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Christmas Cruise on the Danube
November 30-December 8, 2009
9 days/8 nights
\$2919



Cruise Highlights:

Wurzburg * Rothenburg * Nuremberg * Regensburg
* Passau * Wachau Valley * Vienna * Hofburg
Palace * Vienna Opera House * Christmas Markets

Itinerary

Day 1 - GEORGETOWN/WILMINGTON/PHILADELPHIA AIRPORT

Afternoon departure for Philadelphia Airport to board your overnight flight to Frankfurt, Germany. [Meals D in flight](#)

Day 2 - WURZBURG/GERMANY

Arrive Frankfurt where you will be met and transferred by motorcoach to the ancient town of Wurzburg, known as the "Jewel of the Main River" as well as one of Germany's loveliest towns. Meet your fellow travelers at tonight's welcome dinner. [Meals D](#)

NOVOTEL HOTEL

Day 3 - WURZBURG/ROTHENBURG/NUREMBERG/BOARD CRUISE SHIP

After breakfast, join a local guide on a leisurely paced walking tour of Wurzburg. This ancient Franconian wine town is rich in historic sights including the magnificent 18th century residence of the prince-bishops, which boasts the largest ceiling fresco in the world, and the oldest bridge on the River Main. Continue to Rothenburg, an absolutely beautiful medieval walled town. Ample time to explore the Christmas Market and the lovely local shops. Late in the afternoon arrive in Nuremberg to board our cruise ship. Unpack for a relaxing 6-night river cruise on the MS Amadeus Diamond. This lovely ship offers cabins with large windows, panoramic deck, salon and lounge, fitness center, excellent cuisine and service. This evening's welcome dinner is followed by a visit to Nuremberg's



Christmas Market, Germany's most famous and oldest, dating back to 1628. Nuremberg is a toy making center - have a look at the hand crafted nutcrackers and sample famous Lebkuchen (gingerbread.) [Meals BD](#)

MS AMADEUS DIAMOND



Day 4 - NUREMBERG/REGENSBURG

A local guide provides an interesting city tour of historic Nuremberg featuring the old town, the Imperial Castle and the Justice Palace, where the War Crimes Tribunal sat in 1946. Return to your ship and continue your cruise through the final stretch of the Main-Danube Canal to Regensburg. Tonight an onboard orchestra provides a musical Christmas concert. [Meals BLD](#)
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Day 5 - REGENSBURG

Your guided walking tour of this magnificent medieval city includes the old Town Hall and the Port Pretoria, gates to an ancient Roman fort built in 179 AD. Browse and shop independently this afternoon at the Christmas Market with its festive lights and decorations. Late this evening our ship departs for Passau. [Meals BLD](#)
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Day 6 - PASSAU



Cruise past scenic valleys and charming riverside towns to Passau, situated at the confluence of the Danube, Inn and Ilz Rivers. A leisurely paced walking tour of this 2,000 year old fairytale city to explore the ornate baroque architecture, the quaint cobblestone streets, cathedral and Christmas Market. After dinner enjoy a concert in the ship's panorama lounge. [Meals BLD](#)
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Day 7 - WACHAU VALLEY/VIENNA

Cruise today to the town of Krems where you can join an optional excursion to see the 900 year old baroque Benedictine Melk Abbey. Early afternoon finds us cruising through the Wachau Valley dotted with magnificent castles and riverside towns. Arrive in Vienna, Austria's magnificent capital city. A wonderful evening of food, music and entertainment awaits you at the Captain's Gala Dinner. After dinner visit Vienna's famous Christmas Market located near the town hall. [Meals BLD](#)
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Day 8 - VIENNA

Vienna is a marvelous and grand city which we will explore this morning with a local guide. See the lavish Hofburg Palace, the impressive Vienna Opera House, the majestic Ringstrasse and St. Stephen's Cathedral. This afternoon is at leisure and we recommend sampling some of Vienna's famous pastries. Another enchanting musical performance aboard ship after dinner. [Meals BLD](#)
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Day 9 - DEPART FOR HOME

Morning transfer to the airport for your return flight to Philadelphia where transportation will be waiting to return you to Wilmington and Georgetown. [Meals B](#)

Tour inclusions:

Roundtrip transportation from Georgetown and Wilmington to Philadelphia airport * Roundtrip air Philadelphia/Frankfurt-Vienna/Philadelphia * Airline taxes and surcharges subject to change until ticketed * Transfers between airports, hotel and cruise ship * Accommodations for 6 nights aboard the MS Amadeus Diamond * Meals include 1 breakfast, 1 dinner **plus all meals aboard river cruise boat** * Coffee and tea included with all meals on cruise ship * Most shore excursions (2 optional shore excursions are offered) * Port taxes * Luggage handling * Services of an accompanying tour director from 4 Seasons Tours and Travel with a minimum of 20 passengers.

Not included:

Passport fee, gratuity to shipboard personnel and Collette Vacations Tour Director, local guide gratuities, two optional shore excursions and items of a personal nature such as phone calls, faxes, laundry, etc.

Conditions:

- **Reservation deposit \$250 with each reservation no later than April 3, 2009.**
- **Balance due July 30, 2009.**
- **Cancellations: Deposit is fully refundable until July 30, 2009.**
- **Trip cancellation/interruption insurance is highly recommended at a cost of \$235 per person. Cost of insurance must be included with your deposit.**