

SCENIC°

LUXURY CRUISES & TOURS

IDYLIC RHÔNE

8 Days  Lyon > Nice | April 28-May 5, 2024 | Scenic Sapphire

\$1,200
SAVINGS
PER PERSON

Your senses will be awakened in the South of France

The wonderful Rhône Valley will set your senses ablaze with a myriad of flavors, scents and experiences on offer during your cruise. Discover why this region is rightly famous for its beauty, cuisine and architecture. Cruise along the romantic Rhône River, with its picturesque villages and beautiful towns. Drift through a land of resplendent castles and awe-inspiring cathedrals.

Cruise pricing starting from **\$4,695** per person



All-inclusive highlights

- 5-Star Scenic Space-Ship with up to 149 guests
- Spacious Balcony Suites with a Scenic Sun Lounge
- 1 Scenic Enrich experience – Exclusive to Scenic
- Scenic Culinaire – Exclusive on board cooking lessons
- Personalize your trip with 6 included Scenic Freechoice activities
- Dine at your choice of up to five on board venues, from casual to fine dining
- All meals included
- Complimentary premium beverages all day, every day – not just at meal times
- Butler service for every suite
- Complimentary full mini-bar restocked daily
- Innovative Salt Therapy Lounge and fitness area
- Scenic Tailormade App for river commentary and independent exploration
- The freedom of our e-bikes – electronically assisted bicycles
- Scenic Cruise Director, Enrichment Manager & expert local guides
- Complimentary Wi-Fi throughout your cruise
- Return airport transfers
- All tipping and gratuities on board and on shore

Wine Host Bio



Dan Zepponi
President and CEO of Cuvaison



CUVAISON

Since 1969, Cuvaison has helped define the modern era of Napa Valley winemaking and has played a key role in introducing luxury Napa Valley Chardonnay and Pinot Noir to the world.

An early pioneer of the Los Carneros region, Cuvaison has championed vibrant and vineyard-driven expressions of exceptional cool-climate wines.

As the President and CEO of Cuvaison Estate, Dan Zepponi literally brings a lifetime of knowledge and experience to his role guiding the future of Cuvaison. Having worked in every facet of the wine industry, Dan applies what he calls a root-to-wine approach that empowers his team to create wines that are quintessential expressions of their appellation, and of the estate vineyard where they are grown.

For Reservations & Information, Please Contact:



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Day 1

Lyon

Arrive in Lyon where you'll be warmly welcomed on board your Scenic Space-Ship.

Meals: D.

Day 2

Lyon

Set on the confluence of the Rhône and Saône rivers, Lyon is renowned as the gastronomic heart of France.

Freechoice: Walk Lyon's hidden traboules, then continue to Notre Dame Basilica, which offers fabulous views across the city or join a guided bike ride to Lyon's Botanical Gardens and Zoo. Alternatively, walk the cobblestone paths in the medieval hilltop town of Pérouges.

This afternoon set sail for Mâcon. Watch the scenery float by from the sun deck or Panorama Lounge, relax in the Wellness center or perhaps take a lesson in French cookery in Scenic Culinaire.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 3

Mâcon

Freechoice: Travel to the 'Golden Stone' region of Beaujolais, and enjoy a tasting of the region's wines. Or, explore charming Cluny, built around the great Benedictine Abbey. Alternatively, visit Château de Cormatin, boasting beautiful gardens and 17th century architecture.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 4

Vienne

Freechoice: Take a walking tour in Vienne including a visit to the Roman amphitheatre and uncover the fascinating history of this quaint riverside town, once conquered by Julius Caesar. Or, for the more active, take in the picturesque landscapes of this region on a bicycle.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 5

Viviers > Avignon

Freechoice: This morning, enjoy a walking tour of the ancient town of Viviers, nestled between hill and river, and visit its imposing cathedral. Alternatively, visit the beautiful provincial town of Grignan. In the afternoon, you may choose to visit a Truffle Nursery and learn how truffles are produced, as well as their many uses or enjoy a lesson in French cuisine with Scenic Culinaire.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 6

Avignon

Freechoice: Shop with a Chef at the market then cook up a storm in Scenic Culinaire, or explore Avignon's architectural wonder, the Pope's Palace. Alternatively, take an excursion to Pont du Gard, the impressive ancient Roman aqueduct, or sample the celebrated wines of Châteauneuf-du-Pape at a Côtes du Rhône vineyard. This afternoon enjoy free time to explore on your own.

Enrich

After the doors close to the general public at Avignon's prestigious Palais des Papes, you'll be invited for an exclusive concert inside this elegant 14th century palace.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 7

Avignon > Tarascon

Freechoice: Visit Les Baux, and drop into a local olive farm, or follow in the footsteps of Van Gogh during an excursion to Saint-Rémy and Saint-Paul de Mausole Monastery. Alternatively, visit Arles Arena on your tour of this once thriving Roman city. Alternatively stay on board for a painting class and learn about the region's artistic heritage.

Meals: B.L.D.

Day 8



Tarascon

After breakfast, disembark and transfer to Marseille or Nice airport for your onward journey.

Meals: B.

This itinerary is a guide only and may be amended for operational reasons such as high and low water. As such, the cruise may operate altered from that stated above.

Key

-  Scenic Enrich
-  Freechoice

Meals: Breakfast (B). Lunch (L). Dinner (D).



— River cruise  Cruise start/finish  Enrich  Freechoice  Overnight