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## <u>4 DAY HOLLAND & GERMANY TOUR – 2013</u>

# Brussels, Den Haag / Lisse, Volendam, Amsterdam, Cologne, Rhine Valley, Luxembourg

**DAY 1:** London – Dover - Ferry – Calais – Brussels – The Netherlands

This morning, at the check-in point, you will meet your Tour Manager and join the coach for a leisurely drive from London to Dover port, to board the ferry for the short channel crossing to Calais. Upon arrival, we proceed through Belgium. We first visit the city of Brussels, where on our orientation tour we see the Grand Place, the Mannekin Pis statue and the Atomium (photo stop). Later we drive to our hotel and check into for a two-night stay. (Dinner)

DAY 2: The Netherlands: Den Haag / Lisse, Volendam, Amsterdam

Today, we visit the Madurodam Model Village to see miniature Holland (or Keukenhof Gardens for arrivals in Holland between March 21<sup>st</sup> and May 20<sup>th</sup>). Later, we drive north through the flat landscape of Holland passing windmills from a bygone era, to visit a cheese and clog making farm. You can sample local made cheeses and learn how the famous wooden clogs are made, before visiting the picturesque fishing village of Volendam. We then proceed to the cosmopolitan city of Amsterdam for a canal cruise through the city's complex system of waterways. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

DAY 3: The Netherlands - Cologne – Rhine Cruise - Mannheim / Frankfurt area

Proceed east into Germany. Joining the autobahn, we arrive at the famous city of Cologne where you can marvel Europe's largest Gothic twin spire cathedral. Continuing our drive into the Rhine valley we board a cruise ship for an unforgettable trip along the River Rhine. Admire the majestic views, mountain top fairy tale castles and fortresses from a bygone era. Late evening check into our hotel for an overnight stop. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)

DAY 4: Mannheim / Frankfurt area – Luxembourg - Calais - Ferry – Dover – London

This morning we check out of our hotel and depart for the world's only remaining sovereign Grand Duchy, Luxembourg. Here you have some free time to explore the centre of the capital city, Luxembourg. Early afternoon we depart and journey north for Calais to board the ferry for the return channel crossing. On arrival at Dover port, we proceed to London, where the tour ends, and its time to say farewell to all the friends you have made on tour. (Breakfast)

**Note:** On some Tours the return journey will be by flight from Mannheim / Frankfurt area Airport to London Airport. You will be advised either at time of booking or prior to departure. In this instance, you will not visit Luxembourg and your Tour will end at the London Airport on return.

## **TOUR HIGHLIGHTS:**

**BRUSSELS:** Orientation Tour including the Grand Place, Mannekin Pis and Atomium (photo stop)

**THE NETHERLANDS:** Visit Madurodam Model Village (or Keukenhof Gardens between March 21<sup>st</sup> and May 20<sup>th</sup>), Cheese & Clog making Farm and Volendam; Amsterdam Canal Cruise

**COLOGNE:** Visit the Gothic Cathedral – "Dom"

**RHINE VALLEY:** Scenic drive and River Rhine Cruise

LUXEMBOURG: Free time in Luxembourg City centre (Please refer Note above)

## YOUR TOUR INCLUDES:

- 3 nights in a First Class Hotel with private facilities
- 3 Vegetarian Buffet Breakfasts, 2 Indian Vegetarian Lunches (Hot / Packed) and 3 Indian Vegetarian / Non Vegetarian Dinners
- Meal Plan is indicated at the bottom of your daily Itinerary: Breakfast, Indian Vegetarian / Non Vegetarian Dinner, Indian Vegetarian Lunch (Hot / Packed)
- Return channel crossings by ferry
- All coach transportation by executive cruise liners from departure to tour termination points
- All sightseeing, entrances and excursions as mentioned in the Itinerary
- All tips and service charges for Tour Manager and Coach Driver
- Services of Bi-lingual Tour Manager throughout the Tour

#### TOUR DEPARTURES (2013):

Tour Code: 04D – HOLG (out Mondays – return Thursdays)

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08, 15, 22, 29
03*, 06, 13, 20, 24* 27
03, 10, 17, 24
01, 08, 15, 22, 29
05, 12, 19, 23*, 26
02, 09, 16, 23, 30

(\*) = Friday departures

#### **TOUR PRICES (GBP):**

	TOUR PRICES
Adult	£320.00
Child 2 – 11 yrs	£250.00
Infant $0 - 23$ months	£85.00
Single Person	£395.00

Adult Rate is based on 2/3 Adults (12+ years) sharing Twin / Triple Rooms Child (2-11 years) must share a Room with 2 Adults Infant price is for Coach Seat only Discounts available for groups of 15+ passengers