

## River Cruises Germany -- Enjoy Spectacular Vistas

River cruises Germany are not just pleasures trips that take you along scenic vistas. There's the inevitable castle looming large over a hill top or a massive fortress holding vast historical treasures and legends, not to speak of the tall spires of cathedrals that beckon you to explore further.

German river cruises are what no tourist can afford to say no to. The [Rhine](#), [Danube](#), [Oder](#), [Weser](#), [Moselle](#), and [Elbe](#) are the main [German rivers](#) that flow across Germany. Each has a unique beauty adding tremendously to the land through which they make their way.

Hop aboard a steam boat, barge, or cruise ship to embark on a magical mystical trip that will remain with you forever. Depending on the size of your group, most river cruises have boating opportunities for large groups as well as a perfect cruise for two.

Once you've booked into a cruise you're practically free to enjoy yourself without having to worry about luggage, meals or an itinerary; it's all taken care of. Enjoy scrumptious food while you take in sights that you certainly won't see while on a land tour. See the other side of this land that only presents itself on a river cruise in Germany.

Cruising along the Rhine River takes you from the lovely [Lake Constance](#) and through some of the picturesque cityscapes in the country. You can even get off at big cities such as [Düsseldorf](#) and [Cologne](#). But you might prefer to stick on as the cruise takes you through sedate wine country and mysterious wooded areas with castles peering through.

The Danube takes you from [Passau](#) to Vienna if you so desire. And the Pegnitz River is also definitely worth your while as you make your way through the lovely city of [Nuremberg](#) and other fairy tale villages.

The Elbe River takes you on a German river cruise through [Hamburg](#), [Wittenberge](#), [Magdeburg](#), [Wittenberg](#) (yup, that's another town with almost the same name), and the historical [Dresden](#).

[Berlin](#) with its [Spree River](#) as well as [Stralsund](#) at the southern coast of the Strelasund are also worth a couple trips that will ensure unforgettable memories, photos and videos.

While you can enjoy German river cruises any time, there are some special events that add a certain glory to the outing. To experience this exuberance make sure you visit around Christmas or other local festivals such as when Rhine In Flames (*Rhein in Flammen*) takes place during summer, when river cruises take on new meaning and infinitely more fun.

And remember, it doesn't have to be only about sightseeing. You can easily combine a love of fishing with time left over to simply admire the beauty of nature as it reveals itself to you at every curve or bend. So you don't have to think twice about making full use of the fishing opportunities

that abound in a fishing cruise in the waterways of Germany. :-)

All in all, one can say that river cruises in Germany take you through medieval cities with their intriguing history and along quite scenic routes as determined by the rivers.