

Aliza Green Celestial Voyagers

Culinary & Cultural Tours



HIGHLIGHTS

- Hands-on cooking class in Avignon including market visit with chef.
- Walk across the famous “Pont du Gard”, an ancient Roman aqueduct.
- Walking tour of Carpentras including the Jewish quarter and the synagogue.
- Two nights in the Alps at the renowned La Bonne Étape & boat excursion on the lake.
- Tour “Maison Eyrie”, one of the best chocolate masters in France.
- A day in the Luberon Mountains to learn all about truffles with tasting.
- Tour LUMA, the spectacular new Art Center of Arles designed by Frank Gehry.

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Provence & Hautes Alpes Food & Culture Experience

OCTOBER 18-28, 2024

\$6,750 per person, sharing a double room
Single Room + \$965. Deposit \$750



DAY 1: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 18, 2024 DEPARTURE: OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO MARSEILLES

Departure from the USA for overnight flight to Marseilles. Airfare is not included but Celestial Voyagers can help you get the best airfare and schedule.

DAY 2: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 19, 2024, WELCOME TO BEAUTIFUL PROVENCE! MEALS | D | HOTEL DE L'ORLOGE, 4* AVIGNON

Arrival Paris CDG (or another city in Europe) connect to your flight to Marseille. Group transfer by coach to Avignon or travel to Avignon from Paris by TGV, the fast French train. Check-in to the charming, centrally-located Hotel de L'Horloge.

DAY 3: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 20, 2024, AVIGNON: GASTRONOMIC & PAPAL CITY | MEALS: B L | HOTEL DE L'ORLOGE 4*, AVIGNON

Walk through the Old City to the Central market and enjoy a cooking class with Chef Jonathan Kirii followed by an afternoon guided tour of the Pope's Palace.

DAY 4: MONDAY, OCTOBER 21, 2024, AVIGNON & ROMAN PROVENCE | MEALS: B D | HOTEL DE L'ORLOGE 4*, AVIGNON

Guided tour of the "Provence Romaine." See the famous "Pont du Gard" Walking tour including the famous Maison Carrée and its connections to Thomas Jefferson.

DAY 5: TUESDAY, OCTOBER 22, 2024, CARPENTRAS & HAUTE PROVENCE | MEALS: B D | LA BONNE ETAPE, RELAIS & CHATEAU PROPERTY

Departure for Carpentras, capital of Comte Venaissin, often residence to the Popes: walking tour including the Jewish quarter and the synagogue. Drive to the Alps of Haute Provence, check-in for 2 nights at the Relais & Chateaux property, La Bonne Étape, in Château-Arnoux-Saint Auban.

DAY 6: WEDNESDAY, OCTOBER 23, 2024, ALPS OF HAUTE PROVENCE | MEALS: B D |

Full day excursion to the Lake of Serre Ponçon, one of Europe's largest artificial lakes with boat ride. Enjoy a tour of Embrun, and visit the Maison Eyrie, artisan chocolatier founded in 1902.

DAY 7: THURSDAY, OCTOBER 24, 2024, TRUFFLE HUNTING IN THE LUBERON | MEALS: B L | HOTEL DU MOULIN DE LOURMARIN

Spend the day in the Luberon Mountains where you will learn everything about truffles, including a hunt and a tasting with Champagne. Check-in to a charming country inn in the small village of Lourmarin. Late afternoon with locals sharing their "apéro" and playing their favorite sport: "La Petanque."

DAY 8: FRIDAY, OCTOBER 25, 2024, LES BAUX, SAINT REMY & ARLES | MEALS: B L | HOTEL TBD, ARLES

Excursion in "Les Baux de Provence," a mountaintop village with a fascinating history. Free time to stroll through the village and to enjoy the "Carriere des Lumieres," a sound and light" art show. Afternoon in Saint Remy de Provence. Tour of the Monastery St-Paul-de-Mausole where Van Gogh resided. Arriving in Arles, check-in at your hotel for 3 nights, free evening.

DAY 9: SATURDAY, OCTOBER 26, 2024, ARLES & LUMA | MEALS: B D | HOTEL TBD, ARLES

Walking guided tour of Arles in the morning. Learn more about this Roman city with its intact coliseum and its history of Van Gogh, who stayed there in 1888 – 1889. In the afternoon, visit Luma, the spectacular new Art Center of Arles designed by Frank Gehry.

DAY 10: SUNDAY, OCTOBER 27, 2024 EXPLORE LA CAMARGUE | MEALS: B L D | HOTEL TBD, ARLES

Full day guided excursion through the plains of La Camargue in the Delta of the Rhône River where you will see its white horses, bulls and flamingos. Taste local specialties such as the Fougasse d'Aigues Morte and Saucisson d'Arles. In Aigues Morte, capital of La Camargue, walk around the ramparts and inside the "salins" (salt basins). Return to Arles for our farewell dinner at Rabanel Bistro.

DAY 11: MONDAY, OCTOBER 28, 2024 FAREWELL TO PROVENCE! | MEALS: B |

Transfer baggage on board to Marseilles airport (all the group together) and departure for home.