

## CWE - 3 - DAY CRUISE

# A week-end break in the romantic Rhine Valley

## STRASBOURG –RUDESHEIM – KOBLENZ

### DAY 1 : STRASBOURG

Embarkation takes place in Strasbourg between 6.00-7.00 PM at 3b rue du Havre. Time is allowed to settle comfortably into your cabin before meeting the crew during a welcome cocktail reception in the lounge. Dinner is served on board. After dinner, an optional tour of **Strasbourg** is offered on a canal river boat (subject to availability). Overnight is in Strasbourg.

### DAY 2 : STRASBOURG – RUDESHEIM

Breakfast is served on board the ship after an early departure of Strasbourg. We begin cruising north on the Rhine River towards the quaint town of **Rudesheim**. **Along the way, we pass by Speyer** and its famous cathedral, **as well as**, the massive port facilities in **Ludwigshafen**, and then, on past **Mannheim, Worms** (old Episcopal city) and **finally, past Mainz, which is** the capital of Rhineland-Palatinate. Lunch is served on board before arriving at around 4.00 PM in **Rudesheim**. You are free to disembark and enjoy some free time shopping or sightseeing on your own. An optional tour is offered to the musical instrument museum with a ride through town on the miniature train. You will also have a chance to sample some of the local wine. Dinner is served on board the ship. You are encouraged to take in the wonderful nightlife of Rudesheim and spend the evening on the lively **Drosselgasse** where tourists from all over the world come to taste the area's wine and dance to the music of the local Rhineland bands. Overnight is in Rudesheim.

### DAY 3 : RUDESHEIM – KOBLENZ

The ship departs Rudesheim at about 9.00 AM sailing along the most beautiful stretch of the **Romantic Rhine** where castles nestle into the famous vineyards that overlook quaint wine villages. The ship also passes by the legendary **Lorelei Rock**. **This is definitely the most scenic part of the entire Rhine River Valley**. Lunch is served on board the ship before disembarking in **Koblenz** around 2.00 PM. End of the cruise.

*Formalities: Passports are obligatory for U.S. citizens. Non-EU residents are advised to check with their embassy or consulate.*

*N.B.: For navigational reasons and passenger safety, the company and the captain reserve the right to modify the cruise itinerary if necessary.*