

*Paris, Eiffel Tower*

**Bordeaux**

**Giverny**

**Nice**

**Normandy**

**Loire Valley**

**Louviers**

**Lyon**

**Paris**



**Paris, France**

**International Convention  
of Jehovah's Witnesses**

**July 30-August 2, 2009**

Dear Delegate,

Congratulations on having been selected to attend the International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses in Paris, France. Paris has long been considered one of the most important European capitals with its cultural and artistic influence. The "City of Light" is beloved by world travelers for good reason. Its plentiful museums house unparalleled collections of art and artifacts and its restaurants are of culinary legend. You will have countless opportunities to interact with your brothers & sisters from all over the world and have a firsthand look at all of the special work that is being done abroad.

WCS-World Convention Services/Wegiel Tours has been appointed as your official tour operator for the convention. Our experience and expertise in handling many International and Special Conventions for Jehovah's Witnesses since 1989 assures you that your trip will be handled with an attention to detail that ensures your travels will be truly unforgettable. Our staff of professionals look forward to assisting you with your travel plans and we pledge to make your arrangements a most pleasant and rewarding experience.

To make a reservation, please complete the enclosed Reservation Form and return it to us no later than February 13, 2009. Space is very limited on each tour and tour assignments will be made on a first-come, first-served basis. Therefore, it is imperative that you send in your completed reservation form and deposit check as soon as possible in order to provide the best opportunity of being placed on the tour of your choice.

As soon as we have received your deposit, we will send you a postcard acknowledging receipt. Within five weeks of receiving your deposit, we will send you a tour confirmation, invoice, and a Welcome Packet containing information on the following: flight schedule, health check, passport, visa and custom regulations, weather tips, what to bring, baggage allowance, dining, electric current, laundry, banking hours, currency, shopping, time zones, plus more!

We look forward to serving you with your travel arrangements for this International Convention.

Sincerely,

WCS-WORLD CONVENTION SERVICES/WEGIEL TOURS



*Paris, Louvre Museum & Pyramid*

**KEY**

**B = Breakfast**

**L = Lunch**

**Box L = Boxed Lunch**

**D = Dinner**

## **FRANCE** **Standard Convention** **Paris**

**TOUR-A**  
**July 27-August 3, 2009**  
**8 days/6 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$2,435**  
**Single Supplement: \$885**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/NEW YORK**

Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Tour may also operate July 28-August 4**



*Paris, Opera Garnier*

## **FRANCE** **Highlights of Paris** **Paris, France**

**TOUR-B**  
**July 27-August 5, 2009**  
**10 days/8 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$2,929**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,195**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy lunch with your group followed by a scenic cruise down the Seine River. (B,L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS** Half-day tour to the Palace of Versailles, the royal chateau that was once the center of political power in France and home to King Louis XIV. Visit the Hall of Mirrors, the Great Royal Apartments, and the Queen's Apartments. Enjoy free time at the end of your visit to stroll through the palace's magnificent gardens. Return to Paris and use the remainder of your day for independent activities. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** After breakfast, depart for Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office where you will learn more about the work in France. Enjoy a box lunch on the bus as you return to Paris. Use the remainder of your day to relax or explore this magnificent city on your own. (B,Box L)

**August 5/Wed. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

## **FRANCE** **Highlights of French Riviera** **Paris & Nice**

**TOUR-C**  
**July 24-August 3, 2009**  
**11 days/9 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,535**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,300**

**July 24/Fri.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to NICE, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 25/Sat. NICE** Upon arrival in Nice, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. En route, enjoy a panoramic sightseeing tour of Nice.

**July 26/Sun. NICE/CAGNES/NICE** After breakfast, continue your discovery of Nice - a source of inspiration for numerous artists, painters and musicians. Your tour today will include a visit to the Museum of the Beaux-Arts - a sumptuous palace filled with three centuries worth of paintings and sculptures. Enjoy lunch in a small, charming castle. Afternoon excursion to Cagnes to visit the Renoir Museum in the former home of the famous French Impressionist painter. Return to Nice for overnight. (B,L)

**July 27/Mon. NICE/ST. PAUL DE VENCE/CIMIEZ/NICE** After breakfast, travel to St. Paul de Vence, a typical provincial village. Visit the Fondation Maeght, a museum filled with contemporary artwork. Enjoy free time for lunch and stroll throughout the village. Return towards Nice and visit the hills of Cimiez. Here you will visit the Matisse Museum and the Chagall Museum. Return to Nice and enjoy your evening at leisure. (B)

**July 28/Tues. NICE/CANNES/**

**PARIS** After breakfast, depart to Cannes, the luxurious tourist destination and host of the annual Cannes Film Festival. Your tour will take you through the Old Town as you pass by the harbor and the famous Palais des Festivals. Following your sightseeing, transfer to the airport. Fly to Paris. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. Enjoy your evening at leisure in this magnificent city. (B)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/**

**PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**FRANCE**

**Highlights of Paris & Lyon  
Paris & Lyon**

**TOUR-D**

**July 25-August 4, 2009  
11 days/9 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,489  
Single Supplement: \$1,080**

**July 25/Sat.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 26/Sun. PARIS/LYON** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport. Follow your escort to the train station to board your TGV train to Lyon. Upon arrival in Lyon, transfer to your hotel and enjoy free time for lunch. In the afternoon, explore Lyon through a walking tour. The city is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site and known for its historical and architectural landmarks. Dinner this evening with your group. (D)

**July 27/Mon. LYON** After breakfast, visit Fourviere Hill and the Roman Vestiges of Lyon. This area is the oldest archaeological site outside Rome and includes an excavated theater and a museum showcasing everyday life during the Roman period. Lunch on your own. Continue to a local silk workshop and witness Lyon's silk and textile tradition firsthand. Dinner this evening with your traveling companions. (B,D)



Nice

**July 28/Tues. LYON/PEROUGES/ LYON** Half-day visit to Perouges, a medieval walled town just outside of Lyon. Return to Lyon and enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure. Dinner this evening with your group. (B,D)

**July 29/Wed. LYON/PARIS** After breakfast, board your coach for your transfer to the Lyon railway station to take the TGV train back to Paris. Upon arrival in Paris, transfer to your hotel. Use the remainder of your day to relax or explore the city on your own. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)



Lyon, Vieux District & Saone River

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

## FRANCE Highlights of Bordeaux Paris & Bordeaux

**TOUR-E**  
July 24-August 3, 2009  
11 days/9 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,450**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,129**

**July 24/Fri.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to BORDEAUX, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 25/Sat. BORDEAUX** Upon arrival in Bordeaux, your WCS tour escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. Free time for lunch. In the afternoon, enjoy a sightseeing tour of Bordeaux, one of the best preserved 18<sup>th</sup> century architectural sites in the world. Walk along the cobblestone streets and elegant boulevards as you view the city's white stone facades and its lush gardens. Dinner this evening with your traveling companions. (D)

**July 26/Sun. BORDEAUX/ ST. EMILION/POMEROL/BORDEAUX**

Travel today to the medieval town of St. Emilion. The town is a World Heritage site going back to prehistoric times and features fascinating



Romanesque ruins along its narrow streets. Lunch at a local restaurant. Continue by visiting local wine producers in the St. Emilion and Pomerol regions. Return to Bordeaux for dinner and overnight. (B,L,D)

**July 27/Mon. BORDEAUX/SAUTERNE/SADIRAC/BORDEAUX**

Drive to Sauterne for a guided visit of one of its famous chateaus. Lunch at a local restaurant. Continue to Sadirac for a guided visit of its extraordinary garden where 150 varieties of old-fashioned vegetables grow. Return to Bordeaux following your tour. Dinner with your group this evening. (B,L,D)

**July 28/Tues. BORDEAUX/PARIS**

After breakfast, board your coach for your transfer to the airport. Fly to Paris. Upon arrival, your WCS tour escort will meet and transfer you to your hotel. Use the remainder of your day to relax or explore Paris on your own. (B)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS**

Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



*Bordeaux, Chateau & Vineyard*

**FRANCE**  
**Highlights of Provence**  
**Paris, Arles or Nimes**

**TOUR-F**  
**July 24-August 4, 2009**  
**12 days/10 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,895**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,325**

**July 24/Fri.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 25/Sat. PARIS/AVIGNON/ARLES** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport. Transfer to the Paris Gare de Lyon train station to board your TGV train to Avignon. Upon arrival, travel by coach to Arles. Dinner with your group this evening. (D)

**July 26/Sun. ARLES/PONT**

**DU GARD/NIMES/ARLES** After breakfast, enjoy a full day tour in Provence. Begin your visit with a walking tour through Arles, known for its rich history filled with architectural and artistic treasures. Visit the Roman sculptures in the Archaeology Museum and the classical elegance of the Hôtel de Ville (French for "City Hall"). Free time for lunch before continuing to the famous Pont Du Gard, an aqueduct constructed by the Roman Empire. Continue to Nimes for a sightseeing tour of the main monuments of the city, including the Square House. Return to your hotel for dinner and overnight. (B,D)

**July 27/Mon. ARLES/ST. REMY DE PROVENCE/LES BAUX DE PROVENCE/AVIGNON/ARLES**

Today, visit St. Remy de Provence. Walk along the village's ancient, narrow winding streets and view its picturesque restaurants and elegant boutiques. The beautiful countryside surrounding the town inspired many artists and painters including Vincent Van Gogh. Continue to Les Baux de Provence and visit the Baux Chateau, a historical monument that overlooks all of Provence. Walk through the ancient town of Les Baux and visit the history museum along with the town dungeon, fortified towers, and hospital. Enjoy lunch on your own before continuing to Avignon. Spend the afternoon exploring the town's historic quarters and its beautiful narrow streets. Return to your hotel for dinner and overnight. (B,D)

**July 28/Tues. ARLES/AIX EN**

**PROVENCE/PARIS** Today, visit Aix en Provence & enjoy a walking tour following in the footsteps of Paul Cezanne, the post-impressionist artist. Visit the Calisson d'Aix candy factory. A specialty of Aix-en-Provence since the XVth century, the Calisson consists of almonds and candied fruit mixed

together in a smooth paste, covered with royal icing. Enjoy free time for lunch before transferring to the train station to board your TGV train to Paris. Upon arrival, your WCS guide will meet you at the train station and transfer you to your hotel. (B)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS**

Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS** Enjoy your day in Paris at leisure. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Note: Overnights July 25-28 will be in either Arles or Nimes.**





Honfleur, Harbor

**FRANCE**  
**Highlights of Normandy**  
**Paris & Trouville or Honfleur**

**TOUR-G**

**July 25-August 4, 2009**

**11 days/9 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,365**

**Single Supplement: \$1,300**

**July 25/Sat.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 26/Sun. PARIS/TROUVILLE**  
Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS tour escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to Trouville. En route, stop in Rouen, the capital of Normandy, and take part in a walking tour through the city center. See where Joan of Arc was imprisoned, tried for heresy, and burned at the stake in 1431. Lunch at a local restaurant before continuing to Trouville. Enjoy a welcome cocktail followed by dinner with your traveling companions. (L,D)

**July 27/Mon. TROUVILLE/  
ARROMANCHES/OMAHA BEACH/  
TROUVILLE** After breakfast, drive to Arromanches to enjoy a morning visit of the Debarkment Museum. Free time for lunch. Continue to Omaha Beach and visit one of the principal landing points of the D-Day invasion during World War II. Visit the American Military Cemetery in nearby Colleville

St. Laurent. Return to Trouville and enjoy dinner this evening. (B,D)

**July 28/Tues. TROUVILLE/  
HONFLEUR/LOUVIERS/GIVERNY/  
PARIS** Today, travel to Honfleur, a traditional seaside resort. Visit the resort's old harbor and the Museum of Eugene Boudin, which features works from 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century Normandy painters. Stop for lunch in Louviers and enjoy a visit to the Watchtower Branch Office to learn more about the work being done in France. Travel to Giverny to visit the home and splendid gardens of impressionist painter Claude Monet. Continue to Paris for overnight. (B,L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Remainder of your day to relax or explore Paris on your own. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS** Enjoy your day in Paris for independent activities. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Note: This tour may also operate in reverse July 27-August 6. Overnights July 26 & 27 will be in either Trouville or Honfleur.**



*Baux-de-Provence*

the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Spend your day in vibrant Paris on your own. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/BLOIS** After breakfast, travel to the Loire Valley with visits to the Fontainebleau Castle and Blois Castle, which combines four different architectural styles. Overnight in Blois. (B)

**August 4/Tues. BLOIS/AMBOISE/BLOIS** Travel today to the Vouvray region to visit a local Loire wine producer. Free time for lunch. Continue to the town of Amboise and visit the castle and Clos Lucé, where Leonardo da Vinci lived and worked. Return to Blois and enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure. (B)

## **FRANCE** **Highlights of the Loire Valley** **Paris & Blois or Tours**

**TOUR-H**  
**July 26-August 6, 2009**  
**12 days/10 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,499**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,340**

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées,

**August 5/Wed. BLOIS/TOURS/CHENCNCEAU/BLOIS** This morning, enjoy a walking tour through the old town of Tours. Free time for lunch. Travel to the town of Chenonceau to visit the romantic "Castle of Women" and its lush gardens. Return to your hotel and enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. BLOIS/CHAMBORD/ORLEANS/PARIS/NEW YORK** After breakfast, travel to Chambord to visit the Chambord Castle. Marvel at the castle's splendid roofs and its central winding staircase, an architectural masterpiece constructed by Leonardo da Vinci. Continue to Orleans to see the town of Joan of Arc. Following your tour, transfer to the airport just outside Paris for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Note: Overnights August 3,4 & 5 will be in either Blois or Tours.**



*Castle Chenonceau*

**FRANCE**  
**Paris, Normandy & The Loire Valley**  
**Paris, Blois & Caen**

**TOUR-I**  
**July 28-August 10, 2009**  
**14 days/12 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$4,099**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,379**

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ROUEN/CAEN** After breakfast, travel to Louviers and enjoy a visit to the Watchtower Branch Office to learn more about the work being done in France. Continue to Rouen, the capital of Normandy, and enjoy a walking tour through the city center. This is the city where Joan of Arc was imprisoned, tried for heresy, and burned at the stake in 1431. Continue to Caen and

enjoy a welcome cocktail following your arrival. Dinner with your group this evening. (B,D)

**August 4/Tues. CAEN/ARROMANCHES/OMAHA BEACH/CAEN** Travel today to Arromanches for a morning visit of the Debarkment Museum. Enjoy a light lunch with your group at a local restaurant. Continue to Omaha Beach and visit one of the principal landing points of the D-Day invasion during World War II. Your tour will also include a visit to the American Military Cemetery in nearby Colleville St. Laurent. Return to Caen and enjoy dinner with your travelling companions (B,L,D)

**August 5/Wed. CAEN/HONFLEUR/TROUVILLE/CAEN** Today, visit Honfleur, a traditional seaside resort. Visit the resort's old harbor and the Museum of Eugene Boudin, which features works from 19<sup>th</sup> and 20<sup>th</sup> century Normandy painters. Enjoy lunch on your own, followed by free time to stroll and shop around the old harbor. In the late afternoon, travel along the Côte Fleuire (Flowered Coast) and make a stop in the town of Trouville. Return to Caen and enjoy dinner with your group. (B,D)

**August 6/Thurs. CAEN/VILLANDRY/AZAY LE RIDEAU/BLOIS** In the morning, board your coach for your transfer to the Loire Valley. En route, stop and visit the Villandry Castle and its beautiful Renaissance gardens. Visit the Azay le Rideau Castle, one of the most beautiful water castles of the Loire Valley. Following your arrival at your hotel in Blois, enjoy dinner with your group. (B,D)

**August 7/Fri. BLOIS/CHAMBORD/AMBOISE/BLOIS** Today, travel to the Castle of Blois, which combines four different architectural styles. Continue to the town of Chambord and visit

the Chambord Castle. Marvel at the castle's splendid roofs and its central winding staircase, an architectural masterpiece constructed by Leonardo da Vinci. In the afternoon, travel to the town of Amboise and visit the Close Lucé where Leonardo da Vinci lived and worked. Return to Blois following your tour and enjoy dinner with your group. (B,D)

**August 8/Sat. BLOIS/VOUVRAY/CHENONCEAU/PARIS** After breakfast, drive to Chenonceau and visit the romantic "Castle of Women" and its lush gardens. Continue to Vouvray and visit a local wine producer. Stop in the town of Amboise along the Loire River and enjoy free time for lunch. Continue towards Paris and make a stop in Orleans to see the town of Joan of Arc. Arrive in Paris where your group will overnight. (B)

**August 9/Sun. PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Remainder of your day to relax or explore Paris on your own. (B)

**August 10/Mon. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

## AUSTRIA & FRANCE Paris & Vienna

**TOUR-J**  
July 26-August 6, 2009  
12 days/10 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,099**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,179**

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Relax or explore Paris on your own. Stroll the beautiful boulevards, visit a museum, or go shopping. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ VIENNA, AUSTRIA**  
Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Vienna, Austria. Upon arrival in Vienna, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. VIENNA** Morning sightseeing tour of Vienna, the world's music capital. Highlights will include the Hofburg Castle, the Opera House, the Burgtheater, and the magnificent Schonbrunn Palace, which was built as a summer residence for the Hapsburg rulers. Free time for lunch on your own. In the afternoon, visit the local Watchtower Branch Office where you will learn about the work being done in Austria. (B)

**August 5/Wed. VIENNA** Enjoy your day in Vienna at leisure. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. VIENNA/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Tour may also operate July 26-August 5 with one less night in Vienna with a reduction of \$70.**



Vienna, Schonbrunn Palace

## CZECH REPUBLIC & FRANCE Paris & Prague

**TOUR-K**  
July 26-August 6, 2009  
12 days/10 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,115**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,245**

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Spend your day in Paris to explore the city on your own. Perhaps relax in a café, go to a fashionable shop, or visit one of the magnificent museums. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/PARIS, CZECH REPUBLIC** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Prague, Czech Republic. Upon arrival in Prague, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PRAGUE** Morning visit to the large, beautiful Assembly Hall in Prague where you will learn about the work being done in the Czech Republic. Stop for lunch at a local restaurant. In the afternoon, enjoy a sightseeing tour of Prague, one of the most beautiful cities in Europe and known for its magnificent architecture dating back to the 10<sup>th</sup> century. Your tour will include visits to Prague Castle, the wealthy residential quarter of Mala Strana, the Charles Bridge, and the Old Town of Prague. (B,L)

**August 5/Wed. PRAGUE** Enjoy your day in Prague at leisure. Perhaps do some shopping, walk around scenic neighborhoods, or relax at a sidewalk café. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. PRAGUE/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

***Tour may also operate in reverse July 25-August 4 with one less night in Paris with a reduction of \$150.***

## **SPAIN & FRANCE Paris & Madrid**

### **TOUR-L**

**July 26-August 6, 2009  
12 days/10 nights**

***Tour Cost: \$3,335  
Single Supplement: \$1,260***

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.



**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the “City of Light”, such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Free time to explore Paris on your own. Perhaps visit a world famous museum, walk scenic neighborhoods, or relax at a sidewalk café. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah’s Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah’s Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah’s Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah’s Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ MADRID, SPAIN** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Madrid, Spain. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you for transfer to your hotel. En route, enjoy a panoramic tour of Madrid, the capital and largest city in Spain. Your guide will point out the city’s most important buildings, avenues, and squares and explain their history. Enjoy brief stops

at the Plaza de España, the Plaza Colon, and the Santiago Bernabeu Stadium. (B)

**August 4/Tues. MADRID** After breakfast, enjoy a sightseeing tour of Madrid’s artistic highlights. Visit the Royal Palace, a magnificent 18<sup>th</sup> century building and former residence of Spanish kings. Tour the private rooms of King Carlos III and Isabel II and admire the palace’s elegant architecture and fully furnished rooms. Visit the Museo del Prado, one of the most important museums in the world. See the works of Velazquez, Goya, El Greco, and Murillo. Enjoy lunch with your group followed by a visit to the local Watchtower Branch Office to learn about the work being done in Spain. (B,L)

**August 5/Wed. MADRID** Enjoy your day in Madrid at your leisure. Perhaps visit a museum, relax, or do some last minute shopping. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. MADRID/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



Madrid, Prado Museum

## SPAIN & FRANCE Paris & Barcelona

**TOUR-M**  
**July 27-August 7, 2009**  
**12 days/10 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,355**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,180**

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the

*International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ BARCELONA, SPAIN** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Barcelona, Spain. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. BARCELONA** Morning sightseeing tour of Barcelona, the capital of the Catalonia region of Spain. Visit the colorful Gothic Quarter, the Olympic Port, and the famous Ramblas Promenade. You will also enjoy a beautiful panoramic view of the city from the top of Montjuich. After free time for lunch on your own, take pleasure in an afternoon tour that will focus on Barcelona's artistic highlights. Visit Gaudi's fantastic Guell Park, which has been declared an artistic monument and world heritage site by UNESCO. Conclude with a visit to the Picasso Museum, which exhibits works from the famous painter's "blue" and "pink" periods. (B)

**August 5/Wed. BARCELONA/ TOSSA DE MAR /LLORET DE MAR/ BARCELONA** After breakfast, enjoy a full day excursion to the costal region of Costa Brava. Admire the beautiful seascapes as you travel to the quaint fishing village of Tossa de Mar and the charming seaside town of Caldetas. Enjoy a panoramic boat trip along the rugged coastline to the lively seaside town of Lloret de Mar, where you will enjoy lunch at a local restaurant and some free time to explore at leisure. (B,L)

**August 6/Thurs. BARCELONA** Enjoy your day in Barcelona to explore the city on your own. Perhaps visit a park, walk along the waterfront, have lunch at a sidewalk café, or do some last minute shopping. (B)

**August 7/Fri. BARCELONA/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

## ENGLAND & FRANCE Paris & London

### TOUR-N

July 26-August 6, 2009  
12 days/10 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,285**

**Single Supplement: \$1,279**

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/  
PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Free day in Paris for independent activities. Perhaps stroll through a neighborhood, visit a museum, or relax at a sidewalk café. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/  
LONDON, ENGLAND** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to London, England. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. LONDON** After breakfast, enjoy a sightseeing tour of London's highlights, including Big Ben, the Houses of Parliament, Buckingham Palace, and more. A highlight today will be a visit to the British Museum for a specialized tour of the museum's Biblical exhibits. Spend the remainder of your day in London at leisure. (B)

**August 5/Wed. LONDON** Morning visit to the local Watchtower Branch Office to learn more about the work being done in Great Britain. Following your tour, return to London and explore the city on your own. Perhaps do some shopping, visit a museum, or dine at a pub. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. LONDON/NEW  
YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Tour may also operate in reverse  
July 25-August 5.**

## ITALY & FRANCE Paris & Rome

### TOUR-O

July 26-August 6, 2009  
12 days/10 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,440**

**Single Supplement: \$1,250**

**July 26/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Day free for independent activities to relax in a café, go to a fashionable shop or visit one of the magnificent museums. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ ROME, ITALY** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Rome, Italy. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. ROME** Morning sightseeing tour of Rome's highlights including the Roman Forum, the Colosseum, the famous Piazza del Campidoglio designed by Michelangelo and more. After enjoying lunch with your group, visit the local Watchtower Branch Office in Rome where you will learn more about the important work being done in Italy. (B,L)

**August 5/Wed. ROME** Time to savor *la dolce vita*, take photos and browse through tempting shops. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. ROME/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Tour may also operate in reverse July 25 to August 5.**



Rome, Colosseum

## GERMANY & FRANCE Paris & Frankfurt

**TOUR-P**  
**July 27-August 7, 2009**  
**12 days/10 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,355**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,135**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B, Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/FRANKFURT, GERMANY** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Frankfurt, Germany. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. FRANKFURT** Morning sightseeing of Frankfurt, the financial and transportation center of Germany. Pass such sites as the Romerberg (city hall square), the Old Opera House, and the Goethe

House, home of the famous German writer Johann Wolfgang von Goethe. Your tour will also drive by Old Sachsenhausen, Frankfurt's famous district with its historic half-timbered houses. After returning to your hotel, enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure. (B)

**August 5/Wed. FRANKFURT/SELTERS/FRANKFURT** Full-day excursion to Selters to visit Europe's largest Watchtower Branch Office and learn about the work being done in Germany. Stop for lunch before returning to Frankfurt. (B,L)

**August 6/Thurs. FRANKFURT/RUEDESHEIM/FRANKFURT** Today spend your day in the Rheingau, one of Germany's most famous wine regions, and enjoy a visit to Ruedesheim, which has been part of UNESCO's World Heritage list since 2002. One of the highlights today will be a romantic Rhine River Cruise from Ruedesheim to St. Goarshausen. Pass numerous castles, vineyards, and the famous Lorelei Rock. After lunch in a nice local restaurant in Ruedesheim, enjoy a guided city walk featuring a visit to the Drosselgasse, Ruedesheim's famous narrow alleyway which offers live music, and entertainment. (B,L)

**August 7/Fri. FRANKFURT/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



Frankfurt, Romerberg





*Munich*

Assembly Hall where you may meet some brothers and sisters and learn about the work being done in Germany. Afternoon free to discover Munich on your own. Perhaps walk through some scenic neighborhoods, go shopping, or sample some German food. (B)

**July 25/Sat. MUNICH/  
HOHENSCHWANGAU/MUNICH**

Full-day excursion to Neuschwanstein Castle. En route, drive through the lovely pre-alpine lowlands to Hohenschwangau at the foot of the Bavarian Alps. Upon arrival, hike up the high cliff to the castle and visit its many magnificent halls and rooms. Enjoy lunch at a local restaurant. Continue with a visit to the Linderhof Castle, built by King Ludwig II. See the castle's fantastic grotto and the Moorish pavilion. Return to Munich for an evening at leisure. (B,L)

**July 26/Sun. MUNICH** Spend your entire day in Munich to relax or explore the city on your own. (B)

**July 27/Mon. MUNICH, GERMANY/  
PARIS, FRANCE** Transfer to the airport in Munich. Fly to Paris, France. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. Use the afternoon to relax or explore vibrant Paris on your own. (B)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS/LOUVIERS/  
PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**GERMANY & FRANCE  
Paris & Munich**

**TOUR-Q**  
July 22-August 4, 2009  
14 days/12 nights

**Tour Cost: \$3,699**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,579**

**July 22/Wed.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to MUNICH, GERMANY. (Meals on Board)

**July 23/Thurs. MUNICH** Upon arrival in Munich, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 24/Fri. MUNICH** Morning sightseeing of Munich. Your guide will point out many of the city's highlights including the Olympic grounds, the University, the Bavarian National Museum, the Royal Palace, and the Opera House. Visit the Nymphenburg Palace, the former summer residence of the Bavarian Kings. A highlight of your tour will be a stop at a local



**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Full day in Paris for independent activities. Perhaps spend some time at a museum, relax at a sidewalk café, or do some shopping. (B)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS**  
Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B, Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS** Day free in Paris to relax, visit with new friends or do any last minute shopping. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/NEW YORK**  
Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

## **SWEDEN, DENMARK & FRANCE** **Paris, Stockholm, Vaexsjoe & Copenhagen**

**TOUR-R**  
**July 27-August 8, 2009**  
**13 days/11 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,975**  
**Single Supplement: \$1,410**

**July 27/Mon. PARIS** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/  
PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B, Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)



*Paris, Petit Palais*

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B, Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Stockholm, Sweden. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**August 4/Tues. STOCKHOLM** Morning sightseeing tour of Sweden's capital, situated on fourteen islands. Visit the famous City Hall (site of the Nobel Prize Banquet) and the Old Town with its cobble-stone streets and medieval buildings. Walk past the Royal Palace and the Stock Exchange before rejoining your coach for travel to the park island of Djurgården, an area that was formerly a royal hunting preserve. Return to your hotel and enjoy the afternoon to discover Stockholm on your own. (B)

**August 5/Wed. STOCKHOLM/ VAEXSJÖE** After breakfast, meet your guide and depart to Denmark. Drive through the Swedish countryside to Vaexsjöe. Following your arrival in the "Crystal Kingdom", visit the crystal factory, museum and the 266 year-old Kosta Boda glass works. Dinner this evening with your group. (B,D)

**August 6/Thurs. VAEXSJÖE, SWEDEN/COPENHAGEN, DENMARK** After breakfast, depart for Copenhagen. En route, stop in the university town of Lund, one of Sweden's oldest towns. Continue to Malmö, the third largest city in Sweden. Malmö is a modern trading city featuring buildings that have been carefully preserved since the 1300's. Drive across the new Öresund Bridge built across the Öresund Sound linking Sweden with Denmark. Check-in to your hotel in Copenhagen and enjoy time to explore the city on your own. (B)

**August 7/Fri. COPENHAGEN/ HOLBÆK/COPENHAGEN** Morning sightseeing tour of Copenhagen. Pass by some of the city's most famous landmarks including Tivoli Gardens, the Ny Carlsberg Glyptotek with its incredible art collection, Christiansborg Palace, Nyhavn (Copenhagen's old harbor area), and the famous Little Mermaid. Visit the Rosenborg Castle inside to view the impressive royal collection. After lunch, travel to the city of Holbæk. Visit the local Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in Denmark. Return to Copenhagen for an evening at leisure. (B,L)

**August 8/Sat. COPENHAGEN/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



*Copenhagen Tivoli*

## **SWITZERLAND & FRANCE** **Paris, Beaune, Lausanne,** **Interlaken, Lucerne & Zurich**

### **TOUR-S**

**July 28-August 10, 2009**  
**14 days/12 nights**

**Tour Cost: \$3,899**

**Single Supplement: \$1,255**

**July 28/Tues.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS/BEAUNE** After breakfast, visit the Palace of Versailles, the royal chateau that was once the center of political power in France and home to King Louis XIV. Visit the Hall of Mirrors, the Great Royal Apartments, and the Queen's Apartments. Free time for lunch on own. Later, continue your trip to the town of Beaune for overnight. (B)

**August 5/Wed. BEAUNE, FRANCE/ LAUSANNE, SWITZERLAND** This morning, stop at the Hospices of Beaune, a 15<sup>th</sup> century charitable institution used as a hospital for the poor and needy. Visit the Hotel Dieu, the original hospital building and a fine example of 15<sup>th</sup> century French architecture. Continue to Switzerland and overnight in the town of Lausanne, located on the northern shore of Lake Geneva. (B)

**August 6/Thurs. LAUSANNE/ MONTREAUX/GRUYERES/BROC/ INTERLAKEN** This morning, enjoy a city tour of Lausanne situated on three hills above beautiful Lake Geneva. Lausanne offers a multitude of museums, monuments and buildings which you can discover during your tour. Continue to the famous Castle of Chillon, which is like going back in time! Each hall or room unveils a part of the castle's history. Free time for lunch on your own. After your visit, continue on to the picturesque town of Gruyeres to visit a cheese factory. Enjoy a cheese making demonstration and partake in a tasting. Travel to nearby Broc and enjoy a visit to a chocolate factory along with a demonstration and tasting. Continue to Interlaken where your group will overnight. (B)

**August 7/Fri. INTERLAKEN/ GRINDELWALD/INTERLAKEN** This morning, enjoy a brief orientation tour of Interlaken and marvel at the atmosphere of this picturesque area at the foot of the Eiger. A highlight of

today will be a visit to the Watchtower Branch Offices located in Thun where you will learn about the work being done in Switzerland. Following your visit, continue to nearby Grindelwald, the "Glacier Village", and visit Trummelbach Falls, a series of ten spectacular glacier-waterfalls inside a mountain - an unforgettable trip with breathtaking views. Return to Interlaken for an evening at leisure. (B)

**August 8/Sat. INTERLAKEN/BRIENZ/BERN/LUCERNE** Today glitters with Swiss charm. Travel this morning to the picturesque town of Lucerne. En route, stop in Brienz to visit a local woodcarving workshop. Continue to the capital, Bern, and enjoy a panoramic sightseeing tour including the bear pits. Continue to Lucerne where your group will overnight. (B)

**August 9/Sun. LUCERNE** Enjoy a sightseeing tour of Lucerne, a tourist favorite because it embodies the storybook image of a Swiss town. Located at the north end of the lake, the city abounds in narrow cobblestone streets, slender spires and turrets, covered bridges, frescoed houses, and fountains. (B)

**August 10/Mon. LUCERNE/ZURICH/NEW YORK** After breakfast, transfer to Zurich airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**Tour may also operate July 27-August 10 with one extra night in Paris for an additional \$150.**



Interlaken, Switzerland

**ESTONIA, FRANCE,  
RUSSIA & SWEDEN**  
**Royal Caribbean Cruise**  
**Victory of the Seas**  
**Paris, Stockholm, Tallinn**  
**& St. Petersburg**

**TOUR-T**  
**July 27-August 8, 2009**  
**13 days/11 nights**

**Category: L Interior Cabin \$3,735**  
**I Outside Ocean View +\$65,**  
**D1 Superior Ocean View**  
**with Balcony +\$379**  
**Single Supplement: On request**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at your leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN** Morning flight to Stockholm, Sweden. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you and transfer to your cruise ship, Royal Caribbean's *Vision of the Seas*. Thousands of windows showcase the memorable coastlines and ports. This magnificent ship has a seven story lobby, multiple restaurants and lounges, and a library reminiscent of an English study. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Tallinn, Estonia. (D aboard)

**August 4/Tues. TALLINN, ESTONIA** Morning arrival in Tallinn, Estonia. Tallinn is the capital and largest city in Estonia, an important political and cultural center. Today your group will take pleasure in a full day private tour. Travel to the local Watchtower Branch Office in Tallinn and learn about the work being done in Estonia. Following your visit, enjoy a guided sightseeing tour by coach and foot, including some free time for lunch on your own or shopping before you return to the ship. Your cruise ship sets sail late afternoon for St. Petersburg, Russia. (B & D aboard)

**August 5/Wed. ST. PETERSBURG, RUSSIA** Arrive in St. Petersburg this morning. Today your group will board your motorcoach for a private city tour of this imperial city of golden spires, golden domes, pastel palaces and picturesque canals. Following your tour, stop for lunch with your group. Later, enjoy a visit to the local Watchtower Branch Offices to learn more about the important work being done in Russia. Set sail in the early evening for Stockholm, Sweden. (B & D aboard; L)

**August 6/Thurs. DAY AT SEA** Enjoy a day at sea aboard Royal Caribbean's *Vision of the Seas* as you sail towards Stockholm, Sweden. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 7/Fri. STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN** Morning arrival in Stockholm. Disembark your cruise ship and meet your WCS escort at the pier. Board your coach for a panoramic tour of Stockholm, Sweden's capital that is situated on fourteen islands. Visit the famous City Hall (site of the Nobel Prize Banquet) and the Old Town with its cobble-stone streets and medieval buildings. Then, take a short walk past the Royal Palace and the Stock Exchange. Travel to the park island of Djurgarden, an area that was formerly a royal hunting preserve. Return to Stockholm and transfer to your hotel for overnight. (B)

**August 8/Sat. STOCKHOLM/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



*Royal Caribbean Vision Of The Seas*



**DENMARK, FRANCE,  
NORWAY, SWEDEN**  
**Royal Caribbean Cruise**  
*Vision of the Seas*  
**Paris, Stockholm, Visby,  
Oslo & Copenhagen**

**TOUR-U**

**July 28-August 12, 2009**  
16 days/14 nights

*Category: L Inside Cabin \$4,045*  
*I Outside Ocean View +\$69,*  
*D2 Ocean View with Balcony +\$340*  
*Single Supplement: On request*

**July 28/Tues.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

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**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid &

Museum. Use the remainder of your day for independent activities. (B)

**August 4/Tues. PARIS** Enjoy your day in magnificent Paris to relax or explore the city on your own. (B)

**August 5/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** After breakfast, depart for an excursion to Louviers. En route, enjoy a scenic drive west of Paris through the Normandy region. Stop in Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office where you will learn more about the work in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**August 6/Thurs. PARIS, FRANCE/ STOCKHOLM, SWEDEN** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Stockholm, Sweden. Upon arrival in Sweden, your WCS escort will meet you and transfer you to your hotel. Remainder of your day in Stockholm to relax or explore the city on your own. (B)

**August 7/Fri. STOCKHOLM** This morning, enjoy a panoramic sightseeing tour of Stockholm, Sweden's capital situated on fourteen islands. Visit the famous City Hall (site of the Nobel Prize Banquet) and the Old Town with its cobble-stone streets and medieval buildings. Then take a short walk past the Royal Palace and the Stock Exchange. Following your sightseeing, transfer to the seaport to board your cruise ship, Royal Caribbean's *Vision of the Seas*. Thousands of windows showcase the memorable coastlines and ports. This magnificent ship has a seven-story lobby, multiple restaurants and lounges, and a library reminiscent of an English study. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Visby, Sweden. (B,D aboard)

**August 8/Sat. VISBY, SWEDEN** Arrive this morning in Visby. Visby is the only city on the Swedish island of Gotland. It is arguably one of the best preserved medieval cities in



Scandinavia. Choose an optional shore excursion or spend the day on your own. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Oslo, Norway. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 9/Sun. DAY AT SEA** Enjoy a day at sea aboard Royal Caribbean's *Vision Of The Seas* as you sail towards Oslo, Norway. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 10/Mon. OSLO, NORWAY** Arrive this morning in Oslo, the oldest of the Scandinavian capital cities with a varied collection of cultural attractions and natural wonders. The city is situated at the head of a 60-mile fjord and is beautifully framed by a vast expanse of woods, moors, and lakes. Explore Oslo on your own today or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Copenhagen, Denmark. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 11/Tues. COPENHAGEN, DENMARK** Morning arrival in Copenhagen, Denmark. Disembark your cruise ship and meet your WCS escort at the pier. Board your coach for a panoramic sightseeing tour of Copenhagen. Your guide will inform you about this fascinating city as you pass by sites such as Tivoli Garden, Town Hall Square, the National Museum, and the Christiansborg Palace. Enjoy a light lunch with your group followed by a visit to the Watchtower Branch Offices located in Holbaek, approximately one hour outside Copenhagen. Overnight in Copenhagen. (B,L)

**August 12/Wed. COPENHAGEN/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



*Dielmann MV Cezanne*

**FRANCE**  
**Dielmann River Cruise**  
**MV Cezanne**  
**Paris, Les Andelys,**  
**Caudebec-en-Caux, Rouen &**  
**Giverny**

**TOUR-V**  
**July 27-August 8, 2009**  
**13 days/11 nights**

**Tour Cost Category A: \$4,330**  
**Single Supplement: On request**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

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**July 29/Wed. PARIS/LOUVIERS/ PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

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**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/LES ANDELYS** Departure this morning to Les Andelys where you will meet your ship. Embark on your cruise ship, the *MV Cezanne*, a deluxe river cruise ship carrying 100 passengers. There is one crew member to every 2½ passengers, providing the best crew-to-passenger ratio of any river vessel. Cruise down the Seine, one of Europe's most enchanting rivers, through a storybook landscape of vineyards, castles, tranquil orchards, and medieval towns. Set sail this evening towards Caudebec-en-Caux. (D aboard)

**August 4/Tues. CAUDEBEC-EN-CAUX** Take a stroll through Caudebec-en-Caux and enjoy picturesque views of half-timbered houses on the banks of the Seine River. The town was destroyed by fire during World War II and later rebuilt. The damage – and previous local history – is recorded in the thirteenth-century Maison des Templiers, one of the few buildings to be spared. You may elect to take an optional full day excursion to see the historic beaches of Normandy, the site of the D-Day landing. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 5/Wed. CAUDEBEC-EN-CAUX/CRUISING THE SEINE** Today you can take in more sights in the quaint village, relax on the ship or you may chose to join an optional excursion to Villequier and St. Wandrill. This afternoon, sail to Rouen. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 6/Thurs. ROUEN** Spend the day on your own exploring the historic and beautiful town of Rouen. Perhaps visit one of the town's wonderful art museums, the impressive statue of Joan of Arc, or the spectacular Renaissance "great clock". (B,L,D aboard)

**August 7/Fri. GIVERNY** This enchanting place has stone farmhouses, lovely gardens and lily pads as captured on canvas by the impressionist painter Claude Monet. You may elect to join an optional tour and explore his lovely home and gardens, where he lived and painted until 1926. This evening enjoy a delightful farewell dinner on-board. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 8/Sat. PARIS/NEW YORK** Disembark your cruise ship this morning in Paris and meet your WCS escort. You will be transferred to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



Paris, Arc De Triomphe

**CROATIA, FRANCE,  
GREECE & ITALY**  
**Costa Cruise Fortuna**  
**Paris, Venice, Bari, Olympia,**  
**Santorini, Mykonos, Rhodes**  
**& Dubrovnik**

**TOUR-W**  
**July 27-August 11, 2009**  
**16 days/14 nights**

**Inside Cabin: \$4,580**  
**Outside w/window: +\$399**  
**Outside w/balcony: +\$599**  
**Single Supplement: On request**

**July 27/Mon.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to PARIS, FRANCE. (Meals on Board)

**July 28/Tues.** Upon arrival in Paris, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel.

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**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS, FRANCE/ VENICE, ITALY** Transfer to the airport just outside of Paris. Fly to Venice, Italy. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport. Transfer to the port to embark your state-of-the-art cruise ship, the *Costa Fortuna*. The *Costa Fortuna* has drawn inspiration in its style and design from the grand Italian steamships with its various restaurants and public areas. Set sail this evening for Bari, Italy. (D aboard)

**August 4/Tues. BARI, ITALY** Arrive in Bari, Italy mid-day. Enjoy the afternoon to explore Bari on your own. The town's origins are strictly tied to maritime activities and the port was once an active and important exchange network with the East. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Katakolon/Olympia, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 5/Wed. KATAKOLON/ OLYMPIA, GREECE** Arrive in Katakolon, Greece mid-day, a small port that serves as the gateway to nearby Olympia where the Olympic Games originated. Discover this port town on your own or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Santorini, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 6/Thurs. SANTORINI and MYKONOS, GREECE** Arrive this morning in Santorini, Greece, a popular tourist destination in the summer months with dramatic cliffside villages and glorious black sand beaches. Your ship departs Santorini early afternoon for Mykonos, Greece. Arrive in Mykonos early evening, one of the most picturesque and popular Greek islands known for its splendid beaches and its white-washed houses

and shops. Visit both Santorini and Mykonos on your own or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Rhodes, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 7/Fri. RHODES, GREECE**

Arrive in Rhodes, Greece early morning, famous as the former site of the Colossus of Rhodes, one of the original Seven Wonders of the World. The Colossus, a bronze statue standing 35 meters in height, was situated at the entrance to the busy harbor until a terrible earthquake knocked the statue down. Choose an optional shore excursion today or explore Rhodes on your own. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Dubrovnik, Croatia. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 8/Sat. DAY AT SEA** Enjoy a day at sea aboard the *Costa Fortuna* as you sail towards Dubrovnik, Croatia. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 9/Sun. DUBROVNIK, CROATIA** Arrive in Dubrovnik, Croatia early morning, one of the most attractive destinations on the Adriatic Riviera. It has been extensively restored since suffering damage during the Balkan hostilities of the 1990s. Discover the city on your own today or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this afternoon for Venice, Italy. (B,L,D aboard)

**August 10/Mon. VENICE, ITALY** Morning arrival in Venice, Italy. Disembark your cruise ship and meet your WCS escort at the pier. Board your coach for transfer to your Venice hotel followed by a guided walking tour of Venice. Evening to explore Venice on your own. Overnight in Venice. (B)

**August 11/Tues. VENICE/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)

**FRANCE, GREECE, ITALY & SICILY**

**Costa Cruise *Romantica***  
**Paris, Rome, Catania,**  
**Rhodes, Patmos, Mykonos**  
**& Heraklion/Crete**

**TOUR-X**  
**July 19-August 3, 2009**  
**16 days/14 nights**

**Tour Cost:**  
**Cat. 12 Inside Cabin: \$4,215**  
**Cat. E1 Outside Cabin: +\$299**  
**Cat. E3 Outside Cabin: +\$369**  
**Single Supplement: On request**

**July 19/Sun.** Depart NEW YORK for your transatlantic flight to ROME, ITALY. (Meals on Board)

**July 20/Mon. ROME, ITALY** Upon arrival in Rome, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport. Transfer to the port in Civitavecchia, Italy to embark your state-of-the-art cruise ship, the *Costa Romantica*. The *Costa Romantica* epitomizes Costa's devotion to Italian design. Richly embellished public rooms feature rare woods and Carrara marble exquisitely detailed by the finest European artisans. Millions of dollars were spent on original works of art. Set sail this evening for Catania, Sicily. (D aboard)

**July 21/Tues. CATANIA, SICILY** Arrive in Catania mid-afternoon, an extremely busy city, geared towards the industry and commerce of agricultural products and tourism. Mt. Etna overlooks the city and is the highest active volcano in Europe. Discover Catania on your own today or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Rhodes, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 22/Wed. DAY AT SEA** Enjoy a day at sea aboard the *Costa Romantica* as you sail towards Rhodes, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 23/Thurs. RHODES, GREECE** Arrive in Rhodes, Greece early morning. Rhodes is famous as the former site of the Colossus of Rhodes,

one of the original Seven Wonders of the World. The Colossus, a bronze statue standing 35 meters in height, was situated at the entrance to the busy harbor until a terrible earthquake knocked the statue down. Choose an optional shore excursion today or explore Rhodes on your own. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Patmos and Mykonos, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 24/Fri. PATMOS/SANTORINI and MYKONOS, GREECE** Arrive in Patmos, Greece early morning and visit the island where John wrote the Book of Revelation while in exile. Your ship departs Patmos today in the early afternoon for Mykonos. Arrive early evening in Mykonos, one of the most picturesque and popular Greek islands known for its splendid beaches and its white-washed houses and shops. Explore Patmos and Mykonos on your own or choose an optional shore excursion. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Heraklion/Crete, Greece. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 25/Sat. HERAKLION/CRETE, GREECE** Arrive in Heraklion, Greece early morning. Heraklion serves as the gateway to Crete, an outpost dividing Europe from the Asian and African continents. The largest of the Greek islands, Crete is famous for boasting over 3,000 caves offering exceptional varieties of quartz, crystals, stalagmites, and stalactites. Choose an optional shore excursion today or discover the island on your own. Your cruise ship sets sail this evening for Civitavecchia/Rome, Italy. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 26/Sun. DAY AT SEA** Enjoy a day at sea aboard the *Costa Fortuna* as you sail towards Civitavecchia/Rome, Italy. (B,L,D aboard)

**July 27/Mon. ROME, ITALY** Morning arrival in Rome. Disembark your cruise ship and meet your WCS escort at the pier. Board your coach and drive to Rome where you will enjoy a sightseeing tour of the Italian capital

city. Your tour guide will point out and explain the history behind many of the city's most famous landmarks including the Roman Forum, the Colosseum, the famous Piazza del Campidoglio designed by Michelangelo and more. Enjoy lunch with your group. After lunch, you will visit the local Watchtower Branch Office where you will learn more about the work being done in Italy. (B,L)

**July 28/Tues. ROME, ITALY/PARIS, FRANCE** Transfer to the airport. Fly to Paris, France. Upon arrival, your WCS escort will meet you at the airport for transfer to your hotel. (B)

**July 29/Wed. PARIS** Morning sightseeing tour of Paris, passing by the major landmarks of the "City of Light", such as the Arc de Triomphe, the Champs Elysées, the Grand & Petit Palais, the Eiffel Tower, Concorde Square, the Opera House, Vendome Square, and the Louvre Pyramid & Museum. Enjoy your boxed lunch as you travel to Louviers to visit the Watchtower Branch Office and learn more about the work being done in France. Return to Paris for an evening at leisure. (B,Box L)

**July 30/Thurs. PARIS** Morning in Paris at leisure. Late morning transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**July 31/Fri. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 1/Sat. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 2/Sun. PARIS** Transfer to the Villepinte Expo Center to attend the *International Convention of Jehovah's Witnesses*. (B,Box L)

**August 3/Mon. PARIS/NEW YORK** Transfer to the airport for your return flight to the U.S. (B)



# Terms & Conditions - Paris, France

## (Please Review Carefully)

### **Reservation & Payment Procedures:**

**Deposit:** A \$750 deposit per person and signed Reservation Form is required to secure a reservation and must be received at WCS no later than **February 13, 2009**.

As space is limited, reservations will be made on a **first-come, first-served basis**. Your full name listed on your reservation form **must be identical** to that shown on your passport.

**Acceptable form of payment for deposit is: CHECK ONLY** – personal, money order, credit card convenience check, or bank checks are allowed. WCS will send you a postcard acknowledging receipt of your deposit. Within five weeks after receipt of your deposit you will receive a tour confirmation/invoice plus a Welcome Packet.

**NOTE:** WCS strongly recommends purchasing the travel protection plan at time of deposit. This plan will provide coverage for trip cancellation/interruption due to medical emergencies, death in the family, job loss, etc. (see pamphlet for details)

**Final Payment:** The balance due for your tour must be received at WCS no later than **April 3, 2009**. Reservations may be cancelled and we reserve the right to levy full cancellation charges as set forth in these conditions if full payment is not received by the due date. **Acceptable forms of payment for balance due are:** personal check, money order, bank checks, credit card convenience check, or a credit card. **Discover, MasterCard, and Visa only.**

**Late Bookings/Payments:** Reservation requests received **after the February 13th deposit deadline** will incur a \$50 per person late booking fee. If the reservation is requested **after the final payment due date of April 3rd**, the fee of \$50.00 along with your final payment will be due within 24 hours and all applicable cancellation penalties will apply thereafter. Acceptable forms of payment for late bookings include credit card, credit card convenience checks, money

order or certified check. NO PERSONAL CHECKS. If requested services cannot be confirmed, deposit and late booking fee will be refunded.

**Tour Selection:** Tours will be assigned in the order Reservation Forms are received on a first-come, first-served basis. WCS will try to place you on one of your five tour choices but we cannot guarantee tour availability. **Therefore, DO NOT list any tour choices on your reservation form that you are not willing to accept.** If all your tour choices are unavailable, WCS will contact you with alternate tour options.

### **Passengers Who Wish To Travel Together:**

If you plan to travel with a group of friends or a roommate, it is imperative that all Reservation Forms are received in the **same envelope** and that **all tour selections are identical.**

**Single Supplement:** This is the additional cost for a single person to have a private room whether by choice or as a result of not having a roommate. If you wish, WCS will do everything possible to find a roommate for you, but we cannot guarantee that a roommate will be found. The single supplement must be included with your final payment if you do not have a roommate. If WCS cannot find a roommate for you, it is not a valid reason for cancellation.

**Travel Protection Plan:** We **STRONGLY RECOMMEND** that you obtain our optional insurance with coverage for trip cancellation due to medical emergency or job loss as well as baggage protection and more. **Please refer to the enclosed brochure for further details.** This plan can be purchased at a cost of **\$149** per person. Only services rendered by WCS are covered. The plan's PRE-EXISTING CONDITION EXCLUSION will be waived if the plan cost is received with your deposit. Trip cancellation coverage starts the moment we accept your payment. Contact BerkelyCare directly at 1-800-343-3553 with any additional questions. Please note, once the plan is purchased, it is **NON-REFUNDABLE.**



**Land-Only (No Air Fare) Participants:** Delegates may choose to purchase the Land-Only portion of any itinerary. Land-Only participants will be responsible for arranging their own air transportation **including ALL flights within Europe** as well as their own transfers both to and from the airport and their hotel. If your flights coincide with your group's schedule, you will be allowed to transfer with them. Land-Only participants may deduct the amount of \$650 per person from the tour price. **Please note:** Once deposit has been received, a fee of \$125.00 per person will be charged for any delegate who requests to change from Land-Only to air inclusive or vice versa. Notification of such a change must be submitted in writing and is subject to availability. No changes can be made after **April 3, 2009**. WCS will not be responsible for any tour features that are missed due to your Land-Only status.

**Returned Checks:** There will be a \$35 processing fee for each returned check due to insufficient funds.

**Currency Exchange:** Rates are based on tariffs and currency exchange levels in effect at the time of printing. WCS reserves the right to revise the selling rates in the event of a significant change in these tariffs and currency exchange levels.

**Taxes:** As of the date of printing, local and central government taxes and port fees are included for all services as levied by the governments of the United States and countries visited as specified. In the unlikely event that tax and/or fee structures are amended at any time prior to the travel date, WCS will pass on all such additional taxes to the passenger. Airport and airline taxes and fees are NOT included.

**Revisions:** Written requests for changes (air or tour) cannot be submitted until you have received a tour confirmation and invoice. Requests submitted prior to this will be disregarded and will need to be resubmitted.

**Tour Changes:** A \$75 per person fee, plus any expenses imposed by suppliers,

will be charged for each requested and confirmed tour change.

**Change of Address:** Please notify WCS in writing immediately of any address changes. WCS will not be responsible for any documents that are lost due to an incorrect address.

**Changes in Itineraries and Program Assignment:** WCS reserves the right to make changes in fees, travel dates, cities, itinerary sequence, reversal of trip direction, airlines, hotels, and sightseeing. On certain dates, especially holidays, some attractions or activities may be closed. WCS reserves the right to substitute attractions.

**Tour Inclusions:** All tour prices are per person based on double or twin occupancy and include roundtrip air transportation in economy class via scheduled international flights from New York or Newark; luggage allowance of one medium checked bag and one carry on bag (specific weight and dimension information for bags will be included with your final documents or may be found on our website); accommodations in double/twin bedded rooms will be in 3 and 4 star hotels; hotel tax; portage at hotels one bag per person; meals listed in the program (not including beverages) B-Breakfast, L-Lunch, Box L-Boxed Lunch, D-Dinner; roundtrip airport/ hotel transfers (except for Land-Only Participants); daily roundtrip transfers to the convention by motorcoach; guided sightseeing tours as specified in tour programs; visits to Watchtower Branch Offices where possible; services of English-speaking guides for all airport/hotel transfers and sightseeing. Cruise itineraries include meals, stateroom accommodations, on-board activities, entertainment & transportation from port to port.

**Tour Exclusions: Airline taxes, security fees and fuel surcharges (currently \$300-\$500 depending on the specific airline itinerary, subject to change until ticketed);** transportation to and from New York; hotel accommodations in New York; Optional Dinner Plan; Passport fees & visa fees; "Passenger Protection

Plan Insurance;" meals not listed on program; tips to drivers and guides; portage at airports; optional tours; personal expenses; airport taxes that are collected in foreign airports.

**Hotels:** WCS has carefully selected hotels that are air-conditioned. Please note that there are a limited number of rooms with two twin beds. Therefore, in some cases, roommates may be asked if they would be willing to share a bed. Triple and quad occupancy rooms are **not** available.

**Air Extensions:** Some airlines may allow a change on **your return date**. Outbound date or city changes are **not allowed**. All air extensions must be received in writing along with a revision fee of \$125.00 per person plus any applicable airline fees no later than **March 3, 2009** and are **subject to availability**. WCS will make every effort to accommodate your request. If not available, your revision fee will be refunded. Once the new flights are confirmed, you will be notified. Since this is based on space availability, please try to be flexible with your return date.

**International Flights:** WCS utilizes regularly scheduled flights. WCS is not responsible for flight delays, missed connecting flights, long layovers or any expenses related to such delays. Participants are responsible to communicate directly with the airlines regarding any frequent flyer issues of which WCS assumes no responsibility.

**Domestic Air Transportation To and From JFK or Newark:** **Delegates are responsible to book and purchase their own domestic ticket to and from JFK or Newark.** Please **DO NOT** book domestic flights from your home city until you have received your Welcome Packet including your tour confirmation, invoice and confirmed international flight schedule. Please leave ample time in both directions for connecting. Your international carrier will NOT be responsible if you miss your flight due to domestic flight delays or weather related

issues. **WCS STRONGLY RECOMMENDS ARRIVING INTO NEW YORK CITY THE DAY BEFORE YOUR SCHEDULED INTERNATIONAL FLIGHT.** If this is not possible, then please allow at least five hours between flights and seven hours if arriving at Newark and departing from JFK or vice versa. However, it is safest to arrive the day before.

**Passports:** If you do not have a valid passport, you should start the process immediately. Your passport should be valid for at least six months following the date you are scheduled to return from your trip (Approximately February 2010). **Your full name listed on your Reservation Form MUST BE IDENTICAL to that shown on your passport.** Once your tour has been confirmed, there will be a \$35.00 revision fee to make a name change. After tickets have been issued, there will be a fee of \$150.00 plus any applicable airline charges to make a name change. **Without the proper documentation, you may be denied entry to one or all of the countries visited on your tour itinerary.** WCS does not accept responsibility for passengers who fail to obtain the proper documentation required for all countries visited on their tour.

**U.S. Citizens:** Passport applications are available online at: [http://www.travel.state.gov/passport/passport\\_1738.html](http://www.travel.state.gov/passport/passport_1738.html) or contact the nearest Passport Agency or your local U.S. Post Office.

**Non-U.S. Citizens:** You are responsible for contacting the embassies of ALL countries that you will be visiting to see if an entry visa is required. They will provide you with instructions on how to obtain one. Please ensure you allow ample time to complete the necessary paperwork prior to departing the USA. The following is a list of the consulates and their phone numbers for all of the countries listed on this brochure:

**AUSTRIA: (202)-895-6700**  
**CROATIA: (202)-588-5899**  
**CZECH REPUBLIC: (202)-274-9100**  
**DENMARK: (202)-234-4300**  
**ESTONIA: (202)-588-0101**  
**FRANCE: (202)-944-6000**  
**GERMANY: (202)-298-4000**  
**GREAT BRITAIN: (202)-588-6500**  
**GREECE: (202)-939-1300**  
**ITALY: (202)-895-6700**  
**NORWAY: (202)-333-6000**  
**RUSSIA: (202)-298-5700**  
**SPAIN: (202)-452-0100**  
**SWEDEN: (202)-833-2077**  
**SWITZERLAND: (202) 387-2564**

**Travel Documents:** Your travel documents will be sent to you approximately 21 days prior to your departure by First Class mail. If this is unacceptable, the passenger will be responsible for express delivery charges.

**Cancellation Policy:**

**Written Cancellation received in office:**  
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	<b>Penalty</b>
From the time of deposit per person until April 2	\$750
April 3 to May 9	35% of tour cost
May 10 to May 29	50% of tour cost
After May 30	100% of tour cost

Please note that reservations and payments are non-transferable. Unused portions of a tour are not refundable.

Tour Cancellations must be submitted in writing (i.e. mail, fax, or email). It is your responsibility to ensure WCS has received your notification. Cancellations go into effect the day WCS receives your written notification. Refunds will be processed within 50 days of written notification.

**Responsibility:** WCS-World Convention Services/Wegiel Tours are divisions of Wegiel Travel Service, Inc., a Massachusetts corporation, which are not responsible for and cannot be held liable for any injury, loss, damage, accident, detention, annoyance, expense or delay arising from (a) quarantine, strikes, force majeure, war, terrorism act, failure

of any vehicle or means of conveyance to arrive or depart as scheduled, disturbances, government restrictions or regulations through the acts or default of any company or persons engaged in conveying the tour participant or providing any tour services or other cases over which it has no control or (b) through any tardiness, misconduct or illegal acts on the part of any tour participant. Compensation for any mishap must be sought in the country where mishap occurred. WCS reserves the right to refuse, accept, or retain any person as member of any tour at any time.

**Frequently Asked Questions & General Information:** Refer to our website:  
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