



*Air Journey's*

## Trans North Atlantic Journey

August 25 - September 16, 2021



**Highlights:** For many adventurous pilots, crossing the North Atlantic is a lifetime dream. Air Journey brings its experience to help motivated pilots and guests realize this dream. There will be plenty of time for both relaxation and discovery on this beautiful escapade.



**Duration:** 23 days / 22 nights  
**Cost:** \$ 24,225 per person (double occupancy)  
\$ 4,950 plane registration fee

*Single supplement available upon request*

# Itinerary

## Day 1 - Wednesday, August 25: Home → Quebec City, Canada (CYQB)

Welcome to Quebec City! Air Journey will greet you at the Fairmont Le Château Frontenac. Situated in the heart of historic Old Quebec, the hotel sits high on a bluff overlooking St. Lawrence River.

All participants will meet for introductions and attend an extensive briefing covering the general procedures of our Journey as well as details for tomorrow's departure.

Afterwards, we will gather for a welcome cocktail before dinner.

**Hotel:** Chateau Frontenac  
*Welcome Cocktail and Dinner included*

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## Day 2 - Thursday, August 26: Quebec City (CYQB) → Goose Bay, Canada (CYR) → Reykjavik (BIRK) 575 + 1,340 NM

We will fly over the immense forests and numerous lakes of Labrador on our way to Goose Bay for a technical stop to refuel and have lunch. Our flight then continues over southern Greenland's beautiful scenery before arriving in Reykjavik.

**Hotel:** Hotel Borg  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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## Day 3 - Friday, August 27: Reykjavik, Iceland

Today we will go on a Super Jeep tour visiting the beautiful multi-colored terrain of the Snaefellsnes Peninsula. The western tip of the peninsula is the newly designated park including the Snaefellsjokull glacier and stunning coastal beaches and cliffs.

We will stop at a tiny village at Amarstapi to see the beautiful sea cliffs and visit the small settlement of Hellnar—a town sitting below the glacier at the ocean's edge. Seabirds and cliffs dominate the area.

**Hotel:** Hotel Borg  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*



**Day 4 - Saturday, August 28: Reykjavik (BIRK) → Knock, Ireland (EIKN)**

**735 NM**

Fly to West Ireland. The oldest castle in Ireland, dating to 1228, Ashford fits everyone's fantasy of a medieval fortress, with soaring turrets, breathtaking views of Lough Corrib and a resident ghost. Set on 350 scenic acres, the luxurious, five-star property was once the estate of the famed Guinness family.

The rural setting accommodates a host of outdoor activities, including fly-fishing, golf, horseback riding, and hawk flying overseen by Ireland's first school of falconry.

**Hotel:** Ashford Castle  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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**Day 5 - Sunday, August 29: Knock**

With our local guide we will explore scenic Connemara. Enjoy panoramic views filled with rugged purple mountains, deep blue lakes and shimmering seascapes.

We will visit Kylemore Abbey, situated in the heart of Connemara amidst rivers, lakes and rolling hills. Most recently this former 19th century neo-Gothic mansion, with massive walls and gracious windows, was a prestigious boarding school.

**Hotel:** Ashford Castle  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

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**Day 6 - Monday, August 30: Knock**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Enjoy the hotel grounds and amenities including horseback riding, hunting, clay target shooting, golf, tennis, river fishing and falconry.

**Hotel:** Ashford Castle  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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**Day 7 - Tuesday, August 31: Knock (EIKN) → Milan, Italy (LIMC)**

**840 NM**

Fly to Milan where we will transfer to Como.

Situated in a breathtaking setting on the shores of Italy's most famous lake, the Mandarin Oriental Lago di Como exudes romantic Italian style perfectly complemented by timeless Oriental charm. Atmospheric, elegant and incredibly private, the hotel effortlessly blends the romance of the past with the luxury of the present.

**Hotel:** Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*





### Day 8 - Wednesday, September 1: Milan

With our local guide we will begin an exploration of Como, the lake's main town, as we discover historic center.

After lunch, enjoy a cruise around Lake Como admiring chic hillside villas and hotels against the backdrop of the Alps.

**Hotel:** Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

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### Day 9 - Thursday, September 2: Milan

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

**Hotel:** Mandarin Oriental  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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### Day 10 - Friday, September 3: Milan, Italy (LIMC) → Tivat, Montenegro (LYTV)

**475 NM**

Fly to Montenegro - the pearl of the Mediterranean.

Upon arrival, we will transfer to Sveti Stefan (Saint Stephen) - one of the world's most unique seaside resorts, best known for its beauty, comfort and beautiful pink sand beaches.

**Hotel:** Aman Sveti Stefan  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

### Day 11 - Saturday, September 4: Tivat

With our local guide we will tour the ancient towns and Unesco treasures today. Dating back to the 5th century BC, the winding cobblestone streets of Budva lead explorers to the heart of Montenegro's cultural heritage.

We will visit the Old Town, the trademark of Budva. Originally built on an island, a sand isthmus developed between Budva and the main land and so it became a peninsula.

Old Town Budva is a unique architectural and urban unit that was already mentioned as a settlement in ancient times. According to these sources, Budva is over 2,500 years old and one of the oldest urban centres around the Adriatic Sea. The walls of the Old Town were, and still are, as much of an attraction to residential homes as for tourists, who come to visit from the furthest parts of the world. They were built in the Middle Ages when this region was ruled by the Venetians.

As you visit the Old Town of Budva, you might think that you have entered a labyrinth, with lots of narrow streets, squares, walls and towers from the late Middle Ages.

Today, the ground floors of many houses have been converted into art galleries, shops, cafes, and boutiques. Within the Old Town is the city fortress, Citadela, dating from the 5th –6th centuries AD.

There are also the churches of St. Ivan (a monumental three-nave basilica, built in the 7th century AD), St. Mary's of Punta (the oldest building, dating from 840 AD) and the Holy Trinity (built in 1804).

**Hotel:** Aman Sveti Stefan  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*



**Day 12 - Sunday, September 5: Tivat**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

Aman Sveti Stefan's trio of beaches provide idyllic settings for sunbathing and swimming in the warm clear waters of the Adriatic. The pink-pebble curve of the Beach, set with sun loungers, spans 170 metres along the isthmus. On the mainland, beside Villa Milocer, King's Beach is the largest; whereas the scalloped shores of Queen's Beach – private to the resort – are set in seclusion beside an emerald lagoon, one of the most enchanting locations on Montenegro's coast.

**Hotel:** Aman Sveti Stefan  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

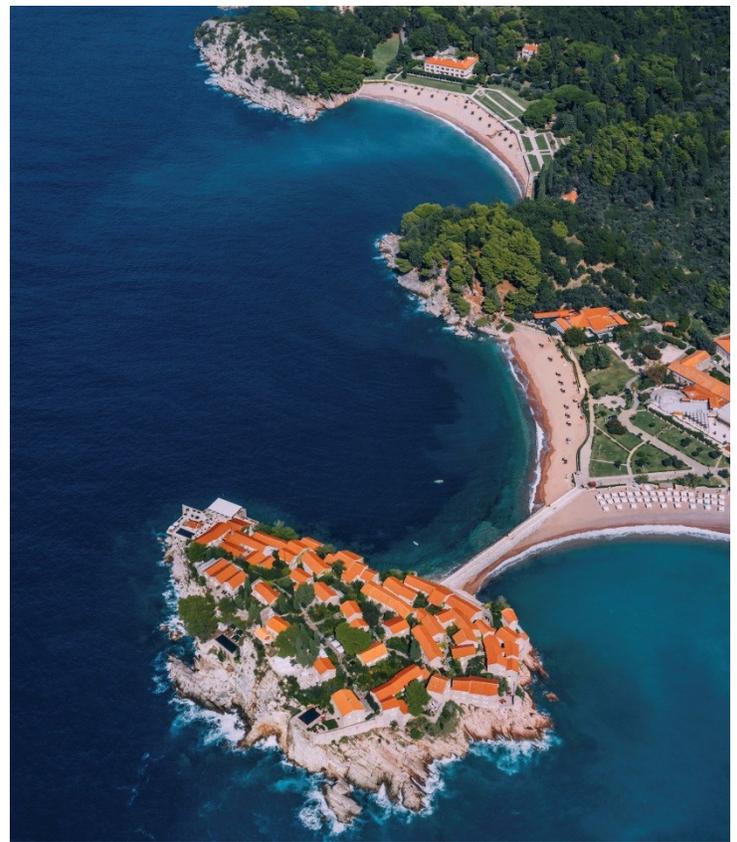
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**Day 13 - Monday, September 6: Tivat, Montenegro (LYTV) → Vienna, Austria (LLOW)**

**355 NM**

Fly to Austria, where we will discover one of the most beautiful cities in Europe - 'Vienna'. Home to some of the most beautiful Renaissance, Baroque, and Rococo architecture in the world, here you will find the houses of Vienna's great composers, including Mozart, Beethoven, Schubert, Haydn, Brahms and Johann Strauss, all carefully preserved.

**Hotel:** Hotel Imperial  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 14 - Tuesday, September 7: Vienna**

View the historical and architectural landmarks in the city as well as a part of the picturesque Lake District and breathtaking landscapes.

This afternoon we will visit The Salzburg Marionette Theatre. Founded in 1913 by Professor Anton Aicher, its original production was Bastien and Bastienne, a marionette version of Mozart's famous opera. There will be an optional visit to a classical music concert.

**Hotel:** Hotel Imperial  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*



## Day 15 - Wednesday, September 8: Vienna

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

The Hotel Imperial enjoys a genuinely unique location within a short distance of the Musikverein concert hall, the Vienna State Opera, Belvedere Palace, the Fine Arts and Natural History Museums, the Museumsquartier, as well as the city's finest restaurants, boutiques and other attractions.

**Hotel:** Hotel Imperial  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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## Day 16 – Thursday, September 9: Vienna, Austria (LLOW) ➔ Vilnius, Lithuania (EYVI)

510 NM

Fly to Vilnius. With the unique ambience of a rich and colorful city, Vilnius is marked by impressive Gothic, Renaissance and baroque architecture. It is set naturally at the junction of three cultures – Central, Northern and Eastern Europe, making the city a true gem of the Baltic countries.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Kempinski  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

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## Day 17 - Friday, September 10: Vilnius

With our local guide we will discover baroque architecture and medieval history in Lithuania's capital.

We will gain insight into Vilnius' culture and heritage as we stroll along quaint streets and admire top attractions including the Bernardine Church and Monastery, the Church of St Anne, Cathedral Square, the Presidential Palace and Vilnius University. Explore Gediminas Avenue, soak up the atmosphere in the UNESCO listed Old Town and enjoy panoramic views over the rooftops from Subačius Hill.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Kempinski  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*

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## Day 18 - Saturday, September 11: Vilnius

Today is at leisure to enjoy this delightful city.

The hotel is located in the very center of Vilnius Old Town, right on the Cathedral Square easy accessible to attractions within walking distance.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Kempinski  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*



**Day 19 - Sunday, September 12: Vilnius, Lithuania (EYVI)  
➔ Stockholm, Sweden (ESSB)**

**370 NM**

Fly to Stockholm.

Rich in history and tradition, more than 130 year old Grand Hotel Stockholm occupies a prime position on the city's waterfront overlooking the Royal Palace and Gamla Stan, Stockholm's old town, a timeless classic that has played a pivotal role in shaping Stockholm as the cosmopolitan city that it is today.

The hotel has borne witness to some of the world's greatest achievements. Since 1901, the Nobel Prize laureates and their families have all been guests of the Grand Hotel Stockholm and the list of royalty, heads of state and artists who have stayed is impressive.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Stockholm  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 20 - Monday, September 13: Stockholm**

Today we will go for city tour visiting the wealthy Ostermalm District, central city areas of Hotorget and Sergel Plaza and the Renaissance styled Royal Palace.

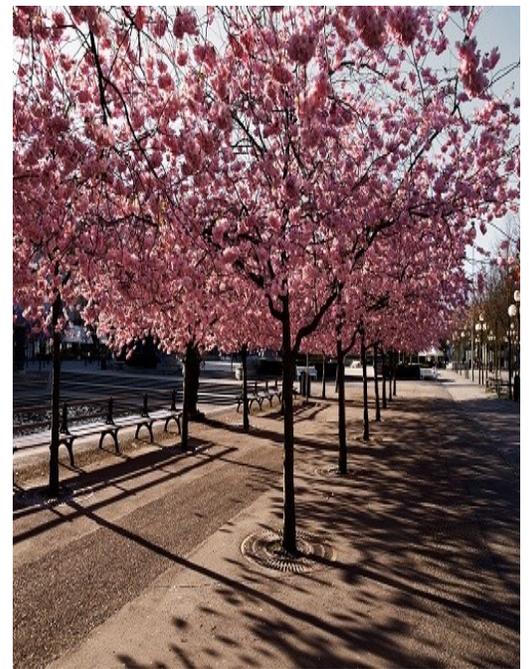
We will then explore the 18th to 20th century buildings in the Kungsholmen district including City Hall (this is where the Nobel Prize Award dinners are held every year).

Our drive then continues to the southern shore of Saltsjon island for an amazing view of the city from the top of picturesque Fjallgatan street.

Continue to Stockholm's charming Old Town, "Gamla Stan", with time to stroll along the charming cobblestoned streets.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Stockholm  
*Breakfast, Lunch and Dinner included*





**Day 21 - Tuesday, September 14: Stockholm**

Today is at leisure to relax or explore on your own.

The Grand Hotel Stockholm has been home to celebrities, grand events and ordinary life-pleasers since 1874. It was the French chef Régis Cadier who initiated the first Swedish hotel that could compete with the well-known hotels in Europe.

**Hotel:** Grand Hotel Stockholm  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*

**Day 22 - Wednesday, September 15: Stockholm (ESSB) → Stavanger, Norway (ENZV) → Reykjavik, Iceland (BIRK)  
380 NM + 845 NM**

After Breakfast and an in-depth briefing, we will launch for our over-water crossing to Iceland.

There will be a technical stop in Stavanger.

Upon arrival in Reykjavik, transfer to the Hotel Borg.

**Hotel:** Hotel Borg  
*Breakfast and Dinner included*





**Day 23 - Thursday, September 16: Reykjavik, Iceland (BIRK) ➔ Goose Bay, Canada (CYYR) ➔ Home**

**1,340 + NM**

After Breakfast and another in-depth briefing, we will fly to Goose Bay for a technical stop to refuel before flying on our separate ways as we head home.

*Breakfast included*

<b>Transatlantic Journey Distances</b>			
<b>From:</b>	<b>To:</b>	<b>ICAO Code:</b>	<b>Distance (NM):</b>
Home	Quebec City	CYQB	
Quebec City	Goose Bay	CYYR	575
Goose Bay	Reykjavik	BIRK	1,340
Reykjavik	Knock	EIKN	735
Knock	Milan	LIMC	840
Milan	Tivat	LYTV	475
Tivat	Vienna	LLOW	355
Vienna	Vilnius	EYVI	510
Vilnius	Stockholm	ESSB	370
Stockholm	Stavanger	ENZV	380
Stavanger	Reykjavik	BIRK	845
Reykjavik	Goose Bay	CYYR	1,340
Goose Bay	Home		
		<b>TOTAL NM:</b>	<b>7,765</b>

## Terms and Conditions

### Our land program includes:

- Presence of an Air Journey tour leader who will facilitate clearances, Immigration, refueling, flight planning, and provide help with any difficulty that might arise
- Accommodation based on double occupancy
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary
- Wine selected by Air Journey is included with dinner. All other beverages are not included.
- Welcome cocktail
- Round trip transfers between airport and hotel
- Tours and admission to all planned group sightseeing
- All service charges and taxes
- Customs expediting
- Customs and Immigration forms (filled by Air Journey when possible)

### Our land program does not include:

- Travel Insurance (available, call us for details)
- Airport departure taxes
- Beverages except as noted above
- Personal expenses such as laundry, room service, communication charges and other incidentals

Please note that hotel accommodations and sightseeing are subject to change due to unforeseen circumstances.

Air Journey reserves the right to amend the order of sightseeing as necessary. Every effort will be made to operate tours as planned but alterations may occur after the final itinerary has been issued.

Air Journey has quoted this itinerary with a minimum participation of 5 aircraft.

### The Registration fee includes:

- Extensive Navigation log (airports, route, frequencies, information of airspace, nav-aids, reporting points, international flight plan) tailored for each aircraft
- Flight plans and eAPIS manifest (departure and arrival) filed on your behalf
- Pilot briefing prior to each day's flight
- Weather website with constant updates showing TAF, METAR, Wind Aloft, prognostic forecast and review. Fuel availability confirmed along the route of flight
- Flight bag and collared cotton shirt for the pilot with his name, aircraft tail number embroidered on the upper front.

### Cancellation, refunds:

- **Cancellation by the client:** Is always required in writing and is subject to the following schedule of dates, whereby some or all moneys paid will be retained:
  - \* Given outside of 120 days of departure: AJ retains deposit per person and plane registration fee
  - \* Between 120 and 90 days of departure: AJ retains 50% of tour cost and plane registration fee
  - \* Between 89 and 60 days of departure: AJ retains 75% of tour cost and plane registration fee
  - \* Less than 60 days or no show of departure: AJ retains 100% of tour cost and plane registration fee
- **Cancellation by AJ:**

Should AJ cancel the tour after deposits have been received due to fewer than the minimum participants required, the full deposit will be refunded. Should AJ cancel the tour at any time due to factors beyond their control (including war, flood, force of nature, riot, civil action), they will refund the client whatever portion of moneys are reimbursed by ground operators and accommodation suppliers.

### Valid Passports are mandatory for this Journey.

\*\*Our quoted prices include planning, handling and operational charges; they are based on current rates of exchange, tariffs and taxes as of April 2020. Air Journey reserves the right to increase tour prices to cover increased costs, tariffs and taxes, and to reflect fluctuations in foreign exchange markets.

**Survival equipment** is available for rental on a daily basis and will be waiting for you at our departure point airport.. Life vests are mandatory. A life raft is recommended. Contact us for details

### Travel and Cancellation Insurance

Travel and Cancellation Insurance is strongly recommended and not included in the package but it can be purchased from Air Journey. There are varying packages available. The price is based on a person's state of residency, birth date and amount covered. Contact Anais ([561 841-1551 ext. 3](tel:5618411551)) at Air Journey for more details and to provide you with a quote.

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