





# GREAT PACIFIC NORTHWEST

7 nights aboard the *American Empress*<sup>®</sup> VANCOUVER 10 CLARKSTON ◆ AUG. 16–24, 2020

# Columbia & Snake Rivers luxury cruise featuring:

- INCLUDED 1-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE HOTEL STAY
- COMPLIMENTARY HOP-ON HOP-OFF SHORE EXCURSIONS

Sail the Columbia and Snake Rivers as they wind through gentle hills, imposing mountains, dramatic canyons, and fertile fields on this outstanding seven-night journey aboard the *American Empress*.

#### DAY 1: PORTLAND, OREGON/VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON

Fly into Portland and make your way to Vancouver. Enjoy a one-night stay at a Vancouver hotel. **An additional one-night Go Next Willamette Valley and Portland Pre-Cruise Program will also be offered.** 

#### **DAY 2: VANCOUVER, WASHINGTON**

Known for its inventive and artisan flair, Vancouver offers no shortage of trendy coffeehouses, craft breweries, and farm-to-table restaurants. The city is also home to a bounty of colorful gardens and boasts easy access to the great outdoors. Explore the promenade that runs along the Columbia River and browse the shops and local galleries before boarding the *American Empress*.

#### **DAY 3: ASTORIA. OREGON**

Where the Columbia River meets the Pacific Ocean, you'll find the oldest city west of the Rockies—Astoria. Named for John Jacob Astor, the owner of the American Fur Company, this "Little San Francisco" is bursting with character, from its steep hillsides blanketed in sprawling Victorian homes and art deco buildings to its maritime relics and downtown studded with chic cafés and shops.

#### **DAY 4: THE DALLES. OREGON**

Sail to this quintessential frontier town that rests on a crescent bend of the Columbia River. The Dalles lies between Mt. Hood and Mt. Adams and welcomes visitors with its picturesque backdrop of forests, orchards, and high desert. Once known as the end of the Oregon Trail, The Dalles occupied a strategic transfer point for westbound pioneers.

#### **DAY 5: STEVENSON, WASHINGTON**

Nestled in the heart of the Columbia River Gorge National Scenic Area, the laid-back town of Stevenson offers visitors small-town charm. View the peaceful riverfront parks or stop in at a local pub.

#### **DAY 6: RIVER CRUISING**

#### DAY 7: RICHLAND (TRI-CITIES), WASHINGTON

The Tri-Cities metropolitan area is known for its outdoor recreation and natural attractions, including Sacajawea State Park, where Lewis and Clark and their Shoshone guide camped in 1805 during their famous expedition. Nearby you'll find Washington's Red Mountain AVA (American Viticultural Area), a small wine grape growing region sprinkled with award-winning wineries.

### **DAY 8: CLARKSTON, WASHINGTON**

Situated in the beautiful Lewis-Clark Valley—the centuries-old home of the indigenous Nez Perce tribe—are the sister cities of Lewiston, Idaho and Clarkston, Washington. Founded in the nineteenth century as a way station for gold prospectors bound for Idaho, Clarkston is famed as the gateway to Hells Canyon, North America's deepest river gorge.

#### DAY 8: CLARKSTON/SPOKANE, WASHINGTON

Disembark in Clarkston and bid farewell to the *American Empress*. Transfer to Spokane for your return flight home.

**STATEROOM CATEGORIES** (Fares are per person)

Outside Stateroom with Window

D **\$3.899** 

Veranda Stateroom

E **\$3,999** 

Single Outside Veranda Stateroom

CS **\$5,999** 

Deluxe Veranda Stateroom

C **\$4,299** 

Superior Veranda Stateroom

B \$5,699

Suite with Veranda

A \$6,699
Luxury Suite with Veranda

LS **\$9,499** 



**Prices are per person, double occupancy (unless indicated).** Onboard meals, refreshments, and entertainment are included. Airfare and airport transfers are not included. Port charges of \$199 per person and gratuities are additional. **Prices, itinerary, and offer are subject to change.** 



## **CRUISE PROGRAM INCLUDES**

- 7 nights aboard the American Empress with all meals included
- 1-night pre-cruise hotel stay
- Complimentary Hop-On Hop-Off shore excursions to fascinating river towns and cities with a dedicated fleet of luxury coaches
- Onboard entertainment
- Daily lectures by the onboard Riverlorian
- An array of sumptuous dining options including regional cuisine by an award-winning culinary team
- Complimentary specialty coffees, bottled water, and soft drinks, as well as wine and beer with dinner
- Smart-casual attire throughout your voyage—no formal wear required

# **GO next EXCLUSIVE BENEFITS**

- Services of an onboard Go Next Program Manager throughout your journey
- Private Go Next reception including hot and cold canapés, wine, beer, and soft drinks
- Comprehensive pre-departure information including shore excursion and dining options



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# GO next PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Please complete and return this form to reserve your space on an upcoming cruise with American Queen Steamboat Company.

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#### RESERVATION SELECTION:

- ☐ CRUISE PROGRAM WITH 1-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE HOTEL STAY
- ☐ CRUISE PROGRAM DECLINE 1-NIGHT PRE-CRUISE HOTEL STAY

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