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Presents...

Memorials of World War II: 10 Days * Departure: July 12th-24th 2024

Highlights...

London & Paris WWII-Focused City Tours • Portsmouth • The D-Day Story Museum • English Channel Crossing • Juno Beach • Caen Peace Memorial Museum • Arromanche-les-Baines Longues-sur-Mer • Apple Cider Farm Visit • Normandy American Cemetery • Omaha Beach Pointe du Hoc • Airborne Museum • Utah Beach • Giverny Gardens • Seine River Dinner Cruise

1st Class and Deluxe Hotel Accommodations
12 Meals: 8 Breakfasts, 0 Lunch, 4 Dinners
Roundtrip airfare from New York (NYC)*other gateways available
Sightseeing: See attached itinerary
All baggage handling (1 bag per person)
Services of a professional Tour Manager
Transportation via deluxe air-conditioned motorcoach
All taxes and service charges
Door to Door transfers available from 90+ airport gateways

Per Person Rates: Double: \$5,249 **

Included in Above Prices: Roundtrip Airfare from Most Gateways, Air Taxes, Hotel Transfers & Collette Guide
Not Included in Above Prices: Insurance (\$449.00)

*** Itinerary and rates are preliminary and subject to change**

****Airline Fuel Surcharges** Our air inclusive vacations are priced including airline fuel surcharges. These fuel surcharges are assessed by the airlines and are subject to increase without notice. Government taxes and fees are additional.

Taxes and Fees: Government and Other Authority Taxes and Fees are not included in base fare but are included in the tax amount listed: September 11th Security Fee up to \$10.00 ,Passenger Facility Charge (PFCs) of up to \$18 per passenger ,Federal Domestic Flight Segment Fee of up to \$3.50 USD applies per passenger, per segment. , US or International Departure and Arrival Fees. In order to better serve you, once you complete the booking process your invoice will display your vacation land package, base airfare, fuel surcharge and all taxes and fees as separate line items. Airfares are subject to change. Seats are limited and may not be available on every flight or departure date.

Checked Baggage Charges: Some airlines may impose additional charges if you choose to check any baggage. Please contact your airline or refer to its website for detailed information regarding your airline's checked baggage policies.

****This is a quotation:** No Space is being held. Space is subject to availability.

(Air taxes and fees are non-commissionable)

Memorials of World War II

featuring the 80th Anniversary of the D-Day Landing



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10 Days • 12 Meals: 8 Breakfasts • 4 Dinners

COLLETTE EXPERIENCES

- ★ Retrace the D-Day preparation efforts at The D-Day Story Museum, dedicated to Operation Overlord.
- ★ Navigate the path of the D-Day Landings as you cross the English Channel by ferry.
- ★ Set foot on the hallowed grounds of the Normandy landing beaches.

MUST-SEE INCLUSIONS

- ★ Experience the Peace Memorial Museum that vividly documents the causes and consequences of WWII.
- ★ Spend 3 nights in the Normandy region and take a journey back in history to the D-Day landing beaches.

CULINARY INCLUSIONS

- ★ Enjoy London's culinary renaissance at a dinner featuring gastro-pub cuisine.
- ★ Sample traditional French cider during a visit to an apple orchard in Normandy.
- ★ Admire the "City of Light" as you float down the Seine River on a relaxing dinner cruise.

Day 1: Overnight Flight

An unforgettable journey of discovery and remembrance awaits you on the 80th Anniversary of D-Day.

Day 2: London, England - Tour Begins

Welcome to London. Discover the city's rich historical relationship with World War II. This evening, get a taste of contemporary British fare as you meet your fellow travelers for a dinner highlighting London's culinary renaissance. *Today dinner will be included.*

Day 3: London

Uncover London's myriad connections to WWII on an expert-guided tour. Step back in time to September 1940, when the city was at the receiving end of the German 'Blitz'. London would be reduced to rubble, but not Londoners, who "Kept Calm and Carried On." View Saint Paul's Cathedral and take in iconic landmarks such as Big Ben, Westminster Abbey and the Houses of Parliament. Retrace Sir Winston Churchill's steps on a walk by the Cenotaph and Downing Street, before returning to your hotel for an evening at leisure. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 4: London - Portsmouth

This morning, journey through the English countryside to Portsmouth. This city played a critical role in the preparation efforts for Operation Overlord. Generals Eisenhower and Montgomery chose Portsmouth for their military headquarters and its dockyards now host The D-Day Story Museum, which you will visit this afternoon before checking into your hotel for a 1-night stay. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 5: Portsmouth - English Channel Crossing - Caen, France

In the early hours of the morning,* board a ferry and cross the English Channel. As you breathe in the salted sea air during your 6-hour sailing, reflect upon the parallel journey nearly 160,000 courageous Allied troops took on June 6th, 1944, as they set out to liberate Europe from the Nazis. Your ferry docks in Ouistreham, which housed one of the largest bunkers of the German 'Atlantic Wall' defense system. A coastal drive takes you by Sword Beach (British landing site) to Juno Beach, where Canadian soldiers sacrificed their lives among a deluge of air attacks, naval bombardments, and land offenses. Arrive in Caen in the early

evening and settle into your hotel for a momentous 3-night stay.** *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 6: Caen - D-Day Landing Sites

This morning, explore the Caen Peace Memorial Museum dedicated to providing a comprehensive history of the D-Day landings and Europe's post-war transition. Then, set out for Arromanche-les-Bains to view the remains of the Mulberry Harbor, one of the greatest engineering feats of WWII, allowing the Allies to establish strategic bridgeheads on D-Day. Later this afternoon, stop at the German Artillery battery of Longues-sur-Mer, featured in The Longest Day. Then pause at a local farm for a stroll through their apple orchards and a taste of traditional cider. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 7: Caen - D-Day Landing Sites

Today, immerse yourself in the history of Normandy's beaches – the site of the largest amphibious invasion in history. Pay your respects to the 9,386 servicemen and women who rest at the Normandy American Cemetery. Visit two U.S. landing zones of the invasion of Normandy: Omaha Beach and this afternoon, Utah Beach. Discover Pointe du Hoc, a strategic German battery that claimed the ultimate sacrifice of 135 brave men from the 2nd and 5th Ranger Battalions and where craters from cataclysmic bombings occupy the landscape to this day. At the Airborne Museum, learn the unique history of paratroopers in Saint-Mère-Église, the first French town liberated from the Nazis. Return to Caen in the early evening. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 8: Caen - Giverny - Paris

Head south to Paris this morning. Your drive through the rich pasturelands of Normandy takes you to the village of Giverny. Here, let the art scene leave its impression on you with a visit to Monet's countryside home.*** Stroll through the colorful living work of art that is Monet's garden, where you'll see the source for the artist's inspiration, including the setting for his iconic *Waterlilies*. Then, set off to Paris, the French capital that was under German occupation from 1940 to 1944. In the late afternoon, check into your hotel located in the suburban *La Défense* business district. As your day comes to a close, make the most of an evening at leisure. Or, enjoy an optional dinner at the dynamic Paradis Latin**** for a champagne-flowing, can-can kicking, music-driven night at the cabaret. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 9: Paris

A local expert leads you on a journey back to the time of German occupation and the puppet government of Vichy. From the Vel d'Hiv, Hôtel de Ville, Les Invalides, Panthéon, and the Luxembourg Gardens to Le Marais, see the sites that tell the story of the liberation of Paris and what life was like under the Nazis. Tonight, bid

au revoir to your fellow travelers and to the City of Light while gently floating down the Seine on a dinner cruise. *Today breakfast and dinner will be included.*

Day 10: Paris - Tour Ends

Your tour comes to a close today. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Experience It!

Normandy

June 6, 1944: the day thousands of allied troops landed on the beaches of Normandy. Otherwise known as D-Day, it is the day that marked the beginning of the end of the Second World War – and the day soldiers from the United States, United Kingdom, France, Australia, Canada, New Zealand, and beyond sacrificed their lives on the shores of Normandy's landing beaches. Embark on a reflective journey through the myriad reminders of this watershed event in world history. Discover the memorials, museums, and landmarks that stand in dedication to the heroic soldiers. Visit Omaha, Juno, Sword, and Utah Beach, and pay respect to the more than 9,000 lives honored at the Normandy American Cemetery and Memorial, the largest American cemetery in the region.

YOUR ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2, 3	Radisson Blu Edwardian Grafton, London
Day 4	Marriott Hotel, Portsmouth
Days 5 – 7	Mercure City Center-Port de Plaisance, Caen or Mercure Cote de Nacre, Caen or Novotel Cote de Nacre, Caen
Days 8, 9	Renaissance La Defense Hotel, Paris or Pullman La Defense, Paris or Le Meridien Etoile, Paris

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Collette's Flagship: Collette's tours open the door to a world of amazing destinations. Marvel at must-see sights, sample regional cuisine, stay in centrally located hotels and connect with new and captivating cultures. These itineraries offer an inspiring and easy way to experience the world, where an expert guide takes care of all the details.

Please Note:

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of purchasing these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

Single accommodations and twin beds are limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Guests requesting a twin-bed room for double occupancy may be accommodated in a queen bed. Triple accommodations are not available due to hotel restrictions. When reserving single accommodations, be advised that single rooms in France are often smaller in size and furnished with a true single cot-sized bed.

*Depending on the ferry schedule, this morning you may depart your hotel as early as 5:00 AM. A boxed breakfast will be arranged and there is a cafeteria available aboard the ferry, which is serving breakfast and lunch. You will be accommodated in the seating area of the ferry. There is no portage service available in the maritime stations, nor on board. You will therefore be responsible for handling your own luggage on and off the ferry. The crossing takes approximately 6 hours and may be delayed or even postponed due to sea conditions. Travelers prone to seasickness should take the proper precautions.

Due to the remoteness of the Normandy region, hotels are carefully chosen, yet also reflective of the rustic nature of the area. Rooms in these hotels are smaller than average and breakfast is mostly continental, consisting of pastries, jams, some cold cuts and cheese. Scrambled or hard-boiled eggs are occasionally available.

**Hotels in Normandy are carefully chosen yet rustic in nature, similar to motels. Some properties are located on the outskirts of town or even in the countryside. The locations are chosen to allow you closer access to the D-Day Landing Sites. Most hotels are 3-star properties. Some properties do not offer portage to the rooms and may not have elevators, requiring guests to navigate stairs to reach their rooms. Rooms in these hotels are smaller than average. Caen is a representative location, as some groups may be accommodated in Bayeux, Deauville, Saint-Lo and Cherbourg.

The days and order of sightseeing may change to best utilize your time on tour. Museum visits and shopping may be affected by observance of religious or local holidays. In France, most museums are closed on Mondays or Tuesdays. In Normandy, museums and monuments may not be accessible due to unforeseen closures connected to the 80th anniversary commemoration ceremonies.

***Monet's Gardens in Giverny are open from April 1 to November 1. If you are travelling at a different time of the year, you will visit Rouen instead.

****The cabaret show at the Paradis Latin includes some tasteful nudity and may be considered unsuitable for children – consult your Tour Manager.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require that your passport be valid at least 6 months beyond the dates of your travel. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that travelers take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Effective for travel in May 2025, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS visa waiver, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit <https://www.etiasvisa.com/>

The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal. A moderately paced two-and-a-half-hour walking tour, covering several miles, hills, and uneven surfaces, is no problem for you. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing into and out of various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.). You can climb three flights of stairs easily and handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. Expect some longer days with early mornings or late nights balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. This level is not a fit for travelers who require mobility assistance devices. This comprehensive tour features multiple long days, with early mornings and long bus days exceeding 4 hours of driving between destinations. In particular, the day you cross the English Channel will require

departing as early as 5:00 a.m. While in Normandy there will be 3 consecutive days when you will depart the hotel between 7:45 a.m. and 8:00 a.m., returning not before 6:30 p.m. Our touring in Normandy will include numerous daily stops, requiring you to climb on and off the bus a minimum of 8 to 10 times per day. Due to local health and safety regulations, it is not possible to stay on the bus when stops exceed 10 minutes in length. The weather in the UK and Normandy is unpredictable, with sudden showers and gusts of wind. The average temperature in March, April and November is 44 Fahrenheit (7 Celsius). The average temperature in May and October is 53 Fahrenheit (12 Celsius). Between June and September, the temperatures average 61 Fahrenheit (16 Celsius). For your comfort we recommend packing a raincoat and waterproof shoes.

IMPORTANT RESERVATION INFORMATION

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***Airfare:** For your convenience, we offer airfare for purchase with all tour packages. If you purchase an air inclusive program, your airfare will be quoted inclusive of all fuel, taxes and fees. Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. Preassigned seats are limited and may not be available on every flight or departure date.

Checked Baggage Charges: Some airlines may impose additional charges if you choose to check any baggage. Please contact your airline or refer to its website for detailed information regarding your airline's checked baggage policies.

Cancellation Charges for this tour: After your seat reduction date has passed, a non-refundable deposit will be retained. For Cancellation between 60-16 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 40% of total price. For cancellation between 15-1 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 75% of total price. For cancellation on the day of departure and after: 100% of total price. For Ocean Cruises: For cancellation between 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 35% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: 60% of total price. 30 or fewer days prior to departure: 100% of total price. For River Cruises: including Europe, Russia, Egypt and China, 90-61 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 50% of total price. For cancellation between 60-31 days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 85% of total price. For cancellation 30 or fewer days prior to departure: cancellation fee of 100% of total price. For Galapagos and Antarctica: A cancellation fee of 60% will apply for cancellation between 120-90 days prior to departure; A cancellation charge of 100% will apply for cancellation less than 90 days prior to departure. Cancellation protection is highly recommended and must be purchased at time of deposit. Air rates are subject to change until tour is paid in full. If Travel Protection Plan has not been purchased and a reservation is cancelled for any reason prior to departure - Air is 100% non-refundable once paid in full. Cancellation charges also apply to reservations made for "pre" and "post" night accommodations. Payment of a Per Person Travel Protection Plan Fee guarantees a full refund of all payments (including deposit), except the Travel Protection Plan Fee itself, made to Collette for travel arrangements in case of cancellation of your travel plans for any reason prior to the day of departure. The Travel Protection Plan Fee with Air only covers airline tickets you have purchased from Collette. Exception: If you originally purchased nonrefundable airline tickets, Part B of the Travel Protection Plan may provide a refund for the airline tickets, taxes, or fees in the event of a cancellation for a covered reason (see Part B for more details). The Travel Protection Plan Fee does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. However, the Part B travel insurance includes a single supplement benefit of \$1,500 for certain covered reasons as detailed in Part B. In this case, the single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. Division of this charge between the two passengers involved is solely their responsibility. If insufficient funds are deducted from the canceling client, the traveling client will be charged the remaining portion of the single supplement. Cancellation waiver protects you from penalties in the event you have a need to cancel your entire inclusive tour package up to the day prior to departure. Cancellation waiver does not indemnify you from penalties if you chose to cancel partial tour components or air. If you chose to partially cancel your vacation, you will be responsible for a revision fee as well as any penalties that are incurred at the time of the cancellation. Upon cancellation of transportation or travel services where you, the customer, are not at fault and have not canceled in violation of the terms and conditions above, you will be refunded 100%. Please see your sales agent for more information, or review our brochure for details.

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