



# AMADEUS

RIVER CRUISES

REPINE TRAVEL PRESENTS  
CLASSICAL RHINE

(Amsterdam to Basel)

WITH AMADEUS RIVER CRUISES ON THE AMADEUS IMPERIAL

8 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS ~ APRIL 20 – 27, 2021

*Air departs US on April 19<sup>th</sup> to arrive in Amsterdam on April 20<sup>th</sup>.*

*Discover the many beautiful facets of "Father Rhine" during this week long cruise along one of the most important and attractive rivers of Europe. Along the way you will pass the Dutch IJsselmeer and take a detour along the winding Moselle river. Delight in the panorama of the myth enshrouded Middle Rhine Valley with its winelands, the prominent Lorelei rock, and the highest density of castles in the world. Further highlights of this trip include visits to the very historic river cities of Amsterdam, Cologne, Strasbourg and Basel.*

#### DAY 1 | AMSTERDAM

This afternoon, embark the vessel and get settled into your cabin. This evening, enjoy a Welcome Cocktail, followed by a specially-prepared Welcome Dinner.

#### DAY 2 | AMSTERDAM > HOORN

After a restful night on board, set off to see the sights of one of the most unique cities in Europe. Beautiful bridges connect the numerous parts of the city divided by hundreds of canals and waterways, overlooked by 17th century architecture. Be sure to stop by the Oude Kerk (Old Church), the oldest building in the city. In a nearby village, visit a cheese farm to learn about Dutch cheese production. Rejoin the ship in Hoorn for lunch. In the afternoon we will cruise along the IJsselmeer. This evening, enjoy a delicious dinner as we continue to explore the Netherlands.

#### DAY 3 | COLOGNE

After lunch, view our arrival into the beautiful city of Cologne. Every year visitors from all over the world are drawn to the historical city and its 2000-year history. Explore the historic Old Town, visit the famous twin-spired Cologne Cathedral, or perhaps sample some of the famous Kölsch beer brewed in Cologne. There are many medieval houses, bridges, and gates that will delight the historian in you, while the more modern skyscrapers that tower overhead are sure to impress. After an exciting day, we return to the vessel and make our way south.

#### DAY 4 | COCHEM

Today our Amadeus vessel takes a special trip down the romantic Moselle river, the largest tributary of the Rhine, and anchors at the old town of Cochem. The scenery in the Moselle Valley has been dominated by vineyards for millennia. Cochem itself has narrow streets, twisting alleys and medieval town gates, churches and walls. Discover the beauty of Cochem and perhaps sample some of the Riesling wines produced in this region. This evening we set off towards Koblenz.





#### DAY 5 | KOBLENZ > RUDESHEIM

This morning arrive in Koblenz, ideally situated at the confluence of the Rhine and the Moselle rivers. The Romans, the Franks, the Holy Roman Empire, the French, and the Germans have all had a hand in this strategic city's 2000 year history. St. Castor Basilica, the Church of our Beloved Lady, and the Emperor Kaiser Wilhelm's memorial at the German Corner, are just a few of the sites which reflect the history of the area.

This afternoon, spend time on deck as we cruise the most beautiful section of the river – the legendary Upper Middle Rhine Valley. Late this afternoon, the vessel arrives in Rudesheim, a winemaking town in the Rhine Gorge. Discover the region's rich history of winemaking - perhaps visit the local museum - a great place to start. Back onboard your crew awaits with a delicious dinner.

#### DAY 6 | MANNHEIM > SPEYER

After breakfast, explore the bustling metropolis of Mannheim. This unique city has many sights to see including the University of Mannheim, the National Theater Mannheim, and St. Sebastian's Church. It is also home to Luisenpark, one of the most beautiful parks in all of Germany. Nearby Heidelberg is another old university city which is also a worthwhile visit. This afternoon's call is at Speyer, a city known for its Cathedral where eight Roman Emperors and German Kings are interred. The Old Town Gate, Memorial Church, and Transportation Museum are all highlights of this beautiful city. Tonight, enjoy the Captain's Gala Dinner after your exciting day.

#### DAY 7 | STRASBOURG

This morning we arrive in the dynamic capital of Alsace. This beautiful city's sights include the famous cathedral Strasbourg Münster and the Petite France quarter, a former mill and tanner district that still maintains its medieval charm. Half-timbered houses, the Ponts Couverts, the Palais de Rohan, the Council of Europe are among the wonders that Strasbourg holds in store for you. The Grand Island, the city center, is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and is connected to the rest of the city by 22 stone bridges. After lunch onboard, take in the sites of the romantic Rhine as we move towards Switzerland, our final destination.

#### DAY 8 | BASEL

After breakfast we bid you farewell. We hope to welcome you again soon!

Outside Cabin Category	C1	\$4,779
French Balcony Cabin Category	B1	\$5,448
French Balcony Cabin Category	A1	\$5,792

Rates are per person double occupancy and include roundtrip airfare from Pittsburgh, cruise, port charges, government fees, taxes and transfers to/from ship. AMADEUS RIVER CRUISES HAS ADVISED THAT ALL AIR PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE AND ARE NOT GUARANTEED UNTIL FULL PAYMENT HAS BEEN RECEIVED.

#### PASSPORT REQUIRED

**DEPOSIT POLICY:** An initial deposit of \$500 per person double occupancy or \$1000 per person single occupancy is required in order to secure reservations and assign cabins. Final payment is due by November 20, 2020. **Those who book early get the best prices, the best cabin locations and their preferred dining times. \$100 OF YOUR DEPOSIT IS NON-REFUNDABLE UP UNTIL TIME OF FINAL PAYMENT. AFTER FINAL PAYMENT, ADDITIONAL CANCELLATION PENALTIES APPLY.**

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