

SIGN UP for this trip

Request Info on other trips

See other Tours

Extra Pictures



BLACK SEA DISCOVERY RIVER CRUISE

JULY 27 - AUGUST 8, 2011

13 DAYS

FLY ~ LAND ~ RIVER



5 Countries

*Roundtrip Airfare and Travel
Insurance Included*



**Jim &
Cindy's**
TOURS L.L.C.
WICHITA, KANSAS

3227 N. Tee Time
Wichita, KS 67205
Ph. 316-838-0795 800-499-9162
Email: info@jctours.com www.jctours.com

Trip is fully escorted
by Jim & Cindy

Black Sea Discovery



Budapest, Hungary

Budapest is the largest city and the capital of Hungary. It is considered one of the most beautiful city's in the world, rich in both natural and architectural beauty. Marvel at the River Danube as it flows majestically through the center of the modern town. The Danube straddles both banks of Budapest with Buda on the right bank and Pest on the left.



Fishermen's Bastion

The **Fisherman's Bastion** was built in 1905 and named after the guild of fishermen responsible for defending this stretch of wall from enemy attack during the Middle Ages. An almost Disney-like tower dominates this stone wall with seven turrets representing the Magyar tribes who once populated the country. Situated on the Buda bank of the Danube, on the Castle hill in Budapest, around Matthias Church.

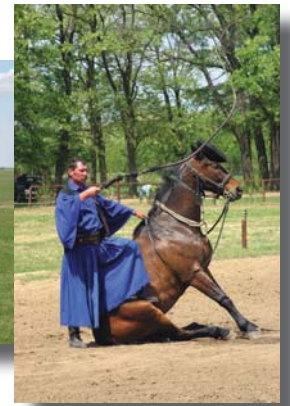


Matthias Church

Officially named the **Church of Our Lady**, this famous landmark in Budapest's Castle District is better known as **Matthias Church** after the much-loved 15th-century Renaissance king who contributed the towers and was married here. The religious highlight of the interior is the Loreto Chapel, with a statue of the Virgin Mary and Christ made in 1515.

Equestrian Prowess Demonstration

Enjoy a visit to the Puszta, or Great Plain, where you will witness Hungarian rural life. Take pleasure in an equestrian prowess demonstration performed by the Csikos. Watch the herdsman at their work with the horses. You will admire the dressage exercises and the skill games which the Csikós partly invented during their everyday life and work out in the Puszta. After, return to Budapest to board the river cruise vessel and relax at the Welcome Reception.

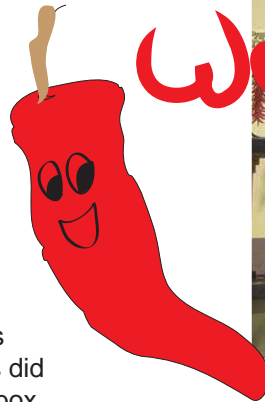


Kalocsa, Hungary

Kalocsa is one of the oldest towns in Hungary. This quiet town is known mainly for the cultivation of paprika as well as high-quality folk-art, especially in the form of the colorful embroidery to be found on textiles, walls and furnishings. Shop for renowned peasant embroidery, Herend Porcelain, and paprika. The Archbishop's Palace and the Kalocsa Cathedral dominate this quiet town.

Paprika Museum

Here, in the Paprika Museum, enveloped by the aroma of the garlands of paprika hanging from the old beams, you will have an opportunity to learn about the history of the paprika in Hungary, and you will get a behind the scenes look at the manufacturing processes of the world-famous Hungarian paprika. This presentation will leave you with a sense of appreciation towards the people living in the Kalocsa region, who grow seedlings, plant, hoe, plow, manually harvest and process the paprika pods the same way their ancestors did centuries ago. You will never look at a bag or box of paprika the same way again.



Wow!



Novi Sad, Serbia

Nestled on the Danube, Novi Sad is the capital city of the Serbian province of Vojvodina. As the second largest city of Serbia, Novi Sad is emerging as a small but lovely mix of historical charm and Balkan sophistication.

Petrovaradin Fortress

Built high on the banks of the River Danube, Petrovaradin represents one of the largest, best-preserved and, in the opinion of many, most beautiful fortresses in the world.



Belgrade, Serbia

Belgrade is the capital and the largest city of Serbia. Belgrade, a city of very tumultuous history, is one of the oldest cities in Europe. The city lies on two international waterways, at the confluence of the Sava and Danube rivers. The lively pedestrian area and outdoor cafes of the city center add to the unique charm of this ancient city. See St. Sava, the world's largest Orthodox Church and Marshal Tito's tomb and monument.

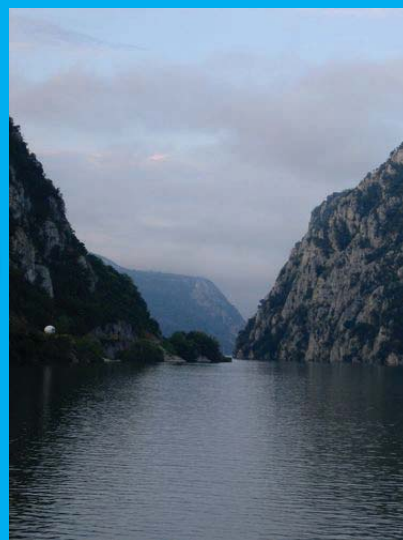


Kalemegdan Fortress

Kalemegdan is a fortress and park in an urban area neighborhood of Belgrade. Kalemegdan means "castle square" in Turkish. This spatial complex consists of: The Fortress, divided into Upper Town and Lower Town, and the Kalemegdan park, the most popular promenade for Belgrade citizens.



Iron Gates



This famous gorge on the Danube River forms part of the boundary between Serbia and Romania. The river separates the southern Carpathian Mountains from the northwestern foothills of the Balkan Mountains. Formerly an obstacle to shipping, it was cleared of rock obstructions in the 1860s. The beautiful scenery will leave you in awe.

On the right bank of the Danube are the impressive sights of the Serbian fortresses of Smederevo and Golubac and the Trajan Table marking the Roman conquest of Dacia.

Svistov, Bulgaria - Veliko Tarnovo - Arbanassi - Rouse

Veliko Tarnovo - This Bulgarian capital is situated on three hills surrounding the Yantra River. On Tsarevets Hill, the cobblestone streets and stone houses create a unique atmosphere. It is also home of the Royal Fortress, palaces and the **Patriarch's Church**. The interior of the Patriarch's Church has been decorated with modern wall paintings, representing miscellaneous moments of the history and culture of Medieval Bulgaria.



Arbanassi - This village is known for its rich history, many historical monuments, and Ethnographical Museum.

Church of the Nativity - Nativity Church is the earliest church of Arbanassi. This church was built in the 15th to the 17th century and is best known for the beautiful frescoes inside.



ROUSSE - Bulgaria's largest inland port.

Silistra, Bulgaria - Excursion to Varna, Black Sea

Silistra is a port city and the capital of an important agricultural region.

After breakfast, travel by road to Varna, the largest city and seaside resort on the Bulgarian Black Sea Coast. Commonly referred to as the marine (or summer) capital of Bulgaria, it is also a major seaport, and headquarters of the Bulgarian Navy and merchant marine. During your sightseeing, visit the **National Archaeological Museum**, home of the Gold of Varna, featured in National Geographic some years ago.



Oltenita, Romania (Disembarkation) - Bucharest

After a short drive from Oltenita, arrive in **Bucharest**, Romania's lively capital and enjoy an afternoon tour of the city that is considered the "Paris of the East" with its Arc de Triomphe and wide boulevards.

Palace of the Parliament Building - This is the second largest building in the world after the Pentagon.



National Art Museum - Inside central Bucharest's Neoclassical Royal Palace resides the National Art Museum. Romania's greatest painters and sculptors are displayed here. The Royal Palace Square was the scene of riots in 1989 which led to the collapse of the communist dictatorship.

You will LOVE
travelling
with us!



We take
care of all
the details for
you!!

It is important that you book early. CALL US IMMEDIATELY if you are interested so we can get you signed up. THIS IS AN EXTREMELY POPULAR TRIP.

Price Includes:

- Fully escorted by Jim and Cindy Leach of Jim & Cindy's Tours.
- Round Trip airfare from Wichita departing July 27, 2011 – returning August 8, 2011
- Travel Insurance
- All round trip transfers from airport to ship and hotel
- Port charges, government fees / taxes.
- Planned tours (tours during your free time are not included)

Meals Included: B = Breakfast L = Lunch D = Dinner

Day 1: Flying to Budapest	Day 7: B, L, D
Day 2: On Your Own in Budapest	Day 8: B, L, D
Day 3: B	Day 9: B, L, D
Day 4: B, L, D	Day 10: B, L, D
Day 5: B, L, D	Day 11: B
Day 6: B, L, D	Day 12: B

Also included: a welcome reception, welcome dinner, and Captain's dinner; quality wines from Europe's most famous wine regions with every dinner; one sitting with open seating arrangements.

Please note: In these fast paced times with currency values, fuel prices and other expenses constantly changing, we reserve the right to change trip prices and itineraries. We try to include all of your costs, but sometimes we have surprise expenses charged to us that we cannot absorb.

Black Sea Discovery River Cruise

Trip Price Includes Excellent Travel Insurance and Roundtrip Airfare

Trip Price: ** Book NOW and receive \$500 off this advertised price! **



- \$5799* (Window; bottom deck) Category E
- \$6299* (Sliding glass door; middle deck; back of ship) Category B
- \$6349 (Sliding glass door; middle deck; front of ship) Category A
- \$6449 (Sliding glass door; top deck; rear of ship) Category P
- \$6999 (Sliding glass door; top deck; middle of ship) Jr. Suite

***Pending Air Booking**

All prices are per person, based on double occupancy and includes travel insurance.

Deposit Required with Reservation

\$ 600 per person x _____ persons = Deposit Paid \$_____

Please return your payment along with your completed INFORMATION form on the next page to our office.

TRAVEL INSURANCE:

We are excited to announce that this trip automatically includes cancellation for “any reason” travel insurance!

Because the cost of your trip now includes insurance, in most cases you will be SAVING money compared to purchasing an individual policy. In addition to the cost savings, this policy also offers you increased coverage. The insurance still includes the pre-existing condition waiver for you and your immediate family members. Under the “any reason” cancellation, Jim & Cindy’s Tours will reimburse the cancellation penalty amount in travel certificates, minus this plan cost. Here is a summary of the coverage being provided to you:

COVERAGE	BENEFIT AMOUNT
Trip Cancellation	Trip Cost
Trip Interruption	Trip Cost
Missed Connection	\$1000
Trip Delay (\$100 max/day)	\$1000
Medical Expense	\$25,000
Emergency Dental Expense	\$1000
Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation	\$50,000
Baggage & Personal Effects	\$2,500
Baggage Delay	\$250
Accidental Death & Dismemberment	\$25,000

IMPORTANT INFORMATION REQUIRED

- Fill out all **APPLICABLE** information for each passenger, including your emergency contact information. If your tour involved a flight, be sure to fill out the airplane **SEATING PREFERENCE** section.
- **NAME:** It is important that your name appears **EXACTLY** as it is on your driver's license.
- **PASSPORT:** **All persons must hold a valid passport when leaving the United States.** This applies to Alaska, Canada, Mexico, Caribbean and all foreign destinations. You do not need a passport for Hawaii, but you will need to take a photo ID such as a driver's license.

1st Passenger Name as it appears on your driver's license :	2nd Passenger Name as it appears on your driver's license :
Name as you want it to appear on your badge:	Name as you want it to appear on your badge:
Street Address:	Street Address:
City / State / Zip:	City / State / Zip:
Primary Phone:	Primary Phone:
Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:
Bed Preference: 1 <input type="checkbox"/> or 2 <input type="checkbox"/>	Bed Preference: 1 <input type="checkbox"/> or 2 <input type="checkbox"/>
<input type="checkbox"/> Smoking or <input type="checkbox"/> Non Smoking:	<input type="checkbox"/> Smoking or <input type="checkbox"/> Non Smoking:
Date of Birth:	Date of Birth:
Name as it appears on your Passport:	Name as it appears on your Passport:
Passport #:	Passport #:
Passport Issue Date:	Passport Issue Date:
Passport Expiration Date:	Passport Expiration Date:
Passport Issue Country: USA Indicate if different:	Passport Issue Country: USA Indicate if different:
Passport Issue Authority:	Passport Issue Authority:
Citizenship: USA Indicate if different:	Citizenship: USA Indicate if different:
Country of Birth: USA Indicate if different:	Country of Birth: USA Indicate if different:
Circle one for Airplane Seating Preference:	
Circle one for Airplane Seating Preference: Airplane Seat: Window Companion Aisle BE AWARE: If you and your companion BOTH mark Window or Companion you WILL NOT be seated together. SEATING PREFERENCE IS NOT GUARANTEED!	Circle one for Airplane Seating Preference: Airplane Seat: Window Companion Aisle BE AWARE: If you and your companion BOTH mark Window or Companion you WILL NOT be seated together. SEATING PREFERENCE IS NOT GUARANTEED!
Emergency Contact Information	
Contact - Someone Not Traveling With You:	Contact - Someone Not Traveling With You:
Relationship to Passenger:	Relationship to Passenger:
Contact Address:	Contact Address:
City: / State / Zip:	City: / State / Zip:
Work Phone:	Work Phone:
Home Phone:	Home Phone:
Cell Phone:	Cell Phone:
Have you sailed with this cruise line before:	Have you sailed with this cruise line before:
If yes, do you have your past passenger #:	If yes, do you have your past passenger #:
Special Dietary Needs:	Special Dietary Needs: