

TRAFALGAR



Treasures of France including Normandy

10 days - 9 nights | 1 Country

**\$5395 per person (Includes flights from DFW
round trip transfers & 1 post night in
Paris) twinshare**

\$960 single supplement

Start date April 23 2025

Group Air: Flights included above require a minimum of 10 guests. If the group falls below 10, group air will be canceled and guests will be given a revised quote at the current rate

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CNB Destinations Club

DAY 1: 23 APRIL 2025

Depart the USA

Board your overnight flight from DFW

DAY 2: 24 APRIL 2025

Bonjour Paris

Bienvenue! The 'City of Light' welcomes you as you prepare to embark on an unforgettable journey through France. Join your fellow travelers and Travel Director this afternoon for a Welcome Reception and orientation drive to admire the glittering cityscape of Paris – past grand boulevards and iconic sites like the Champs-Élysées and the Arc de Triomphe.

Complimentary arrival transfers depart Charles De Gaulle International Airport (CDG) from Terminal 2F at 08:00, 11:00 and 14:00 and from Terminal 1 at 08:30, 11:30 and 14:30 on the first day of the tour. Flights should arrive 1 hour prior.

Meal(s): Welcome Reception

Hotel(s): Evergreen Laurel Hotel Paris

DAY 3: 25 APRIL 2025

Admire Normandy's Colourful Honfleur and the Bayeux Tapestry Dive Into Culture

This morning, we depart Paris and venture to the city of Rouen, the tragic site where Joan of Arc was burnt at the stake. We travel to the enchanting harbor town of Honfleur – its narrow lanes and colorful shopfronts have long attracted artists who have immortalized its beauty on canvas. Arriving in Bayeux, we visit the Tapestry Museum. Here you'll Dive

Into Culture and see the Bayeux Tapestry, depicting events before and during the Battle of Hastings in 1066. This evening, we dine at our hotel.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel(s): Mercure Omaha Beach

DAY 4: 26 APRIL 2025

Explore the D-Day Landing Beaches

Today we explore the poignant D-Day Landing Beaches in the company of our Local Specialist. We begin with a visit to the American Rangers Memorial at Pointe du Hoc. Pay tribute to the brave souls who lost their lives at Omaha Beach, imagining the mingled sense of terror and triumph felt on the fateful day when Allied forces set foot on mainland Europe. We stop for lunch in the seaside town of Arromanches, the setting for the Mulberry Harbor, once at the heart of the Normandy landings.

Meal(s): Breakfast

Hotel(s): Mercure Omaha Beach

DAY 5: 27 APRIL 2025

Journey through Picturesque Normandy and Brittany

Travel through the Normandy countryside admiring the land of calvados before arriving in Brittany. Enjoy the afternoon your way.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Dinner

Hotel(s): Hotel de l'Abbaye Le Tronchet

DAY 6: 28 APRIL 2025

Continue to the Beautiful Loire Valley

This morning we explore the UNESCO World Heritage-listed bay of the Mont-Saint Michel. Our Local Specialist reveals the history of the impressive medieval Benedictine Abbey perched on the hilltop. Journey onward through scenic countryside, stopping to Connect With Locals at a lunch with wine in a 17th-century château during a Be My Guest experience set within beautiful gardens. Later, continue to the beautiful Loire Valley, where we will spend the next two nights.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Lunch

Hotel(s): Novotel Amboise

DAY 7: 29 APRIL 2025

Discover the Stunning French Châteaux

We spend our day admiring the beautiful châteaux of the Loire Valley and join a Local Specialist for a visit to the Amboise Royal Château. It is here that King François I hosted Leonardo da Vinci, whose tomb now lies in the Chapel of Saint-Hubert adjoining the château. We continue with a visit to Château de Chenonceau, built on the Cher River. The château is often referred to as the 'Ladies Castle', due to the many women who influenced its construction and development. Today it contains priceless collections, including Renaissance furniture, tapestries and masterpieces by Rubens and Tintoretto.

Meal(s): Breakfast

Hotel(s): Novotel Amboise



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DAY 8: 30 APRIL 2025

Continue to Chartres and Paris

Our first stop today is the town of Chartres and its beautiful Roman Catholic cathedral, regarded as one of the most authentic and complete works of religious architecture from the early 13th century. We journey back to Paris this afternoon and spend the rest of our day in the 'City of Light'. Celebrate with your Travel Director and newfound friends this evening at a Farewell Dinner with local wines at a Parisian bistro.

Meal(s): Breakfast, Farewell Dinner

Hotel(s): Renaissance Paris La Défense

DAY 9: 01 MAY 2025

Explore Paris

Enjoy a relaxed free day in Paris to explore the beautiful sights that this wonderful city has to offer.

Meal(s): Breakfast

Hotel(s): Renaissance Paris La Défense

DAY 10: 02 MAY 2025

Farewell Paris

For now it's time to say a fond au revoir to France and your fellow travelers at the end of a memorable trip.

Complimentary departure transfers has been arranged to arrive at Charles De Gaulle International Airport (CDG) on the last day of the tour.

Meal(s): Breakfast

HIGHLIGHTS

- 1 Welcome Reception (WR)
- 7 Breakfast (B)
- 1 Lunch (L)
- 1 Be My Guest (BMG)
- 3 Dinner (D)



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HIGHLIGHTS

- **Paris:** Explore the iconic sights and streets of Paris on an orientation drive this evening.
- **Honfleur:** Admire the harbour town of Honfleur and its beautiful colourful storefronts.
- **Normandy Beaches:** Spend the morning visiting the American Rangers Memorial and pay tribute to those who lost their lives on D-Day Landing Beach.
- **Omaha Beach:** Join an emotive journey tracing the story of the D-Day landings and visit Omaha Beach.
- **Mont-Saint-Michel:** Savour your first sight of the fortified island of Mont Saint-Michel and cross the causeway to explore the tidal island town.
- **Amboise:** Visit the Amboise Royal Château with your Local Specialist where you will see the home of Leonardo da Vinci's tomb.

TERMS AND CONDITIONS

WHAT'S NOT INCLUDED: Airfares (unless otherwise stated), passports and applicable visa fees, charges imposed by third parties, laundry, phone calls, items of a personal nature, beverages, meals and sightseeing not detailed on the itinerary, excess baggage, travel insurance. Travel Insurance is highly recommended. Ask your Travel Advisor or Group Specialist for further details.

PRICE: The advertised price is in US dollars, per person twin share.

DEPOSIT: A non-refundable deposit of **\$300** is due at time of booking.

FINAL PAYMENT: Required **60** days prior to the group's departure date. Final payment due dates are based on trip type or region. See contract or brochure for details.

CANCELLATION FEES: In the event you have to cancel your booking, cancellation fees will apply. For full details of cancellation fees, contact your Travel Advisor or Group Specialist.

AMENDMENTS: Fees may apply to any change made to your booking once confirmed. **REFUNDS:** No refund is available if cancellations occur after the trip has commenced or in respect of any sightseeing, accommodation, meals or any other services not utilized.

ITINERARY CHANGES & TRIP CANCELLATION: Prices are based on costs, charges, tariffs, taxes, levies and exchange rates at the time of publication. In the event that such fluctuations affect the price to be paid for services, we reserve the right to adjust the price as necessary at any time. Trafalgar reserves the right to vary itineraries should circumstances dictate, as well as cancel or reschedule any trip departure in accordance with operating requirements, or circumstances beyond its control. The advertised trip requires minimum numbers to depart. Should these not be met,

Trafalgar reserves the right to alter or cancel arrangements.

PASSPORT AND VISAS: You must have a valid passport with 6 months validity from date of return. For Visa requirements, contact your Travel Advisor or Group Specialist. **HOTELS:** The hotels listed in the itinerary are listed as a guide only and are subject to change.

PORTERAGE: for one suitcase is included in the trip price on arrival and departure from each trip hotel. Refer to <https://www.trafalgar.com/en-us/resources/website-terms-of-use> for details of luggage allowances.

TRANSFERS: Your Travel Advisor or Group Specialist can provide details of arrival and departure transfers.

DOCUMENTATION: Documentation will be emailed approximately 2 weeks prior to departure.

ADDITIONAL TERMS AND CONDITIONS: apply to this special departure. Full terms and conditions are available from Trafalgar. Refer also to the Trafalgar website at <https://www.trafalgar.com/en-us/resources/website-terms-of-use>

FOR TRAFALGAR SCHEDULED DEPARTURES ONLY DISCOUNTS AND TRAVEL PROTECTION: You may be able to take advantage of special offers and Travel Protection as detailed in the Trafalgar brochure or website on this trip. Please check with your Travel Advisor or Groups Specialist for applicable discounts. Note: the Travel Protection insurance plan will not cover any additional group discounts or benefits applied to the rest of the group.

ROOMING ARRANGEMENTS: All pricing is based on twin share accommodation. If a single room is required, the appropriate single supplement will need to be paid. Single rooms are subject to availability. Triple rooms may be available on request.

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