



**Avalon: 8D VIDA PORTUGAL: VINEYARDS & VILLAGES ALONG THE DOURO (WCC)** 

Price per person from MYR 23700



# **Tour Description**

Happiness flows with Avalon Waterways. Cruise on Suite Ships with the widest stateroom views from your window-facing bed. Relaxed luxury flows throughout the ship in every detail plus personalize with Classic, Active, and Discovery excursions. Cruise Critic named Avalon's staterooms the best in the business, and yes, we're blushing a bit. But it's only because we've taken such pride in bringing you river cruising's only Open-Air BalconySM stateroom design, featuring beds with a view. Rest easy (literally) as you enjoy bigger views, more space and 24/7 access to open-air cruising. With Avalon, the award-winning views are as wide open as the possibilities.

# **Tour Itinerary**

#### Day 1:- PORTO, PORTUGAL (EMBARKATION)

Welcome to Portugal. Your Suite Ship is Ready for Boarding. Flights into Porto must arrive by 3:30 pm. Guests must be on board ship by 5 pm. Your day in Porto is free to explore at your leisure. You may choose to join a Guided Optional Food Tour where you will experience some of Porto's most famous sights and most delectable food. Enjoy dinner and explore the ship on your first night on board. OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN PORTO

Dinner

# Day 2:- ENTRE OS RIOS. EXCURSION BRAGA AND GUIMARAES

- Where the Tamega and Douro Rivers Meet Visit the Adventure centre for today's activities with your Adventure Host.
- DISCOVERY Step back in time to immerse yourself in the Romanesque influence and how it has impacted the region and the establishment of Portugal, OR:
- CLASSIC Join a full-day guided tour of Braga, the city which hosts the oldest Portuguese archdiocese. Discover Guimaraes
  historic town centre, a UNESCO World Heritage Site.
- End your experience with a stop at one of the many wine farms and enjoy a tasting of the wine of the region.
- OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN PORTO ANTIGO

**Breakfast Lunch Dinner** 

#### Day 3:- PESO DA REGUA

- Historic Wines in the Making DISCOVERY Experience the life of the owners of one of the oldest farms in the Douro Valley, including a tasting of their products, OR:
- CLASSIC Take a guided walking tour of the charming town of Regua-with its religious architecture, narrow streets, beautiful
  tiles, and stained-glass windows. Continue to Lamego to visit the cathedral and conclude your experience with a delicious tast
  Don't miss the opportunity to enjoy free time in Pinhao or consider joining an optional excursion to an oil mill.
- This evening, you might like to join an Optional Excursion for an authentic Portuguese dinner, hosted by the local farmers.
- OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN PINHAO

**Breakfast Lunch Dinner** 

#### Day 4:- POCINHO

- Where Wine and Happiness Flow Enjoy a relaxing cruise to Pocinho. DISCOVERY Discover Vila Nova de Foz Coa at the
  eastern terminus of the Douro Railway line. Marvel at this unique site complete with prehistoric rock art including the most
  important collection of open-air Paleolithic figurations known today. Before joining your ship, enjoy a tasting of the unique wine
  the region. OR:
- CLASSIC Join a Guided Tour of Freixo de Numao, a charming village nestled between the nearby mountains.
- Conclude your experience with a dedicated to the regional wine tasting.
- OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN BARCA D'ALVA

**Breakfast Lunch Dinner** 

## Day 5:- BARCA D'ALVA. EXCURSION TO SALAMANCA

- Breathtaking Sights & Bites Join your Adventure Host for today's special activities.
- CLASSIC Join our guide for a Guided Tour of one of the most remote villages of the country, Freixo de Espada a Cinta villagin the Douro International Natural Park, OR:
- CLASSIC Get a taste of Spain with a full-day excursion to Salamanca. The city will take your breath away with its beautiful
  streets and squares, featuring an overwhelming profusion of styles in which Romanesque, Gothic, Baroque and "Plateresque"
  styles stand out. Your taste buds will be awakened by a delicious dish of the famous Toston Asado.
- In the afternoon you might wish to join our Optional Excursion to enjoy a do-it-yourself workshop where you can learn how to bake the typical pastry.
- OVERNIGHT DÖCKING IN POCINHO

**Breakfast Lunch Dinner** 

# Day 6:- CALDAS DE AREGOS. EXCURSION TO AMARANTE

- Painted Tiles & Passionate Tunes During your morning sailing, a professional painter will guide you through the process of painting an "azulejos,", the traditional Portuguese tile. Otherwise, you might consider joining an Optional Excursion to Casa de Mateus.
- CLASSIC Join a Guided Sightseeing tour of Amarante in the presence of the great Serra do Marao mountain and the Tames
  River, the longest tributary of the Douro, following through the heart of the city, enlivening the picturesque scenery of houses t
  stands on both banks of the river.
- After the afternoon excursion, learn more about Fado from local musicians. Enjoy a scenic sailing to Porto.
- OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN PORTO

#### **Breakfast Lunch Dinner**

#### Day 7:- PORTO

- Architecture Old & New CLASSIC Join a Guided Sightseeing Tour of Porto, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Afterwards, continue your experience with a ride to the riverside city of Matosinhos and up Avenida da Boavista to admire some of the modern part of Porto.
- This afternoon, you may want to choose among the Guided Optional Excursions available.
- Alternatively, stroll through Porto on your own.
- OVERNIGHT DOCKING IN PORTO

#### **Breakfast Lunch Dinner**

### Day 8:- PORTO (DISEMBARKATION)

• Your cruise ends with breakfast this morning.

**Breakfast** 

## **Tour Prices**

Tour Promo (Price shown after discount included port charges & gratuities.) Price subject to exchange rate fluctuation)	Departure Dates	Deluxe Stateroom cabin (Indigo Level 1) Per Person (From)	Panorama Suite cabin (Sapphire Level 2) Per Person (From)	Panorama Suite cabin (Royal Level 3) Per Person (From)	Child With No Bed
[2024-Save U\$500)	3 Jul - 10 Jul   10 Jul - 17 Jul   17 Jul - 24 Jul   24 Jul - 31 Jul   31 Jul - 07 Aug   07 Aug - 14 Aug   14 Aug - 21 Aug	RM 19,650	RM 26,535	RM 27,250	
[2024-Save U\$500]	13 Nov - 20 Nov	RM 17,275	RM 24,160	RM 24,870	
[2024-Save U\$375]	28 Aug - 04 Sep	RM 20,720	RM 27,600	RM 28,315	
[2024-Save U\$375]	30 Oct - 06 Nov	RM 18,820	RM 25,700	RM 26,410	
[2024-Save U\$250]	23 Oct - 03 Nov	RM 19,890	RM 26,770	RM 27,480	
{2025 - Save 500}	09, 16, 23 Jul	RM 21,539	RM 30,749	RM 31,477	
{2025 - Save 500}	13 Aug; 05, 12 Nov	RM 21,539	RM 30,749	RM 31,477	
{2025 - Save 375}	25 Jun; 02 Jul	RM 22,145	RM 31,355	RM 32,083	
{2025 - Save 375}	20 Aug	RM 23,115	RM 32,325	RM 33,053	
{2025 - Save 375}	22 Oct	RM 21,175	RM 30,385	RM 31,113	

# What's included

DestinationPortugalDeparture LocationPortoReturn LocationPorto

**Price includes** 

- ~ All meals on board including sparkling wine with breakfast; wine
- beer
- and soft drinks at lunch and dinner
- ~ Daily sightseeing with headsets and expert local guides
- ~ Onboard entertainment~ Wi-Fi throughout the ship

### Price does not include

- International air ticket
- ~ SafetyNet protection
- Airport transfer

# **Additional Information**

#### **Tour Deal**

~ Cash Savings Offer : SAVE up to US\$500 per person

~ Small Group offer : 1-IN-8, Enjoy 1/2 FOC OR 1-IN-10, Enjoy FREE