



Mackinac Island

# GREAT LAKES EXPLORER

11 DAYS + FROM \$4,299 + Toronto to Chicago aboard our Elegant Small Ship

## Our Distinctive A+R Style

- + Our stylish 202-guest ship promises a more uncrowded and enriching voyage.
- + Cruise through the Great Niagara Gorge to feel the spray and roar of Horseshoe Falls.
- + Delve into chapters of music history at the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, designed by I.M. Pei.
- + Sail into beautiful Georgian Bay and step ashore on Manitoulin Island.
- + Explore Mackinac Island by horse-drawn carriage and visit historic Fort Mackinac.

## OUR JOURNEY

### DAY 1 | *Welcome to Toronto*

On arrival, you'll be chauffeured privately to the waterfront *Westin Harbour Castle Hotel* in the heart of exciting Toronto.

### DAY 2 | *Enjoy Toronto + embark*

After breakfast and a free morning, enjoy a Toronto highlights tour before embarking the *Ocean Voyager*. Settle in to your outside stateroom and then enjoy an elegant dinner. MEALS B+D

### DAY 3 | *Thrill to Niagara Falls*

A thrilling Hornblower Cruise will take you through the Great Niagara Gorge and past Bridal Veil Falls into the very heart of Horseshoe Falls. MEALS B+L+D

### DAY 4 | *Fine art + rock & roll*

Today's excursion begins at the Cleveland Museum of Art with more than 61,000 works spanning 6,000 years. Then, at the Rock & Roll Hall of Fame, set in a striking lakefront structure designed by I. M. Pei, you'll explore the musical genre that shaped a generation. Among the items in the collection are Janis Joplin's psychedelic Porsche, Michael Jackson's famous glove, and scribbled lyrics that became 20th-century classics! MEALS B+L+D

### DAY 5 | *Surprising Detroit*

America's source of industrial innovation and creativity, Detroit has figured both in the development



drop of the St. Mary's River between Lake Superior and Lake Huron. Then step off in the friendly town of Sault Ste. Marie and enjoy our flexible Hop-on Hop-off touring. Exploring at your own pace, you'll be able to visit a number of the town's highlights including Water Street with its historic homes and the Valley Camp Museum, set in the enormous hold of a cargo

of the automobile and in the "Motown" sound during the 20th Century. Today's included excursion includes all entry fees to the Detroit Institute of Art and its many galleries, the Museum of African American History, the Detroit Historical Museum and the West Canfield Historic District. You can also choose the optional premium experience at the expansive Henry Ford Museum of American Innovation and Greenfield Village. MEALS B+L+D

#### DAY 6 | **Cruising Lake Huron**

Enjoy this day of cruising – enriched by our shipboard experts, fine dining, congenial camaraderie and our open bar. MEALS B+L+D

#### DAY 7 | **Manitoulin Island, Ontario**

Sail into beautiful Georgian Bay and step ashore on Manitoulin Island. Visit the Ojibwe Cultural Foundation; its state-of-the-art exhibits focus on the region's First Nations people. You can even participate in a smudging ceremony – an ancient ritual that uses smoke from cedar sage, sweet grass and other plants known for their healing powers. A drum and dance performance offers further insight into the Ojibwe culture. MEALS B+L+D

#### DAY 8 | **The Soo Locks**

Arise early this morning as the *Ocean Voyager* transits through the historic Soo Locks where ships traverse the 21-foot

ship that plied the Great Lakes from 1917 through 1966. MEALS B+L+D

#### DAY 9 | **Mackinac Island**

Your horse-drawn carriage tour is a great way to experience the Victorian ambience of this National Historic Landmark. Learn about the island's history and see turn-of-the-century homes built by early captains of American industry. High atop a bluff, your tour of Fort Mackinac explores its strategic role during the War of 1812. MEALS B+L+D

#### DAY 10 | **Cruising on Lake Michigan**

As we navigate south, take in the scenery from the expansive Observation Deck. Enjoy congenial conversation in the Lounge and fine dining in two distinct venues – the Coastal Dining Room or the Al Fresco Grill. MEALS B+L+D

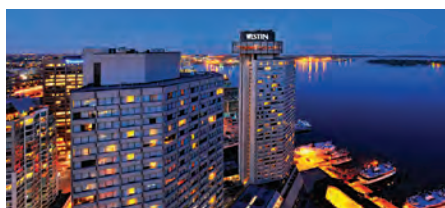
#### DAY 11 | **Step off in Chicago**

After a final breakfast onboard, explore Chicago's highlights on a sightseeing tour before arriving at the airport or extend your stay in Chicago. MEALS B

### Extend your stay in Toronto or Chicago

2 nights hotel including breakfast allows you time to relax and enjoy these dynamic cities. From \$499.

### The Finest Accommodations on Land + Water



**TORONTO – WESTIN HARBOUR CASTLE HOTEL**  
Located in the heart of the revitalized waterfront district, this harbourfront hotel offers great amenities in a prime location.



**THE INTIMATE + STYLISH OCEAN VOYAGER**  
Carrying only 202 guests and 80 staff, our sister ships are the finest on the Great Lakes. Visit [AlexanderRoberts.com](http://AlexanderRoberts.com) for deck plans and cabin descriptions.

11 DAYS ~~FOR \$4,799~~ FROM \$4,299

OUR ORIGINAL JOURNEY **Value**

- + Pre-cruise night at our waterfront hotel
- + 9 nights in your choice of outside stateroom including free WiFi
- + 27 meals: 10 breakfasts, 8 lunches, and 9 dinners
- + Open Bar throughout your cruise with all house wines, beers and spirits
- + Complete program of shore excursions
- + Enriching onboard talks with our engaging Great Lakes experts
- + Chauffered arrival transfer
- + 4 or more guests save \$100 each
- + Solo guests enjoy double occupancy hotel and cruise accommodations

### Exclusively with A+R

- + Enjoy a privately chauffeured arrival transfer.
- + Our included Chicago touring shows it's renowned architecture and style.
- + Toronto, Canada's largest city is unveiled on our included touring.

## 2023-2024 Rates

LAND ONLY PER PERSON

### Elegant Small Ship Cruising

2023	CABIN CATEGORY				
	E	C	B	A	AA
Jun 13*					
Jul 10, 19*					
Aug 6*, 24*					
Sep 2	\$5,299	\$5,899	\$6,099	\$6,899	\$7,799
2024					
Jun 29	\$4,799	\$5,599	\$5,999	\$8,299	\$8,299
Jul 17					
Aug 4, 22					
Sep 14	\$5,099	\$5,899	\$6,299	\$8,599	\$8,599

\* Reverse itinerary, Chicago to Toronto

Port charges of \$459 in 2023 and \$509 in 2024 are not included.

2023 sailings are on the Ocean Voyager.

2024 sailings are on the Ocean Navigator.

**Save up to \$1,000 per couple | \$500 solo**  
when you pay in full at time of booking