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Romantic Rhine with 2 Nights in Lucerne (Northbound)

Wednesday April 15, 2026 - Saturday, April 25, 2026

Avalon Waterways – *Avalon Vista*

You'll start your European vacation with a 2-night stay in Lucerne, Switzerland. Enjoy a guided walking tour including the Lion Monument, Old Town, Chapel Bridge, the Water Tower, Jesuit Church, and a special highlight excursion to Mount Pilatus (or Mount Stanserhorn per seasonal accessibility).

Your dramatic river cruise on the Rhine will commence in Basel, Switzerland, with stops in France, Germany, and Holland. Sail to Breisach, your starting point for an excursion to the Black Forest. Then venture on to Strasbourg, France, to see its Gothic cathedral with stunning murals and stained glass.

Sail to Mainz for an excursion to Heidelberg Castle or join your Avalon Adventure Host® for a hike up Philosophers' Way. You can alternatively visit the Gutenberg Museum capturing the amazing history of the early pioneers of printing. Sail to Rüdesheim and through the spectacular Rhine Gorge—the most beautiful view of the Rhine River where ancient castles stand on cliffs 400 feet above the water. You'll visit Koblenz and Cologne and arrive in Amsterdam for a guided canal cruise through the colorful city.

Package Inclusions:

- Round-trip air from Chicago O'Hare to Zurich, Switzerland and returning from Amsterdam
- Transfers between the airport, ship and hotel when purchasing our Air and Tour package
- Two-nights hotel stay in Lucerne at the Radisson Blu Hotel (or similar) including breakfast
- Deluxe 7-night Avalon River Cruise on the beautiful *Avalon Vista*
- All meals onboard the ship are included with Chef-inspired regional recipes.
- Complimentary sparkling wine with breakfast; wine, beer, or soft drinks with lunch and dinner are included daily onboard your ship
- Luxuriously appointed river view staterooms with hotel beds, hair dryer, safe and flat-screen TV with satellite for complimentary movie and entertainment options
- Remarkable service from your English-speaking crew and onboard cruise director
- Complimentary pre-paid gratuities to your shipboard staff, cruise director, and coach drivers
- Luggage handling for one bag per person at the hotel and on the ship
- Professional tour manager from Fox World Travel *See Terms*

Premium Tour Experiences Include:

- Evening live entertainment and entertainment onboard your ship
- Explore the charm and beauty of Lucerne including the poignant Lion Monument, Old Town, and the Water Tower
- A guided walking tour in Cologne to see important Jewish heritage sites or a guided walking tour of the city
- Sail through the Rhine Gorge to take in the sights that will surround you while passing by the legendary and mythical rock of the Lorelei
- Take a Guided Tour of the incredible Mechanical Music Museum for a one-of-a-kind instrumental experience
- Venture to Heidelberg Castle to see the ruins of the magnificent renaissance treasure towering above the city and its famed Great Vat, the "World's Largest Wine Barrel"
- Join a City Sightseeing Tour in Strasbourg with its Gothic, stained-glass cathedral, celebrated ancient murals and astronomical clock as well as the magical La Petite France District
- Explore the Black Forest to experience the Vogtsbauernhof open-air-museum or learn about German winemaking in the vineyards of the Upper Rhine Valley

Air and Tour Pricing: *Based on Double Occupancy*

- **Category E Stateroom: \$7477.00 per person (Small Windows)**
- **Category D Stateroom: \$7477.00 per person (Small Windows)**
- **Category B Panorama Suite: \$9228.00 per person (French Balcony)**
- **Category A Panorama Suite: \$9334.00 per person (French Balcony)**
- **Category P Panorama Suite: \$9387.00 per person (French Balcony)**

Tour Only Pricing: *Based on Double Occupancy*

- **Category E** **Stateroom: \$5977.00 per person (Small Windows)**
- **Category D** **Stateroom: \$5977.00 per person (Small Windows)**
- **Category B** **Panorama Suite: \$7728.00 per person (French Balcony)**
- **Category A** **Panorama Suite: \$7834.00 per person (French Balcony)**
- **Category P** **Panorama Suite: \$7887.00 per person (French Balcony)**

Single Supplement: Call for pricing and availability

Initial Deposit: \$400.00 per person
Fox Professional Fee: \$50.00 per reservation will be charged at time of deposit, non-refundable
Final Payment: No later than December 16, 2025
Requirements: A valid US passport is necessary with a minimum validity of 6 months from date of return

Cancellation Penalties:
From date of deposit to December 16, 2025 Initial deposit of \$400.00 per person + Fox Professional Fee
December 17, 2025 to February 9, 2026 50% package price cancellation fee + applicable airline fees
February 10 to March 11, 2026 75% package price cancellation fee + applicable airline fees
March 12, 2026 through day of travel No refunds

Fox World Cancellation Fee of \$100.00 per reservation will apply in addition to any Fox Group Vacation or vendor cancellation penalties. Air tickets are non-refundable once ticketed.

Available Discounts
Early Booking Discount: Deposit by June 30, 2025, and receive \$375.00 off per person.
Early Booking Discount not applicable on Single Supplement Waiver bookings. Discounts are subject to change at any time.

Fox Professional Fee: Package price includes a \$50.00 non-refundable Professional Fee per reservation. Fee will be charged at the time of deposit and will show as an additional payment from Fox World Travel.

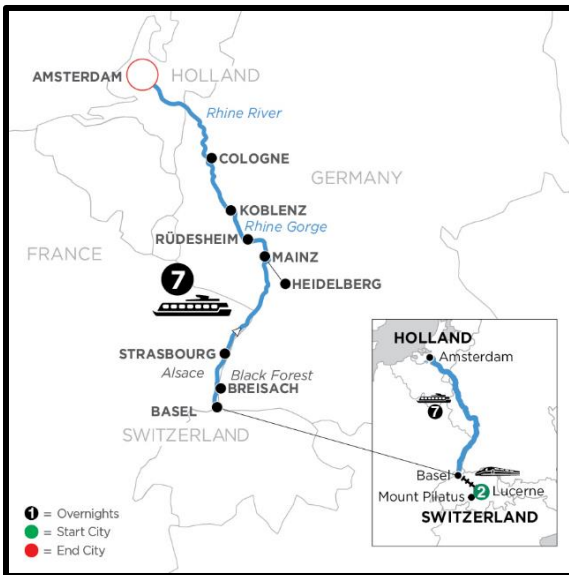
Not Included: ETIAS Visa (when implemented), Airline flights on land-only packages, airline luggage fees when applicable, gratuities for airport porters, tour guides, motorcoach drivers, meals (other than those included in the package), optional excursions, travel insurance and any items of a personal nature.

Terms: A minimum of number of travelers is required for the tour to operate and send a Fox World Travel tour manager to accompany the group. In the event the minimum number is not reached, the tour may still include a professional, local guide in destination. Hotels, experiences, and daily itinerary are subject to change.

Group Air: A minimum of 10 passengers is needed for the group air. Air is non-refundable after ticketing. Flights are currently pending. The air-inclusive package includes air that has not yet been assigned, the identity of the carrier, which may include the carrier's code-share partner, will be assigned and disclosed at a later date. Price includes approximate air taxes and fees. Air package pricing is subject to change until contracted due to the volatility of airfare costs. Checked luggage fees may apply. Frequent Flier miles may not be available to group air travel. Pricing and flight options from other cities available upon request. Fox World Travel has no control over flight or equipment changes, seat assignments, delays, or cancellations. Airline tickets will be non-refundable once issued. Changes will be subject to a fee plus any fare difference. Additional restrictions may apply. Pricing and flight options from other cities available upon request

Insurance: For peace of mind, we recommend purchasing travel protection insurance. Your travel advisor can discuss options with you, including medical expense coverage, pre-existing medical condition exclusion waivers, trip cancellation, trip delay, lost, delayed, or damaged baggage and more. To cover pre-existing conditions, most policies must be purchased within 14 days of making your initial deposit. Travel protection insurance prices are based on your age and the trip cost.

DAILY ITNERARY



Day 1: Wednesday, April 15 - Depart USA

Your journey begins at Chicago O'Hare with an overnight flight to Zurich.

Day 2: Thursday, April 16 - Lucerne

Welcome to Switzerland

You will be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. Enjoy the afternoon on your own.

Hotel: Radisson Blu (or similar)

Day 3: Friday, April 17 – Lucerne

A Historic Bridge and Heart of a Lion

Join a Guided Walking Tour, which includes the poignant Lion Monument, Old Town, Chapel Bridge, the Water Tower, and Jesuit Church.

Hotel: Radisson Blu (or similar)

Meal: Breakfast

Day 4: Saturday, April 18 – Lucerne-Swiss Alps-Basel - Embarkation Day *Avalon Vista*

This morning, enjoy a special Highlight Excursion to Mount Pilatus (or Mount Stanserhorn per seasonal accessibility) for spectacular views over central Switzerland (in case of bad weather, visit the Swiss Transport Museum).

Evening Cruise to Breisach

Meal: Breakfast, Dinner



Day 5: Sunday, April 19 - Breisach, Germany, Excursion to Black Forest

German Winemaking and the Beautiful Black Forest

Enjoy the view on a relaxing bike ride along the Rhine with your Adventure Host, OR Join a full-day Guided Tour to the magical Black Forest to experience the Vogtsbauernhof open-air-museum, visit an authentic water mill, and see a traditional butter-making demonstration, OR Join a Guided Tour to explore Freiburg's medieval city center, sheltered by the Black Forest amid vineyards and gardens of the Upper Rhine Valley. You may choose to join a Guided Optional Excursion to visit the charming village of Colmar in the morning, with its half-timbered medieval and early renaissance buildings.

Evening cruise to Kehl

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 6: Monday, April 20 – Kehl- Excursion to Strasbourg, France

A Grand Cathedral and La Petite France

Discover Strasbourg by bike with your Adventure Host, OR Join a City Sightseeing Tour, including Strasbourg's Gothic, stained-glass cathedral with its celebrated ancient murals and astronomical clock, as well as the magical La Petite France District. You may also choose to join a Guided Optional Excursion to the historic Maginot Line—the pre-WWII fortifications designed to protect the eastern border of France or visit Alsace's wine country today. Alternatively, take some free time in Strasbourg to visit a museum, or stroll across the city center. Evening/Overnight cruise to Mainz

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 7: Tuesday, April 21 – Mainz, Germany – Excursion to Heidelberg

Castle Walls and the World's Biggest Wine Barrel

Join your Avalon Adventure Host for an inspiring walk in Heidelberg, the Philosophers' way, OR Enjoy a Guided Tour to Heidelberg Castle to see the ruins of the magnificent renaissance treasure towering above the city, and its famed Great Vat, the "World's Largest Wine Barrel," OR Enjoy a Guided City Walk in Mainz, including a visit to the Gutenberg Museum to see the captivating history of printing. This evening, enjoy live entertainment on board your ship after a short sailing to Rudesheim.,

Overnight Docking in Rudesheim

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 8: Wednesday. April 22 – Rudesheim-Rhine Gorge

Eat, Drink, and Be Merry in Wine Country

Enjoy a hike with your Avalon Adventure Host through the picturesque vineyards of Rudesheim OR Take a Guided Tour of the incredible Mechanical Music Museum for a one-of-a-kind instrumental experience; enjoy a tasting of the authentic Rudesheimer coffee. En route to Koblenz, sail through the Rhine Gorge (a UNESCO World Heritage site). Take in the breathtaking views of ancient castles perched on cliffs 400 feet above the water and pass the legendary Rock of the Lorelei—where the mythological siren's songs lured ill-fated sailors. Enjoy free time in Koblenz before a relaxing evening on board with dinner and live entertainment.

Overnight Docking in Koblenz

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 9: Thursday, April 23 - Cologne

Prost! Celebrate in the Rhineland

Enjoy a bike ride like the locals in Cologne with your Adventure Host OR Choose a Guided Walking Tour of Cologne's important Jewish heritage sites, OR Take a Guided City Walk of Cologne—with its soaring twin-steepled gothic cathedral. Spend free time over a glass of Kölsch pale lager—locally brewed for over 100 years!

Afternoon/Overnight cruise to Amsterdam

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner

Day 10: Friday, April 24 – Amsterdam, Holland

Canals of Colorful Amsterdam

Start your day with an early morning walk OR Discover the true beauty of Amsterdam with an off the beaten path Guided Walking Tour through its cobblestone streets for a captivating look at this legendary city OR Explore the iconic waterways of Amsterdam on a Guided Canal Cruise past stately homes of Amsterdam's "Golden Age." OR take a Guided Optional Excursion to Keukenhof gardens to see more than 7 million tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths, as well as other bulbs planted each year.

Overnight docking in Amsterdam

Meal: Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner



Day 11: Saturday , April 25 – Amsterdam - Disembarkation

Enjoy breakfast before disembarking and transferring to the Amsterdam airport for your flight home.

Meal: Breakfast

Daily Itinerary is subject to change. In the event of water level problems or any problems of a technical nature, it may be necessary to operate the itinerary by motorcoach or to alter the program. Included visits and special features are subject to change. If a change is necessary, a substitute will be offered.