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DAY 1 / JUN 11 DEPART CANADA Board your overnight flight to St. Petersburg, Russia. *Transportation: Air Canada / Lufthansa Airlines*

DAY 2/JUN 12 ARRIVE IN ST. PETERSBURG, RUSSIA Arrive in St. Petersburg and embark the ship. Relax in your stateroom or explore the city before meeting your fellow travelers at the Welcome Cocktail Reception. (D) Accommodation: MS AMAKATARINA (11 nights)

DAY 3/JUN 13 ST. PETERSBURG One of Russia's former capitals, this city rivals Paris or Venice for its romantic image. Dating from the beginning of the 18th-century it was built to the exact specifications ordered by Peter the Great.

The city is home to many museums, galleries, palaces, impressive squares and streets. Your sightseeing tour of this beautiful city shows you Nevsky Prospect, Palace Square, St. Isaacs Cathedral and the cruiser Aurora. After lunch, tour the Hermitage museum, the former Palace of the Czars, which houses the royal art collection with over three million works of

art. It is one of the largest and most impressive art museums in the world. Tonight, join your fellow passengers for an included folkloric show. (B,L,D)

DAY 4/ JUN 14ST. PETERSBURG Today is a free day for you to explore the city. This evening, you are our guest at a Ballet performance at the Hermitage Theatre, the former private theatre of the Czars. (B,L,D)

DAY 5/ JUN 15 ST. PETERSBURG Today, tour St. Petersburg's famous and spectacular Imperial Estate – Peterhof Palace. Nestled on the shore of the Gulf of Finland, the palace was built by Peter the Great initially as a resting place en route to the Imperial naval base. But the Czar was quick to recognize the attractiveness of the area and masterminded a vast estate intended to rival the famous gardens of Versailles. After lunch, enjoy the remainder of the day at your leisure or you may choose to take an optional excursion to the Peter and Paul's Fortress and St. Isaac's Cathedral. (B,L,D)

DAY 6/JUN 16 SVIRSTROY Svirstroy is 100 miles from St. Petersburg with only a population of 1,000. After lunch enjoy some free time to stroll through this unspoiled Russian village and browse through the irresistible handmade trinkets. The ship begins cruising to Kizhi Island in the early evening. (B,L,D)

DAY 7/ JUN 17 KIZHI ISLAND Kizhi is an island that is situated at the north end of Lake Onega and home to some of the most amazing wooden architecture in Russia. Forever linked to Novgorod the Great, the style of architecture reflects its early introduction to Christianity. In 1764 locals built the Church of Intercession, its towering walls and 22 domes, without the use of a single nail. Your walking

tour includes the Museum of Wooden Architecture. (B,L,D)

DAY 8/ JUN 18 GORITZY
Goritsy is a peaceful farming town and a typical Russian village. The tour includes the Monastery of St. Cyril on the White lake and the Museum of Icons. Return to the ship to sail for Yaroslavl. (B,L,D)



DAY 9/ JUN 19 YAROSLAVL Founded in 1010 by Prince Yaroslav the Wise, it is one of Russia's oldest cities, tracing its roots back to the Vikings. The city stretches for miles along the confluence of the Volga and Kotorosl Rivers. Explore the city's history through its architecture, including the fortified 12th-century Transfiguration Monastery and the Yaroslavl Museum of Russian Art, the former residence of the Governor of Yaroslavl. (B,L,D)

DAY 10/ JUN 20 UGLICH Located on the banks of the Volga, Uglich was founded by merchants in 1148. Rich in history, Uglich is home to some of Russia's most beautiful churches and cathedrals, and you'll see a sampling during your city tour. The most noteworthy include the Chambers of Prince Dimitry and the magnificent Church of Dimitry on the Blood, dedicated to the tragic story of Ivan the Terrible's son. Uglich is also the site of an AMAWATERWAYS exclusive shore excursion. You'll visit the home of a local Russian family, learning about everyday life in Uglich, as you enjoy a home-cooked meal and sample Russian hospitality first-hand. (B,L,D)



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DAY 11/ JUN 21 MOSCOW After breakfast, visit Russia's beautiful capital city, founded in 1147, which includes the Red Square, the GUM Department, New Maiden's Convent, St. Basil Cathedral, Tverskaya, Sparrow Hill and Lubyanka Square (KGB building). Your tour within the walls of the Kremlin introduces you to the former royal residence of the Czars and main-center of the Russian Orthodox faith. (B,L,D)

DAY 12/ JUN 22 MOSCOW Visit the Tretyakov Art Museum. This afternoon, enjoy lunch on a day boat as you cruise the Moscow River. The remainder of the day is at your leisure to explore the city or take the included tour to the Pushkin Museum. (B,L,D)

DAY 13 / JUN 23 MOSCOW (DISEMBARKATION) - TORONTO (B) Disembark in the morning and transfer to the airport for your home bound flight arriving the same day. Transportation: Lufthansa Airlines / Air Canada

*****END OF TOUR****

B – breakfast L – lunch D - dinne

The exact order and days of sightseeing and the optional tours offered in St. Petersburg and Moscow are subject to change without notice.

Savings!

Book before September 30, 2011 and receive a EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT of \$150 pp. Pay by cheque, and save additional 3% of fare.

Package in Canadian Dollars, per person

CAT	DOUBLE	SINGLE
F	\$6,470	\$7,990
<u>E</u>	\$6,700	\$8,390
D	\$7,100	\$8,690
С	\$7,750	\$9,690
В	\$7,950	
Α	\$8,150	
BS	\$8,550	
MS	\$8,990	
HS	\$9,300	
IS	\$10,900	
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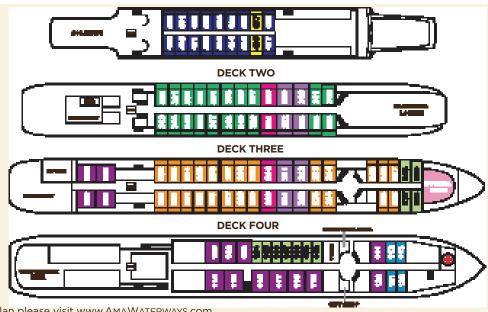
Package Price includes: air from Toronto, air taxes, transfers, cruise, Russia Visa, prepaid tipping for cruise director and crew, included concert in St. Petersburg, and tour to Catherine the Great Palace in Pushkin, near Moscow.

Air Credit: CAD1100 pp

Included Features

- Scheduled transatlantic flights and airport transfers
- 11-night Cruise Accommodation in an Outside Stateroom
- All Meals onboard; Early-riser Coffee, Buffet Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner
- Unlimited Red or White Wine or Juice with every Dinner
- Bottled Water in every Cabin
- Cocktail Reception & Welcome Dinner
- Home Visit and Meal with Russian Family in Uglich
- All-inclusive Daily Sightseeing Programs as outlined in the Itinerary
- Ballet Performance at the Hermitage Theater, the Private Theater of the Czars
- Guest Lectures on Russian History, Culture, Art, Politics and Economy
- Onboard Music Performances and Russian Language Classes
- Physician onboard
- All English Language onboard in a non-smoking Environment (except Sun Deck)
- All Transfers with the Purchase of Cruise & Air package
- All local Taxes
- Air Taxes and Port Charges
- Russian Visa Fee
- Cruise Director and Crew Gratuities
- Pushkin Museum Tour in Moscow
- Folkloric Concert in St. Petersburg

Amakatarina Deck Plan



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CHNICAL DATA:

constructed: 2011 ngth: 443 feet dth: 52 feet ew: 74 aterooms: 106 ssengers: 212 gistry: Russia

Deck Three Imperial Suite - 432 sq. ft. Deck Two & Three Mariinsky Suites - 320 sq. ft. Deck Two & Three Cat. BS Bolshoi Suites - 280 sq. ft. Deck One Cat. HS Hermitage Suites - 270 sq. ft.

Deck One Cat. A Deluxe with Balcony - 230 sq. ft. Deck Two

Deluxe with Balcony - 238 sq. ft.

Deck Three

Cat. B

Cat. E

Deluxe with Balcony - 238 sq. ft. Deck Three & Four

Cat. D Superior with Two Windows - 205 sq. ft.

Deck Three & Four

Standard with Window - 135 sq. ft.

Deck Four Cat. F

Standard with Window - 110 sq. ft.

Deposit and Payments:

Deposit: CAD \$850 pp

Final Payment: March 1, 2012

A handling fee of \$100 per transaction is charged for any alteration or revision made to a reservation after initial confirmation. Spelling corrections to clients' names after tickets have been issued will be subject to airline revision fees. A change of date or itinerary within 120 days of departure will be treated as a cancellation and regular cancellation fees will apply. No refund will be made for unused services after travel arrangements have commenced.

We strongly recommend the purchase of comprehensive travel insurance.

Cancellation Charges:

From now to July 20, 2011:	no cancellation fee
From Jul 21, 2011 – Feb 29, 2012:	\$200 pp
From Mar 1 – 31, 2012:	50% of tour cost
From Apri 1 – 30, 2012:	65% of tour cost
From May 1 – May 15, 2012:	90% of tour cost
From May 16, 2012 to Departure Date:	100% of tour cost
Suite/Jr.Suite:	\$400 pp of deposit is non-refundable from time of booking



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