



**NO SINGLE SUPPLEMENT**  
for Solo Travelers

**RIVER JOURNEY**

# Holiday Markets Cruise

The Festive Rhine River

## Inspiring Moments

- ▶ Relax on deck as the **river's glorious scenery unfolds around you**, vistas of clifftop castles, medieval villages and forested hills.
- ▶ Be immersed in the **joyful spirit of the holiday markets** amid festive music, fragrant aromas and colorful pageantry.
- ▶ Gaze upward in awe at the soaring spires of **Cologne Cathedral**, a true Gothic masterpiece.
- ▶ Delight in the quaint timbered houses and cobble streets of Grande Île, the **historic heart of Strasbourg**.
- ▶ Taste **wonderful, crisp wines** from the Alsace and Rhine Valley regions.
- ▶ Experience three **UNESCO World Heritage sites**.

## INCLUDED FEATURES

### ACCOMMODATIONS

(With baggage handling.)

- Unpack once to enjoy **seven nights** aboard the **exclusively chartered** first-class MS Amadeus Silver III.

### EXTENSIVE MEAL PROGRAM

- Seven breakfasts, six lunches and seven dinners, including Welcome and Farewell Dinners; tea or coffee with all meals, plus wine, beer or soft drinks with lunch and dinner.

### YOUR ONE-OF-A-KIND JOURNEY

- Visit **three countries** during this exciting program.
- **Discovery excursions**, including a choice of **PERSONALIZE YOUR CRUISE** options, highlight the local culture, heritage and history.
- Expert-led **Enrichment programs** enhance your insight into the region.
- Free time to pursue your own interests.
- Welcome and Farewell Receptions to mingle with fellow travelers.
- Clearly hear your English-speaking guide with your own VOX headset.
- Tipping of guides and drivers.
- Complimentary travel mementos.

### ITINERARY

- Day 1** Depart gateway city<sup>†</sup>
- Day 2** Arrive in Frankfurt | Transfer<sup>†</sup> to Cologne and MS Amadeus Silver III
- Day 3** Cologne
- Day 4** Rhine Gorge | Rudesheim
- Day 5** Speyer | Heidelberg
- Day 6** Strasbourg
- Day 7** Breisach | Freiburg
- Day 8** Basel
- Day 9** Disembark ship | Transfer to Zürich airport and depart for gateway city<sup>†</sup>

<sup>†</sup>Flights and transfers included for AHI FlexAir participants.

Note: Itinerary may change due to local conditions. Walking is required on many excursions, and surfaces may be uneven or unpaved.



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**DISCOVERY**


**Holiday Markets.** Relish the magical holiday ambience as you explore the cheery wooden villages brightly trimmed with fresh pine boughs, red ribbons and twinkling lights that spring up in town squares across Europe during Advent.

**Cologne's Magnificent Cathedral Walking Tour.** Witness the grandeur of Germany's largest cathedral, inside and out, during a guided old town walk.

**Heidelberg Castle and Town.** Visit the red-walled, hillside castle, noted for its giant 18th-century wine cask, and take in dramatic views of the valley and town below. Then walk within Heidelberg's romantic old quarter and delight in an exclusive holiday music performance.

**Glühwein Party.** Savor this tantalizing warm, spiced holiday wine on the ship.

**Breisach and Freiburg.** Stroll through beautiful Breisach, full of pastel-colored houses and cobbled lanes. Continue to Freiburg, a university town, and see the red sandstone, 11th-century cathedral and the bustling Augustinerplatz.

 Choose from a **selection of PERSONALIZE YOUR CRUISE excursions** in these cities:

**Rüdesheim**

- Rüdesheim Walking Tour
- Rhine Wine Tasting

**Strasbourg**

- Strasbourg Panoramic
- Culinary Strasbourg

**Breisach**

- Riquewihr and Wines of the Alsace
- Colmar Markets

**Basel**

- Alemannia Basel
- The Ways of Art in Basel



MS Amadeus Silver III

**ENRICHMENT**

**German Holiday Traditions.** From Advent wreaths to Christmas baking, cherished seasonal customs have been handed down from one generation to the next. Discover some of the favorite traditions in German households.



**AHI Travel Expertise**

**Passenger Service Representative |** Helps with everything from arranging flights to fulfilling special requests.

**Travel Director |** Manages all details to ensure a memorable trip.

**Travel information |** Prepares you fully for your journey.

**Expert local guides |** Provide friendly, knowledgeable service.

**Lecturers |** Share their knowledge of and passion for their country.

**ACCOMMODATIONS**

**MS Amadeus Silver III**


<http://bit.ly/amadeussilverIII>

The state-of-the-art MS Amadeus Silver III offers the utmost in service, safety and comfort. Step into the elegant reception area and immerse yourself in an ambience reminiscent of a high-end hotel. Savor international cuisine during breakfast and lunch buffets, and enjoy regional specialties served with wine, beer or soft drinks at lunch and dinner.




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**ELECTIVE EXPERIENCE**

 Sometimes you want a more in-depth experience to take you further afield. That's why we have designed an extension to allow you to craft your individual travel experience.


**Interlaken.** Experience the incredible natural beauty of stunning Switzerland during a three-night stay in Interlaken! Your hotel, the first-class Hotel Royal St. Georges, located in the heart of Switzerland's Bernese Oberland, provides the ideal base for exploring the area's breathtaking mountains and lakes.

 Elective experiences available at an additional cost

**UNESCO World Heritage**

1. Cologne Cathedral
2. Upper Middle Rhine Valley
3. Strasbourg, Grande-Île and Neustadt

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-  **AHI FlexAir |** Our personalized air program offers incredible advantages:
- **price guarantee**
  - arrival and departure **transfers**
  - **flexibility** to change or cancel
  - **assistance** with changes or delays
  - flight insurance

**PRICE**

**December 4-12, 2019**

From Price \$2,545

Special Savings \$250

**Special From Price \$2,295**

Port charges are an additional \$395 per person. All prices quoted are in USD, per person, based on double occupancy and do not include air transportation costs (unless otherwise stated).

**Single supplement waived for solo travelers!** This offer is limited, capacity-controlled and tends to sell out quickly.