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9 Days

Tulip Time River Cruise- Dutch & Belgian Waterways

 01 Apr 2027 - 09 Apr 2027

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About This Trip

This springtime river cruise gets underway in the Netherlands’ colorful capital of Amsterdam. This 700-year-old city offers an abundance of classic architecture, cafés, and restaurants to explore before you embark on your river cruise through Holland and Belgium. Garden enthusiasts will delight in a visit to see the breathtaking colors of Keukenhof, also known as the “Garden of

e." With 70 acres of parkland and lakes, it's one of the world's largest flower gardens with nearly 7 million flowering bulbs blooming with color. Next, sail to Antwerp, Belgium's second-largest city, known for its centuries-old history in diamond trading. The city's ancient buildings and monuments combined with modern architecture. In Ghent, Belgium, join a local expert for a guided tour of the city.

A beautiful and historic springtime river cruise concludes with more time to explore the wonderful city of Amsterdam. See the city from fascinating views of the city on a canal cruise along the elegant grachten lined with homes dating back to the city's "Golden Age."

Be sure to visit the pre-cruise options to extend your journey. You will find them in the add-on section when booking your cruise. For more information about travel insurance: [Assure Tour & Cruise – TripAssure – Book. Protect. Enjoy.](#)

Flight to Amsterdam

Thursday, April 1



Today your adventure begins! Depart the United States on an overnight transatlantic flight. Sit back, relax, and anticipate the unforgettable journey ahead as you cross the Atlantic toward one of the world's most captivating destinations.

Welcome in Amsterdam

Friday, April 2



Amsterdam, Netherlands

Begin your journey in Amsterdam, where you will board your luxury ship and set sail along Dutch waterways. There, you'll glide past Amsterdam's historic harbor and canals.

Cycling through Bruinisse and scenic Delta landscapes

Saturday, April 3



Bruinisse, Netherlands

Venture into the heart of the Dutch countryside where canals, bridges, and thatched-roof homes transport you straight into a fairytale. Traverse through the serene countryside by bike, or wander Flevoland's vibrant tulip fields, delighting in the timeless vistas of The Netherlands' floral-filled landscape.

Morning:

- Scenic Cruising the Delta
- Watch the Dutch landscape unfold as you cruise the iconic Delta, where soaring windmills and glittering waterways reveal a centuries-old relationship between Holland and the sea.

Afternoon:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Zierikzee City Tour
- A guided walking tour of Zierikzee traces the town's seafaring past through its historic harbor, restored wooden boats, centuries-old drawbridges and remarkably preserved medieval architecture.
- Delta Works Visit
- More than half the Netherlands lies below sea level. Discover the

engineering marvel of the Delta Works at Neeltje Jans and understand how one of the world's greatest flood barriers keeps a country dry.

- Zeeland Bike Tour
- Pedal through Bruinisse, a charming fishing village famed for its mussels and scenic waterways. Cycle through the Delta landscape and soak in the relaxed pace of Zeeland life from two wheels.

Ghent's canal-side cathedrals and Bruges' medieval streets

Sunday, April 4



Ghent, Belgium

Explore Ghent's medieval heart, where canals shimmer beneath castle towers and St. Bavo's Cathedral. Savor chocolate at a local shop, crafting your own pralines under the guidance of a master chocolatier, or spend the day wandering Bruges' cobblestone streets, Grote Markt, and the Church of Our Lady, tasting local delights and soaking in the city's timeless charm.

Morning:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Ghent Walking Tour with Adoration of the Mystic Lamb
- Chocolate Workshop
- Full Day Bruges Excursion with Cathedral of Our Lady

Culinary delights and historic sights in the heart of Antwerp

Monday, April 5



Antwerp, Belgium

Stroll through Antwerp's vibrant streets, from the historic Steen Castle and Brabo Fountain to the UNESCO-protected Cathedral of Our Lady, or explore the city on a guided bike tour. Later in the day, indulge in the city's flavors on a culinary tour of chocolate, waffles, and beer, or wander the Floralia spring flower show, where a million hand-planted bulbs create a breathtaking tapestry of color.

Morning:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Floralia Flower Show
- Belgian Chocolate, Beer and Waffle Tasting

Afternoon:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Walking Tour and Cathedral Visit
- Antwerp Bike Tour

Experience a captivating day in Netherlands' oldest city

Tuesday, April 6



Nijmegen, Netherlands

Take a walk through the charming streets and vibrant squares or delve into World War II history with an Operation Market Garden tour, exploring the city's pivotal role and the iconic Waal Bridge. Alternatively, discover the storied past of Valkhof Castle, once a residence of emperors and a symbol of Nijmegen's medieval power, now set in a picturesque park overlooking the river. For a more active adventure, opt for a scenic bike tour through the city.

Afternoon:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Walking tour
- Operation Market Garden tour
- Valkhof Castle tour
- Bike Tour

The storied harbors of Delfshaven and the windmills of Kinderdijk

Wednesday, April 7



Dordrecht, Netherlands

Wander through Kinderdijk's iconic windmills, where 18th-century sails float down peaceful canals. Drift onward to Rotterdam, the "Gateway to Europe," where vibrant streets, historic landmarks, and local flavors invite discovery, or visit Delft's Royal Porcelain Factory and the Pilgrim Fathers' departure site at Delfshaven for a journey through history.

Morning:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Kinderdijk UNESCO Windmills with Private Windmill
- Kinderdijk Bike Tour

Afternoon:

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Rotterdam Walking Tour
- Royal Delft Tour
- Rotterdam Architectural Bike Tour

Tulip fields and storybook Amsterdam

Thursday, April 8



Amsterdam, Netherlands

Admire Amsterdam's bridges and Keukenhof's flowers

Glide down Amsterdam's iconic waterways, drifting beneath historic bridges and past elegant canal-side homes, where the city's charm unfolds at every turn. Wander the fleet splendor of Keukenhof Gardens, where millions of tulips bloom across 70 acres, painting a vibrant tapestry in the heart of spring.

Choose from a variety of activities to enjoy on your cruise:

- Scenic Cruising Into Amsterdam
- Amsterdam Canal Cruise
- Keukenhof Gardens Excursion

Begin your journey home

Friday, April 9



Amsterdam, Netherlands

Begin your journey home

- Disembarkation

What's Included

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Gratuities for tour director and driver
Personal purchases and souvenirs
Travel insurance (recommended)
Airfare not included in price river cruise price
See Add-on for flight prices

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235 sq. ft French Balcony & Outside Balcony
\$400 Deposit-(\$200 is Non-refundable) Prices are per person.
\$6,378.00 USD per person

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French Balcony

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