

DREAM ISLANDS AS YOUR HOLIDAY GIFT CARIBBEAN SAILING CRUISE

Escape the traditional winter festivities and celebrate Christmas beneath Caribbean skies on this seven-night sailing voyage from Barbados to Guadeloupe. Aboard an elegant tall ship, discover a collection of idyllic islands where turquoise waters, palm-fringed beaches, and warm trade winds replace snow and evergreen trees. Explore the lush rainforests and waterfalls of Dominica, the spice-scented streets of Grenada, the untouched beauty of Tobago Cays, and the relaxed charm of Bequia and Tobago. With opportunities for swimming, snorkelling, and simply unwinding under sail, this festive Caribbean escape combines tropical scenery, island culture, and the timeless romance of life at sea.



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Day 1 Bridgetown, Barbados

Departure 10:00 pm

More than 300 years of British rule have left their mark. The whole of Bridgetown, Barbados' historic center, with its colonial architecture surrounding Trafalgar Square, is a UNESCO World Heritage Site. A green hilly countryside and endless fields of sugar cane characterize the island's landscape. Old colonial houses are reminders of the high life of the plantation owners, while innumerable colorful chattel houses are evidence of their workers' moveable properties. The sweeping coastline is a

picture postcard of fine sandy beaches and turquoise sea surrounded by vibrant coral reefs.

Days 2 - 3 Man-O-War Bay, Tobago

Arrival 9:00 pm

If you are looking for a sunny, dreamy Caribbean bay, the options are nearly endless in the northeast of Tobago. As soon as the windjammer enters Man-o-War Bay, smaller hidden bays are revealed. A real island paradise: From Hermitage Bay to Pirate's Bay, the tropical forest grows up to the golden sand beach, while under water colorful reef inhabitants cavort below the surface. Tobago is a pioneer in environmental protection: As early as 1764, the Main Ridge Rainforest was declared a nature reserve here, enabling it to preserve its impressive biodiversity.

Day 4 St. George's, Grenada

Arrival 8:00 am, Departure 11:00 pm

Beautiful beaches, aromatic spice plantations, dense rainforests, waterfalls, and a volcano that has long been extinct define this stunning island. For many people, Grenada is the incarnation of a tropical paradise and St. George's the most beautiful little port in the Grenadines. All around the horseshoe-shaped bay there are numerous houses reminiscent of colonial times. There is good reason why nutmeg is immortalized on the national flag. Alongside cloves, cinnamon and ginger, it is one of the island's biggest exports.

Day 5 Tobago Cays, St. Vincent & Grenadines

Arrival 8:00 am, Departure 6:00 pm

Right in the south of the Grenadines are the Tobago Cays - four small uninhabited islands, surrounded by a protective horseshoe-shaped coral reef. The Horseshoe Reef holds the Atlantic swell at bay and its unique animal and plant life make it an ideal place for snorkelling. The lagoon between the islets shimmers in all shades from turquoise through to emerald green and invites you to take a dip at the fantastic beaches.

Day 6 Port Elizabeth, Bequia

Arrival 8:00 am, Departure 1:30 pm

Bequia is actually the largest island in the Grenadines, but still small and tranquil at just 87 square miles. Elegant sailing yachts sway in the natural shelter of Admiralty Bay, while in lovely Port Elizabeth, with its attractive beach bars, you are right in the heart of a lifestyle that likes to take things easy. You can find Princess Margaret Beach just nearby, named because it was once visited by the British royal. And on the eastern coast, you can find the Old Hegg Turtle Sanctuary focuses on rearing and caring for endangered turtles.

Day 7 Cabrits, Dominica

Arrival 1:30 pm, Departure 11:00 pm

Dominica, nicknamed the Nature Isle of the Caribbean, is one of the most untouched of the Windward Islands. It boasts some of the highest mountains in the Lesser Antilles, as well as many beautiful national parks. Its interior is characterized by thick forest, where rivers plunge into the depths and tiny streams wind through the jungle. Two extinct volcanoes are at the center of the Cabrits National Park and, recaptured by nature, the former strategically important Fort Stanley appears like a picturesque backdrop in the heart of the lush woodlands.

Day 8 Pointe-à-Pitre, Guadeloupe

Arrival 8:00 am

With a population around 15,000, Pointe-a-Pitre is the largest city in the French overseas region of Guadeloupe - and euros are common currency. If you want to splash out, visit one of its



picturesque markets. The traditional Marche La Darse takes place around the harbor on weekdays, where local traders sell mainly vegetables, fruit, and fresh fish. The best place to find exotic jams and spices is around the Saint-Antoine Market in the market hall. The name Pointe-a-Pitre goes back to a Dutch fisherman named Peter, who settled there in the 17th century.

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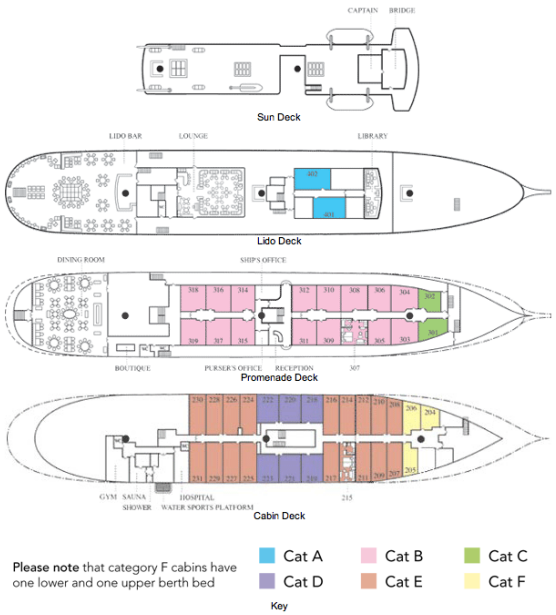
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