

SYMPHONY ON THE

BLUE DANUBE

FEATURING PRAGUE



Founded in 1089, the Austrian Benedictine Abbey of Melk houses a world-renowned monastic library.

isit five countries and up to five UNESCO World Heritage sites on this exclusive journey to the cultural centers that inspired classical music's Great Masters. Framed by rolling hillsides, lush vineyards and medieval castles, the Danube River Valley has resonated with musicians, artists, poets and travelers throughout the centuries and has contributed to the world the genius of its most renowned virtuosos. This unique combination of river and land travel includes three nights in the medieval gem of Prague and a five-night cruise on the legendary Blue Danube from Passau, Germany, to Budapest, Hungary, through the stunning Wachau Valley aboard the deluxe M.S. AMADEUS BRILLIANT, one of the finest ships to ply the waterways of Europe. The custom-designed itinerary has been carefully orchestrated to include private performances featuring the musical heritage of Europe's accomplished composers, including Mozart and Beethoven, and a comprehensive schedule of exclusive expert lectures and guided excursions featuring magnificent Melk Abbey, the storybook village of Dürnstein, imperial Vienna and medieval Bratislava. Berlin Pre-Program and Budapest Post-Program Options are offered.



June 22 to July 1, 2017

ITINERARY

- 1 Depart the U.S.
- 2 Prague, Czech Republic
- 3 Prague
- 4 Prague
- 5 Prague/Passau, Germany/ Embark M.S. AMADEUS BRILLIANT
- 6 Melk, Austria/Dürnstein
- 7 Vienna
- 8 Vienna/Bratislava, Slovakia
- 9 Budapest, Hungary
- 10 Budapest/Disembark ship/ Return to the U.S.

Cruise itinerary is subject to change.

DELUXE SMALL RIVER SHIP M.S. AMADEUS BRILLIANT



- Exclusively chartered
- Atmosphere of classical elegance
- 74 deluxe river-view Staterooms
- Most Staterooms have French balconies
- Complimentary wine and beer are served with lunch and dinner
- Deluxe amenities of a luxury hotel
- Spacious Staterooms

- Modern haute cuisine in a single seating
- Tremendous value
- Combined with exciting land visits!



Cabin Category 2



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INCLUDED FEATURES

- * Three nights in the centrally located, deluxe InterContinental Praha Hotel, with breakfast each morning.
- Welcome Reception in the hotel.
- Walking tour of Prague's historic center, a UNESCO World Heritage site, through the Staré Město (Old Town) and Josefov (Jewish Quarter).
- Private tour of the Estates Theatre with an exclusive short private performance of Mozart compositions.
- Visit to the magnificent Hradčany Castle complex, including its Gothic-style St. Vitus Cathedral.
- Specially arranged guided tour of Lobkowicz Palace with private concert of classical music.
- Private tour of the Art Nouveau Municipal House.

Scenic transfer from Prague to Passau, Germany, and a walking tour of Passau featuring its charming Altstadt (Old Town) and a visit to the 12th-century St. Stephan's Cathedral, with lunch.

ON BOARD THE EXCLUSIVELY CHARTERED, DELUXE M.S. AMADEUS BRILLIANT

- Five-night cruise on the legendary Danube River from Passau, Germany, to Budapest, Hungary, with port calls at Melk, Dürnstein and Vienna, Austria; and Bratislava, Slovakia.
- Deluxe, river-view, air-conditioned Suite or Stateroom, each with a private bathroom.

- All meals served at single, unassigned seatings—early-risers' coffee, buffet breakfast and lunch, afternoon tea, four-course dinner and late-evening snack—featuring fine continental cuisine.
- Complimentary house wine and beer are served with lunch and dinner.
- Captain's Welcome and Farewell Receptions.
- Two specially arranged classical performances by the ship's musicians.
- Tour of the magnificent Benedictine Abbey of Melk, a Baroque masterpiece.
- Walking tour of picturesque Dürnstein, featuring a brief, private organ recital inside Stiftskirche Dürnstein.
- Cruise through the scenic Wachau Valley, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Panoramic tour of the world-class city of Vienna, a UNESCO World Heritage site, featuring a private performance of Mozart's music.
- Guided tour of Bratislava's medieval Old Town.
- Tour of Budapest, a UNESCO World Heritage site, highlighted by a visit to the Hungarian State Opera House and a private, specially arranged, brief aria performance.
- Specially arranged, exclusive Hungarian folklore performance on board.

BERLIN

PRE-TOUR three-night OPTION

BUDAPEST

Post-Tour two-night Option

The Travel Program outlined here is subject to the features, final pricing and terms and conditions set forth in the published Travel Program brochure. Upon receipt of the published Travel Program brochure, you will be given 10 days to reconfirm your reservation, at which time any deposit(s) will become subject to cancellation fees.

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