Non-Stop Travel presents...

Netherlands, Belgium & France

May 2 – 14, 2025
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Small Group Travel rewards travelers with new perspectives. With just 12-24 passengers, these are the personal adventures that today's cultural explorers dream of.

13 Days ● **16 Meals**: 10 Breakfasts, 1 Lunch, 5 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Amsterdam, Canal Cruise, Impact Moment, Kinderdijk, Choice on Tour: Kinderdijk Boat or Bike Tour, Bruges, Reims, Route du Champagne, Paris, Parisian Bakery Workspace, Parfum Workshop, *Le Marais*, Eiffel Tower Dinner

ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Days 1, 2 Overnight Flight

Days 3 – 5 The Manor Amsterdam, Amsterdam

Days 6, 7 NH Hotel Brugge, Bruges

Days 8, 9 Continental Hotel, Reims

Days 10 - 12 Courtyard Marriott Paris Gare de Lyon, Paris

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

Day 1: Friday, May 2, 2025 Depart Honolulu - Overnight Flight From iconic Dutch windmills and cozy Belgian streets to the world-renowned Champagne region and the "City of Light," experience the essence of three European countries. Connect with deeply rooted cultures as you make your way through the Netherlands, Belgium, and France.

Day 2: Saturday, May 3, 2025 Travel Day Continue your journey to Amsterdam.

Day 3: Sunday, May 4, 2025 Amsterdam, Netherlands - Tour Begins Narrow canals, stone bridges, and bike-brimmed lanes – this is Amsterdam, the lively starting point of your journey. Check into your hotel,* located in the heart of the city center and your home for the next three nights. Get a taste of the local flavors and meet your fellow travelers at a welcome dinner. (*D*)

Day 4: Monday, May 5, 2025 Amsterdam See the city the way it's meant to be seen – by canal on a private boat. Cruise under sloping bridges and pass by classic Dutch houses. Continue discovering Amsterdam on a walking tour with a local guide. Complete your day with an **Impact Moment** at "A Beautiful Mess" – a restaurant that helps refugees find independence in the Dutch community. Be united by food and enjoy locally sourced, environmentally conscious ingredients over dinner with your inspiring hosts. (*B*, *D*)

Day 5: Tuesday, May 6, 2025 Amsterdam Make the most of a free day in Amsterdam. Perhaps you'll visit the Van Gogh Museum** and explore the Anne Frank House.** Maybe you'll opt to spend the day in Royal Delft.*** This picture-perfect town has mostly stayed the same since the times of Johannes Vermeer's iconic paintings of the Dutch Golden Age. Conclude your guided tour with a visit to the Royal Delft porcelain manufacturer which has been producing hand-painted blue motives since the 16th century. Try your hand at painting a tile before returning to Amsterdam. Spend the late afternoon chatting with a local about the city's progressive (and often controversial) culture. Enjoy an evening at leisure to spend time in the city how you choose. (B)

Day 6: Wednesday, May 7, 2025 Amsterdam - Kinderdijk - Bruges, Belgium Today, it's your choice as you visit Holland's storied windmills. Perhaps you'll stroll along the winding paths and venture inside of a working windmill -OR- bike alongside a local guide through Dutch landscapes. No matter what you choose, take in the wind, water, and open spaces that make Dutch history come to life in Kinderdijk (UNESCO). End your day in storybook Bruges, your home for the next two nights. (B, D)

Day 7: Thursday, May 8, 2025 Bruges Wander the cobblestone streets of Bruges and get familiar with this cozy Belgian town on a walking tour with a local guide this morning. Then, cruise through fairytale canals before connecting with local traditions. Taste Belgian chocolate and learn about the intricate craft of lace making. After an afternoon at leisure, cheers to the day with a visit to a local brewery where you'll taste Belgium's most classic beverage. Continue tasting your way across local cuisines and enjoy dinner on your own. (B)

Day 8: Friday, May 9, 2025 Bruges - World War I Battlefields - Reims, France Traverse the Flanders with a local expert. Witness the stars and stripes raised over the graves of the valiant soldiers who gave their lives on the Western Front during the First World War inspiring John McCrae's poem, "In Flanders Fields." Take time to unwind with a glass of wine as you enter the heart of France's illustrious Champagne region – Reims. Settle into your city-centric boutique hotel before tasting your way through French cuisines during a five-course tasting paired with a glass of champagne. (*B*, *D*)

Day 9: Saturday, May 10, 2025 Reims - Champagne Winery - Reims Uncover the city's Celtic roots and Gothic architecture during a guided walking tour in Reims. Step into the cathedral of Notre-Dame de Reims and gaze up at a sea of colorful stained glass.







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Included in Price: Round Trip Air from Daniel K. Inouye International Airport, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers **Not included in price:** Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$449 per person

* All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change, based on air inclusive package

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Cityscapes give way to vineyard rows as you make your way along the Route du Champagne. Learn all about this world-famous artisan production during a tour and tasting at a nearby *maison du champagne*.**** Enjoy your afternoon and evening at leisure. (B)

Day 10: Sunday, May 11, 2025 Reims - Meaux - Paris Make your way to the French capital this morning. Pause in Meaux – the capital of the famous *brie* cheese. Learn about the artisanal production methods and aging process from a local cheese enthusiast before sampling some for yourself. Say *bonjour* to Paris this afternoon and learn the secrets of perfume making during a hands-on workshop led by an expert perfumer, affectionately referred to as "Nez" (Nose). Explore your new neighborhood – your new home for the next three nights – until the sun fades and the "City of Light" debuts its sparkling grandeur. Enjoy your evening at leisure. (B, L)

Day 11: Monday, May 12, 2025 Paris Start your day alongside your Tour Manager wandering through one of the most popular quarters of Paris – *Le Marais*. This neighborhood is famous for old-world charm, narrow cobblestone streets, hidden courtyards, and tranquil gardens among a vibrant Jewish community. Enter the kitchen of an authentic

Parisian bakery to see the workspace and learn the history behind how these bakers make their delicious bread. Explore Paris as you please this afternoon. Perhaps you'll take a stroll through the Tuileries Garden or elegant Place Vendôme displaying jewelry and high fashion. Experience Paris' nightlife during an optional dinner at the dynamic Paradis Latin***** cabaret show, featuring champagne, can-can dancers, and endless excitement. (B)

Day 12: Tuesday, May 13, 2025 Paris Be romanced by Paris – today is yours for the taking. Perhaps you'll visit the Orsay Museum, a former railway station that now houses the world's best impressionist art. Perhaps you'd rather witness authentic royalty on an optional excursion to the Royal Palace of Versailles.***** From the prominent Hall of Mirrors to the opulent bedchamber of the queen, take in the palace's most famous sights with your local guide before returning to Paris. End the day with an exclusive dinner at the Eiffel Tower, featuring French cuisine and breathtaking views. (*B*, *D*)

Day 13: Wednesday, May 14, 2025 Paris - Tour Ends - Arrive Home Say *au revoir* to Europe as you depart for home. (*B*)

Experience It! Bruges

Welcome to Bruges – a lesser known town in Belgium that is not to be missed. During the day, this UNESCO World Heritage Site welcomes a wave of visitors. At night, once the visitors return home and the cruise ships leave dock, experience the quaint storybook town as a local. Wander along the cobblestone streets, overlooking picturesque canals and sweet stony bridges. With time to explore, sample renowned Belgian chocolate, or fill up on some world-famous waffles. Before you know it, you'll call this town home and relish the cozy comfort that only Bruges can provide.

For more information visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1212406

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until September 30, 2024, valid on air inclusive packages only.

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/

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

Days of features are interchangeable.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Triple accommodations are not available due to hotel restrictions.

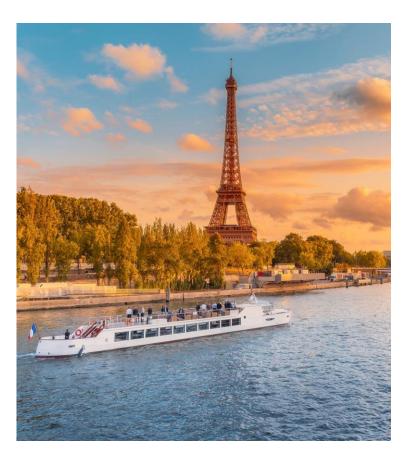
The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. Walking four miles over a course of a day is very doable as is climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some full days balanced with free-time. This level is not a fit for travelers that require mobility assistance devices. Some of the most unique sightseeing can mean accessing locations that restrict motor coaches, especially in the historic areas of Amsterdam, Bruges, Reims and Paris. Because of these restrictions, some of your touring in Amsterdam and Paris will take place via public transportation (tramways, city busses, subway) which require the ability to stand in moving vehicles using handrails and handles for support as seating cannot be guaranteed. For your comfort, we recommend bringing comfortable walking shoes. If you require a walker or wheelchair, or have difficulty walking, you may not be able to access some of these areas and may want to consider an alternate program with us. Our Client Care Agents can provide additional information or assistance to help you determine the perfect trip for you.

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.

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.

*Due to Amsterdam traffic regulations, your coach may not be able to park in front of the entrance of the hotel for disembarkation, which may require you to walk a short distance to the hotel.

**The Van Gogh Museum and the Anne Frank House are the two most popular sites in Amsterdam. Tickets are in high demand and are difficult to obtain on the day or close to the day of visit. If you are interested, we recommend that you purchase tickets online in advance through the museums' official websites. Tickets should be purchased for the afternoon of your second day in Amsterdam or any time during your third day in Amsterdam.



***The optional tour 'A Day in Royal Delft' must be purchased at a minimum of 45 days prior to departure.

****The champagne cellars are only accessible via several flights of steep steps. The cellars are located underground and there are 120 steps down and 120 to exit the cellars. There is no elevator on the premises.

*****Paradis Latin may be considered unsuitable for children - consult your Tour Manager.

******The Versailles optional tour must be purchased at a minimum of 60 days prior to departure.

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.

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

A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of September 30, 2024 are based upon availability. Final payment due by January 3, 2025. Deposits are refundable up until September 30, 2024.

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BOOKING NUMBER: 1212406 DEPARTURE DATE: May 2, 2025 TOUR: Netherlands, Belgium & France GROUP NAME: Non-Stop Travel

Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

Paris

Showtime in Paris! \$190 USD

Join us for a spectacular evening in one of Paris's most beloved institutions, the famous Paradis Latin. Situated in a building associated with Napoleon and rebuilt by Gustav Eiffel himself, the Paradis has been running here since 1889. Enjoy a sumptuous dinner with wine, then bring on the champagne and let the show commence! *Duration: Approximately 5 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



Versailles Palace

Enjoy an interesting visit to the incomparable Palace of Versailles. The palace and gardens of Versailles reflect the extravagant tastes of King Louis XIV, the "Sun King." On this excursion, travel by coach to Versailles where your local guide will recount the history of the palace and lead you through the various rooms of the State Apartments. Of particular interest are the Queen's bedchamber and the famous Hall of Mirrors. You then have leisure time to explore the incredible gardens, some of the most famous in the world, which took over 40 years to complete. This option must be purchased and reserved no later than 60 days prior to tour departure date. Once purchased, any cancellation within 60 days of tour departure will be non-refundable. *Duration: Approximately 5 hours*. Please note a minimum of 20 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Amsterdam

A Day in Royal Delft

\$150 USD

\$140 USD

Spend a day in Royal Delft. Founded around 1100 CE, the town grew rich from weaving and trade in the 13th-14th centuries. This picture-perfect town has changed little since the times of its most illustrious son, the painter Johannes Vermeer. The great master captured Delft's charm on canvas in some of the most iconic paintings of the Dutch Golden Age. After visiting the Markt, one of the largest historic market squares in Europe and its famous Oude & Nieuwe churches, your guided tour concludes with a visit to the Royal Delft porcelain manufacture. This factory has been producing the renowned hand-painted, blue motives since the 16th century. Try your hand at painting a tile before returning to Amsterdam for an evening at leisure. This optional tour must be purchased by 45 days prior to departure. *Duration: Approximately 8 hours.* Transportation is included.



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PASSENGERS NAME: (Please submit a separate form for each passenger)						
Salutation:_	First:	Middle:	Last:	Suffix:	_ Nickname:	
(Mr., Mrs., Rev.)		(Please print EXACTLY as it appears on Passport)		(Jr., §	(Jr., Sr.)	
✓	Option				Price Per Person (USD)	
	Showtime in Pa	ris!			190.00	
	Versailles Palac	e			140.00	
	This option must be purchased and reserved no later than 60 days prior to tour departure date.					
	Once purchased, any cancellation within 60 days of tour departure will be non-refundable.					
	A Day in Royal	Delft			150.00	
	This optional tour must be purchased by 45 days prior to departure.					

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