





The South of France and Provence

March 24-April 1, 2025

From \$3,699 Air & Land 9 Days, 8 Nights Including Hotels, Meals, Day Trips, & Airfare From Boston



Explore the diverse landscapes of Provence, a region in southeastern France bordering Italy and the Mediterranean Sea. Stay in Avignon and embark on a mesmerizing journey, experiencing the enchanting towns of Orange, St. Remy, Les Baux, Arles, and Aix-en-Provence. Discover the ancient wonders of Orange, where you can marvel at the well-preserved Roman architecture. Take a stroll through the charming market town of St. Remy and soak in its delightful ambiance. Step back in time in Les Baux, perched upon a rock that offers breathtaking views and a glimpse into the region's rich history. Discover the artistic heritage of Arles, a city that inspired Vincent van Gogh. Then, immerse yourself in the captivating beauty of Aix-en-Provence, known for its elegant architecture, charming squares, and artistic ambiance. Then, indulge in the allure of the French Riviera, staying in the elegant city of Cannes, home of the famous film festival. Visit vibrant, Nice, and glamorous towns like Monaco and Monte Carlo. Who knows, you could win the jackpot in the famous casino! Then, experience the best of both worlds with a visit to Milan, the fashion capital of Italy, on an extension. Fulfill your dreams with this enchanting program.

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Included Features:

- ROUND TRIP AIR Air transportation from Boston
- FIRST-CLASS HOTELS First Class hotel accommodations for 7 nights
- MEALS 10 included meals consisting of 7 buffet breakfasts and 3 dinners
- THE PROGRAM Sightseeing, including local guide and all entrance fees as follows: City tour of Avignon, Tour of Orange/St. Remy/Les Baux/Arles, Tour of Aix-en-Provence, City tour of Nice, Full day tour of Cannes and St. Paul-de-Vence. Optional tours available
- JOURNEY OF DISCOVERY Our program encompasses cultural connections, in-depth learning on the local economy and social systems, and interaction with locals such as a visit to a winery, and demonstrations on olive oil and cheese
- **TOUR DIRECTOR** Assistance of a professional Tour Director for the entire length of the tour upon arrival in France
- FIRST CLASS MOTORCOACHES Touring by private first-class airconditioned motor coach
- **BAGGAGE AND TRANSFERS** Baggage handling for one piece of checked luggage outside of the airport

Optional Extension to Milan:

- FIRST-CLASS ACCOMMODATIONS Hotel accommodations for 2 nights
- MEALS 2 included meals consisting of 2 buffet breakfasts
- SIGHTSEEING TOUR PROGRAM Sightseeing, including local guide and all entrance fees as follows: City tour of Milan
- **TOUR DIRECTOR** Assistance of a professional Tour Director for the entire length of the tour
- FIRST CLASS MOTORCOACHES Touring by private first-class airconditioned motor coach
- **BAGGAGE AND TRANSFERS** Baggage handling for one piece of checked luggage outside of the airport

The Tour Price: is \$3,699 per person, double occupancy including a free Monte Carlo Tour. For single occupancy, add \$799 (limited availability). Fuel surcharges of \$350 & land taxes & other fees are currently \$150 per person are included. Fuel surcharges & taxes are valid at the time of printing but are subject to change. The price of \$3,699 is an early bird special if the program is reserved with a deposit by October 11, 2024. The price increases by \$100 per person (\$3,799) + \$159 per person for the Monte Carlo Tour after this date.

Optional Milan Extension: \$799 double occupancy, add \$299 for the single supplement.

Please note: Though rare, it may be necessary to substitute hotels & adjust itineraries/tours at guide's discretion due to local conditions. For full pricing details and to reserve click the red link on the front page of this brochure.



Destination Highlights: Relaxing 4 nights in Avignon • Avignon, the city of the Popes • Palais des Papes, largest Gothic palace ever built • Majestic Pont d' Avignon • Ancient villages of Provence • Roman Theatre of Orange, a World Heritage site • Famous Rhône wine region & Wine Tasting • St. Remy de Provence home of Vincent van Gogh • Les Baux de-Provence • Fabulous Roman ruins of Arles • Colored houses of Roussillon • Gordes, hilltop village • The Senangue Abbey, founded in 1148 by Cistercian monks • Lavender Museum • Spectacular Aix en Provence • 3 nights in Cannes • Bustling and elegant city of Nice • Year-round sunshine and outstanding food • Glitz and glamour of Cannes and Monte Carlo • Hilltop towns of Eze and St. Paul-de-Vence • Fragonard perfume factory visit • Villefranche, • Milan, fashion & design capital • Milan's Gothic Duomo • World-famous Scala Opera House and more...





Day 1 Depart USA Embark on an overnight flight from the US to Marseille, France. Enjoy onboard meals and refreshments on the journey.

Day 2 Arrive Marseille, France Upon arrival at Marseille airport, meet your tour director and transfer to your hotel in Avignon. Welcome to Avignon, a captivating city with a blend of history, culture, and natural beauty, offering iconic landmarks like the Palais des Papes, the renowned Pont d'Avignon, delightful Provençal cuisine, vibrant markets, and a charming atmosphere that transports you back in time. The remainder of the day will be yours to relax and enjoy. **Day 3 Avignon – Orange-St. Remy De Provence - Les Baux De Provence- Arles** Explore a UNESCO World Heritage site as your day begins with a visit to Orange—Marvel at the well-preserved Roman Triumphal Arch, a symbol of imperial glory. Embark on a scenic journey through vineyards from Orange to Chateauneuf-du-Pape, where you'll indulge in a prestigious Rhone Valley wine tasting. Afterward, proceed to the picturesque market town of St. Remy-de-Provence, with its charming medieval streets and upscale boutiques offering local products. Continue your adventure with visits to Les Baux-de-Provence, perched upon a rock, and the medieval city of Arles, showcasing the fusion of ancient and medieval European civilization. Conclude your day with a dinner at the hotel. (B, D)

Day 4 Avignon - City Tour This morning you discover the captivating city of Avignon, known as the city of the Popes. On our city tour, explore the impressive Popes' Palace, the largest Gothic palace globally, marvel at the majestic Pont d'Avignon and experience the ancient city walls. Enjoy your afternoon with the freedom to explore or take an optional tour of Gordes, a picturesque hilltop village in the scenic Luberon region. Experience the village's white stone houses nestled into the cliffside and wander through its charming cobblestone streets. Continue your journey to Roussillon, a village that has inspired many artists, boasting vibrant houses, and art galleries. Next, visit the iconic 12th-century Abbey of Senanque, a symbol of Provence's beauty and still inhabited by monks. Discover the cultivation of lavender, known as "the blue gold," at the Lavender Museum. (B)

Day 5 Avignon – Aix-en-Provence-Cannes Today journey to the enchanting Côte d'Azur, with your final destination being the glamorous city of Cannes. Along the way, explore the spectacular town of Aix-en-Provence, immersing your-self in its rich history and cultural treasures, including remnants of the Roman city and captivating Gothic cloisters. Admire the neoclassical houses in the Mazarin quarter that have inspired writers and artists for centuries. Enjoy some free time for a delightful lunch before continuing to Cannes, a Mediterranean paradise known for its stunning sandy beaches, elegant palm lined boulevards, upscale shopping, and home to the world-renowned international film festival. Discover the city's allure as you check into your hotel and prepare to indulge. Conclude your day with a dinner at the hotel, savoring the beginning of your Cannes experience. (B, D)

Day 6 Cannes – City Tour Experience the charm of Cannes with a captivating morning bus/walking tour. Uncover the city's fascinating history, starting with Lord Brougham's discovery in 1834, which transformed Cannes into a haven for the international elite and forever linked it to the renowned International Film Festival. Marvel at the iconic Palais des Festivals, featuring a picturesque harbor, and stroll along La Croisette, a symbol of elegance and one of the most exquisite seaside promenades worldwide. Delve into the enchanting Le Suquet, the Old Town, with its medieval streets and Renaissance houses, offering a delightful maze to explore. Enjoy an afternoon at your leisure, whether it's indulging in shopping, unwinding on the beautiful beaches, or simply savoring a cup of coffee while observing the vibrant atmosphere of this captivating city. (B)

Day 7 Cannes - Nice City Tour - St. Paul-de-Vence Begin your day with a captivating city tour of the beautiful town of Nice. Marvel at the world-famous Promenade des Anglais, renowned for its picturesque seafront and elegant Belle



Époque-style buildings. Explore the vibrant Marché aux Fleurs, one of France's premier markets, offering an array of delectable fruits, vegetables, and local flowers. Next, venture to the enchanting medieval village of St. Paulde-Vence. This village is an authentic representation of Provence's charm hidden behind ancient ramparts. Discover its artistic legacy as painters like Chagall once resided here and find their final resting place. Here you will sample the region's local specialties, including olive oil, cheese, and wine. (B)

Day 8 Cannes Today enjoy some free time to experience the Riviera or embark on an optional tour exploring Villefranche, Monaco, Monte Carlo, and Eze. Begin with a visit to the renowned Fragonard perfumery, where you'll uncover the secrets of fragrances and delve into the fascinating history of perfume-making. Experience the medieval charm of Villefranche, with its rich seaport heritage reflected in its tranquil squares and the picturesque Place de l'Eglise. Enjoy free time for a delightful lunch at your leisure. Next, venture into the elegant Principality of Monaco, where Monte Carlo beckons with its lavish attractions, from opulent casinos to elegant balls, drawing international jet setters. Conclude your journey in the enchanting village of Eze, perched atop a rocky hill, offering narrow cobblestone streets, breathtaking views of the hills, and azure waters below. Tonight, enjoy a farewell dinner at a local restaurant, as you bid adieu to this captivating destination. (B, D)

Day 9 Cannes to USA Conclude your French adventure with fond memories and unforgettable experiences as you transfer to the airport for your return flight home. (B)

Optional Milan Extension

Day 9 Cannes to Milan, Italy This morning, bid farewell to Cannes and the stunning landscapes of Southern France as you set off toward Milan, Italy. Along the way, you'll stop in Genoa, a city with a rich maritime history dating back to the Roman Empire. Here, enjoy a brief walking tour that includes visiting the boyhood home of Christopher Columbus, followed by some free time to explore and grab lunch. The journey continues through the picturesque Ligurian Alps, where you'll be treated to breathtaking views of rolling hills, vineyards, and charming villages. As you go through the Piedmont region, known for its exquisite wines and beautiful countryside, you'll arrive in Milan, the world-renowned capital of fashion and design. After checking in to your hotel, take some time to relax and unwind. (B)

Day 10 Milan – City tour Today, embark on a half-day tour of Milan, where you'll discover the city's most iconic landmarks and delve into its fascinating history. Begin at the medieval Sforza Castle, an emblematic fortress built by the 4th Duke of Milan. Next, visit the majestic Duomo, Italy's largest Gothic cathedral, famous for its 135 marble spires and the golden Madonnina that crowns its highest point. Your tour includes access to the rooftop, offering spectacular city views. Continue to the world-famous Scala Opera House and stroll through the elegant Galleria Vittorio Emanuele, a shopping paradise. The tour concludes with a visit to the Santa Maria delle Grazie Basilica. Enjoy free time to dine at one of Milan's many delightful restaurants or cafés in the evening. (B)

Day 11 Milan to USA Bid farewell to Milan as you head to the airport for your return flight home. (B)

Please note: Travel insurance can be purchased after you have reserved your trip in our booking engine! Quest Voyager highly recommends travel insurance, either standard or Cancel for Any Reason. This program is classified as a level 2 program - A light activity tour. There is easy walking throughout the day. Plan to get on & off the coach/boat, with light walking tours, some stairs & uneven surfaces, through cities & sights such as museums.

(B) – Breakfast, (L) – Lunch, (D) – Dinner. Hotels (when listed) & Itinerary are subject to change.