

# Transatlantic Crossing

11 Day between Southampton & New York aboard  
**QUEEN MARY 2**

*A Transatlantic crossing is a legendary travel experience. The great ocean liners of the past carried passengers in an atmosphere of opulence and high style that captured the imagination of the world. Where once liners were a means of transportation between Europe and America, they had become elegant destinations unto themselves. Our 11 days Transatlantic crossing tour fly you to Southampton and board onto the grandest, most modern ocean liner, Queen Mary 2, and then cruise leisurely to New York. Southampton is the United Kingdom's premier passenger ship port. It was home to the great transatlantic liners of yesteryear. The port serves as your gateway to Southern England's magnificent historic sites, national landmarks, charming villages as well as the great metropolis of London. New York on the other hand, is one of the most populous metropolitan areas in the world. A magnet to tourism, it is also home to eight million people of every race, color, and creed.*

*As the grandest liner ever built, Queen Mary 2 carries 2,592 guests in degrees of comfort and style ranging from pampered elegance to almost unimaginable luxury. She has all of the majesty of her historic Cunard predecessors, plus a cache of amenities to suit 21st-century sensibilities. From bow to stern, discover 14 spacious decks on which to relax and unwind, to indulge in pleasures and pursuits you never normally have time for. Opulent public areas, extravagant dining rooms, ballrooms, theatres, lounges... even the world's first Planetarium at sea. But words can only do such a lady so much justice. For to truly revel in the grandeur that is Queen Mary 2, you must sail with her. Indulge in every experience Queen Mary 2 has to offer on a 7 day Transatlantic cruise between Southampton and New York.*





## Day01 KUALA LUMPUR / LONDON

Morning departure to London. Safe arrival at London in the late evening of the same calendar day. Make your own way to hotel for check-in. Noisy, vibrant and truly multicultural, London is a megalopolis of people, ideas and energy. The capital and largest city of both the United Kingdom and of England, it is also the largest city in Western Europe and the European Union. Situated on the River Thames in South-East England, Greater London has an official population of nearly 8 million people — although the figure of over 14 million for the city's total metropolitan area more accurately reflects London's size and importance. London is one of the great "world cities," and remains a global capital of arts, culture, education, fashion, finance, healthcare, tourism, politics and trade. It is the world's largest financial centre alongside New York and has the largest city GDP in Europe. It has the most international visitors of any city in the world. In 2012 London will become the first city to host the Summer Olympic Games three times.



## Day02 SOUTHAMPTON / CRUISE (B)

Early morning after having breakfast at hotel, make your own way to Southampton cruise port for your cruise embarkation at noon. Southampton is located on the south coast of England and just over an hour away from London by car. There are also regular trains from London to Southampton Central. Southampton served as Britain's historic ocean liner gateway for the British Empire and the intense North Atlantic passenger trade to the U.S. and Canada. Today it is the UK's leading cruise port. For most cruise passengers, it's the first and/or last port on a European cruise or Atlantic crossing. A pleasant, bustling city of around a quarter of a million inhabitants, Southampton has several areas of interest, though much of its historic medieval character was destroyed during World War II. Today, it is a modern shopping destination, business center and university town with a large commercial port in addition to its year-round cruise operations. Home to a number of numerous innovative art galleries, such as the City Art Gallery and the Millais Gallery, the

city also has a number of theatres which have hosted West End shows in the past.

## Day03 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

Prior to the 19th century, transatlantic crossings across the Atlantic Ocean between the Americas and Europe were undertaken in sailing ships, which was a time consuming and often perilous journey. Transatlantic crossings became faster, safer, and more reliable with the advent of steamships. Grand ocean liners began making regularly scheduled crossings, and soon it became a symbol of national and company status to build the largest, fastest, and most luxurious ocean liner for transatlantic crossings. Transatlantic crossings through water are still slow compared to aircraft crossings, taking anywhere between one week and several months to complete.



## Day04 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

QM2 is a transatlantic ocean liner. She was the first major ocean liner built since Queen Elizabeth 2 in 1969, the vessel she succeeded as flagship of the Cunard Line. The ship was named by Queen Elizabeth II in 2004 after the first Queen Mary, completed in 1936. Queen Mary was in turn named after Mary of Teck, consort of King George V. With the retirement of Queen Elizabeth 2 from active duty in 2008, QM2 is currently the only transatlantic ocean liner in operation as a liner, although the ship is often used for cruising, including an annual world cruise. At the time of her construction in 2003 by Chantiers de l'Atlantique, QM2 was the longest, widest and tallest passenger ship ever built, and with her gross tonnage (GT) of 151,400 tons, was also the largest. She no longer holds this distinction after the construction of Royal Caribbean International's 225,282 GT Oasis of the Seas in October 2009. However, QM2 remains the largest ocean liner (as opposed to cruise ship) ever built.

## Day05 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

QM2 boasts 14 spacious decks with sweeping staircases and magnificent public rooms - such as the grand Royal Court Theatre or the full beam Britannia Restaurant - furnished in a timeless British style. The ship contains 1,310 cabins including the majestic two-tiered Queen Suites with commanding views over the ship's prow. Guests are catered for impeccably by a total crew of 1,254 people. The ship is essentially a floating city in terms of its size and facilities. Entertainment is easily derived from the QM2's many swimming pools, lounges, shops and gaming tables. Health and relaxation can be obtained from it's fitness centres, steam rooms, massage parlours and sports facilities. Even art and education are accounted for with stunning live performances at the Royal Court Theatre and engaging guest speakers with Cunards Insight Programme. In conclusion QM2 offers voyages of unparalleled style and sophistication.

## Day06 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

You can expect to find rich furnishings, exquisite traditional décor and premium amenities such as a fluffy bathrobe and slippers in your accommodations aboard QM2. You can receive and send e-mails,



chose from dozens of movies, review a seminar you might have missed or sign up for shore excursions - right from the comfort of your stateroom through the interactive television. QM2's blend of grand elegance and innovative technology is re-interpreted on a quieter, more personal scale in these beautiful sanctuaries by the sea. Nearly 80% of staterooms have ocean views and over 94% of these feature spacious balconies.



### Day07 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

Dining has always been the premier event of any Cunard voyage, a gustatory celebration where superb culinary creations are proudly served by waiters trained in the fine art of Cunard White Star Service. Clearly, lavish dining is the centerpiece of the QM2 experience, as well - with vastly expanded menus and venues. There are a team of outstanding chefs and 10 dining venues in all, including the innovative Mediterranean cuisine of the Todd English restaurant. As with the custom of ocean liners in the past, each QM2 stateroom is matched with a reserved table at a sea-view restaurant, complemented by the largest wine selection afloat. Of course, you can always make reservations at one of the many optional dining alternatives. Or don't dine out - dine in! Room service is available 24 hours a day.

### Day08 CRUISING THE ATLANTIC OCEAN

With a passenger capacity of 2,620, QM2's sheer size allows the creation of a variety of passenger spaces. This in turn allows for a world of diversity. Athletes will find one of the best-equipped playing fields anywhere. Sybarites can enjoy the rejuvenating treatments of the world-renowned Canyon Ranch SpaClub. If you're into health and fitness, there's a state-of-the-art gym including a separate weight room. Or how about a visit to the planetarium? A wine tasting seminar? Or a walk down history lane at the Maritime Quest Exhibit? QM2's is a veritable City at Sea, with everything from virtual reality golf, a basketball court to a book shop. When the stars come out, she shines even brighter. Beaded gowns. Black ties and tails. Champagne and caviar. QM2 plays host to the most elegant soirees of the season - in any season. Dancers sweep across the largest ballroom at sea. Hors d'oeuvres are served in Sir Samuel's wine bar, jazz in the Commodore Club, West End-caliber shows in the Royal Court Theatre. Spin over to the casino with its tuxedoed croupiers. Head down to the G32 disco, or retire to the Chart Room where a cabaret singer croons Some Enchanted Evening... which, you'll discover, occurs nightly aboard QM2.

### Day09 NEW YORK

Today, your cruise liner arrives at New York in the afternoon. After your leisure lunch, disembark and make your own way to your hotel. The rest of the day is free at leisure. The state of New York is known as the Empire State, and with good reason. As one of the original thirteen colonies that formed the United States, it has long been counted among the most populous and most influential states. New York is a state of superlatives. Of course everyone knows the most celebrated city in the world, New York City. With a population of over 8.9 million people, New York City is the most populous city in the United States. This big, bustling, frenetically paced city has earned itself two nicknames - 'the Big Apple', and 'the city that never sleeps at night'. New York City is a center for media, culture, food, fashion, art, research, finance, and trade. It has one of the largest and most famous skylines on earth, dominated by the iconic Empire State Building.



### Day10 NEW YORK (B) Breakfast at hotel.

Full day at leisure to enjoy any optional tour or just explore this awe-inspiring city on your own pace. A busy sightseeing day in New York could start off with the Statue of Liberty and Ellis Island. The Statue was a gift from France in 1886 - it was the first sight of the USA for the many million immigrants who arrived from Europe. The museum at Ellis Island tells the story of the immigrants poignantly. Next would be a visit to the Empire State Building, New York's most famous skyscraper. The viewing gallery on the top floor gives breathtaking views across the city and Hudson Bay. Follow this with a relaxing stroll through Central Park - an oasis of greenery amongst the concrete and tarmac. In the evening, take in one of the many brilliant Broadway shows for some wonderful entertainment. New York City is certainly a premier travel destination, but the state is so much more than just one famous metropolis. Go beyond the concrete canyons of Manhattan and you'll find a large state with a variety of attractions. From the magnificent Niagara Falls, to the farms and wineries of the Finger Lakes; from the untamed wilderness of the Adirondacks, to the large and small cities scattered throughout the state; every corner of New York has something you can't find anywhere else.

### Day11 NEW YORK / KUALA LUMPUR

Early morning after breakfast make your own way to the New York International Airport for your flight home. Late evening safe arrival at KLIA, tour ends, good bye.

<b>Fly Cruise Package Fare</b>	
Britannia Inside	RM 9,753
Britannia Oceanview	RM 9,753
Britannia Balcony	RM 10,496
3rd & 4th Passengers	RM 7,374
<b>Total A</b>	RM
Airport Taxes	RM 845
Seaport Taxes	RM 128
Cruise Tipping/Gratuities	To be paid onboard (USD 11 per person per day)
<b>Total B</b>	RM 973
<b>Total A + B</b>	<b>RM</b>
<b>Departure Date: 11 December 2011</b>	
<b>02 January 2012</b>	

\*Airfare is subject to change when final reservation is made

### **TERMS & CONSIONIONS**

#### **DEPOSIT**

A non refundable deposit of RM 500 per person is required to secure a reservation. Balance payment to be settled 45 days prior to tour departure.

#### **TOUR FARE INCLUDES**

- Round trip economy class travel air passage.
- Hotel accommodation based on twin sharing basis.
- Meals as indicated in the itinerary.

#### **TOUR FARE EXCLUDES**

All transportation/transfers in London, Southampton and New York; Travel insurance, passport, visa fees, cigarettes, wine, mineral water, laundry, telephone, telex, faxes, or any items of purely personal, excess baggage, optional tours, airport taxes other than specified.

#### **PERSON TRAVELLING ALONE**

If clients are to share a room, every effort will be made to assign for such accommodation. However, if this is not possible, client will have to pay for a single room supplement.

#### **CANCELLATION CHARGES**

In the event that you cancel your booking and notice is to received by Travelsight in writing, the following cancellation fees will apply:-

- 45 days prior - Deposit
- Less than 45days - 50% tour fare levied
- Less than 30days - 100% tour fare levied

#### **PASSPORT & VISA**

Please ensure you posses a current passport with a minimum validity of six months from the date of departure and covering your returning date. Travelsight will assist clients in all possible ways to obtain visas as required by the visiting countries. Passenger(s) holding certificate of identity or foreign passport are advised to check for any visa requirement.

#### **VARIATION**

Hotels – Hotels described in this brochure are those contracted by organizer. However, on rare occasions, it may by necessary to substitute accommodations from that which is listed. On these circumstances, our policy is to offer accommodations similar or superior standard, though no liability can be accepted for any variation in standard.

#### **TOUR FARE & TERMS OF PAYMENT**

Sightseeing programme, flight schedule and itinerary are subject to change or adjustment due to currency fluctuation or airlines' fare increase; Terms of payments by CASH or local cheque only.

#### **PARTIAL/UNUTILISED SERVICES**

No refund will be made for any services, meals, transfers, accommodations, etc, that are not utilized.

#### **DEVIATIONS**

Extension of stay at the last destination is subject to airline's approval, if permitted, the request must be made prior to departure and is subject to flight's availability, flight class and deviation charges by the airline.

#### **BAGGAGE**

Every passenger is allowed a piece of hand luggage on board not exceeding a measurement of 56cm x 30cm x 18cm (maximum weight – 5kgs).

#### **FREE BAGGAGE ALLOWANCE**

Each passenger is allowed only one single piece of check luggage. Free baggage allowance guidelines are as follows:

- First class - 40kilos
- Business class - 30kilos
- Economy class - 20kilos

The baggage allowance will also vary according to the vessel type.

#### **INSURANCE**

Travel insurance is excluded, however are available at a small cost, the coverage includes travel delay, lost baggage, personal accident, medical expenses and etc.

#### **RESPONSIBILITY**

**TRAVELSIGHT (M) SDN BHD** and/or its associated agents, act only as agents for the transportation's companies, hotel contractors and other principal. As such, all tickets, vouchers and documents are issued subject to terms and conditions under which the services are provided. They assume no responsibility for injury, damage, accident, loss, delay or irregularities that may be caused to person or property. Each person participating in any ride or activities during the trip or holiday shall be regarded in every respect as carrying his/her own risk.

**TRAVELSIGHT (M) SDN BHD** and/or its associated gents shall not be held responsible to any person as a result of the following:-

1. Additional expenses for changes in itinerary due to flight delays, weather conditions, war, strike, quarantine, local conditions beyond our control.
2. Additional expenses due to refusal entry, deportation, sickness, compassionate ground, loss of travel documents or other personal reasons.
3. Damages or loss of baggage, personal effects or accident. It is the responsibility of the passengers to effect insurance.
4. Deportation or refusal of entry of tour members by Immigration Authorities resulting from the possession of unlawful items of holding improper travel documents or other causes or whose behavior and activities are considered as subversive by the foreign government concerned.

**TRAVELSIGHT (M) SDN BHD** reserved the right to require any individual to withdraw from the tour if it is deemed that his/her act or conduct is detrimental to or incompatible with the interest, harmony and welfare of other passengers and the tour as a whole. **Travelsight (M) Sdn Bhd** shall be notwithstanding the place or country in which a cause of action/s shall at all times be commenced within the Jurisdiction and territory of Malaysia.