

8-DAYS

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GILDED GETAWAY

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Day 1
Amsterdam

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Utrecht

Day 3
Maastricht

Day 4
Huy/Namur

Day 5
Antwerp

Day 6
Ghent

Day 7
Kinderdijk / Rotterdam

Day 8
Amsterdam

Sail Through the Heart of Holland & Belgium.
Glide through storybook towns and scenic waterways aboard the luxurious AMADEUS Star. From Amsterdam's canals to Bruges' cobbled lanes and Antwerp's famous chocolates, each stop reveals timeless charm. With gourmet dining and elegant comfort, this is river cruising at its finest.



DAY 1 Welcome to Amsterdam



An Evening of Warmth and Song

Arrive in Amsterdam and step aboard the elegant AMADEUS Star, where your river journey begins. From the moment you embark, you're greeted with a blend of Dutch charm and Austrian hospitality. Settle into your luxurious cabin, explore the ship's stylish amenities, and enjoy panoramic views from the lounge as anticipation for the days ahead builds.

As night falls, gather with fellow travelers for a festive Welcome Dinner showcasing the chef's finest creations. The evening continues with a spirited performance by a traditional shanty choir—an unforgettable introduction to the region's maritime heritage that brings a true local flavour to your first night on board.

DAY 2

*Travel for
Travellers*
BY GLP WORLDWIDE

Waterways and Windmills

From Amsterdam's Canals to Dutch Countryside Charms

Begin your day with a relaxing canal cruise through Amsterdam, gliding beneath its famed bridges and taking in the charm of historic buildings lining the waterways.

In the afternoon, explore the idyllic Dutch countryside: visit the colorful village of Volendam, taste cheese in Edam, and witness windmills turning in Zaanse Schans. Whether you choose a cultural heritage route or a scenic waterland journey, the day ends with a toast on the River Terrace.





DAY 3 Timeless Maastricht

Roman Echoes and Riverside Romance

Wake up to a leisurely morning on the water as you sail peacefully through the Dutch lowlands. By midday, you'll arrive in Maastricht, a city with a rich tapestry of cultures, where Roman roots meet medieval charm. This southern gem boasts winding alleys, stunning churches, and lively squares—all waiting to be explored.

Join a guided tour that reveals Maastricht's layered history and architectural elegance. From Roman walls and Gothic basilicas to trendy boutiques and welcoming cafés, the city is a harmonious blend of past and present. End your visit with a tranquil stroll along the Maas River before returning to the ship for another evening of scenic cruising.



DAY 4

Secrets of Namur

CITADEL VIEWS AND SAMBRE VIBES

After a peaceful morning cruise into Belgium, disembark in Huy and enjoy a scenic journey by coach to Namur, the capital of Wallonia. Towering above the city is the mighty Citadel of Namur, a fortress with roots stretching back over a thousand years. Take in sweeping views of the rivers below before stepping inside for a multimedia experience that brings its legendary battles and historic importance to life.

The afternoon invites a more relaxed pace as you stroll through Namur's charming streets. Admire its Belle Époque buildings, cozy squares, and welcoming cafés. Pause for a coffee by the riverbank or browse local shops before returning to Huy. As the ship departs, enjoy one last look at the soaring spire of Notre-Dame Church and the enchanting landscapes along the Meuse.

DAY 5 Sparkling Antwerp

Diamonds, Waffles, and Architectural Wonders

Ease into the morning with a scenic cruise through Belgium's inland waterways. By early afternoon, the ship docks in Antwerp—a cosmopolitan city with a dazzling history. Known as the diamond capital of the world, Antwerp is equally rich in art, culture, and culinary delights.

Join a walking tour through the historic city center, where cobblestone streets lead past ornate guild houses, majestic cathedrals, and vibrant squares. Treat yourself to a warm Belgian waffle, crisp on the outside and fluffy inside, from a local vendor. Whether you're shopping for diamonds or simply soaking up the city's atmosphere, Antwerp offers a sparkling blend of the old and the new.





DAY 6

Gothic Grandeur and Sweet Indulgence

Ghent & Bruges

Arrive in the storybook city of Ghent, a treasure trove of medieval architecture and vibrant energy. Step back in time as you tour Gravensteen Castle, one of Europe's best-preserved moated fortresses. Visit the impressive St. Bavo's Cathedral to see the world-famous Ghent Altarpiece and admire the cityscape from the top of the belfry, whose bells echo through the town.

Later, journey to Bruges, a fairytale city of canals, cobblestones, and gabled houses. Here, you'll enjoy a tasting of handmade Belgian pralines and sample some of the country's best local brews in a cozy beer café. Back on board, the day concludes with a celebratory Gala Dinner—raising a glass to new friends, unforgettable experiences, and the magic of Belgium.





DAY 7

Windmills & Modern Wonders



Kinderdijk Traditions and Rotterdam Innovation

This morning, visit the UNESCO World Heritage Site of Kinderdijk, where 19 towering windmills stand as enduring symbols of Dutch ingenuity. Explore one of these historic structures inside to learn how wind power helped shape the Netherlands' landscape and way of life.

After lunch, the ship sails into Rotterdam, a city of bold architecture and forward-thinking design. Choose between a harbor tour showcasing Europe's largest port or a visit to The Hague, home to royal palaces, international courts, and Vermeer's famed "Girl with a Pearl Earring." Don't miss the vibrant Market Hall before rejoining your ship for a festive farewell cocktail in the Panorama Lounge.

DAY 8

Farewell Amsterdam

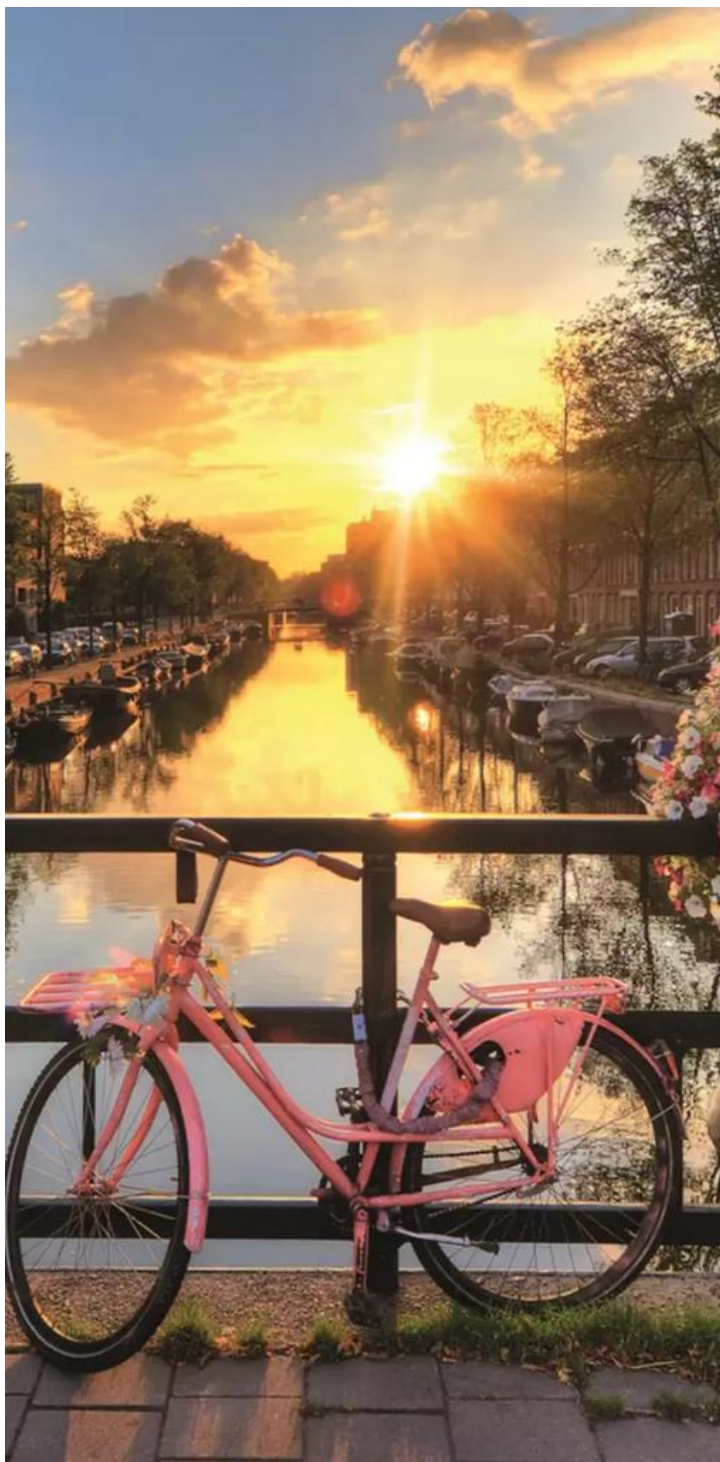
Until We Meet Again

Return to Amsterdam with a heart full of memories. After one final breakfast aboard the AMADEUS Star, it's time to disembark and say goodbye to the ship, the crew, and your fellow travelers.

As you step onto the cobbled streets of the city once more, perhaps you'll linger for a last canal-side coffee—or start dreaming of your next river adventure. The journey may be ending, but the inspiration lives on.



2026 DEPARTURE DATES



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1

12 – 19. Aug 2026

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19 – 26. Aug 2026

TRAVEL

WHAT IS INCLUDED



SUITES & STATEROOMS

- Luxury accommodation in an outside river-view stateroom of your choice: Spacious Mozart Suites with a walk-out balcony, stateroom cabins on Mozart and Strauss Decks with drop-down Panorama Retractable Windows offering a wide-open view (except Amadeus Brilliant)
- Individual climate control and in-room safe
- Choice of bed configuration in all categories (double or twin bedding)

GOURMET DINING

- Gourmet dining featuring breakfast, multi-course lunches and dinners with menu choices (including vegetarian options), afternoon tea and late-night snack
- Free-flowing hand-selected wines from the best wine regions of Europe served with dinner on board
- Coffee and tea available 24 hours a day in the Amadeus Club
- Welcome Cocktail Reception & Dinner and Gala Dinner



VOYAGE OF DISCOVERY

- Personalized service of an experienced, multilingual AMADEUS Cruise Director
- AMADEUS digital audio system for all guided excursions
- Immersive cultural or musical performances as part of the AMADEUS Experience, along with a diverse array of onboard enrichment programs, including fascinating lectures, cooking demonstrations, and music by our onboard musicians
- Complimentary use of onboard bicycles for independent exploration
- Onboard fitness center open 24 hours a day
- All port taxes, embarkation, disembarkation and lock fees included in your cruise fare

EXCURSION PACKAGES



PACKAGE A

| FOR ONLY **CAD\$560** PER PERSON

Enjoy a package of these pre-selected excursions for a discounted rate when purchased in advance.

- Amsterdam & iconic canal cruise (to/from Amsterdam)
- Maastricht – The Charming University City in the South of the Netherlands
- Discover the Citadel of Namur
- Antwerp Discovery Walk: History, Waffles & Coffee
- Ghent with Gravensteen medieval fortress
- Kinderdijk and visit to the windmills

PACKAGE B

| FOR ONLY **CAD\$940** PER PERSON

Enjoy a package of these pre-selected excursions for a discounted rate when purchased in advance.

- Amsterdam & iconic canal cruise (to/from Amsterdam)
- A Dutch Trip to Waterland
- Maastricht – The Charming University City in the South of the Netherlands
- Discover the Citadel of Namur
- City tour Namur, the Charming Capital of Wallonia
- Antwerp Discovery Walk: History, Waffles & Coffee
- Ghent with Gravensteen medieval fortress
- AMADEUS Taste: City Tour Bruges with Praline & Beer Tasting
- Kinderdijk and visit to the windmills
- Rotterdam harbor cruise and visit to the Market hall

PACKAGE C

| FOR ONLY **CAD\$990** PER PERSON

- Amsterdam & iconic canal cruise (to/from Amsterdam)
- Authentic Netherlands: Windmills, Cheese, and Tradition
- Maastricht – The Charming University City in the South of the Netherlands
- Discover the Citadel of Namur
- City tour Namur, the Charming Capital of Wallonia
- Antwerp Discovery Walk: History, Waffles & Coffee
- Ghent with Gravensteen medieval fortress
- AMADEUS Taste: City Tour Bruges with Praline & Beer Tasting
- Kinderdijk and visit to the windmills
- Den Haag and the Mauritshuis Museum

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