverside website for details. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 3 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. You might enjoy a guided tour of St. Rémy with its fascinating Nostradamus and Van Gogh associations, or eBiking

along the famous ViaRhôna route. After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options at the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, including kayaking along the Gardon River below the monument. You can also remain in Avignon for an eBike tour – or explore on your own. Tonight, enjoy a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE cellar tour and tasting event at the beautiful Château de Panéry winery.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

Enjoy more time to explore Avignon on your own, or join another enriching RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursion. Ship cruises overnight.

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you today with a friendly “Bonjour”. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a morning visit to an authentic French truffle farm; afternoon kayaking or hiking through the Ardèche Gorge, Europe’s Grand Canyon; and other fantastic excursions. Crowning the day later is an al fresco dinner up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a talented local artist. The ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L’HERMITAGE

Today, get to know one of the Rhône’s popular wine and chocolate destinations: Tain-l’Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, attend chocolate or wine tastings, or you might enjoy a visit to the unusual Cheval Palace, the passion project of a 19th-century postman who stumbled on a stone. Back on board later, enjoy your ship’s amenities before a wonderful evening of socializing, gourmet dining, and scenic cruising.

DAY 7 – LYON

Step ashore today in lovely Lyon, a European showcase of history, culture, and tantalizing food. From an outing to medieval Pèrouges or the re-imagined Hôtel-Dieu to an exclusive boat tour to Barbe Island to visit its outstanding abbey, RIVERSIDE CHOICE will help make the most of your time here. Your ship remains in port overnight.

DAY 8 – LYON

Disembark after breakfast and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.

FRENCH SALUT: AVIGNON TO LYON

AVIGNON TO LYON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



LYON

Fall in love with the fine wines, sublime scenery, and riveting history of southern France! Begin in majestic Avignon, stop in tiny Viviers for a truffle or prehistoric cave art encounter, and spend time in Lyon with its remarkable cuisine. You might enjoy chocolate or wine tasting in Tain-l'Hermitage, Chalon-sur-Saône's Art Nouveau style, and Mâcon's Louis XV-era apothecary for a peek at 18th-century medicine. You can also personalize your cruise daily with RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursions – including activities designed to get up and go!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 6 – Mâcon/ Tournus
Day 2 – Viviers	Day 7 – Chalon-sur- Saône
Day 3 – Tain- l'Hermitage	Day 8 – Lyon
Day 4 – Lyon	
Day 5 – Lyon	



DATES IN 2026

10 Jun, 24 Jun*, 8 Jul, 22 Jul, 5 Aug,
19 Aug, 2 Sep, 16 Sep, 30 Sep

*departure during lavender season



UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE

Uniquely Riverside features an authentic destination experience that leaves an unforgettable impression – like a relaxed evening stroll to experience the lovely lighting of day's end in Old Town Viviers, along with a special, scene-setting performance by a masterful local artist.

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, a city bursting with heritage sites, famous palaces and bridges, and colorful markets. Embark your ship, the luxurious Riverside Ravel, and relax as your personal Butler helps you get settled into your Suite. If you arrive early, be sure to join us for a Discover Avignon walking tour. Later, your first gourmet dinner on the ship is a great place to meet fellow guests and raise a glass to your exciting river journey. The ship remains in port until late and cruises overnight.

DAY 2 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you today with a friendly “Bonjour” and so much to see! Your RIVERSIDE CHOICE menu of excursions offers a morning visit to an authentic French truffle farm, and afternoon hiking, kayaking, or the chance to see prehistoric cave art at Chauvet Cave. You can find a complete list of available excursions on our website. Crowning the day later is a gourmet dinner up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a talented local artist.

DAY 3 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today you find yourself in one of the Rhône's popular wine and chocolate destinations: Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, attend wine or chocolate tastings; investigate whimsical Cheval Palace, the 19th-century creation of a simple postman who stumbled on a stone; or cross the river to discover the ancient wonders of neighboring Tournon. Back on board later, enjoy your ship's amenities before a wonderful gourmet dinner.

DAY 4 – LYON

Bienvenue – welcome to Lyon, one of Europe's true treasure troves of history, culture, and cuisine! The options are endless, so what's your pleasure? See the sights from the seat of an electric bicycle, taste the wines of Chardonnay, or take an exclusive boat tour to Barbe Island. Regardless of what you do, RIVERSIDE CHOICE will help make your time here exceptional.

DAY 5 – LYON

Another day in Lyon gives you the chance to really get to know this amazing city. RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursions include private wine tasting in Beaujolais or a unique tour focused on the colorful street art of Lyon. You could also head

out on your own to shop or try the city's many unique flavors and dishes. The ship departs late and cruises through the night.

DAY 6 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right – how about made-to-order eggs, a lox bagel, or fresh croissants? Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating hike up to the Rock of Solutré, an authentic French truffle-hunting lesson (and tasting) experience, or the chance to visit a real French château. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians.

DAY 7 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day awaits in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography and a place definitely worth snapping a few photos! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion focusing on the city's rich culinary heritage, with tastings of specialties like Crème de Cassis, baked goods, chocolate, wine, and more. Your ship departs in the afternoon, providing the perfect opportunity for a massage or spa treatment on board.

DAY 8 – LYON

Disembark after breakfast and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



OLD TOWN VIVIERS

SOUTHERN FRANCE SOJOURN: LYON TO AVIGNON

LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Just mention the South of France and colorful images flood the imagination. Those images become reality on this week-long luxury cruise! Begin in 2,000-year-old Lyon with its world-class cuisine, then stop at Mâcon for a peek at a Louis XV-era apothecary; historic Tournus; Chalon-sur-Saône; and Viviers for truffle hunting or prehistoric cave art encounters. Dine al fresco on the Vista Deck and see the sights in an active way, if that's your preference. A RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions has you covered!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon	Day 6 – Tain-l'Hermitage
Day 2 – Mâcon/ Tournus	Day 7 – Viviers/ Châteauneuf-du-Pape
Day 3 – Chalon-sur-Saône	Day 8 – Avignon
Day 4 – Lyon	
Day 5 – Vienne	



DATES IN 2026

31 May, 14 Jun, 28 Jun*, 12 Jul, 26 Jul,
9 Aug, 23 Aug, 6 Sep, 20 Sep

*departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting gastronomic capital. Embark the Riverside Ravel and explore your ship's many amenities and get settled into your luxury Suite. Later, meet fellow guests at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure.

DAY 2 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right – how about a made-to-order omelette and fresh artisan bread with jam or with honey right off the comb? Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an invigorating eBike tour through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and an authentic French truffle-hunting lesson (and tasting) experience. You'll find a full menu of excursions for the entire cruise on our website. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising onward to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians.

DAY 3 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an outing along the Burgundy Wine Road to Beaune, or a mouthwatering foodie tour with tastings of regional specialties and wine.



CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

Your ship departs in the afternoon, providing the perfect opportunity for a pampering massage or spa treatment on board.

DAY 4 – LYON

Today is all about Lyon! RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a private wine tasting in Beaujolais, or the chance to see and learn more about the colorful street art of Lyon. The ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 5 – VIENNE

Your day begins with breakfast as you arrive in Vienne, a city with a long history as a colony of the Roman Empire. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a great selection of excursions, like an electric bicycle adventure. Join an expert guide for a spin through the Rhône Valley with included wine tasting. Return to the ship in the late afternoon for scenic cruising and the chance to relax in the onboard pool or get in a workout in the fitness center.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is dedicated to the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you have so many possibilities – from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical “palace” and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly Valrhona chocolate. The ship departs by early afternoon, with many ways to make the most of your time on board. You can socialize with new friends in the lounge or maybe attend an enriching talk or mixology event.

DAY 7 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world's largest cave replica? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 8 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.

RHÔNE RIVER ROAMING WITH RHÔNE DELTA & PONT DU GARD

LYON TO AVIGNON – 8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS



AVIGNON

Experience the best of southern France, known by the locals as le Midi! Visit Vienne, Viviers, Tarascon, Van Gogh's beloved Arles, and other inviting Rhône River ports. Highlights include Lyon's 2,000-year-old Old Town; Tarascon's medieval castle; Avignon's grand Palace of the Popes; and Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a wine tasting beyond compare! Personalize your cruise daily with RIVERSIDE CHOICE. Options include outings to Beaujolais, Aix-en-Provence, or the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue; or even active pursuits such as kayaking or eBiking. Al fresco dining atop the Vista Deck as you cruise through the lovely Rhône Delta is the pièce de résistance of your journey!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Lyon	Day 5 – Avignon
Day 2 – Vienne	Day 6 – Arles/ Rhône Delta
Day 3 – Tain- l'Hermitage	Day 7 – Tarascon/ Avignon
Day 4 – Viviers/ Châteauneuf- du-Pape	Day 8 – Avignon



DATES IN 2026

17 May, 3 Jun, 17 Jun, 1 Jul*, 15 Jul, 29 Jul,
12 Aug, 26 Aug, 9 Sep, 23 Sep

* departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.



TARASCON CASTLE

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, where food and flavors are always the talk of the town! Embark the Riverside Ravel and settle into your luxurious Suite. If you arrive early, join us for a guided stroll highlighting Lyon's Old Town, its Roman-era Fourvière Hill, and Presqu'île. Get to know your fellow traveling companions during your first onboard dinner, and raise a glass to toast your adventure as your ship departs.

DAY 2 – VIENNE

Your day begins with breakfast as you cruise to Vienne, a city with a long history as a colony of the Roman Empire. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a great selection of excursions, including an active bike tour! Just hop on the seat of an electric bicycle and take a spin through the Rhône Valley with included wine tasting. A full list of options and descriptions is available on our website. Return to the ship in the late afternoon for scenic cruising and the chance to take advantage of your onboard spa or fitness center.

DAY 3 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is all about the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you have so many possibilities – from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical “palace” and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly Valrhona chocolate. The ship departs by early afternoon, with many ways to make the most of your time on board. You can socialize with new friends or maybe attend an enriching talk or mixology event.

DAY 4 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

In tiny Viviers, get ready for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences! How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at

Chauvet Cave, the world's largest cave replica? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 5 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe's powerful pontiffs in the 14th century. Some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options are in store today, including a Discover Avignon walking tour or visit to the remarkable Palace of the Popes.

DAY 6 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year here, capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you could experience the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue wetlands, enjoy a fantastic Sound & Light show at Les Baux-de-Provence, and other exciting options. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 7 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. You might enjoy a guided tour of its medieval castle or eBiking along the famous ViaRhôna route! After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options at the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, including kayaking along the Gardon River below the monument. You could also enjoy an eBike tour – or explore Avignon on your own. Tonight, your ship remains in port for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE cellar tour and tasting event at the beautiful Château de Panéry winery.

DAY 8 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.

FRENCH FÊTE ON THE RHÔNE & SAÔNE

AVIGNON TO LYON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS



HOTEL-DIEU, LYON

This grand journey includes two of France's greatest rivers – as well as Burgundy, Provence, and the Camargue wetlands. Embark in the dramatic walled city of Avignon and end in the foodie paradise of Lyon, where the Saône and Rhône majestically converge. Along the way are Arles with its 1st-century AD Roman amphitheater; Viviers for truffle and prehistoric cave art encounters; the fine wines and chocolates of Tain-l'Hermitage; unforgettable Mâcon; and other ports. You also have plenty of ways to personalize your cruise through RIVERSIDE CHOICE – food tastings, instruction on local activities, even active tours by kayak or eBike. The ultimate treat is scenic cruising through the Rhône Delta – très magnifique!

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 7 – Lyon
Day 2 – Avignon	Day 8 – Lyon
Day 3 – Arles/ Rhône Delta	Day 9 – Mâcon/ Tournus
Day 4 – Tarascon/ Châteauneuf- du-Pape	Day 10 – Chalon-sur- Saône
Day 5 – Viviers	Day 11 – Lyon
Day 6 – Tain- l'Hermitage	



DATES IN 2026

24 May



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to the spectacular walled city of Avignon, whose UNESCO World Heritage ramparts were built in the 14th century to protect the city from mercenaries. Embark the Riverside Ravel and get settled into your luxury Suite. If you arrive early, join us for a Discover Avignon walking tour. Later, at your first onboard dinner, meet fellow guests and raise a glass to toast your exciting river journey.

DAY 2 – AVIGNON

Today you can fully engage Avignon's Provençal charm and see just what inspired Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs, Florentine poet Petrarch, and countless merrymakers beneath a certain bridge in the Middle Ages! With a RIVERSIDE CHOICE selection of excursions, explore the awe-inspiring Palace of the Popes, the world's most important Gothic palace; kayak below the 1st-century Pont du Gard Roman aqueduct; and other fantastic options. For a complete list of offerings, see the Riverside website. Your ship departs Avignon before dinner.

DAY 3 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Spend today in the magnetic city of Arles, where artist Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options include a Taste of Aix-en-Provence with tastings of delectable local specialties; the chance to explore Louis IX's impregnable ramparts surrounding Aigues-Morte, Gateway to the Camargue; and more. This evening, dinner is

prepared and served al fresco-style on the Vista Deck as your ship passes through the mesmerizing Rhône Delta.

DAY 4 – TARASCON / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Rise and shine! Begin the day with a delicious breakfast before heading into the Provençal town of Tarascon. How about a guided tour through St. Rémy that follows in the footsteps of Nostradamus and Van Gogh – or wine tasting the Roman way? After lunch on the ship and time to admire the passing scenery, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT at a featured wine estate. Surrounded by an unforgettable atmosphere, you'll be treated to an exclusive vineyard tour to learn how the aromas of berries, plums, and earthy spices are achieved. Sample free-flowing Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines and hear how historical popes were associated with the famous appellation.

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Viviers greets you with a friendly "Bonjour" and a lot to see! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, learn the fine art of truffle hunting at an authentic French truffle farm; trek or kayak through the lovely Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon; and other tempting activities. Crowning the day is a lovely al fresco dinner, prepared and served up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a brilliant local artist.



CAMARGUE

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Your time today in Tain-l'Hermitage is an absolute treat. You might enjoy a tour focusing on the wine and wonders of medieval Tournon Castle. Or, for a more sensory experience, attend the tasting of your choice: rich French chocolate at Valrhona or an unforgettable wine tasting. The afternoon is ideal for socializing in the Atelier with a big bowl of decadent ice cream as your ship makes its way to Lyon.

DAY 7 – LYON

The options are endless today in Lyon, so what's your pleasure? You could investigate the city's highlights with its Old Town traboules (secret passageways), exquisite central Presqu'île district sandwiched between the Rhône and Saône Rivers, and funicular up Fourvière Hill. Or maybe join our Riverside exclusive look at the re-imagined Hôtel Dieu, an important Lyon landmark. Your ship remains in port overnight.

DAY 8 – LYON

Another day in Lyon gives you the chance to really get to know this amazing city. RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursions include private wine tasting in Beaujolais or a unique tour focused on the colorful street art of Lyon! Alternatively, you can head out on your own to shop or maybe try the city's many unique flavors and dishes. The ship departs late and cruises through the night.



LYON



ABBAY OF SAINT-PHILIBERT, TOURNUS

DAY 9 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

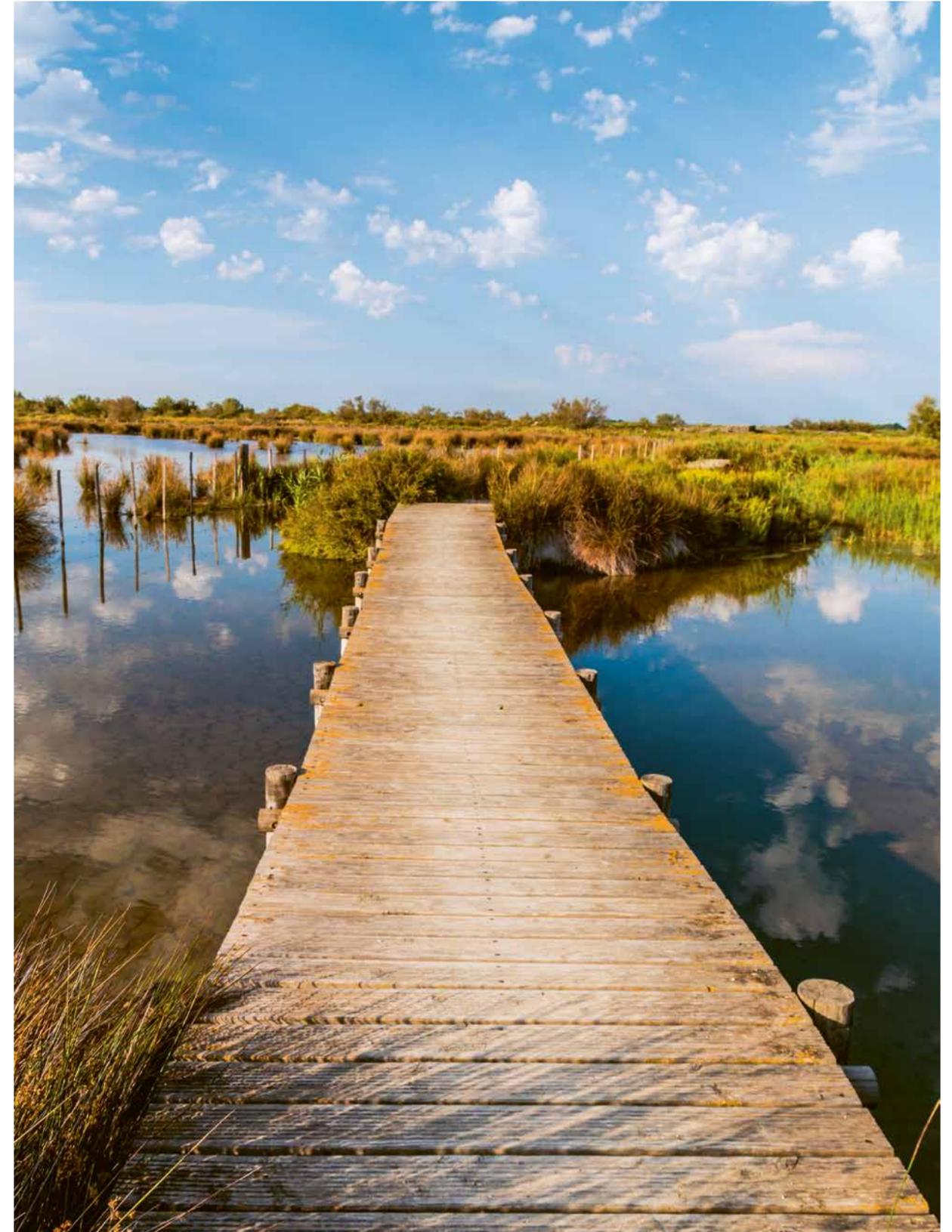
A delicious hot-or-not breakfast starts your day the way you like best – with endless cups of piping-hot coffee or tea. Once you're sufficiently fueled up, step off the ship for a memorable day in Mâcon. Morning and afternoon RIVERSIDE CHOICE options abound, like an exhilarating eBike adventure in Chardonnay with wine tasting, a tour through a real French château, and other possibilities. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians.

DAY 10 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion focusing on the rich culinary heritage of Chalon, with tastings of regional specialties such as Crème de Cassis, French baked goods, artisanal chocolate, wine, and more. Your ship departs in the afternoon, providing free time for a pampering massage or spa treatment on board.

DAY 11 – LYON

Disembark after breakfast and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.



CAMARGUE WETLANDS

RESPLENDENT RHÔNE & SAÔNE WITH PONT DU GARD & RHÔNE DELTA

AVIGNON TO LYON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS



AVIGNON

When the South of France calls, this luxury cruise answers with gusto! Embark in stately Avignon, then investigate Arles' special lighting that captivated Van Gogh; tiny Viviers; and Tain-l'Hermitage with its amazing chocolate and wine. Also visit Lyon with its intriguing traboules (secret passageways) and out-of-this-world cuisine; Mâcon, home to a Louis XV-era apothecary; and Art Nouveau Chalon-sur-Saône. Highlights are the colossal Palace of the Popes, a truffle-hunting lesson, and a special al fresco dinner as you pass through the mesmerizing Rhône Delta.

ITINERARY

Day 1 – Avignon	Day 7 – Lyon
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Day 5 – Viviers	Day 11 – Lyon
Day 6 – Tain- l'Hermitage	



DATES IN 2026

7 Jun, 21 Jun*, 5 Jul, 19 Jul, 2 Aug,
16 Aug, 30 Aug, 13 Sep, 27 Sep

*departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Escape into an unrivaled world of flavors and South-of-France ambiance at Château de Panéry winery. As atmospheric music welcomes you, tour the estate's wine cave to learn about the process behind its award-winning organic reds, whites, and rosés. Then, enjoy a tasting surrounded by the delightful gardens, vineyards, and olive orchards.



PALACE OF THE POPES, AVIGNON

DAY 1 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe's powerful pontiffs in the 14th century. Embark the luxurious Riverside Ravel and relax as you settle into your Suite. If you arrive early, join us for a guided walking tour through this fascinating city. The ship departs this evening – be sure to watch for the medieval arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge, inspiration for the 16th-century song "Sur le pont d'Avignon". Later, meet fellow guests during your first gourmet dinner on board.

DAY 2 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today is dedicated to Arles' warm embrace. A magnet for artists, this was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, select the excursions that are most meaningful to you! How about spending time experiencing the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue wetlands, or fabulous Aix-en-Provence, including tastings of delectable local treats? Other exciting options are also available – see the Riverside website for details. This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for

unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 3 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

The pleasant Provençal town of Tarascon greets you early this morning. You might enjoy a guided tour of St. Rémy with its fascinating Nostradamus and Van Gogh associations, or eBiking along the famous ViaRhôna route. After lunch on the ship, return to Avignon for some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options at the 1st-century Roman aqueduct, Pont du Gard, including kayaking along the Gardon River below the monument. You can also remain in Avignon for an eBike tour – or explore on your own. Tonight, your ship remains in port for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE cellar tour and tasting event at the beautiful Château de Panéry winery.

DAY 4 – AVIGNON

Enjoy more time to explore Avignon on your own, or join another enriching RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursion. Ship cruises overnight.



BURGUNDY VINEYARDS

DAY 5 – VIVIERS

Bienvenue à Viviers. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a morning visit to an authentic French truffle farm; afternoon kayaking or hiking through the Ardèche Gorge, Europe's Grand Canyon; and other fantastic excursions. Crowning the day later is dinner up on the Vista Deck, followed by a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE evening stroll. See Old Town Viviers in its prettiest light as the sun dips down over the horizon, accented by an outstanding performance by a talented local artist.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today, get to know one of the Rhône's popular wine and chocolate destinations: Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, attend chocolate or wine tastings, or you might enjoy a visit to the unusual Cheval Palace, the passion project of a 19th-century postman who stumbled on a stone. Back on board later, enjoy your ship's amenities before a wonderful evening of socializing and gourmet dining.

DAY 7 – LYON

Step ashore today in lovely Lyon, one of Europe's true treasure troves of history, culture, and outstanding food. From an outing to medieval Pérouges or the re-imagined Hôtel-Dieu to an exclusive boat tour to Barbe Island to visit its beautiful abbey, RIVERSIDE CHOICE will help make the most of your time here. Your ship remains in port overnight.

DAY 8 – LYON

Another day in Lyon gives you the chance to really get to know this amazing city. You can join another RIVERSIDE CHOICE excursion, like private wine tasting in Beaujolais or a unique tour focused on the colorful street art of Lyon, or head out on your own to investigate Lyon's well-deserved foodie reputation. Ship departs this evening and cruises through the night.

DAY 9 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right, from hearty to healthy and everything in between. Once the java has kicked in, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! How about an invigorating hike up to the Rock of Solutré, created 160 million years ago from fossilized coral, when warm seas covered the region. You could also learn the fine art of French truffle-hunting lesson or spend time in the quaint Burgundian village of Brancion. Return to the ship for lunch and scenic cruising to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town



SAINT PIERRE CHURCH, BRANCION

filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians.

DAY 10 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

Be sure to bring your camera because a thrilling day awaits in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an excursion along the Burgundy Wine Road to Beaune. Your ship departs in the afternoon, providing free time to do as you like on board.

DAY 11 – LYON

Disembark after breakfast and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel.

SOUTH OF FRANCE SAFARI WITH CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

LYON TO AVIGNON – 11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS



LYON

Eleven days in the South of France – more than enough to fall hopelessly in love with this special place. Embark in Lyon with its 2,000-year history and commitment to world-class cuisine. Then, see the ancient wonders of Mâcon and Tournus, of Hôtel-Dieu fame; Chalon-sur-Saône; tiny Viviers for truffle and prehistoric cave art encounters; stately Avignon; and Van Gogh's beloved Arles. Gourmet dining atop the Vista Deck will be an evening to remember as your ship passes through the spellbinding Rhône Delta. Other highlights are Avignon's monumental Palace of the Popes, wine tasting in Châteauneuf-du-Pape, a look at the rugged, Camargue ranch culture, and active excursions for a different perspective!

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DATES IN 2026

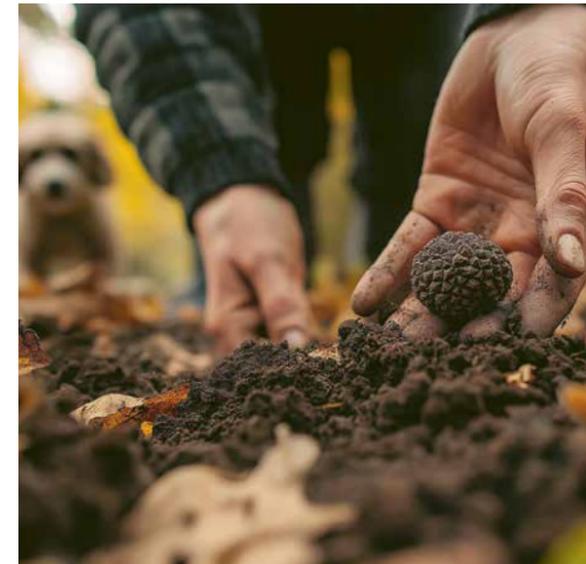
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*departure during lavender season



RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE EVENT

Immerse yourself in the legendary aromas and flavors of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines during an exclusive visit to a celebrated wine estate. Travel into the heart of the Rhône Valley for a VIP tour of the vineyards; hear about the stony terroir that produces the wines' distinct characteristics; and join a sommelier for a tasting, expertly paired with an assortment of traditional French breads and cheeses.



LEARN THE ART OF TRUFFLE HUNTING

DAY 1 – LYON

Welcome to 2,000-year-old Lyon, France's exciting mecca of all things food! Embark the Riverside Ravel and explore your ship's many amenities and get settled into your luxury suite. Later, meet fellow guests at your first onboard dinner and raise a glass to toast your adventure.

DAY 2 – MÂCON / TOURNUS

A delicious breakfast starts your day right with hot and hearty, made-to-order dishes as well as lighter fare and regional favorites. Afterward, step off the ship in Mâcon for a day to remember! RIVERSIDE CHOICE options feature eBiking through Chardonnay with wine tasting, and a hunting lesson for "black diamonds" during a tour and tasting at a French truffle farm. You'll find a full menu of excursions for the entire cruise on our website. Return to the ship for lunch as you cruise to Tournus in southern Burgundy. There, you'll discover a charming, medieval Old Town filled with narrow alleyways, ancient stone houses, and the 10th-century Benedictine Abbey of Saint-Philibert. Begin your evening with an elegant al fresco dinner on the Vista Deck. Afterwards a special treat also awaits: a UNIQUELY RIVERSIDE private performance by talented local musicians. Your ship departs late and cruises overnight.

DAY 3 – CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

A thrilling day is on tap in Chalon-sur-Saône, birthplace of photography. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, consider an outing along the Burgundy Wine Road to Beaune, or a mouthwatering foodie tour with

tastings of regional specialties and wine. Your ship departs in the afternoon, so how about a refreshing dip in the pool?

DAY 4 – LYON

Today is all about Lyon! RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a private wine tasting in Beaujolais, or the chance to see and learn more about the colorful street art of Lyon.

DAY 5 – VIENNE

Your day begins with breakfast as you arrive in Vienne, a city with a 2,000-year history as a colony of the Roman Empire. RIVERSIDE CHOICE offers a great selection of excursions. How about hopping on an electric bicycle for a spin through the Rhône Valley with included wine tasting? Return to the ship in the late afternoon for scenic cruising and the chance to take advantage of your onboard spa or fitness center.

DAY 6 – TAIN-L'HERMITAGE

Today is all about the wonders of Tain-l'Hermitage! With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, you have so many possibilities – from a striking hilltop castle to a whimsical "palace" and from tastings of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines to heavenly Valrhona chocolate. The ship departs by early afternoon, with free time to enjoy as you please.



VIENNE



WILD HORSE GRAZING IN THE RHÔNE DELTA

DAY 7 – VIVIERS / CHÂTEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE

Prepare for some big RIVERSIDE CHOICE experiences. How about a truffle-hunting lesson or a prehistoric cave art encounter at Chauvet Cave, the world's largest cave replica? Later, reboard your ship for a fun onboard food and wine tasting with an entertaining local expert. Then, arrive in Châteauneuf-du-Pape for a RIVERSIDE SIGNATURE tasting of the region's famous wines. Hear how historical popes were associated with the famous Châteauneuf-du-Pape appellation, and see if you can discern the notes of berries, plums, and spices.

DAY 8 – AVIGNON

Welcome to Avignon, one-time home to Europe's powerful 14th-century pontiffs. Some wonderful RIVERSIDE CHOICE options are in store today, including a Discover Avignon walking tour and a visit to the incomparable Palace of the Popes.

DAY 9 – ARLES / RHÔNE DELTA SCENIC CRUISING

Today showcases Arles, a magnet for artists throughout the centuries. This was the very place where Vincent van Gogh spent more than a year capturing the beauty of the area on canvas. With RIVERSIDE CHOICE, select the excursions that

are most meaningful to you! How about experiencing the rugged ranch culture of the Camargue, an afternoon call to Les Baux-de-Provence for a fabulous Sound & Light Show, or other possibilities? This evening, the Vista Deck is the place to be for unhindered views of the scenic Rhône Delta as you dine al fresco aboard one of the only river vessels that prepares and serves outside while cruising.

DAY 10 – TARASCON / AVIGNON

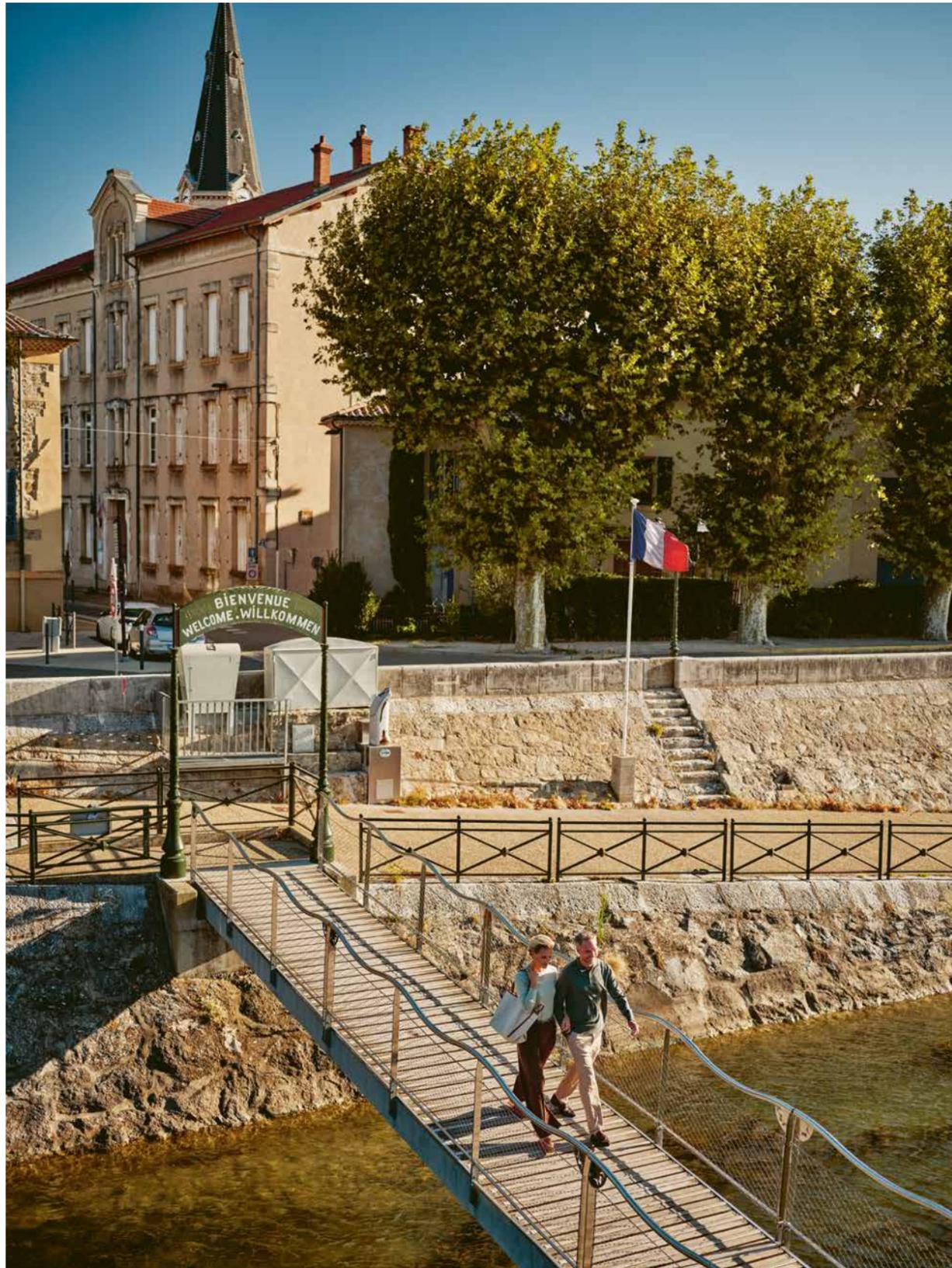
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DAY 11 – AVIGNON

After breakfast, disembark and enjoy complimentary transfers to the airport, train station, or central hotel. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.



LES BAUX-DE-PROVENCE



CRUISE IN LUXURY ON THE RIVERSIDE RAVEL

RIVERSIDE CHOICE EXCURSIONS

Our excursions are something special – an enriching collection of experiences that are both unexpected and unforgettable. Whether you're a subject matter expert or a casual enthusiast, Riverside Choice helps you create incredible memories about some of France's finest art, architecture, history, music, nature, food, and wine.

In the following pages you'll find a sample of our excursions by city, categorized by topic and degree of physical exertion or difficulty. However, we're continually expanding our offerings, so visit our website for all the latest information, general terms and conditions, prices, and additional details about Riverside Luxury Cruises.

LOOK FOR INSPIRATION.

CATEGORIES

SEE

City sightseeing tours with professional guides, sometimes by coach. We organize some full-day excursions, and include visits to the important points of interest.

LEARN

Visits to attractions such as palaces, monuments, and abbeys of special cultural importance related to our destinations.

TASTE

These excursions dive into the destination's culinary specialties and traditions. We call on select producers, sometimes including tastings of wines, spirits, or other regional products.

ACTIVE

During these excursions, hiking, biking, or other exhilarating activities will challenge your body and make your spirit soar.

CULTURE

Look and marvel as you visit museums or exhibits featuring works by historic masters and contemporary artists alike.

MUSIC

Enjoy music in concert halls, opera houses, and theaters – as well as in unexpected places and unconventional venues!

DEGREE OF DIFFICULTY

easy

Appropriate for almost any guest, with short distances and no inclines or stairs.

moderate

Suitable for most guests, with moderate distances on mostly level terrains and only a few stairs.

vigorous

Perfect for guests seeking a more physically challenging experience that covers a longer distance on potentially uneven terrain and possible ascents/descents or stair-climbing.

Please note: A full listing of excursions will be confirmed and available for booking on our website 90 days prior to your cruise departure.

ARLES FRANCE

Surrounded by some of Europe's prettiest natural parks, the "Pearl of Provence" is one history-packed little city. From a Roman Empire-era port hub, it blossomed during the Middle Ages and Renaissance. Highlights include the two-tiered Roman Amphitheater; thermal baths dating back to the 4th century; and the Church of St. Trophime pilgrimage site. Arles is also where Van Gogh was most inspired – and the Van Gogh Pedestrian Path shows where the artist painted many of his masterpieces.

VAN GOGH'S ARLES

Vincent van Gogh paid tribute to the beauty of Arles in some 200 paintings – discover its allure for yourself on this memorable guided walking tour.

SEE LEARN Duration: 3h Difficulty: easy

THE MANADE RANCH CULTURE OF THE CAMARGUE

Discover the cowboy culture of the Camargue during this stand-out visit to an authentic French manade (ranch) where Camargue bulls and horses are bred and raised.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 4.5h Difficulty: moderate

A TASTE OF AIX-EN-PROVENCE

This fascinating guided walk introduces you to the rich heritage of artist Paul Cezanne's hometown – as well as its opulent mansions, fascinating history, and culinary delights.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: 5h Difficulty: easy

LES BAUX-DE-PROVENCE WITH SOUND & LIGHT SHOW

Travel into the stunning Alpilles mountains landscape for an unforgettable visit to ancient Les Baux-de-Provence, followed by a remarkable sound and light show in an old unused quarry.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 4h Difficulty: moderate

RAMPARTS OF AIGUES-MORTES

Come face to face with Louis IX's incredible 13th-century passion project during this half-day tour of the impregnable wall surrounding Aigues-Morte, Gateway to the Camargue!

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 4h Difficulty: moderate

TARASCON FRANCE

Tarascon's very origin story involves a mighty water dragon destroying river traffic in the 1st century. With a beginning like that, any visit is bound to be interesting! The city is home to an imposing 15th-century fortress, whose dungeons once held doomed French Revolution prisoners, and an inviting Old Town with a fascinating Jewish quarter, Baroque Town Hall, bustling market squares, and the half-Romanesque / half-Gothic St. Martha's Collegiate Church, where tradition claims the Biblical figure Martha is buried.

GEMS OF TARASCON: CHURCH OF ST. MARTHA & CASTLE VISITS

This 2-hour guided walk features true treasures of Tarascon: the 12th-century Church of St. Martha and the town's incredible moated castle!

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

TARASCON DISCOVERY & WINE TASTING THE ROMAN WAY!

Discover the wonders of Old Town Tarascon on this guided walk featuring 15th-century Château de Tarascon. Then, enjoy an epic wine tasting at a 17th-century wine estate known for its exceptional and unique "archaeological" Roman wines.

SEE LEARN TASTE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

TARASCON EBIKE ADVENTURE WITH ABBEY VISIT

Splendors of the French countryside and time at a stunning 10th-century abbey – it's the perfect active eBike adventure that begins and ends in Tarascon.

SEE ACTIVE CULTURE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: vigorous

EBIKING THE FAMED VIARHÔNA: TARASCON TO AVIGNON

You'll earn true bragging rights from this outstanding guided electric bicycle tour featuring stunning scenery along part of the famed ViaRhôna bike route.

SEE ACTIVE CULTURE

Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous

ST. RÉMY: IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF NOSTRADAMUS & VAN GOGH

This fantastic half-day outing visits nearby Saint-Rémy-de-Provence with its fascinating Nostradamus and Van Gogh associations and sweeping Old World charm!

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 4h Difficulty: moderate

AVIGNON FRANCE

While other French cities emerged from great battles or great commerce, Avignon arose from great laziness. When the Archbishop of Bordeaux didn't want to travel to Rome for his papal consecration, he had himself crowned in Lyon and built the incredible Palace of the Popes in Avignon. Other highlights worth seeing: the pretty Old Town and St. Bénézet Bridge, inspiration for the song "Sur le Pont d'Avignon".

DISCOVER AVIGNON WALKING TOUR

Explore the historical center of Avignon on this mesmerizing guided walking tour.

SEE LEARN Duration: 2h Difficulty: easy

DISCOVER AVIGNON WALKING TOUR WITH PALACE OF THE POPES

Join an expert guide for a stroll through Avignon's remarkable Old Town, featuring an inside visit to the formidable Palace of the Popes!

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate



BRIDGE OF ST. BÉNÉZET



PROVENCE LAVENDER FIELDS

KAYAKING ON THE GARDON RIVER

Encounter the monumental Pont du Gard Roman-era aqueduct from the water during this fun kayaking trip along the Gardon River!

SEE **LEARN** **ACTIVE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous

EBIKING TO PONT DU GARD

Both natural and manmade wonders take center stage during this enjoyable guided electric bicycle tour through the area surrounding Avignon.

SEE **LEARN** **ACTIVE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous

PONT DU GARD

Encounter the ancient Romans' impressive architectural and construction skills during this visit to awe-inspiring Pont du Gard.

SEE **LEARN** **CULTURE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: easy

PROVENCE DISCOVERY WITH GORDES & L'ISLE SUR LA SORGUE

You simply can't visit France without exploring Provence! This brilliant half-day excursion introduces you to the region's legendary beauty – along with the hilltop village of Gordes and incomparable L'Isle sur la Sorgue.

SEE **LEARN** **CULTURE** Duration: 6h Difficulty: easy

VIVIERS FRANCE

Viviers is tiny in size only! This remarkable village in the Ardèche is like an open-air museum of ancient architecture with its Town Hall, Bishop's Palace, St. Vincent Cathedral (said to be France's smallest cathedral), 16th-century Knights' House, and mansion-lined Grande Rue. The many stairs leading to the Upper Town reward the effort with outstanding panoramic views over the city below and the beautiful Rhône Valley.

ARDÈCHE TRUFFLE FARM & CHÂTEAU GRIGNAN

Truffles are the focus of this fun visit to a French farm that harvests the exclusive product!

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: easy

HIT THE TRAIL: HIKE IN ARDÈCHE GORGE

Enjoy an active hike through the Ardèche Gorge nature reserve, one of France's most spectacular natural sites.

SEE **LEARN** **ACTIVE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous

CHAUVET CAVE 2, THE WORLD'S LARGEST CAVE REPLICA

Put on your favorite "Indiana Jones" hat and prepare for adventure in the astonishing recreation of Chauvet Cave with its amazing collection of cave art from 36,000 years ago!

SEE **LEARN** **CULTURE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: easy



PONT DU GARD



CHÂTEAU GRIGNAN

KAYAKING IN ARDÈCHE GORGE

Discover one of France's most remarkable natural sites from water level during a kayaking adventure through Ardèche Gorge.

SEE **LEARN** **ACTIVE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous

VIVIERS EVENING STROLL

Experience the magic of Old Town Viviers during this guided evening tour that combines history and live music.

SEE **LEARN** Duration: 1.5h Difficulty: easy

DISCOVER VIVIERS WITH CONCERT & PÉTANQUE

Join an expert guide to see the sights of Old Town Viviers, followed by a musical treat and an introduction to Pétanque (lawn bowling)!

SEE **LEARN** **MUSIC**

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

FOOD & WINE ODYSSEY WITH JÉZABEL

When it comes to outstanding cuisine, few places rival France! Join a sensory analysis specialist for an exciting onboard presentation featuring tastings of delectable local foods, paired with exquisite French wines!

LEARN **CULTURE** **TASTE** Duration: 3h Difficulty: easy

LAVENDER IN THE DRÔME PROVENÇALE

This half-day excursion takes you into France's Drôme Provençale for a beguiling experience focused on lavender, one of Provence's most fragrant and beautiful symbols.

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: easy

TOURNON / TAIN-L'HERMITAGE FRANCE

Standing high above the Rhône is Tournon, a showcase of lush vineyards, a striking suspension bridge by French engineer Marc Seguin, and a marvelous 16th-century French château, complete with portcullis and stained-glass windows. Just across the river is Tain-l'Hermitage, well known among epicures as home of the famous Hermitage and Crozes Hermitage AOP wines and the interactive Valrhona City of Chocolate.

A WALK IN ANCIENT TOURNON

Standing sentry high above the Rhône is the grand village of Tournon, home to a castle, monuments, terraced vineyards, and some of the region's most spectacular views.

SEE **LEARN** Duration: 2h Difficulty: **easy**

THE UNLIKELY PALACE OF FERDINAND CHEVAL

See the fulfilment of one man's fantasy on this unusual half-day excursion to a palace like no other.

SEE **LEARN** **CULTURE**

Duration: 4h Difficulty: **moderate**



CHEVAL PALACE

VALRHONA CHOCOLATE & WINE DISCOVERY

Discover Valrhona, a powerhouse among the world's exceptional chocolatiers, where you'll learn all about the creation of the mouthwatering treat, along with the art of pairing chocolate and wine!

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: **easy**

TAIN-L'HERMITAGE WINERY VISIT & TASTING

This enjoyable guided vineyard visit has the ultimate payoff – a tasting of excellent local wines.

LEARN **TASTE** **ACTIVE**

Duration: 4h Difficulty: **moderate**

WINE & WONDERS OF MEDIEVAL TOURNON CASTLE

This 3-hour encounter introduces you to the halls and treasures of Château de Tournon, followed by a wonderful tasting of the Rhône Valley's exceptional red and white wines!

LEARN **TASTE** **ACTIVE**

Duration: 3h Difficulty: **moderate**

VIENNE FRANCE

One of southeastern France's most intriguing former Roman colonies, Vienne already boasted 30,000 inhabitants by the 2nd century. Consequently, ancient sites abound here, like the Temple built to honor the emperor and his wife; the 13,000 spectator-capacity Roman Theater; and the 12th-century Cathedral. Also noteworthy is the Gallo-Roman Museum to see how people lived in the 1st century – with luxury villas and adjoining thermal baths, mosaics, marble sculptures, and more.

VIENNE DISCOVERY WALK

Step into one of southeastern France's most intriguing former Roman colonies on this guided walk through Vienne.

SEE **LEARN** Duration: 2h Difficulty: **moderate**

ROMAN VIENNE WALKING TOUR

Join an expert guide for a fascinating introduction to Vienne's exceptional Roman Empire-era ruins, followed by a relaxing drink and panoramic views over the city.

SEE **LEARN** Duration: 3h Difficulty: **moderate**

ROMAN VIENNE PLUS GALLO-ROMAN MUSEUM

Learn about Vienne's origins as a colony of the Roman Empire during this guided introduction to its Roman ruins, followed by time at the incredible Gallo-Roman Museum.

SEE **LEARN** **CULTURE**

Duration: 3h Difficulty: **moderate**

RHÔNE VALLEY EBIKE ADVENTURE & WINE TASTING

Hop on the seat of an electric bike and join an expert guide for a relaxing ride past the vineyards of the Rhône Valley – complete with a winery tour and tastings of locally produced wines!

SEE **ACTIVE** **TASTE** Duration: 3h Difficulty: **vigorous**

LYON FRANCE

Right where the Rhône and Saône Rivers meet is Lyon, France's gastronomic capital and home to an incredible indoor food market since 1859. Two-thousand years of history are on display in Lyon, with Roman, medieval, and Renaissance treasures, like Place Bellecour, one of Europe's largest town squares; the Old Town's fascinating traboules (secret passageways); Fourvière Basilica; and the UNESCO World Heritage Roman Amphitheater, dating back to around 15 BC.

HIGHLIGHTS OF LYON: FOURVIÈRE, PRESQU'ÎLE & THE OLD TOWN

The best of Lyon is on full display during this engaging guided tour featuring Fourvière Hill, the Presqu'île peninsula, and the charming UNESCO World Heritage Old Town.

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 3h Difficulty: **moderate**

BEAUJOLAIS SAMPLER WITH PRIVATE WINE TASTING

Visit a family winery dating back 350 years and taste the wonderful wines produced there on an enchanting trip into the unforgettable Beaujolais.

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: **moderate**

SIGHTS OF LYON BY EBIKE

Enjoy Lyon from a different perspective as you join an expert guide for an electric bicycle tour past the city's many famous sights!

SEE **LEARN** **ACTIVE**

Duration: 3h Difficulty: **moderate**

MARVELOUS MEDIEVAL PÈROUGESE

Step back into the Middle Ages on this mesmerizing guided walk through timeless Pérouges – with a delicious French treat at the end!

SEE **LEARN** **TASTE** Duration: 4h Difficulty: **moderate**



SOLUTRE ROCK

THE COLORFUL STREET ART OF LYON

Get a totally unique impression of Lyon – through its wonderful collection of street art at the open-air Tony Garnier Urban Museum.

SEE LEARN Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

BARBE ISLAND BY BOAT WITH SPECIAL-ACCESS ABBY TOUR

Get a glimpse at a different part of Lyon during a refreshing boat ride to Barbe Island for a special-access tour of its remarkable 5th-century abbey.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

RIVERSIDE EXCLUSIVE: AN INSIDE LOOK AT THE GRAND HÔTEL DIEU

Visit one of Lyon's most emblematic sites during this Riverside exclusive tour of the Grand Hôtel Dieu, France's one-time premier hospital that today has been transformed into an impressive blend of old and new!

SEE LEARN CULTURE Duration: 3h Difficulty: easy

A DAY IN CHARDONNAY WITH LUNCH & WINE TASTING

An authentic French lunch, a tour and tasting at a renowned wine estate, and guided sightseeing of Old Town Mâcon are just a few of the highlights of this full-day journey into Chardonnay wine country.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: 8h Difficulty: easy

MÂCON FRANCE

Located in the Burgundy region along an important Saône River trade route, 2,000-year-old Mâcon is a collection of colorful façades and round-tile roofs that simply beg to be explored. Charming cobblestones wind their way past ancient town houses and the Gothic towers from Old Saint-Vincent Cathedral. Meanwhile, a 16th-century wooden house with unusual statues of monkeys and masked characters, and Hôtel-Dieu's Louis XV-era apothecary shop also paint a charming scene.

A WALK THROUGH MÂCON

Perched on the Saône River on an important trade route, 2,000-year-old Mâcon is a showcase of colorful facades and round-tile roofs that simply beg to be explored.

SEE LEARN Duration: 2h Difficulty: easy

HIKE TO SOLUTRE ROCK

Grab your hiking shoes and hit the trail on this fun guided hike through the heart of the Pouilly-Fuissé wine region.

SEE LEARN ACTIVE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: vigorous

CHÂTEAU DE CORMATIN

One of the prettiest castles in Burgundy awaits your discovery on this exciting visit to Château de Cormatin.

SEE LEARN CULTURE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

CHARDONNAY EBIKE TOUR & WINE TASTING

Hop on an electric bike and join an expert guide for a scenic ride through the side roads and vineyards of Chardonnay – complete with hand-crafted local snacks and wine tasting!

SEE TASTE ACTIVE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: vigorous

MÂCON TRUFFLE EXPERIENCE

Discover the mystery of truffle-hunting lesson as you visit a traditional French truffle farm and enjoy a tasting of the exclusive product!

SEE LEARN TASTE

Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

A STROLL THROUGH BRANCION

Spend a half-day exploring the quaint Burgundian village of Brancion, home to a beautiful, historic city center.

SEE LEARN Duration: 3.5h Difficulty: easy

TOURNUS FRANCE

Old Town Tournus is nearly perfect. Its history dates back to Roman times, when its position above the Saône River made it easy to defend. Around the medieval center, the 10th-century Abbey of Saint-Philibert strikes a dramatic pose, as does the historic Hôtel-Dieu hospital and physics-defying Logis de la Teste Noire, whose upper level overhangs the ground floor as a way for medieval homeowners to avoid taxes!

TOURNUS TWILIGHT MAGIC & MUSIC

Uniquely Riverside: Experience the stunning evening ambiance of Tournus, along with an exclusive musical treat at a lovely local venue.

SEE CULTURE TASTE Duration: 1.5h Difficulty: easy



BURGUNDY WINE ROAD

CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

FRANCE

The beauty of Chalon-sur-Saône begins with its half-timbered houses, St. Vincent's Cathedral, Baroque Church of Saint-Pierre, and Théâtre Piccolo, which was modeled after the royal opera at Versailles. But the city's pride extends far beyond its enchanting structures. It was also home to French inventor Nicéphore Niépce, pioneer of photography, and Dominique Denon, who helped convert the Louvre Palace into a museum after the French Revolution!

BEAUNE & THE BURGUNDY WINE ROAD

Dive headfirst into France's renowned Burgundy wine region on this excellent journey along the Burgundy Wine Road to Beaune.

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: 4h Difficulty: easy

A TASTE OF CHALON-SUR-SAÔNE

Get a proper introduction to the rich culinary heritage of Chalon during this wonderful guided tour featuring tastings of local favorites and specialties – and wines at a charming cellar!

SEE LEARN TASTE Duration: 3h Difficulty: moderate

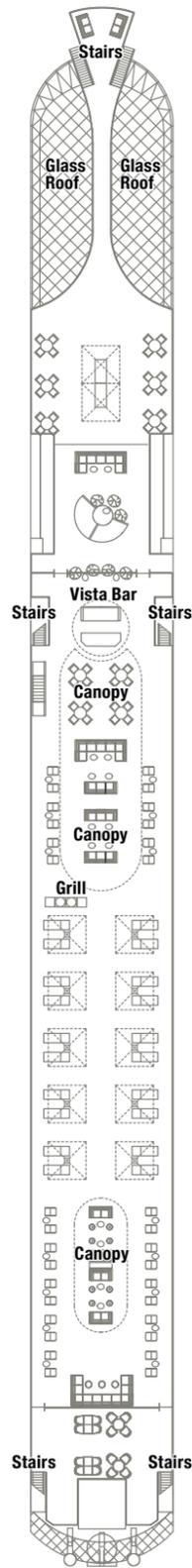
CHALON BY EBIKE WITH WINE TASTING

Hop on the seat of an electric bicycle for a scenic ride out of Chalon-sur-Saône and into the countryside, then stop at an area winery for a tasting paired with a delightful lunch!

SEE TASTE ACTIVE Duration: 4h Difficulty: vigorous



BURGUNDY VINEYARDS



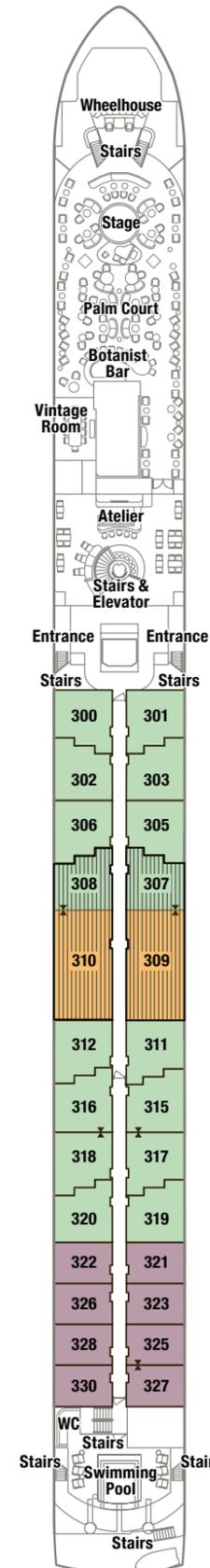
DECK 4

VISTA

- Canopied Seating Areas
- Vista Bar
- Grill

SPECIFICATIONS

- Guest Capacity 110
- Guest-Crew Ratio 1,97
- Crew 55
- Length 443 ft (135 m)
- Width 36 ft (11 m)



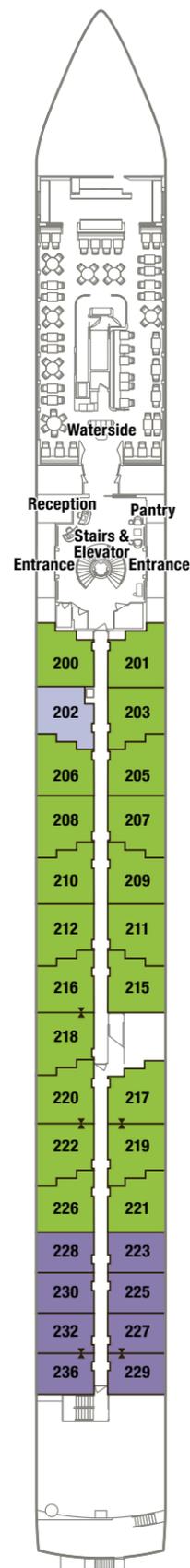
DECK 3

RIVERSIDE

- Atelier
- Palm Court
- Botanist Bar
- Swimming Pool
- Vintage Room
- Wheelhouse

SUITE CATEGORIES

- Owner's Suite 753 sq ft (70 m²)
- Ravel Suite 506 sq ft (47 m²)
- Riverside Suite 258 sq ft (24 m²)
- Symphony Suite 194 sq ft (18 m²)
- Connecting Suites



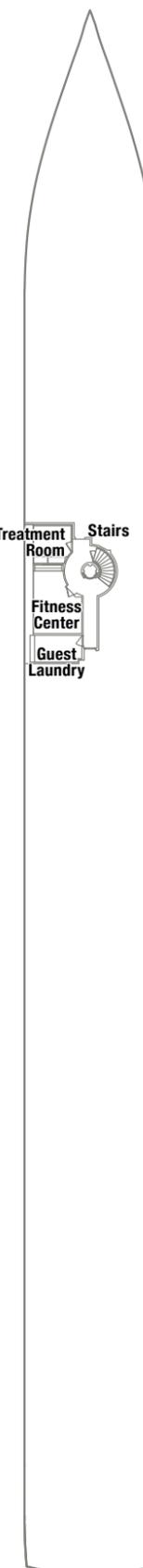
DECK 2

SEAHORSE

- Reception
- Pantry
- Waterside Restaurant

SUITE CATEGORIES

- Seahorse Suite 258 sq ft (24 m²)
- Sonata Suite 237 sq ft (22 m²)
- Melody Suite 194 sq ft (18 m²)
- X Connecting Suites



DECK 1

HARMONY

- Fitness Center
- Guest Laundry
- Fehi Spa treatment room



LYON

TRANSFER INFORMATION

MARSEILLE

Scheduled Marseille Airport transfers for arriving guests depart the airport at 1 pm and 3.30 pm. Flights should arrive prior to 2.30 pm.

Scheduled Marseille Airport transfers for departing guests depart the ship at 8 am and 10.30 am. Flights should not depart prior to 11.30 am.

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VIP Private transfers to/from Lyon Airport, train station or local hotel are included for Owner's, Ravel, and Riverside Suite guests or are available for purchase.

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