

Join Dee Dee Anderson of Passageways Travel for a Trip of a Lifetime!



12-Day Adriatic Cruise October 1-14, 2017

Includes an overnight stay in Venice!

The Adriatic Sea is a part of the Mediterranean Sea positioned between the eastern coastline of Italy, and countries of the Balkan Peninsula, from Slovenia, south through Croatia, Montenegro, and to Albania. We'll cruise these deep, cobalt blue waters and visit some of the most beautiful places in Europe. We'll enjoy the scenic landscapes on the Adriatic coast; exploring the natural, cultural and historic beauty of the Adriatic. There is no better way to see this area of the world than aboard Holland America's ms Westerdam.

INCLUDES AIR TRANSPORTATION FROM ESCANABA, transfers, port taxes and cruise!

**Price per person based
on Double occupancy**

\$3,919 Inside Stateroom
\$4,259 Outside Stateroom
\$4,529 Balcony Stateroom
\$4,589 Balcony (prime location)
\$5,199 Mini-Suite
(Other cabins available upon request)

Single, Triple and Quad rates available upon request.

\$600 deposit per person will hold your stateroom. Final payment due June 29, 2017.

Round-trip air transportation from Escanaba, assuming the schedule maintains connection.

Travel insurance is available and recommended.

DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

OCTOBER 1, 2017 – Depart USA for Rome

OCTOBER 2, 2017 - Rome, Italy, Depart at 6:00 pm. Rome is both a modern, bustling city and an ancient open-air museum. Although Rome might not have been built in one day, you'll certainly be able to see the highlights and top things to do in Rome in 24 hours.

OCTOBER 3, 2017 – Messina, Italy. Gateway to Mt. Etna, the awe-inspiring and still-active volcano, the seaport of Messina is the third-largest city in Sicily. Known for its fine cathedral, museums and for its rich Sicilian wines, Messina and the surrounding area was also the location for much of the *Godfather* series of films. An afternoon or a day in Messina can include a drive up to the windswept side of Mt. Etna (hold on to your hat—it is seriously windy here!) or to the shop-lined streets of Taormina.

OCTOBER 4-5, 2017 – Valletta, Malta. At just one-third of a square mile in area, Europe's southernmost capital is one of the easiest to explore on foot. The city dates back to the 16th century and has been listed as a UNESCO World Heritage Site since 1980. Decades of British rule mean that English remains an official language, along with the local Maltese language, plus a curious mix of Italian vocabulary and Semitic roots.

OCTOBER 5, 2017 – Mġarr (Victoria) Gozo, Malta. the lesser-known sister of Malta in the Maltese archipelago, Gozo is a 67-square-kilometer island full of ancient history. Today, it's the centerpiece of the island's biggest settlement, Victoria, which is known to its 6,000 residents as Ir-Rabat. The best way to explore is by the cheap modern taxis that



line up at the port of Mġarr. You'll quickly discover that food is a passion and a pleasure of Gozitan life. You won't go hungry on Gozo.

OCTOBER 6, 2017 – At Sea.



OCTOBER 7, 2017 – Kerkira (Corfu) Greece. Corfu is the pearl of the Ionian Sea. As well as being undeniably Greek, the culture and food also show a clear nod towards nearby Italy, particularly Venice, whose fortresses dot the island. A true gem.

OCTOBER 8, 2017 – Dubrovnik, Croatia. Dubrovnik seduces sightseeing visitors with its polished (and very clean!) limestone streets, theatrical architecture, charming cafés, welcoming restaurants and distinctive shops along scenic side streets.

OCTOBER 9, 2017 – Kotor, Montenegro. Cruising into the Bay of Kotor, you'll be wowed by the dramatic beauty of this coastal Montenegrin town. Dreamy seafront villages are set to a backdrop of mountains plummeting

into the Adriatic Sea. Old Town is filled with medieval architecture and historic monuments—as well as the narrowest street in the world. The cruise ship dock is across the street from the Sea Gate, the main entrance to the Old Town, while a conveniently located taxi stand by the harbor gates allows for easy exploration of the region.

OCTOBER 10, 2017 – Korčula, Croatia. Croatia's sixth largest city is covered in pine trees, olive groves and vineyards. Korčula Old Town is the island's treasured highlight and a UNESCO World Heritage Site candidate.

OCTOBER 11, 2017 – Split, Croatia. Croatia's second-biggest city oozes small-town charm, thanks to its quaint, narrow streets and the easygoing lifestyle that the Dalmatians are known for. Much of its old town is within the walls of Diocletian's Palace, a 1,700-year-old UNESCO-listed fortress on the Adriatic seafront. Split is a lively city home to some 200,000 residents, and getting lost in its labyrinthine streets is the best way to explore its historic heart.

OCTOBER 12, 2017 – Koper, Slovenia. On the picturesque Adriatic coast of Slovenia, Koper is the country's largest commercial port. Built around a grid of medieval squares and the remains of an ancient city wall, the main square is home to the largest cathedral in Slovenia, the Cathedral of St Nazarius.



OCTOBER 13, 2017 – Venice, Italy. Your eyes deceive you as you get closer. An entire stone city concocted from spires and cupolas seems to float on water. The optics seem off, but by now you're too far charmed to turn back. Cruise to Venice with Holland America Line and start easily. Have a bicerin, a hot mix of espresso, drinking chocolate and whole milk. Then step out into the palatial arcades and outdoor cafes of St. Mark's Square. Ready? Now you can really get going. Venice has 117 islands and a million stories of empire, longing, and glory.

OCTOBER 14, 2017 – Depart Venice for USA



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Full names as shown on passport along with Date of Birth (DOB) Adriatic Cruise 10-1-2017

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