



PORTUGAL and the Douro River Cruise

**July 8-18, 2020
11 days / 10 nights
Prices begin at \$ 4,999**

SPEND TWO NIGHTS EXPLORING LISBON, THEN SET SAIL THROUGH THE PORTUGUESE FRONTIER WITH A 7-NIGHT CRUISE ON THE EMERALD RADIANCE. EMBARK IN PORTO, PORTUGAL AND TRAVEL TO SPAIN'S WALLED CITY OF SALAMANCA AND RETURN TO PORTO. SEE THE QUAIN AND HISTORIC TOWNS OF PORTUGAL ALONG THE DOURO RIVER. PORTUGAL IS A DELIGHTFUL COUNTRY WITH BEAUTIFUL TOWNS, PICTURE-PERFECT VILLAGES, AND SCENIC VISTAS.

Day 1 - INDEPENDENCE/NEWARK/WILMINGTON/PHILADELPHIA AIRPORT

An afternoon departure for Philadelphia Airport to board our overnight flight to Lisbon. Meals:D in flight

Day 2 - LISBON

Upon arrival, you will be met by a Mayflower Cruises & Tours representative and transferred to your hotel. The remainder of the day is at leisure to explore Lisbon. This evening, join your Mayflower staff and fellow travelers for an included dinner. Meals: B in flight, D

HOTEL SANA LISBOA, LISBON

Day 3 - LISBON

After breakfast, an included tour highlights the famous sites of the city. See Jerónimos Monastery, 'Monument to the Discoveries,' and Belem Tower, a UNESCO World Heritage Site. Enjoy a free afternoon to shop, dine and experience this cosmopolitan city on your own. Meal: B

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Day 4 - FATIMA/COIMBRA

Enroute to the ship in Porto visit Fátima, home to the Sanctuary of Fátima, an important Catholic pilgrimage site. The city's fame originates from the apparitions of Our Lady of the Rosary that appeared to three shepherd children in the nearby fields. Continue to Coimbra and its famous university before arriving in Porto to embark the MS Emerald Radiance, home for the next seven nights. Meals: B, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 5 - PORTO/PINHAO

Today is a day of sailing through the twists and turns of the Douro Valley. Designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site, this area is sparsely populated by small quaint villages and typical communities with vineyards and small farms. This afternoon, the ship arrives in the village of Pinhão, perfectly situated on a river bend surrounded by terraced hillsides that produce some of the world's best Port wine. Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 6 - PINHAO/VEGA de TERRON

Begin the day with a visit to a beautiful quinta vineyard with spectacular views of the Douro Valley. Learn about wine production and its importance to the culture and economy. This afternoon, the ship sails for Vega de Terron, gateway to Spain. Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 7 - SALAMANCA, SPAIN

Today's excursion takes you to the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Salamanca, Spain. During the guided walking tour, see amazingly detailed and intricately carved buildings of the university, the 12th-century Romanesque church of San Martin and the house of Shells. Regal splendor abounds in the Plaza Mayor, the heartbeat of the city. You'll have free time to explore independently before returning to the ship in Portugal.

Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 8 - POCINHO

Arrive in Pocinho and disembark for a morning excursion to the Coa Valley Museum. Designed to blend in with its surroundings, the concrete structure houses prehistoric stone carvings made by the early inhabitants of the Douro which were uncovered during construction of a nearby dam project. Return to the ship for lunch and relax on deck as the ship sails through idyllic surroundings on the way to Régua. This evening, enjoy an off-ship dinner at a traditional vineyard estate. Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 9 - REGUA

After arriving in Régua, journey to the marvelous baroque village of Lamego, home to the Sanctuary of Our Lady of Remedies - one of the most important pilgrimage sites in Portugal. See the Sanctuary perched atop the hill, with its iconic 686-step granite staircase, decorated with the traditional Portuguese blue and white 'azulejos' tiles. Return to the ship in Régua after the excursion. Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 10 - PORTO

Having traversed the Douro River, the ship returns to Porto – a city with an eclectic mix of modern and ancient architecture. An included tour highlights the sights from historic landmarks to the scenic beauty. And it wouldn't be complete without a visit to a wine cave for a tour and tasting of Port wine. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure in Porto. Meals: B, L, D

MS EMERALD RADIANCE

Day 11 - PORTO/PHL/HOME

Morning transfer to the airport for your return flight to Philadelphia where transportation will be waiting to return you home. Meal: B

CATEGORY	DECKS	PRICE PER PERSON
E,D Emerald Stateroom	Riviera	\$4,999
B,C Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$5,399
R Panorama Balcony Suite	Vista	\$5,699
A Panorama Balcony Suite	Horizon	\$5,999

plus 2 FOR 1 AIRFARE, \$725 PER PERSON

TOUR INCLUSIONS: Roundtrip transportation from Independence, Newark and Wilmington to Philadelphia Airport * air from PHL/Lisbon, Portugal and from Porto, Portugal /PHL* airline taxes and government fees (subject to change until ticketed) * accommodations for 2 nights in first class hotels based on double occupancy * 7-night cruise on the new deluxe Emerald Radiance* admission to all sightseeing as per itinerary with local English-speaking guides * meals include 10 breakfasts, 5 lunches and 9 dinners * roundtrip transfers between airport and hotels * taxes and gratuities for included meals and luggage handling at hotels *

CONDITIONS: A deposit of \$400 is due with each reservation. Deposits are non-refundable. Final payment is due March 31, 2020. After final payment date, there are no refunds. **TRIP INTERRUPTION/CANCELLATION INSURANCE IS RECOMMENDED AND AVAILABLE FROM 4 SEASONS TOURS.**

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