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## BRITISH ISLES & FAROES & ICELAND - NORTH ATLANTIC WONDERS

Embark on an unforgettable journey through some of the most captivating landscapes on Earth. Travel from the historic coasts of the British Isles to the green valleys of the Faroe Islands and Iceland. Sail to the British Isles, where history and myth intertwine -- from prehistoric stone circles and medieval cathedrals to charming coastal towns steeped in maritime heritage. Each destination tells its own story, inviting you to experience the wild beauty, timeless culture, and enduring legends of the North. Continue to the Faroe Islands, a secluded archipelago of dramatic cliffs, lush meadows, and picturesque villages with turf-roofed houses. Here, ancient Viking traditions blend harmoniously with a tranquil way of life surrounded by the sea. In Iceland, explore a realm shaped by fire and ice, where mighty waterfalls, black-sand beaches, and steaming geothermal fields reveal the island's untamed spirit.



### ITINERARY

Day 1: Arrival in Edinburgh, Scotland (hotel night)

Welcome to Edinburgh, the capital of Scotland and starting point of our expedition. To provide you with more time to enjoy this metropolis rich in history and culture, we've arranged pre-cruise hotel accommodations. Relax and take a stroll through town, enjoying both medieval and classic 18th-century architecture. The famous Edinburgh Castle rises majestically above it all.

Day 2: Welcome Aboard!

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Enjoy the morning and early afternoon at leisure. Each corner of Edinburgh's old streets opens beautiful unexpected vistas of green hills or a blue flash of the distant sea. In the afternoon, you will be transferred from the hotel to the ship in the nearby Port of Leith. Before dinner, there's time to explore the Sea Spirit, your home-away-from home for the next days.

### Day 3: Bass Rock & Isle of May

Our adventures begin with the exploration of two uninhabited islands teeming with wildlife. The Isle of May is a national nature reserve, home to puffins, guillemots, razorbills, cormorants, terns, and seals basking on the shore. You'll also spot historic landmarks like St. Ardin's Chapel and the island lighthouse.

Just across the water rises Bass Rock--home to the world's largest colony of northern gannets. Over 150,000 birds fill the cliffs and skies in one of nature's greatest spectacles.

### Day 4: Kirkwall

Step ashore in Kirkwall, the charming capital of the Orkney Islands, where Viking and medieval history still shape the town. Highlights include the magnificent St. Magnus Cathedral, the Bishop's Palace, and the Earl's Palace.

Our included tour takes you west across Orkney's rolling landscape into the UNESCO World Heritage "Heart of Neolithic Orkney." Pass the Standing Stones of Stenness and visit the Ring of Brodgar, a vast ceremonial stone circle over 5,000 years old. Explore Skara Brae, a prehistoric village revealed from the sand only 150 years ago.

### Day 5: Fair Isle, Shetland Islands

Fair Isle is a true paradise for birdwatchers. A huge number of birds inhabit its lush grasslands and spectacular cliffs -- over 345 species have been recorded here, more than anywhere else in Britain. During our island walk, we hope to spot northern fulmars, kittiwakes, northern gannets, Atlantic puffins, and great and Arctic skuas, observing them closely and photographing them from just a few meters away. The puffin population alone is impressive -- around 12,000 birds. About fifty residents live on Fair Isle, and they'll welcome us at the community centre with Scottish treats, sweets, and hot drinks. You'll also have the chance to purchase Fair Isle's famous wool jumpers, hats, and mittens, and chat with the locals about everyday life on the island.

### Day 6 - 9: Faroe Islands

The Faroe Islands are wild, colorful, and absolutely unique. Green hills, blue seas, colonies of adorable puffins with bright beaks, and turf-roofed houses create a landscape straight out of a fairy tale. This hard-to-reach destination is a dream for photographers, with unforgettable scenery at every turn.

Experience the unique blend of Viking heritage and modern charm in the capital city of Torshavn. Visit the National Museum, taste traditional wind-dried mutton, explore ancient wooden houses and cathedral ruins, and end the day with free time to discover the picturesque harbor before we sail north.

In Funningur, we'll experience the local culture firsthand: sampling traditional Faroese dishes, strolling through the narrow streets with local guides, and learning about the region's customs. Every moment here offers a vivid glimpse into the life and traditions of the Faroe Islands.

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### Day 10: Seyðisfjörður, Iceland

We then continue to Iceland, a land of hidden treasures waiting to be discovered. Sailing along Iceland's rugged eastern coast, we arrive in Seyðisfjörður -- a secret gem nestled among waterfalls and misty mountains. The town's colorful 19th-century wooden houses, built by Norwegian traders, line the peaceful harbor, their reflections shimmering in the still fjord waters.

Later, we visit Lake Urriðavatn to soak in a geothermal pool with sweeping views of the lake and surrounding peaks. As warm thermal waters meet the crisp mountain air, you'll feel a deep connection with Iceland's raw, untouched beauty.

### Day 11: Djúpivogur, Eastern Iceland

We anchor near the peaceful fishing village of Djúpivogur, surrounded by rugged cliffs and calm fjords. A guided walk takes us along black-sand beaches and quiet lagoons, where puffins, Arctic terns, and other seabirds can be spotted. We explore small islands linked by natural sandbars, visit a traditional birdwatching hut, and enjoy the gentle rhythm of village life -- a perfect way to experience Iceland's serene coastal beauty.

### Day 12: Vestmannaeyjar Archipelago, Southern Iceland

The volcanic Westman Islands are among Earth's youngest landscapes, shaped by recent eruptions, dramatic cliffs, and thriving seabird colonies. On Heimaey, we see the impact of the 1973 Eldfelleruption, which buried part of the town in ash, and explore the EldheimarMuseum, where interactive exhibits bring this event to life.

### Day 13: Snæfellsnes Peninsula, Western Iceland

Often called "Iceland in Miniature," the Snæfellsnes Peninsula captures all the island's magic in one place -- dramatic cliffs,

black-sand beaches, lava fields, glaciers, and volcanic craters. We'll pass waterfalls and the famous Kirkjufell Mountain, known to Game of Thrones fans as the "Arrowhead Mountain," with every view revealing a touch of Iceland's mystical soul.

### Day 14: Disembarkation in Reykjavík, Iceland

Our expedition ends in Reykjavik, but the wonders of Iceland, the wild Faroe Islands, and historic Scotland stay with you. Spend time exploring Reykjavik's galleries and cafes, or relax in a geothermal spa, as the vivid colors and dramatic landscapes of this extraordinary journey linger on long after you depart.

Please note:

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## YOUR SHIP: SEA SPIRIT

**YOUR SHIP:** Sea Spirit

**VESSEL TYPE:**

**LENGTH:**

**PASSENGER CAPACITY:**

**BUILT/REFURBISHED:**

Sea Spirit is a luxury expedition cruise ship, specifically designed to cruise the Polar regions. Carrying a maximum of just 114 passengers in 57 suites, she has the feel of a boutique hotel. Built in 1992, but refurbished several times since, the latest being in 2019, she is just 90 metres long so can navigate the small channels and bays of the Polar regions. Sailing aboard the remarkably comfortable Sea Spirit you will experience the polar regions in grand style with spacious suites. Sea Spirit's spacious suites all have panoramic oceans views. Think king-size or twin beds, en suites, flat screen TVs and DVDs and internet satellite. Many suites have private balconies, lounge areas & dressing tables. There is a lounge, bistro and bar, hot tub, gym, a state-of-the-art presentation room and stabilisers for smooth cruising. There is an open bridge policy so you can join the captain and the officers at any time of day to watch the ship's operations or just check your exact location. Features All-suite ship Smallest suite is a spacious 215 square feet. 15 suites have balconies. Owner's Suite is an outstanding 550 sq. feet. Flat Screen TVs and DVD players in every suite Gymnasium and Hot Tub with seating area and Bistro Library/Games Room Tea & Coffee Station(24 hrs) Elevator Every suite has an exterior

view Some cabin plans may vary depending on the cruise, please check for details. Zodiac dock Superior Suite Owners



Suite Library



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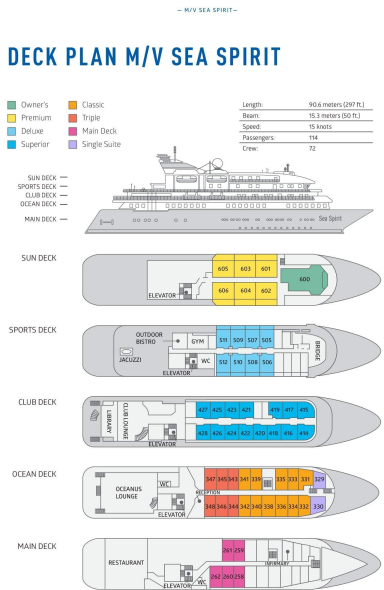
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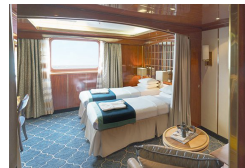
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Main Deck Suite



Owner's Suite



Premium Suite

Single Suite

Superior Suite

Triple Classic



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