

QUAD CITIES, IOWA



AMERICA'S HEARTLAND

8 DAYS ✦ ST. PAUL TO ST. LOUIS ✦

OVERVIEW

From pristine farms and rolling terrain to steep riverside bluffs, the Upper Mississippi is a stunningly scenic tapestry. On one rewarding journey, you will hear stories of westward settlers. Learn about Lewis & Clark, Mark Twain and the Norwegian migrations. Witness the locks and dams that control the flow of the waterway. Along the way, experience the diverse cultural treasures that have shaped the river's banks—from polka, ragtime and Norwegian folk to Wisconsin cheese, beer and hearty stews.

KEY FEATURES

- 8-day cruise with river-view stateroom
- 6 guided tours with audio headset
- Scenic cruising through the Upper Mississippi
- Experience cultural treasures – from ragtime and Norwegian folk to Wisconsin cheese and beer
- Culture Curriculum: Onboard lecturers, destination performances and concerts, enrichment programs on history and current affairs in the United States related to each destination
- Wine/beer/soft drinks/ with lunch & dinner on board

ST. PAUL TO ST. LOUIS ITINERARY

DAY	LOCATION	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE	INCLUDED TOUR
1	St. Paul, MN	Embark	Evening	
2	Red Wing, MN	Morning	Evening	Downtown Red Wing & The National Eagle Center
3	La Crosse, WI	Morning	Evening	River Town Discovery
4	Dubuque, IA	Morning	Evening	Historic Dubuque with National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium
5	Quad Cities, IA	Morning	Evening	John Deere Pavilion & The John Deere Homes
6	Burlington, IA	Morning	Evening	Historic Burlington
7	Hannibal, MO	Morning	Afternoon	The World of Mark Twain
8	St. Louis, MO	Morning	Disembark	

ST. LOUIS TO ST. PAUL ITINERARY

DAY	LOCATION	ARRIVAL	DEPARTURE	INCLUDED TOUR
1	St. Louis, MO	Embark	Evening	
2	Hannibal, MO	Afternoon	Evening	The World of Mark Twain
3	Burlington, IA	Morning	Evening	Historic Burlington
4	Quad Cities, IA	Morning	Evening	John Deere Pavilion & The John Deere Homes
5	Dubuque, IA	Morning	Afternoon	Historic Dubuque with National Mississippi River Museum & Aquarium
6	La Crosse, WI	Morning	Afternoon	River Town Discovery
7	Red Wing, MN	Morning	Evening	Downtown Red Wing & The National Eagle Center
8	St. Paul, MN	Morning	Disembark	

EXPLORE MORE. More days means more to discover. We offer exciting ways to see even more of the region with extension packages you can add before or after your Viking journey.

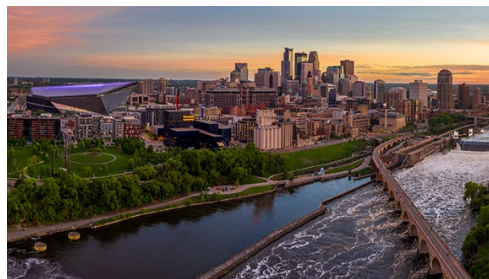


ST. PAUL, MINNESOTA

TWIN CITIES DISCOVERY | 1 Night

See our website for current pricing

The “Twin Cities” boast distinctive neighborhoods; diverse ethnic, traditional and contemporary eateries; and an acclaimed arts scene—all served up with friendly Midwestern manners. Extend your journey by one night to better appreciate these historic prairie hubs bracketing the Upper Mississippi.



MINNEAPOLIS, MINNESOTA

CULTURAL CAPITALS: MINNEAPOLIS & ST. PAUL 2 Nights

See our website for current pricing

The “Twin Cities” share a pioneer history and progressive, multicultural spirit—plus a good-natured rivalry and pride in their distinctions. Take more time to gain a full picture of Minnesota’s favorite twins, from Minneapolis’s skyscraping downtown and superb art scene to St. Paul’s leafy grace.



ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

ST. LOUIS DISCOVERY | 1 Night

See our website for current pricing

Get to know the “Gateway City” that was not just America’s doorway to the west, but an optimistic, enterprising hub where many immigrants put down roots. A wealth of fine museums, great dining and a lively musical heritage make St. Louis well worth a closer look.



ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI

THE SPIRIT OF ST. LOUIS | 2 Nights

See our website for current pricing

Take some time to feel the genial spirit of St. Louis. It was the “Gateway to the West” for thousands of 19th-century pioneers. But even as many passed through, many more stayed to create a city of dynamic multiculturalism, lush green parks, fine museums and musical riches that await your discovery.

WEATHER ➤ Average Monthly Temperatures (avg high/avg low), F°												
CITY	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
	14 (23/6)	20 (29/11)	32 (41/22)	47 (58/36)	59 (70/48)	68 (78/57)	73 (83/63)	71 (81/60)	62 (72/51)	50 (60/40)	34 (41/26)	20 (27/12)
	32 (40/24)	36 (45/28)	46 (56/37)	57 (67/47)	69 (76/57)	76 (85/67)	80 (89/71)	79 (88/69)	70 (80/61)	59 (69/49)	47 (56/38)	35 (43/27)

Last Updated 03.20.2020