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14 DAYS • 31 MEALS • HO CHI MINH CITY > SIEM REAP

## WONDERS OF VIETNAM, CAMBODIA & THE MEKONG

**Travel Dates:** March 10-23, 2027

Take a leisurely cruise along the Mekong from the bustling city of Ho Chi Minh City to Cambodia's Siem Reap. Seven nights on the Emerald Harmony will be sure to provide the most comfortable journey along the mighty Mekong River.

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Angkor Wat, Cambodia

### DAY 1 Depart the USA

Depart the USA on your transpacific flight to Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam.

### DAY 2 Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

Xin Chao and welcome to Ho Chi Minh City! On arrival, you will be met by your Emerald Cruises representative and transferred to your hotel, situated in downtown District 1, for a two-night stay. After checking in, you will be free to explore the city before meeting your tour director for your welcome briefing and dinner at a local restaurant. **Meal: D**

### DAY 3 Ho Chi Minh City

Drive away from Ho Chi Minh City to Cu Chi Tunnels, watching the city skyline fade into the distance as the road winds through rice paddies, villages and scenes typical to southern Vietnam. Spend a couple of hours walking around Cu Chi's rugged grounds with a local guide. Upon your return to Ho Chi Minh City, enjoy a Pho (noodle soup) lunch with the remainder of the afternoon and evening yours to enjoy at leisure or venture out on one of our DiscoverMORE excursions. **Meals: B, L**

### DAY 4 Ho Chi Minh City – 7 Night Mekong Cruise

After checkout, enjoy a guided city tour, visiting the Notre Dame Cathedral, Opera House and Town Hall. Then, visit the Reunification Palace before transferring to the port where you will board your

Emerald Cruises Star-Ship, Emerald Harmony. You'll be welcomed on board by your captain and crew before setting sail down the Saigon River to Cho Gao canal where you will anchor for the night. This evening, enjoy your first dinner on board with your fellow travelers. Your Cruise Director will conduct a port talk to review the activities and itinerary for the days ahead. **Meals: B, L, D**

### DAY 5 Ben Tre

This morning, you'll cruise through the bustling Cho Gao canal, one of the major arterial canals of Vietnam connecting Tien Giang Province in the Mekong Delta with Ho Chi Minh City. You'll be fascinated watching the heavy commercial traffic navigate this important waterway, where upwards of 1,800 vessels transit each day. Once on the Mekong River, this afternoon you'll visit the Tan My Floating community followed by a ride through local plantations to visit a mushroom farm, a fruit farm with sampling and a honey farm with local sweets. Later, you'll sail onwards to Sa Đéc, a Mekong Delta hidden gem. **Meals: B, L, D**

### DAY 6 Sa Dec – My An Hung

After a short sampan ride to Sa Đéc, enjoy a walking tour with a visit to the home of Mr. Huynh Thuy Le, who inspired Marguerite Duras' celebrated novel, L'Amant, and the town's bustling central market. Return to Emerald Harmony by sampan, then sail on to My An Hung Island. Recognized as a cultural and historical destination, this small rural village specializes in cultivating red-hot chilli and peppers. As part of your EmeraldPLUS experience, listen to local folk singing during your visit. **Meals: B, L, D**

### DAY 7 Gieng Island - An Long

Known as 'Mango Island,' Cu Lao Gieng is a small, scenic island untouched by tourism, located along the upper Mekong River. Travel by local motorcycle rickshaw through the island's villages to visit families who work in a variety of local industries including Mango farming, different types of boat building and a factory making incense sticks for temples. The afternoon is yours to enjoy at leisure on board. As part of our EmeraldPLUS experience, you'll delight in a traditional Lion Dance performance on board. **Meals: B, L, D**

### DAY 8 Tan Chau - Vietnam/Cambodia Border Crossing

Embark on a sampan ride to Evergreen Island for a walk through a local village, giving you a glimpse into the lives of the local farming community. Reboard your sampan and return to Tan Chau and as part of our EmeraldPLUS experience, visit the local Cao Dai Temple.



Sa Đéc, Vietnam

Cao Dai is a syncretic, monotheistic religion established in Tây Ninh, southern Vietnam, in 1926. At the temple, learn more about this fascinating and complex religion. Afterwards, ride in a Xe Loi (local form of cyclo) back to your sampan before returning to Emerald Harmony. Back on board your Star-Ship, you'll sail to the border between Vietnam and Cambodia. [Meals: B, L, D](#)

### DAY 9 Phnom Penh, Cambodia

This morning, you'll awake in Cambodia's capital, Phnom Penh. Known as the 'Pearl of Asia,' the city was almost entirely evacuated by the Khmer Rouge in 1975. Today, you'll learn about the Khmer Rouge and the darkest days of Cambodia's history. A short drive will take you to the Killing Fields at Choeung Ek, where you'll have the opportunity to stroll through the fields, visit the memorial and understand more about this country's sombre chapter. Afterwards, visit Tuol Sleng Genocide Museum (also known as 'S-21'), a former school converted to the Khmer Rouge's main prison and torture HQ. Spend the afternoon as you please, either exploring our DiscoverMORE excursions, visiting the Central Market located in the heart of Phnom Penh, or simply relaxing on board Emerald Harmony. This evening, as part of your EmeraldPLUS experience, enjoy a remork (local Tuk-Tuk) tour through Phnom Penh to admire the city lights. [Meals: B, L, D](#)

### DAY 10 Phnom Penh – Oudong – ROKAR KOANG

Located north of Phnom Penh, Oudong was the former royal capital of Cambodia until it relocated to Phnom Penh in 1866. Start your day with a visit to the Oudong Monastery and Temples. Important remnants here include the burial sites of Khmer kings as well as religious artifacts dating back more than a century. In Oudong Monastery's main temple, receive a traditional Buddhist blessing from the resident monks, as part of your EmeraldPLUS experience. In the afternoon, you'll visit the majestic Royal Palace, with its French-inspired gardens and Silver Pagoda. Back on board, as part of your EmeraldPLUS experience, enjoy a cultural performance by the Cambodian Student and Children's Organization. Afterwards set sail, gliding past the illuminated Phnom Penh at night, to ROKAR KOANG, a small town located further up along the up the Mekong River. [Meals: B, L, D](#)

### DAY 11 ROKAR KOANG Disembarkation – SIEM REAP

Disembark Emerald Harmony in the morning and continue by road to Siem Reap for your included three-night stay. Stay at the beautiful Shinta Mani, a deluxe boutique property of world-class design that takes great care in honoring the environment and paying homage to the traditional and local aesthetics. This evening as part of your EmeraldPLUS program, attend Phare, The Cambodian Circus, where a combination of acrobatics, music and dance tell a uniquely Cambodian story. Take advantage of our DiscoverMORE dinner at the circus to further support Phare's work. [Meals: B, L](#)

### DAY 12 SIEM REAP

Today, start with a visit to Angkor Thom, not a single temple such as the historic sites it neighbors, but rather one of the most remarkable royal cities of the Angkor Period and an architectural wonder. As the last capital of the Khmer Empire, it was a fortified city, home to priests, officials of the palace, military and buildings for administering the kingdom. Afterwards, visit the sacred Temple of Ta Prohm. In an incredible standoff between human creation and nature, the jungle's root systems have reclaimed this spiritual location now enshrouded in wild vegetation. The backdrop to many Hollywood scenes, the incredible Ta Prohm is both a cinematic and contemplative location. This evening is free to visit 'Pub Street' or try a DiscoverMORE option. [Meals: B, L](#)



## EXCEPTIONAL INCLUSIONS

- 31 Meals: 12 breakfasts, 10 lunches and 9 dinners
- Airport transfers on tour dates when air is provided by Mayflower Cruises & Tours
- Complimentary wine, beer and soft drinks to accompany lunch and dinner while onboard
- Complimentary tea and coffee onboard
- Complimentary bottled water provided on every excursion
- Shore excursions in the ports of call
- Multiple EmeraldPLUS activities
- A variety of onboard evening entertainment
- Complimentary WiFi onboard
- First-class service from an English-speaking crew and knowledgeable local guides
- All port charges, airport taxes and transfers
- All gratuities included

### DAY 13 SIEM REAP

Witness a mesmerizing sunrise over Angkor Wat. Afterwards, walk through this magnificent UNESCO World Heritage-listed site, renowned for its intricate carvings. This afternoon, enjoy time at leisure to explore the town, or join a DiscoverMORE excursion. Later, as part of your EmeraldPLUS experience, enjoy an immersive evening and farewell dinner, accompanied by an Apsara dance performance. [Meals: B, D](#)

### DAY 14 Depart SIEM REAP

After breakfast this morning, you will be transferred to the Siem Reap airport to catch your onward or homebound flight. Return home with memories of life enriching experiences of your amazing adventure through Cambodia and Vietnam. [Meal: B](#)

Itinerary and excursions are subject to change.

Additional excursions will be released approximately 180 days prior to departure.

Depending on the flight schedule, you may arrive in the USA on Day 15.

## CRUISE AND HOTEL ACCOMMODATIONS

**Days 2 and 3** – Grand Hotel Saigon or similar, Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam

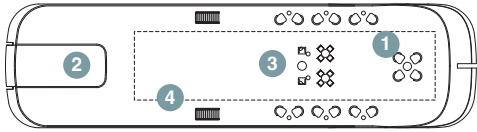
**Days 4 through 10** – Aboard Emerald Harmony

**Days 11 through 14** – Shinto Mani or similar, Siem Reap, Cambodia

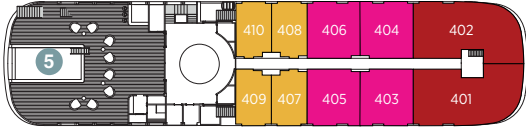
# EMERALD HARMONY

Built: 2019 Cabins: 42 Length: 239 ft. Crew: 40

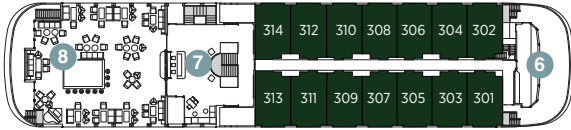
## SUN DECK



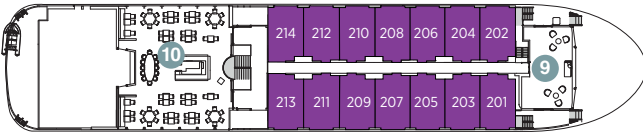
## POOL DECK



## HORIZON DECK



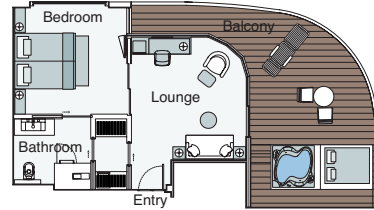
## VISTA DECK



## RIVIERA DECK



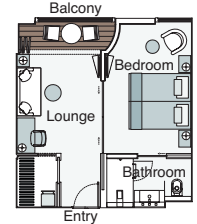
- 1 Sun Deck with Deck Chairs
- 2 Retractable Sun Shade Roof
- 3 Games Area
- 4 Walking Track
- 5 Daytime Pool & Bar
- 6 Wheel House
- 7 Reception
- 8 Horizon Bar & Lounge
- 9 Lotus Lounge
- 10 Reflections Restaurant
- 11 Fitness Area
- 12 Self-service Laundry
- 13 Wellness Area
- 14 Hairdresser



Owner's One-Bedroom Suite

452ft<sup>2</sup>

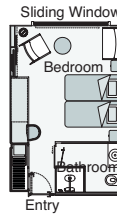
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Grand Balcony Suite

398ft<sup>2</sup>

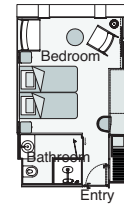
CAT S



Panorama Balcony Suite

273ft<sup>2</sup>

CAT AP CAT A CAT B



Emerald Stateroom

256ft<sup>2</sup>

CAT D

Important Information: The cabin and deck plans, sizes and photographs are an indication only and are subject to variation.

Tour Code 813PC 2027 Departure Date	RIVIERA DECK		VISTA DECK		HORIZON DECK		POOL DECK		POOL DECK		POOL DECK	
	CAT D		CAT B		CAT A		CAT AP		CAT S		CAT SA	
	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM	PER PERSON TWIN	SINGLE ROOM
March 10	\$6,855	+\$4,840	\$7,355	+\$5,215	\$7,680	+\$5,535	\$8,305	+\$5,965	\$8,518	N/A	\$9,655	N/A

**Pricing includes local pickup (with 10 travelers), round trip MSP air, hotel transfers, land/cruise package, wine and beer with lunches and dinners on ship, 31 meals gratuities to guides, drivers and ship staff and Hosted by Kim and Bryan!**

Air itineraries may not be available until documents are received. Air seats are assigned by the airline for the entire group and may not be available until airport check-in. Seat changes can only be attempted at the airport and may not be possible. If specific seat assignments are vital to your reservation, we recommend booking air on your own rather than booking air with the group.

Visas required on this program.



### Travelers Protection Plan (TPP) for River Cruises - \$569 per person OPTIONAL

This nonrefundable fee will provide a refund to you during the instance that you have to cancel your trip. The cancellation has to be for a covered reason (see Plan for details on coverage) and we have to be notified at least one day prior to departure. If you must leave the tour early due to personal illness or the illness or death of an immediate family member, TPP will provide a refund for any unused services after the departure of the tour. Other benefits include medical expenses for illness and injury, emergency transportation, 24 hour hot line and lost or stolen baggage assistance. Return air transportation is included ONLY if your air tickets are purchased through Mayflower Cruises & Tours. Please review the Plan for details on coverage. Should you choose not to purchase our TPP, the following per person cancellation charges will be assessed for all tours and optional excursion costs:

- 121 days or more prior to departure: Deposit Amount
- 120 days to day of departure: 100% of total tour
- No refund on unused portions of the tour

Exclusions: Mayflower Cruises & Tours reserves the right to alter its Refund and Cancellation Policy when a substantial amount of cancellation or postponement of travel is attributable to: conditions resulting from an act of God, natural or man-made disaster, fire, government action, civil disorder, war, hostilities between nations, or unavailability of transportation through no fault of Mayflower Cruises & Tours. Plan and benefits offered and administered by Trip Mate, Inc.

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