



MEZZANOTTE LUXURY TOURS

FRANCE 2024



October 8 – October 20, 2024

13 Days / 12 nights

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Join us in a captivating journey through the enchanting landscapes of France, where culinary delights and exquisite wines await.

Our adventure starts in the City of Lights, **Paris**, before venturing into the famous **Champagne** region for a day of exploring vineyards and uncovering the artistry behind Champagne production.

Next, our path leads us to the historic shores of **Normandy**, where the echoes of D-Day resonate, offering a profound glimpse into a pivotal moment in history. Here, we'll pay homage to the bravery of those who shaped our world, and marvel at the iconic Mont Saint-Michel, a testament to human ingenuity hailed as the "Wonder of the Western World." Continuing our odyssey, we traverse the **Loire Valley**, named the "Garden of France." Nestled in the charming town of **Amboise**, we'll discover regal castles and indulge in the exquisite flavors of Loire wines, surrounded by the picturesque beauty of the region.

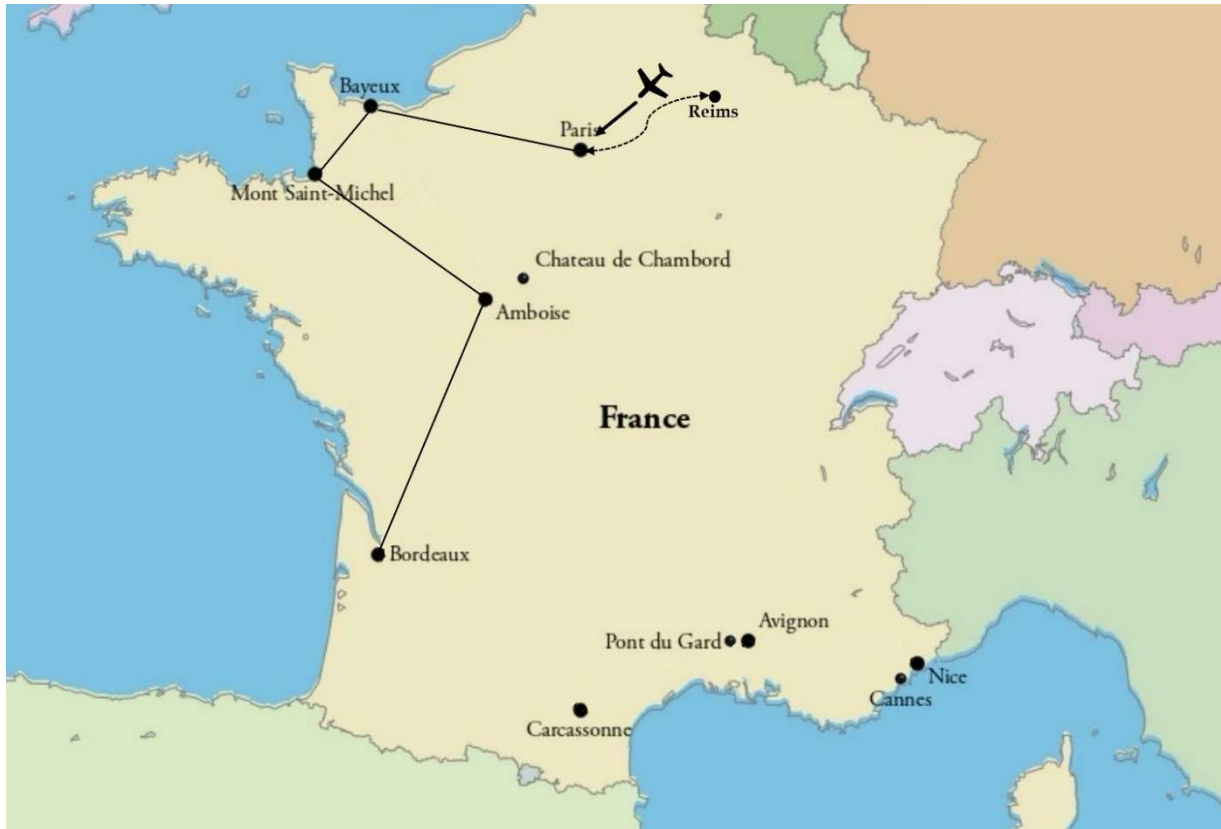
Our grand finale awaits in **Bordeaux**, an architectural masterpiece of the 18th century. Over three captivating days, we'll enjoy our time visiting beautiful charming towns, renowned vineyards, and savoring the splendor of this magnificent region.

Gerry and Adriana Sarmiento

"I had come to the conclusion that I must really be French, only no one had ever informed me of this fact. I loved the people, the food, the lay of the land, the civilized atmosphere, and the generous pace of life."

- Julia Child

OUR TOUR



HOTEL INFORMATION

Date	City	Hotel
Oct. 8 -12 (4 nights)	PARIS	MELIA VENDOME BOUTIQUE HOTEL 4* 8 Rue Cambon, 75001 Paris, France www.melia.com/en/hotels/france/paris/melia-paris-vendome
Oct. 12 - 14 (2 nights)	BAYEUX	HOTEL BELLE NORMANDY 4* 1 rue des cordeliers - 14400 BAYEUX https://en.bellenormandy.com/
Oct. 14-16 (2 nights)	AMBOISE, LOIRE	LE CHOISEUL 4* 36 Quai Charles Guinot - 37400 Amboise https://www.lechoiseulamboise.com/en/
Oct. 16-20 (4 night)	BORDEAUX	INTERCONTINENTAL BORDEAUX - LE GRAND HOTEL 5* 2-5 Place de la Comédie - Bordeaux 33000 Hotel Intercontinental

ITINERARY

October 8

Paris

Welcome Dinner

MELIA VENDOME BOUTIQUE HOTEL 4*

October 9

Paris City Tour

Morning city tour in Paris

Afternoon at Leisure

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October 10

Paris City Tour

We will continue exploring Paris with a morning City tour.

Afternoon at Leisure

Group dinner

MELIA VENDOME BOUTIQUE HOTEL 4*

October 11

Day Trip to Champagne

We will drive east of Paris to visit the renowned Champagne wine region; we will have the opportunity to visit the city with its beautiful cathedral, a famous large Champagne producer and a boutique Champagne producer.

MELIA VENDOME BOUTIQUE HOTEL 4*

October 12

Paris - Normandy

We will leave Paris driving northwest to the city of Bayeaux in Normandy, famous for its Norman-Gothic Cathédrale Notre-Dame and the 68-meter tapestry de Bayeux, an 11th-century tapestry depicting the 1066 Norman invasion of England.

Group dinner

HOTEL BELLE NORMANDY 4* - Bayeaux

October 13**Normandy D-Day Sites**

We will visit the most representative D-Day sites: Sainte-Mère-Église , Utah beach, Omaha beach, Pointe du Hoc, and the American Cemetery

HOTEL BELLE NORMANDY 4* - Bayeaux

October 14**Mont Saint Michel – Loire Valley.**

We will leave Bayeaux for a morning visit to the unique island of Mont Saint Michel, a UNESCO World Heritage site since 1979.

After our visit, we will drive to Amboise located in the Loire Valley.

Group dinner

HOTEL LE CHOISEUL 4* - Amboise

October 15**Loire Valley**

Besides producing excellent wines from Roman times in the first century, The Loire Valley, is best known as being the home to many important castles. Many of these date from the 15th to 17th centuries when the region was much loved by many of the French Kings and noblemen, who competed to build ever more elaborate and luxurious chateaux.

During our day tour we will visit Castles and a winery.

Group dinner

HOTEL LE CHOISEUL 4* - Amboise

October 16**Amboise - Bordeaux**

We will depart from Amboise to get to our final destination, the beautiful city and very important wine region of Bordeaux.

INTERCONTINENTAL BORDEAUX - LE GRAND HOTEL 5*

October 17 – 19**Bordeaux**

During these three days we will visit different wineries in the region, enjoying the visits to charming little towns in Bordeaux.

Group Dinner

INTERCONTINENTAL BORDEAUX - LE GRAND HOTEL 5*

October 20**End of the Tour**

GROUP SIZE

Maximum 26 guests

OUR TOUR INCLUDES:

All local transportation, Lodging 12 nights in 4 and 5* hotels

Tours and excursions with English Speaking guides

Meals: 12 breakfast / 10 lunch / 8 Dinner

Wine with the lunch and dinner meals described in the itinerary.

OUR TOUR DOES NOT INCLUDE:

International roundtrip flight and any airport taxes

Personal expenses such as telephone bills, laundry expenses, beverages, etc.

Insurance against theft, loss, illness and/or accident etc.

Gratuities, baggage portorage and other extras not specified.

Important- **Travel Insurance** (not included) is strongly recommended for all passengers – there are multiple options based on different coverage. – please contact me for policy quotes.

GETTING THERE

We will start our Tour in **Paris** – which Airport code is **CDG: Paris Charles de Gaulle**.

The tour will finish in Bordeaux – the local airport code is **BOD: Bordeaux–Mérignac Airport**

Several Airlines offer flights arriving to Paris-CDG and returning from Bordeaux- BOD e.g.:

American Airlines,

United / Lufthansa (mostly same flights as United),

Air France / Delta

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