# STOWAWAY

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## Autumn/Winter 2021 No fly getaways

Autumn colours, Northern Lights, Christmas markets, fun-filled New Year celebrations. What's not to love about cruising close to home this autumn and winter.

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After more than a year with cruise ships at a standstill due to Covid, there is massive pent-up demand from cruisers who can't wait to get back on the high seas.

Cue autumn and winter - a lovely time to cruise as the crowds have gone home, making a stroll along La Rambla in Barcelona, uncovering history in Cartagena's Roman amphitheatre or exploring Amsterdam's canals a real delight.

Head south and the year-round sunshine of the Canary Islands beckons. Go north and with luck the spectacular Northern Lights will be flashing across the night sky. Choose December to enjoy Germany's colourful Christmas markets and pick up a few pressies at the same time.

All these destinations and more – even the Caribbean and South America, if time allows - can be reached on no-fly cruises from the UK this autumn and winter. Instead or negotiating airports and worrying about luggage limits, you just drive or take the train to their departure port and the holiday starts right away. With no-fly cruises from more than half a dozen UK ports, getting away couldn't be easier.

This issue of Stowaway carries a comprehensive list of the autumn and winter no-fly ocean cruises on sale now. With such a huge choice, the only problem you will have is choosing just one.

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There are restrictions in force across the UK for both domestic and international travel. Clients are advised to check cruise lines' cancellation policies before booking. Prices are per person based on two people sharing a cabin and correct at the time of going to press.

## PRINCESS CRUISES

Princess Cruises offers American-style holidays on big ships with dining favourites that serve everything from pizzas and steaks to Italian. New ship Discovery Princess joins in 2022.

| REGAL PRINCESS – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 30-Oct 7 | 7 nights | Spain and France | from £499pp |
| Oct 7-12 | 5 nights | Belgium and Netherlands | from £399pp |
| Oct 12-23 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £1099pp |
| Oct 23-30 | 7 nights | Spain & France | from £549pp |
| Oct 30-Nov 3 | 4 nights | Netherlands | from £299pp |

| SKY PRINCESS – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 5-15 | 10 nights | British Isles | from £699pp |
| Oct 15-22 | 7 nights | Spain & France | from £549pp |
| Oct 22-Nov 5 | 14 nights | Mediterranean | from £1099pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| March 28-April 9 | 12 nights | Canary Islands | from £999pp |



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## SAGA CRUISES

This cruise line is exclusively for the over-50s. Its first new ship, Spirit of Discovery, launched in 2019; Spirit of Adventure followed in 2020.

At the time of writing, all passengers must have had two Covid vaccinations at least 14 days prior to boarding.

| SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE – SAILING FROM DOVER | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 13-20 | 7 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £ 1852pp |
| Sept 20-Oct 5 | 15 nights | Baltic | from £3837pp |
| Oct 5-10 | 5 nights | Hamburg & Holland | from £ 1075pp |
| Oct 10-24 | 14 nights | France & Spain | from £3349pp |

| SPIRIT OF ADVENTURE – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 24-Nov 15 | 22 nights | Croatia | from £5558pp |
| Nov 15-20 | 5 nights | Holland and Belgium | from £1038pp |
| Nov 20-Dec 6 | 16 nights | Canary Islands | from £3891pp |
| Dec 6 -Jan 2 2022 | 30 nights | Caribbean | from £7785pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 5-March 29 | 83 nights | South America | from £17999pp |

| SPIRIT OF DISCOVERY – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 2-24 | 22 nights | Mediterranean | from £5984pp |
| Sept 24-29 | 5 nights | Ireland | from £ 1075pp |
| Sept 29-Oct 16 | 17 nights | Mediterranean | from £4606pp |
| Oct 16-28 | 12 nights | Canary Islands | from £3200pp |
| Oct 28-Nov 21 | 24 nights | Mediterranean | from £5985pp |
| Nov 21-Dec 5 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £3357pp |
| Dec 5-18 | 13 nights | Canary Islands | from £2975pp |
| Dec 18-Jan 6 | 19 nights | Canary Islands | from £5462pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 6-21 | 15 nights | Canary Islands | from £3660pp |
| Jan 21-Feb 27 | 30 nights | Caribbean | from £8466pp |
| Feb 27-March 13 | 14 nights | Norway | from £4157pp |
| March 13-31 | 18 nights | Mediterranean | from £4239pp |

## OCEANIA CRUISES

The self-styled gourmet when it comes to dining on the high seas, Oceania Cruises has five ships with capacity for between 684 and 1,250 passengers. Nudge clients towards Oceania Sirena's Asian restaurant Red Ginger and they won't be disappointed.

| OCEANIA SIRENA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 25-Oct 5 | 10 nights | British Isles | from £2099pp |
| Oct 5-15 | 10 nights | France and Spain | from £2129pp |

## WINDSTAR CRUISES

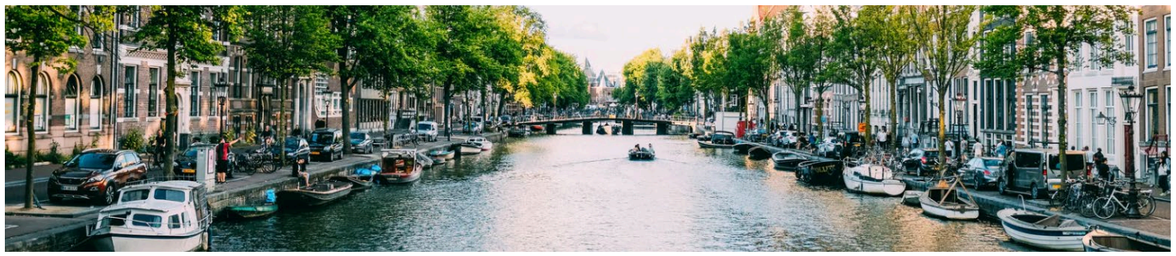
Windstar operates three sailing ships and three motorised yachts that hold between 148 and 342 passengers.

A multi-million-dollar programme to 'stretch' three yachts is underway.

| STAR LEGEND - SAILING FROM LONDON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 4-15 | 12 nights | Round Britain | from £3756pp |

## ROYAL CARIBBEAN INTERNATIONAL

With everything from dodgem cars and laser tag to skydiving and kids' clubs, Royal Caribbean's ships are a hive of activities for all ages. New ship Odyssey of the Seas launches in May with first-time sailings from Haifa in Israel.



| ANTHEM OF THE SEAS - SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 5-12 | 7 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £1169pp |
| Sept 12-23 | 11 nights | France and Spain | from £1319pp |
| Sept 23-Oct 2 | 9 nights | France and Holland | from £1189pp |
| Oct 2-9 | 7 nights | France, Spain and Portugal | from £1119pp |
| Oct 9-20 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £1679pp |



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## CUNARD

History, heritage and tradition come together on Cunard, an Anglo-American line offering a mix of no-fly cruises transatlantic crossings between Southampton and New York. A fourth ship joins the fleet in 2022. All cruises are from Southampton.

| QUEEN VICTORIA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 10-17 | 7 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £799pp |
| Sept 17-Oct 1 | 14 nights | Mediterranean | from £1699pp |
| Oct 1-20 | 19 nights | Mediterranean | from £3049pp |
| Oct 20-Nov 1 | 12 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £2049pp |
| Nov 1-15 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1349pp |
| Nov 15-27 | 12 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £1449pp |
| Nov 27-Dec 1 | 1 4 nights | Holland and Belgium | from £479pp |
| Dec 1-13 | 12 nights | Canary Islands | from £1099pp |
| Dec 13-23 | 10 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £799pp |
| Dec 23-Jan 6 2022 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £2399pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 6-10 | 4 nights | Hamburg | from £549pp |
| Jan 10-April 29 | 108 nights | World Cruise | from £13499pp |

| QUEEN MARY 2 – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nov 14–Dec 10 | 26 nights | Caribbean | from £2379pp |
| Dec 10-15 | 5 nights | Holland | from £799pp |
| Dec 15-Jan 10 2022 | 26 nights | Caribbean | from £2928pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 10-April 24 | 104 nights | World Cruise | from £10289pp |

## FRED OLSEN CRUISE LINES

This is a Norwegian-owned company offering traditional British-style cruises from a variety of UK ports aimed passengers aged 60-plus.

Two new ships, Bolette and Borealis (formerly operated by Holland America Line) joined the fleet this year.

| BOLETTE – SAILING FROM DOVER | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 11-21 | 10 nights | Sweden and Denmark | from £1399pp |
| Sept 21-Oct 5 | 14 nights | Spain | from £1899pp |
| Oct 5-18 | 13 nights | Baltic | from £1799pp |
| Oct 18-Nov 2 | 15 nights | Canary Islands | from £1899pp |

| BOLETTE – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nov 2-7 | 5 nights | Holland & Belgium | from £649pp |
| Nov 7-20 | 13 nights | Mediterranean | from £1599pp |
| Nov 20-Dec 6 | 16 nights | Morocco | from £1799pp |
| Dec 6-20 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1499pp |
| Dec 20-Jan 4 | 15 nights | Norway | from £2599pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 4 – March 24 | 79 nights | South America | from £8299pp |

| BOREALIS – SAILING FROM LIVERPOOL | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 2-26 | 24 nights | Mediterranean | from £3699pp |
| Sept 26-Oct 7 | 11 nights | France & Spain | from £1599pp |
| Oct 7-18 | 11 nights | Portugal & Spain | from £1499pp |
| Oct 18-Nov 2 | 15 nights | Azores & Portugal | from £1999pp |
| Nov 2-16 | 14 nights | Morocco | from £1499pp |
| Nov 16-Dec 2 | 16 nights | Norway | from £1999pp |
| Dec 2-7 | 5 nights | Spain | from £649pp |
| Dec 7-21 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1499pp |
| Dec 21-Jan 4 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £2299pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 4-April 19 | 105 nights | World Cruise | from £16399pp |



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| BALMORAL – SAILING FROM NEWCASTLE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 4-20 | 16 nights | Portugal and France | from £1799pp |
| Sept 20-30 | 10 nights | Mystery Cruise | from £1299pp |
| Sept 30-Oct 12 | 12 nights | Baltic | from £1699pp |
| Oct 12-28 | 16 nights | Mediterranean | from £1999pp |
| Oct 28-30 | 2 nights | repositioning cruise to Portsmouth | from £299pp |

| BALMORAL – SAILING FROM PORTSMOUTH | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 30-Nov 4 | 5 nights | France | from £649pp |
| Nov 4-17 | 13 nights | Norway | from £1699pp |
| Nov 17-30 | 13 nights | Canary Islands | from £1499pp |
| Nov 30-Dec 5 | 6 nights | Germany | from £699pp |

| BALMORAL – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Dec 6-17 | 11 nights | Portugal & Spain | from £1199pp |
| Dec 17-22 | 5 nights | Belgium & Holland | from £649pp |
| Dec 22-Jan 5 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £2299pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 5-19 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1,699pp |
| Jan 19-Feb 7 | 19 nights | Cape Verde and Canary Islands | from £2099pp |
| Feb 7-15 | 8 nights | France, Holland and Belgium | from £799pp |
| Feb 15-March 13 | 26 nights | Venice | from £2999pp |
| March 13-15 | 2 nights | repositioning cruise to Newcastle | from £249pp |

| BALMORAL – SAILING FROM NEWCASTLE | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| 2022 | | | |
| March 15-24 | 9 nights | Norway | from £1,299pp |
| March 24-April 1 | 8 nights | Norway | from £1099pp |

## REGENT SEVEN SEAS CRUISES

Not only one of the world's most luxurious cruise lines, but the world's most inclusive with everything from flights, excursions, drinks, tips, Wi-Fi and more covered in its prices. Its newest ship, Seven Seas Splendor, launched in February 2020.

| SEVEN SEAS SPLENDOR - SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 11-22 | 11 nights | Round UK | from £8169pp |

## P&O CRUISES

A giant in the UK cruise market, P&O Cruises is loved for its British style and traditional vibe. New ship Iona debuts this year; sister vessel Arvia is due out in December 2022.

| ARCADIA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 9-28 | 19 nights | Mediterranean | from £2849pp |
| Oct 28-Nov 9 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1199pp |
| Nov 9-Dec 7 | 28 nights | USA and Caribbean | from £5549pp |
| Dec 7-10 | 3 nights | Belgium | from £399pp |
| Dec 10-22 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1029pp |
| Dec 22-Jan 7 2022 | 16 nights | Canary Islands | from £3799pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 7-March 3 | 55 nights | USA and Caribbean | from £7599pp |
| March 3-15 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1149pp |
| March 15-27 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1099pp |

| AURORA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 2-14 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1128pp |
| Oct 14-Nov 2 | 19 nights | Mediterranean | from £3152pp |
| Nov 2-19 | 17 nights | Mediterranean | from £1199pp |
| Nov 19-Dec 1 | 12 nights | Norway | from £1249pp |
| Dec 17-20 | 3 nights | Zeebrugge | from £422pp |
| Dec 20–29 | 9 nights | Baltic | from £1099pp |
| Dec 29-Jan 3 2022 | 5 nights | Holland and Belgium | from £849pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 3-April 13 | 99 nights | World Cruise | from £11604pp |

| BRITANNIA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 19-25 | 6 nights | British Isles | from £549pp |
| Oct 25-Oct 9 | 14 nights | Mediterranean | from £1149pp |
| Oct 9-22 | 13 nights | Mediterranean | from £899pp |



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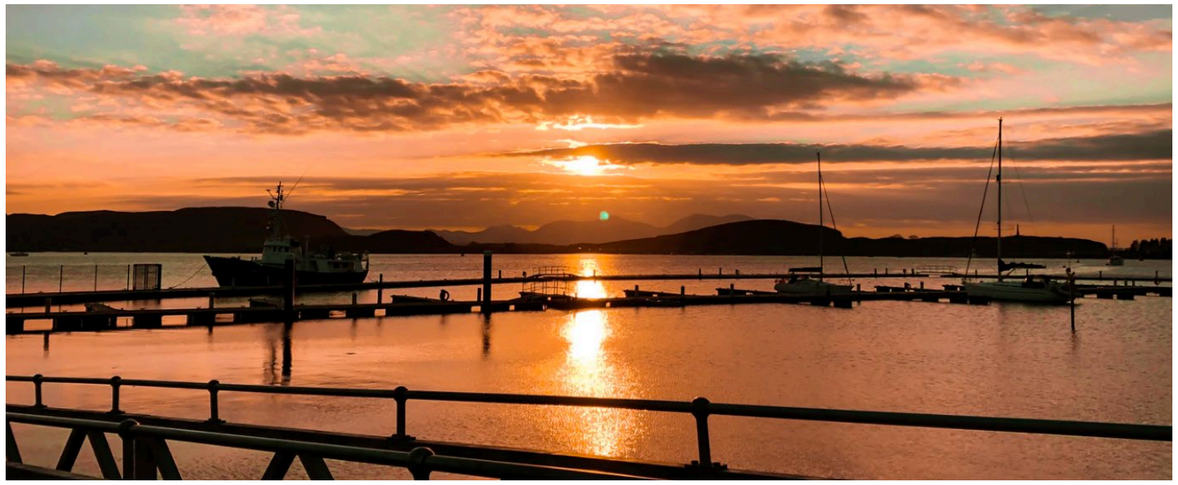
| VENTURA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 5-19 | 14 nights | Baltic | from £1349pp |
| Sept 19-Oct 3 | 14 nights | Mediterranean | from £1149pp |
| Oct 3–14 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £1249pp |
| Oct 14-25 | 11 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £749pp |
| Oct 25-31 | 6 nights | France and Spain | from £499pp |
| Oct 31-Nov 11 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £799pp |
| Nov 11-23 | 12 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £649pp |
| Nov 23-Dec 5 | 12 nights | Canary Islands | from £899pp |
| Dec 5-17 | 12 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £699pp |
| Dec 17-29 | 12 nights | Canary Islands | from £1399pp |
| Dec 29-Jan 3 2022 | 5 nights | Germany and Belgium | from £749pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 3-Feb 7 | 35 nights | Caribbean | from £3399pp |
| Feb 7-11 | 4 nights | Holland | from £419pp |
| Feb 11-March 18 | 35 nights | USA and Caribbean | from £2899pp |
| March 18-April 1 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1099pp |

| IONA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 4-11 | 7 nights | British and French coastal cruising | from £679pp |
| Sept 11-18 | 7 nights | British and French coastal cruising | from £679pp |
| Sept 18-25 | 7 nights | British and French coastal cruising | from £679pp |
| Sept 25-Oct 9 | 14 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £1399pp |
| Oct 9-23 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1399pp |
| Oct 23-30 | 7 nights | Germany, Holland and Belgium | from £629pp |
| Oct 30-Nov 13 | 14 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £949pp |
| Nov 13-27 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1449pp |
| Nov 27-Dec 11 | 14 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £899pp |
| Nov 11-18 | 7 nights | Germany, Holland and Belgium | from £599pp |
| Dec 18-Jan 3 2022 | 16 nights | Canary Islands | from £1999pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Jan 3-15 | 12 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £799 |
| Jan 15-29 | 14 night | Canary Islands | from £1099pp |
| Jan 29-Feb 12 | 14 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £799pp |
| Feb 12-19 | 7 nights | Germany and Holland | from £499pp |
| Feb 19-March 5 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £999pp |
| March 5-19 | 14 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £949pp |
| March 19-April 2 | 14 nights | Canary Islands | from £1129pp |

## HEBRIDEAN ISLAND CRUISES

Famed as the Queen's favourite cruise line, Hebridean offers cultural and active-themed no-fly cruises in the Scottish islands on the 50-passenger Hebridean Princess.



| HEBRIDEAN PRINCESS – SAILING FROM OBAN | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 3-7 | 4 night | Outer Isles roundtrip from Oban | from £5950pp |
| Sept 7-14 | 7 nights | Voyage to Northern Ireland | from £4930pp |
| Sept 14-21 | 7 nights | Footloose walking cruise | SOLD OUT |
| Sept 21-28 | 7 nights | Inner Hebrides | from £4660pp |
| Sept 28 - Oct 5 | 7 nights | Outer Hebrides | from £4660pp |
| Oct 5-12 | 7 nights | Mystery cruise | from £4660pp |
| Oct 12-19 | 7 nights | Food-themed cruise | from £4850pp |
| Oct 19–26 | 7 nights | Footloose walking cruise | from £4760pp |

| HEBRIDEAN PRINCESS – SAILING FROM OBAN OR INVERNESS | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Oct 26-Nov 2 | 7 nights | Oban to Greenock | from £3730pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| March 15-22 | 7 nights | Greenock to Oban | from £2870pp |

| HEBRIDEAN PRINCESS – SAILING FROM GREENOCK | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Nov 2-9 | 7 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £2910pp |
| Nov 9-13 | 4 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £2130pp |
| Nov 13-17 | 4 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £2060pp |
| 2022 | | | |
| Feb 28-March 4 | 4 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £1550pp |
| March 4-8 | 4 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £1640pp |
| March 8-15 | 7 nights | Firth of Clyde | from £3040pp |



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## DISNEY CRUISES

Take a pinch of pixie dust, add Mickey and co and you have Disney Cruise Line. With three new ships due between 2022 and 2025, the magic just keeps on coming.

| DISNEY MAGIC - SAILING FROM DOVER | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Aug 28-Sept 4 | 7 nights | Northern Europe | from £1419pp |
| Sept 4-11 | 7 nights | Norwegian Fjords | from £1381pp |
| Sept 11-18 | 7 nights | British Isles | from £1454pp |

## MSC CRUISES

This fast-growing cruise line offers casual European-style holidays on glamorous ships packed with restaurants and entertainment for all ages. New ship MSC Virtuosa has just launched; MSC Seashore follows in August this year.

| MSC MAGNIFICA – SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 4-11 | 7 nights | Norwegian fjords | from £649pp |
| Sept 11-25 | 14 nights | Baltic | from £1399pp |
| Sept 25-Oct 2 | 7 nights | Germany, Belgium and France | from £599pp |
| Oct 2-9 | 7 nights | Germany, Holland, Belgium and France | from £599pp |
| Oct 9-16 | 7 nights | Germany, Holland, Belgium and France | from £599pp |
| Oct 16-23 | 7 nights | Germany, Holland, Belgium and France | from £599pp |

## CELEBRITY CRUISES

Known for its big ship luxury, Celebrity Cruises' ships boast the only grass lawns at sea and prices that include drinks, tips and Wi-Fi. New ship Celebrity Beyond launches in 2022.

| CELEBRITY SILHOUETTE - SAILING FROM SOUTHAMPTON | | | |
|---|---|---|---|
| Sept 4-18 | 14 nights | Iceland and Ireland | from £2298pp |
| Sept 18-27 | 11 nights | European cities | from £1191pp |
| Sept 27-Oct 8 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £1707pp |
| Oct 8-18 | 10 nights | Spain and Portugal | from £1428pp |
| Sept 18-29 | 11 nights | Canary Islands | from £1551pp |

# WHY BOOK WITH A CLIA CERTIFIED AGENT?

The variety of cruise holidays available is almost endless, so it is always best to seek out those travel agents who have access to cruise training and resources.

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