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Join me for Antiques and Vintage Shopping
In Paris!



Are you ready to turn your dream of antique and vintage shopping in Paris into reality? Let's create unforgettable moments together! Join us!

Paris: April 26-May 1st 2024

\$2995 Double Occupancy

“A Trip Highlight” St Ouen Flea Market

Forget the guidebook – come with our English-speaking pro who knows all about Paris. We'll stroll through Puces de St. Ouen, the massive flea market with tons of hidden gems. Discover treasures like textiles, art, housewares and more in the different sections. There's something for everyone – from vintage clothes to jewelry and bags. Found something you love? Our guide will help you haggle and sort out the details, and you'll also learn about the market's history. Let's make your Paris vintage shopping trip unforgettable!

Ahhhh.... Paris!

Friday April 26th, We will arrive at our Boutique Hotel in Paris's *Saint Germain* to check-in and meet for Champagne to kick off our week! We will stay at this darling Boutique Hotel for 5 nights. That night we will walk together for dinner at our go-to dinner spot-Champagne toast and *Dinner Included*

Saturday April 27th, We will head to the *Marche Puces Paris Flea Market* In Paris, this market is world-renowned! We'll hop on the Metro to shop and visit all of our favorite vendors, I can't wait to see what catches your eye! There are plenty of places to grab lunch, and we will leave the timeframe of this day open for those who Shop-Til-They-Drop! This evening we will enjoy a Happy Hour Cruise on the Seine -*Included-Cruise, Guided Tour of Market and Metro tickets*

Sunday April 28th, we will head out EARLY in the morning and head across town to yet another great antique market! This market is a little less structured and you will find some AMAZING things! Since everyone has a different pace, we will break up into smaller groups for the SUPER early risers to get there first! You will be on your own for dinner to explore the area and enjoy the streets of Paris. I'm happy to give suggestions-This would be the perfect night to head together to the Eiffel Tower to see the lights! *Tour of Market, Transportation to market and Eiffel Tower Included*

Monday April 29th, This morning we will head up to the Village of Montmartre! We will follow the streets as they wind up the hill toward **place du Terre** with its street painters. It's a reminder of the time when Montmartre was the mecca of modern art. We'll see the beautiful **Sacré Coeur Basilica** which sits in the highest part of Paris. We will have a lunch reservation at a charming local Bistro. SO Parisian! As a special treat, we will have an impromptu Sketching Class with Traer Beaudette! *Guided Tour Of Montmartre, Metro tickets, art supplies and lunch are included today!*



Tuesday April 30th, Oh what fun! Today we will zip around town and hit some SUPER fun Vintage clothing stores! You can't even imagine what great goodies you'll find at a Parisian second hand store! (We had one lady find a wedding dress!) Do you love French cosmetics and beauty products? We'll also hit the largest "Pharmacy" you've ever seen! All 3 floors are full of amazing products along with personal shopping assistance! Ooo lala! Tonight we will meet up again for a champagne toast as everyone gets ready to depart. *Tour of Vintage Thrift Shops, Surprise Gift From The "Pharmacy" and Champagne is included today*

On May 1st, We will have breakfast at our hotel and then depart, either to the airport, to continue your stay in Paris, OR join us on our way to Montpellier for the second part of the trip and even MORE antiquing! We are happy to help you arrange to stay on longer at our hotel if you need a little bit more of Paris in your life.....who doesn't!

Some Questions Answered

- **Transportation to our hotel:** In Paris, we will be staying at a darling Boutique Hotel in the St. Germaine area, there are airport shuttles available to and from the hotel. Once you have your flight information, **we can help you arrange a shuttle though the hotel.** We are not able to provide an airport shuttle for the group, as people are coming from all areas on various days. You are welcome to come early or stay on, I mean...it's Paris!
- **What's included in the price?** Your stay in Paris will include:
 - 5 nights at the darling hotel including breakfast every morning,
 - Champagne and dinner on our first night
 - Outings and meals as outlined in our itinerary (and there are many!)
- **What is the cost?** The trip is priced at \$2995.00 per person double occupancy -not including airfare. The *non-refundable* deposit is \$800. Single room for the trip is available at an additional \$800
- **How do I get on the list or contact you?** Please go to our trip application, we will get back to you as soon as we can! This trip has **VERY** limited space.
<https://theinspiredtourist.com/trip-application/>
- **What is the rooming situation?** The trip is priced at double occupancy which means you will have a roommate, but we will be able to book single rooms on a limited basis for an extra cost (see above) If you've never been to Europe or Paris, you will notice that the hotel rooms are TINY. The good news is that we only sleep in the room, you will be spending time enjoying the City of Lights and there are common areas in the hotel to hang out.
- **The trip deposit** will be non-refundable and we strictly require TRIP INSURANCE! You want to make sure you are covered if you have to cancel or become ill on our trip. As you know, the airlines have made it much easier to cancel your flight without penalty. France has lifted all restrictions for Americans entering the country. Things are GREAT! As with all of our trips, if at any time you choose not to join us for a dinner or an event, that is totally fine. There will be many opportunities to paint, take photos, write and explore, always do what makes you feel comfortable.
- **How many people will be on the trip?** Our maximum for this trip will be 8 not including staff.
- PLEASE NOTE: **This Itinerary is subject to change** based on weather and the availability of our points of interest.

Paris is ALWAYS a good idea-Audrey Hepburn