



Cruise Details

Name:	Enchanting Rhine (Christmas & New Year's Celebration)
Reference:	AMAAJ281224HAR
Operator:	Ama Waterways
Cruise Type:	River
Cruise Rating:	Luxury
Ship:	AmaViola
Regions:	Rhine
Departs On:	24 Dec 28
Departs From:	Basel
Arrives On:	31 Dec 28
Arrives At:	Amsterdam
Cruise Nights:	7
Total Vacation Days:	7

Itinerary

Day 1: Basel (Switzerland)

<p>EMBARKATION – BASEL, SWITZERLAND. Embark on your journey down the Rhine along the vibrant streets of Basel and settle into life on the river. As the ship sets sail, enjoy your first glimpse of Switzerland’s best brews meeting fellow travelers at a festive welcome dinner.</p>

Arrives On: 24 Dec 28

Day 2: Breisach (Germany)

<p>BREISACH, GERMANY. In Breisach, step into a festive winter wonderland with a stroll through the enchanting 16th-century streets of Colmar, admire its historic architecture, or embrace the season with a bike ride through the scenic countryside or a hike amid the vineyards and unique landscapes of the Kaiserstuhl.</p>

Arrives On: 25 Dec 28

Day 3: Strasbourg (France)

<p>STRASBOURG, FRANCE. In Strasbourg, the magic of the holidays comes alive as you wander the storybook streets of UNESCO-listed La Petite France, marvel at the Cathédrale de Notre Dame, or glide through the festive city and Parc de l'Orangerie on a guided bike tour.</p>

Arrives On: 26 Dec 28

Day 4: Ludwigshafen (Germany)

<p>LUDWIGSHAFEN, GERMANY – RÜDESHEIM. From Ludwigshafen, begin your journey through Germany's heart with a visit to Heidelberg's fairy-tale castle or the historic streets of Speyer. Later, sail to Rüdesheim and soak in the festive spirit with Siegfried's Mechanical Instrument Cabinet or a warming Rüdesheimer Coffee made with brandy.</p>

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Day 4: Rüdesheim am Rhein (Germany)

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Day 5: Rüdesheim am Rhein (Germany)

<p>RÜDESHEIM – RHINE GORGE. Enjoy the holiday spirit of Rüdesheim. Glide above the vineyards on a gondola to the Niederwalddenkmal and drink in sweeping views of the winding Rhine, savor the festive flavors of Riesling among sunlit vines, or pedal through the town's charming streets and verdant vineyards. In the afternoon, sail through the storybook Rhine Gorge, where fabled castles perch on every hill, before stepping ashore to explore the majestic Lahneck Castle in Lahnstein.</p>

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Day 5: Lahnstein (Germany)

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Day 6: Monheim am Rhein (Germany)

<p>MONHEIM - DÜSSELDORF, GERMANY. Start your day in Monheim with a choice of a half- or full-day tour of Cologne, exploring the enchanting Old Town and the majestic UNESCO-listed Cologne Cathedral, then continue to Düsseldorf for a festive walking tour or an active bike ride through the city streets, soaking in the holiday lights and seasonal cheer.</p>

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Day 6: Düsseldorf (Germany)

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Day 7: Utrecht (Netherlands)

UTRECHT – AMSTERDAM, THE NETHERLANDS. Begin your journey through Utrecht with a leisurely walking tour or a special beer tasting, then set sail on a scenic cruise to Amsterdam and glide through its iconic canals, soaking in festive lights, charming gabled houses, and the cozy glow of cafés offering Dutch specialties.

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Day 7: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

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Day 8: Amsterdam (Netherlands)

AMSTERDAM – DISEMBARKATION. Bid Farewell to Amsterdam and prepare for your homeward flight. (B)

Arrives On: 31 Dec 28

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