

Itinerary:

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Day 01 Sunday, September 3, 2023 **Arriving In Paris**

On arrival in Paris transfer to your hotel where you join your group.

Overnight: Hotel Delambre, Montparnasse, Paris (or similar)

Meals: Breakfast - daily

Day 02 Monday, September 4, 2023 **Paris - Luxembourg Jardins and Montparnasse, Cruise on the Bateau Mouche**

Today join your host for a leisurely stroll visiting peaceful Luxembourg Jardins (Gardens) and an exploration of your home neighbourhood of Montparnasse. After lunch you are at leisure so relax at your hotel or hop on the Metro to St. Michel, doorway to the Left Bank of the Seine. Enjoy a glass of wine in a street side cafe, browse the small stalls along the bank of the river, wave at the boats as they sail past. From here you can see The Louvre, Notre Dame, and if you walk far enough The Eiffel Tower. Tonight after dinner join your group for an evening river cruise aboard the Bateau Mouche.

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Day 03 Tuesday, September 5, 2023 **Paris - The Marais District walking tour**

Today enjoy a delicious introduction to fresh Parisian cuisine with a special 'Flavors of Paris' walking tour.

You are off to The Marais district of Paris.

The Marais district escaped much of the redevelopment of Paris in the 1800s, and today it has the most pre-revolutionary buildings and houses left in-tact. Not only does the Marais have the richest assemblages of architecture of any neighbourhood in Paris, but it is also a colourful place, filled with hip and trendy boutiques and restaurants.

Your tour will take you through the quiet and unknown historical sector of the Marais with tastings. You will begin at a beautiful belle époque pastry shop for a pastry and coffee. From there you will wander over to the Jewish district, passing some of the most impressive private mansions of the 15th century and the walk through the oldest and most beautiful square in Paris, Place des Vosges.

Stop 1) Elegant, historic tea room for coffee and croissants.

Stop 2) Charming, tranquil café, tucked away in the corner of Place des Vosges, (the oldest and most beautiful square in Paris.)

Stop 3) Family-run chocolate shop in the heart of the Jewish district for a tasting of kosher chocolate.

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Day 04 Wednesday, September 6, 2023 **Paris - The Louvre**

A morning at leisure is followed by an amazing afternoon and evening at the Louvre. Each Wednesday the Louvre, one of the world's great museums, remains open until just before 10pm and these afternoon and evening hours are the time to wander through its breathtaking halls. And yet, even if you planned your visit down to the minute, it would be impossible to take in all 35,000 works on display! Enjoy this afternoon witnessing great works of art and ancient and modern artifacts. When hunger strikes, visit any one of the 15 restaurants, cafes and delightful food stands within the grounds before returning to all the treasures contained in this marvelous palace. This afternoon and evening at the Louvre is all yours.

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Day 05 Thursday, September 7, 2023 **Paris - At Leisure**

Today is at leisure.

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Day 06 Friday, September 8, 2023 **Paris - The Paris Opera**

This morning, join your group to explore the 1,979-seat Paris opera house, known both as Opera Garnier and the Palais Garnier, the latter a tribute to its truly opulent design. Among other stories, the supplied headsets that allows you to wander the Opera House independently, tells perhaps its most famous story known to the world as "The Phantom of the Opera." Overnight: Hotel Delambre, Montparnasse, (or similar) Paris

Day 07 Saturday September 9, 2023 **Paris - Paris Dinner Party**

This is a free day in Paris.

This evening join Camilla your Paris Dinner Party host for a five star Paris experience. At a designated time you will be picked up at your hotel and taken to Camilla's home for a wonderful evening of fabulous French food, wonderful company, and delicious French wines.

Camilla will create for you a beautiful French feast. She will share with you the customs, etiquette, and lore, (and anything else you would like to know about the French or Paris) over a gourmet five-course meal, with perfectly paired, exquisite wines.

An experience you may never forget!

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Day 08 Sunday September 10, 2023 **Paris - Galleries Lafayette Shopping Day**

Join your host who will be walking to the Champs Elysee. Your walk will start in the Tuilleries (a formal public garden set between the Louvre and the Place de la Concorde) and then along the Champs Elysee. Stroll at a leisurely pace allowing time to shop, sit, and explore. No trip to Paris would be complete with out a visit to the Gallery Lafayette, the upmarket department

store that has been serving the fashion consensus of Paris since 1912.

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Day 9 Monday, September 11, 2023 **Paris - Monet and the Impressionists at Gallery d'Orsay, and Monet's, Musee de l'Orangerie**

Each time you think of Paris you must include the Impressionists Painters. Today it is time to spend your strolling time in the Gallery D'Orsay. Time to wander and enjoy Monet and his friends, stop for a treat in the beautiful restaurant, then once again stroll the Left Bank as you return to your neighbourhood of Montparnasse.

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Day 10 Tuesday, September 12, 2023 **Paris - At Leisure**

Time to do some last minute shopping or to visit that gallery or special cafe that you have not fit in. Today is all yours.

Overnight: Hotel Delambre, Montparnasse, (or similar) Paris

Day 11 Wednesday, September 13, 2023 **Home**

Every good thing must come to an end but knowing how most feel about Paris, this visit is only the beginning of your love affair with the City of Light.

This is the end of our services until once again we are ***Going Places Together.***