Cruise Details

Name:	Swiss Alps & Rhine Castles
Reference:	AMAAH280815AT
Operator:	Ama Waterways
Cruise Type:	River
Cruise Rating:	Luxury
Ship:	AmaSerena
Regions:	Rhine
Departs On:	15 Aug 28
Departs From:	Basel
Arrives On:	22 Aug 28
Arrives At:	Amsterdam
Cruise Nights:	7
Total Vacation Days:	7

Itinerary

Day 1: Basel (Switzerland)

BASEL, SWITZERLAND - EMBARKATION. Arrive in Basel and settle onto the ship, surrounded by stellar mountain views.

Arrives On: 15 Aug 28

Day 2: Basel (Switzerland)

BASEL. Explore Basel, Switzerland’s third-largest city. Take in its medieval town hall, vibrant market square, and elegant 18th-century homes. Visit a local winery for a more relaxing afternoon activity.

Arrives On: 16 Aug 28

Day 3: Strasbourg (France)

STRASBOURG, FRANCE. Discover Strasbourg, where French and German influences meet. Walk through the fairytale streets of La Petite France and admire the Cathédrale de Nôtre Dame with its famous astronomical clock, or explore the city by biking through its charming streets.

Arrives On: 17 Aug 28

Day 4: Ludwigshafen (Germany)

LUDWIGSHAFEN, GERMANY – RÜDESHEIM. Visit Heidelberg's medieval streets, iconic castle, and the Great Vat, or hike the Philosopher's Path for panoramic views. If you're looking for a more adventurous afternoon, visit Speyer's UNESCO-listed cathedral and medieval Old Gate, or bike along the Neckar to Ladenburg's charming town center. Later, ride over to Rüdesheim to experience Siegfried's Mechanical Instrument Cabinet or savor the town's signature Rüdesheimer coffee.

Arrives On: 18 Aug 28

Day 4: Rüdesheim am Rhein (Germany)

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Day 5: Rüdesheim am Rhein (Germany)

RÜDESHEIM. Savor the flavors of Rüdesheim's iconic vineyards during a wine tasting, take in sweeping views on a gondola ride to the Niederwalddenkmal, hike one of the city's many vineyards, or join a guided bike tour along the Rhine. In the evening, cruise through the UNESCO-listed Rhine Gorge to Lahnstein and enjoy an exclusive evening visit to Lahneck Castle.

Arrives On: 19 Aug 28

Day 6: Cologne (Germany)

COLOGNE, GERMANY. Cruise to Cologne and explore the enchanting Old Town on a guided tour, visiting the historic Rathaus, the 12th-century Fischmarkt, and the Great St. Martin Church. End your day with a tasting of the city's famous Kölsch beer, or for a more active experience, join a guided bike ride along the Rhine.

Arrives On: 20 Aug 28

Day 7: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS. Cruise along Amsterdam's iconic canals or explore the city on foot, passing gabled houses, narrow bridges, and houseboats, and savor Dutch specialties at a local artisanal café.

Arrives On: 21 Aug 28

Day 8: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

AMSTERDAM – DISEMBARKATION. Begin your journey home

Arrives On: 22 Aug 28

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