

Germany

Like the magical lands of favorite fairy tales, Germany is a storybook fantasy come true. It's a place of towering castles and glimmering rivers, rolling vineyards and historic villages. Germany is also home to cosmopolitan excitement, luxurious accommodations and incredible dining. Enjoy it all with the added exhilaration of balloon flight on this six-day vacation of a lifetime.



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YOUR FIRST TWO DAYS

After arriving in Frankfurt, you'll travel to Stromberg, and the exclusive Johann Lafer Relais & Chateau property, Hotel Stromberg-Lafer. This magnificently restored castle will be your home for the first part of your adventure. Spend the afternoon relaxing or tour this charming Rhineland village, before enjoying a fabulous gourmet dinner. In the morning, you'll cruise by ship over the Rhine to Koblenz, viewing the spirals of Lorely and other castles along the way. The day will be highlighted by a wine tour and tasting in Koblenz, a late afternoon hot air balloon flight from Stromberg, and a delicious traditional German dinner in the scenic countryside.

YOUR NEXT THREE DAYS

The beautiful Mosel region with its lovely vineyards, intriguing museums and historic sites is yours to explore over the next three days. You'll stay at the lavish Victor's Residenzhotel, visit Trier, the oldest city in Europe, tour the picturesque villages of Cochem and Zell, and the beautiful Eltz Castle. World-class shopping, casinos, and cultural attractions await in the exciting city of Luxembourg. Culinary exploration will also be part of your stay, as the best of German delicacies and French cuisine delight your palette. Memories you'll treasure forever will be created each day as you take in unforgettable views of the Mosel River and softly rolling Reisling vineyards from the unique vantage point of a low-level balloon flight.

YOUR SIXTH DAY

Today, love is in the air. If time allows, we'll visit the quaint village of Rudesheim, one of Germany's most romantic places, before heading back to Frankfurt.