



9-NIGHT BELGIUM & HOLLAND FEATURING FLORIAD

Brussels to Amsterdam or vice versa from \$3,890*
(9 Breakfasts, 7 Lunches & 9 Dinners)



Visit Floriade, Keukenhof Gardens or Haarlem & the Aalsmeer Flower Auction
All private Tauck shore excursions - \$764* Value!
Special Singles Savings - \$1,010 per cabin*

Revel in the vivid colours of spring in the Netherlands and Belgium during a riverboat cruise through centuries-old inland waterways onboard ms Swiss Sapphire, ms Treasures or ms Swiss Jewel. View windmills standing sentinel over lush landscapes that stretch as far as the eye can see and celebrate the season with a visit to Keukenhof Gardens. Take a luncheon cruise through the Renaissance canals of Amsterdam and experience the past at the Zuiderzee Museum. Taste Dutch gin, learn how Belgian chocolate and Dutch cheese are made, and enjoy an exclusive interactive culinary experience at the only terraced castle in the Netherlands. Visit renowned art museums and World War II sites with city sightseeing in Amsterdam, Antwerp and Maastricht.

YOUR RIVER CRUISE ITINERARY

Departs: 3, 10[#] August 2012

#-indicates Brussels to Amsterdam direction

- Day 1** - Arrive Brussels and stay in your grand hotel ideally located on fashionable Avenue Louise.
- Day 2** - Sightseeing in Bruges or Ghent then embark your riverboat
- Day 3** - Tour of the port city of Antwerp and cruising Albert Canal
- Day 4** - Tour Maastricht and exclusive lunch at Chateau Neercanne
- Day 5** - **Venlo and the magnificent Floriade**
Nature speaks in a universal language at Floriade, held only once every ten years - "Be a part of the theatre in nature"
- Day 6** - Your choice of sightseeing excursions in Arnhem then rejoin the riverboat at Deventer
- Day 7** - Porcelain in Delft and cheese in Gouda
- Day 8** - Discover vibrant Amsterdam
- Day 9** - Amsterdam canal cruise / Rijksmuseum
- Day 10** - Tour ends in Amsterdam

YOUR RIVER CRUISE FARE GUIDE IN US DOLLARS

| Room type | Tour price per person |
|-----------|-----------------------|
| Double | \$3,890* |
| Single | \$5,446* |

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EUROPEAN RIVER CRUISING

FLORIAD 2012

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FLORIADE 2012

Every ten years the Netherlands hosts Floriade, a World Horticulture Exposition that showcases garden-inspired exhibits from around the globe. In 2012 over 100 horticultural businesses from more than 25 different countries are participating “in the theatre of nature” in Venlo, transforming the pastoral landscapes of this Dutch border town with their vision of a greener world. Tauck includes a full day visit to Floriade on cruise departures between April and October, giving you ample opportunity to see, feel and experience nature in different ways. In 2012, you can discover:

- Five separate themed areas dedicated to the Environment, Green Engine, Relax & Heal, Education & Innovation, and the World Stage Show
- 163 acres of indoor and outdoor plant shows
- The Netherlands’ longest and highest cable car
- Interactive exhibits on the benefits of nature
- Live cultural programs of music, dance and theatre



Tauck Value includes:

- Gratuities to ship staff, drivers, local guides, Tauck Directors and Tauck Cruise Director
- All private Tauck shore excursions – \$764* Value!
- Overnight stay in Brussels at the Conrad Brussels
- Tauck Exclusive: Interactive culinary experience at Château Neercanne, a UNESCO World Heritage Site
- Visits to the Floriade, Keukenhof Gardens or Haarlem, and the Aalsmeer Flower Auction
- A scenic cruise along Amsterdam’s canals
- View world-famous art at the Rijksmuseum in Amsterdam
- A cheese-weighing demonstration in Gouda and porcelain making in Delft
- Visits to the World War II Airborne Museum in Oosterbeek, or Arnhem’s Kröller-Müller Museum
- A visit to the Netherlands American Cemetery
- 25 meals (9 breakfasts, 7 lunches, 9 dinners); wine with dinner on the riverboat
- Service charges, taxes, portorage and applicable fuel surcharges
- Airport transfers upon arrival and departure



Chateau Neercanne

The only terraced castle in the Netherlands and home to magnificently restored Baroque gardens, a private vineyard with a very cool wine cellar in caves plus scenic views that never fail to whet the appetite for amazing cultural discoveries. Dining here is an event, made even more memorable during a chef’s-hat-on lunch experience that makes you part of a very interesting and ultimately delectable culinary presentation.



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