

# VIDA PORTUGAL!

## VINEYARDS & VILLAGES ALONG THE DOURO

8 days | roundtrip from Porto aboard the Avalon Alegria<sup>SM</sup>  
with optional 3 nights in Lisbon



Avalon Waterways is excited to announce it will make its Douro debut with a new itinerary and Suite Ship®—the Avalon Alegria<sup>SM</sup>—in 2024.

Hillside vineyards and historic villages await as you set sail through Portugal's postcard-perfect views on this eight-day cruise that begins and ends in Porto (a UNESCO World Heritage site) and is filled with our signature, included "Classic," "Discovery" and "Active" excursion choices.

**Departure Dates:** April 3 – November 13, 2024

**From \$3,599 per person, based on double occupancy, and land only.\***

\*Prices include all taxes & port charges. Air and travel insurance are additional.



Panorama Suite, Avalon Alegria

**Extend your vacation with a three-night stay in beautiful Lisbon, the capital of Portugal!**

Discover the city highlights, including Belém Tower and the Monument to the Discoveries, and stop in Coimbra for a city sightseeing tour before reaching Porto, where you'll start your river cruise.





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**DAY 1 | PORTO (EMBARKATION).** Welcome to Porto with an optional food tour and embarkation. (D)

**DAY 2 | ENTRE OS RIOS. EXCURSION TO BRAGA AND GUIMARÃES.**

Excursion choices include stepping back in time in Guimarães' historic city center or cruising along the coast, on bike, from Porto Ribiera to the sea. The ship overnights in Porto Antigo. (B,L,D)

**DAY 3 | PESO DA RÉGUA.** Today's choice of excursions includes a visit to one of the Douro Valley's oldest farms, with food tasting near Peso da Regua and an overnight in Pinhão. (B,L,D)

**DAY 4 | POCINHO.** Experience a guided tour of Freixo de Numão, a charming village nestled between the nearby mountains, complete with regional wine-tasting or rock art in Vila Nova de Foz Côa. Tonight, Avalon Alegria docks in Barca d'Alva. (B,L,D)

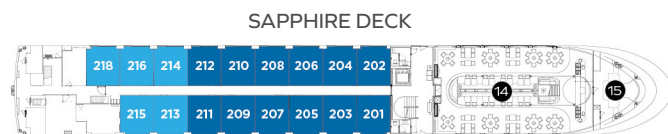
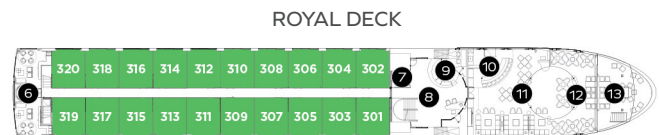
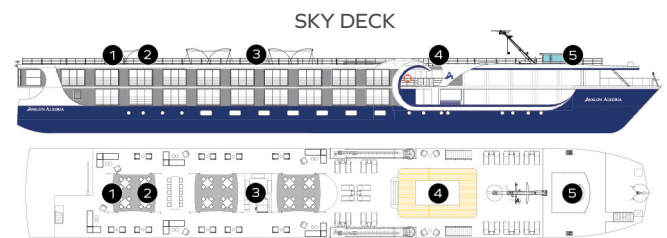
**DAY 5 | BARCA D'ALVA. EXCURSION TO SALAMANCA.** Choose from classic sightseeing in Freixo de Espada à Cinta or a visit to Salamanca in Spain. Learn to bake traditional Portuguese pastries ("Florinhas") during a hands-on optional excursions. (B,L,D)

**DAY 6 | CALDAS DE AREGOS. EXCURSION TO AMARANTE.** Paint a typical 'azulejos' tile guided by a professional painter during a relaxing morning sail. Spend the afternoon in Amarante and *Fado* the evening away. Overnight in Porto with plenty of free time to peruse the city. (B,L,D)

**DAY 7 | PORTO.** UNESCO the day away exploring Porto – with optional excursions ranging from a canal cruise to celebratory Portuguese traditions. (B,L,D)

**DAY 8 | PORTO (DISEMBARKATION).** Your cruise ends this morning in Porto. (B)

### AVALON ALEGRIA DECK PLAN



**Crew Members: 33 | Length: 262 ft. | Suites: 37 | Staterooms: 14**

**1 Sky Lounge • 2 Premium Lounge Chairs & Shade Awnings • 3 Sky Grill • 4 Pool • 5 Navigation Bridge • 6 Club Lounge • 7 Elevator • 8 Adventure Centre • 9 Guest Services • 10 Bar • 11 Panorama Lounge • 12 Panorama Bistro • 13 Observation Lounge • 14 Dining Room • 15 Galley • 16 Fitness Centre**

<b>Cat. P</b> Royal Deck Panorama Suites	<b>Cat. A</b> Sapphire Deck Fwd Panorama Suites	<b>Cat. B</b> Sapphire Deck Aft Panorama Suites
<b>Cat. D</b> Indigo Deck Deluxe Staterooms	<b>Cat. E</b> Indigo Deck Deluxe Staterooms	

**START SOONER!** An optional 3-night stay in Lisbon available prior to river cruise. *Please inquire.*