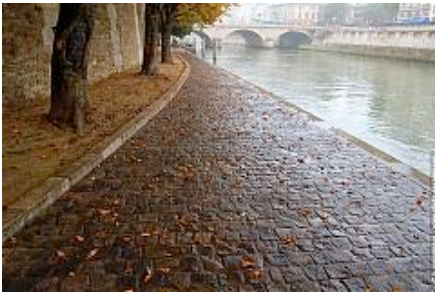


**OPTIONAL PRE-JOURNEY EXTENSION TO PARIS**  
**May 26-29, 2011**  
**Cost: \$890**

Please join us for an optional three day pre-journey to explore the timeless beauty of Paris in the springtime. Called the City of Light for centuries and known to be



one of the most beautiful cities in the world, it has also been recognized as one of the most romantic. Our journey will offer different levels of experiences, including a walk along the timeless path that parallels the Seine, a magical river, that for thousands of years, has been an inspiration for love, not only between lovers, but for artists, who have expressed their passionate creativity and from which have come numerous paintings and poetry.



We will explore several powerful churches and cathedrals, which include: Notre Dame, Saint Sulpice, La Madeleine and Chartres, that are each linked to the mysteries of the ancient feminine. We will sit in the presence of several Black Madonnas and learn about the history and legacy of Chartres Cathedral as

we navigate its famous *Labyrinth*. The pyramid in the courtyard of the *Louvre*, calls our attentions to its mystical presence, when we arrive to see some of the



well-known paintings and historical artifacts displayed here from around the world.

There are connections between several of these churches and the *Rennes Le Château* mysteries, as with *St. Sulpice Church*. When the *Abbe Sauniere* found some coded documents, while renovating the *Magdalene Church* in the late 1890s in *Rennes Le Château*, he took them to someone at the *St. Sulpice Church* to have them decoded. *Dan Brown* suggests, in *The DaVinci Code*, that it was to the *Priory of Sion*, who had their headquarters there and that it was they, with whom *Sauniere* met. Also, the famous “*Rose Line*” is marked in the *Saint Sulpice Church* and known to travel down into the *Rennes Le Château* area.



During our three-day journey we will experience not only the beauty and history of *Paris*, but much of its mystery and magic. It is a city that most remember in their heart, because it has brought passion and a new feeling of inspiration into their lives.

## ITINERARY

### *Day 1, May 26*

*We will meet everyone at the airport, arriving from the US in the morning, and go to our Paris hotel. After resting a little, we will walk around our lovely Latinquarter area, so beautiful and luring with all its history.*

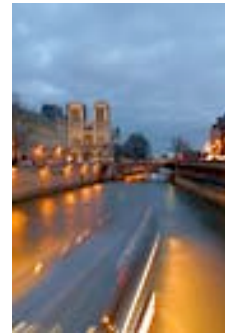
*There are many well-known churches in this small area, reminding us of our ancient past. Places known*



*to carry legacies of famous alchemists are nearby, reminding us of those who explored the eternal secrets of immortality.*

*(Maybe Harry Potter will walk out of one of the nearby medieval walls).*

*As we walk the romantic path along the Seine, the Notre Dame Cathedral stands out against the skyline. Once, near where it is today, on the Ile-de-la-Cite, the early Celts had established a small fishing village from which Paris then spiraled out, with the first arrondissement, in a circular pattern, to become the city it is today. As we gain a deeper understanding of the church site's past, we recognize*



that the Romans had once built a temple to Jupiter here. Legends have said that there is a statue of the Black Madonna here, hidden in the Cathedral which is connected to Isis. Some believe that Paris was named for her, Par= by, Is=Isis, thus By Isis.

The construction of the Notre Dame we know today,



began in 1163 and was completed in 1345, taking 180 years to be built. It claims much history, including the crowning of kings and queens, as well as housing the actual Crown of Thorns, during its early construction.

We will enjoy the beautiful stained glass windows and the awesome Gothic arches inside, as well as the telling of the many biblical stories encased in the statues and in the stained glass windows.

We will have lunch and dinner in the nearby area.

Bed will be early to catch up from long flights. We will stay in this hotel for our three nights here.



### *Day 2, May 27*

*Breakfast. We will get up early so we can catch the train to Chartres Cathedral, where we will spend the day. It is*

*important to be here by noon, to walk the labyrinth.*

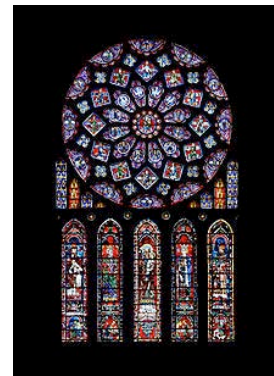
*As we explore the ancient wisdom and mystery of the*

*labyrinth, it is important to first set an intention.*



*Walking within it, in this timeless ritual, allows us a life-changing opportunity; what we intend will come into our life.*

*Chartres is rich with historical significance and esoteric secrets, and considered to be the finest example in the world of a Gothic style Cathedral. It has the most exquisite examples of medieval stained glass that can be found anywhere, with blues that have never been duplicated.*



*Built between 1193 and 1250 on a site that was one of at least five that had occupied the area since the 4<sup>th</sup> Century, the telluric earth currents were known to be at their highest here, and were recognized even in Druidic times. For this reason, it is the only Cathedral where no king, bishop, cardinal, canon or anyone was ever buried or interred here.*

*Originally, Chartres was a site dedicated to the Mother Goddess, where pilgrims came long before Jesus' time, and where the original altar was built above a Druidic Grotto that housed an ancient dolmen, identified as the "Womb of the Earth". It was*

*known to be the Chamber of the Black Virgin (Black Madonna), about to give birth to a child.*



*Surprisingly, the famous “Sancta Camisa”, the tunic worn by Mother Mary while birthing Jesus, is also located here, where it has been since the 4<sup>th</sup> century.*

*Thus, the Cathedral has been dedicated to a theme of birthing and renewal since its inception, hosting over 400 images of the Feminine found on the walls and in the windows, almost all of which depict some act of birthing.*

*Chartres has been recognized as a spiritual center for the mysteries of healing, birth and the Divine feminine since the Druids first consecrated the site 3000 years ago and has also been the location of an ancient mystery school.*

*We will gracefully experience the beautiful stained glass windows, the famous Gothic designs of the architecture here, walk the labyrinth and sit with the Black Madonna. Some people have reported feeling inches taller as they leave, knowing that the special energies experienced within the Cathedral, have not only altered their perception on life, but their actual body height.*

We will take the train back to our hotel in Paris where we will have dinner.

### *Day 3, May 28*

*Breakfast. As we begin our third day in Paris, we will*



*gather to catch up before visiting St.*

*Sulpice, the second largest church in*

*Paris, slightly smaller than Notre*

*Dame. It once served as a Temple of*

*Victory and curiously, there is still a*

*sign over the door saying, “The people*

*of France recognize the supreme being and the*

*immortality of the soul”. It is unknown who placed*

*this sign here or why it is still here.*

*We will experience the copper floor*

*symbols, which are meridians marking*

*something, perhaps the Rose Line.*

*Some researchers have discovered that*

*St. Sulpice was built on the foundation*

*of an earlier Temple of Isis and when Jean-Jaques*

*Olier founded the new church building in 1645, he had*

*designed it according to the Golden Mean, which is*

*very important in understanding sacred geometry.*

*This same location was known to have served as*

*headquarters for a mysterious 17<sup>th</sup> century secret*



*society, said to possibly be a front for the Priory of Sion.*

*There is much intrigue in these mysterious churches and their sacred locations, but as we each experience the energies and assess them for ourselves, it is our choice what we wish to believe and what resonates more authentically in our hearts.*



*After lunch we will visit L'Église de la Madeleine, first consecrated in 1182 to Mary Magdalene in an earlier form by the Bishop Maurice de Sully, and later modeled as a Temple to honor Napoleon's troops.*

*After various changes to the design, it became a building resembling the Roman Pantheon and again dedicated to Magdalene by King Louis XVIII.*

*Today we experience the church filled with powerful Magdalene statues within it. One especially shows her being lifted up by angels - the way she was said to have died in the Grotto of St. Baume,*



*which evokes the ecstasy she reportedly experienced often, in her daily prayer while in seclusion.*

*This church is filled with powerful magnetic energies and we will learn much from the legacy of the Magdalene that is so present here.*



For the rest of the afternoon, on our last day in Paris, we will have free time. Some of us will continue and make our last visit to the Louvre Museum, to stand in the presence of many treasures of art. There is an enormous pyramid at the entrance to the museum, with the point facing down toward the Earth, to suggest that it is perhaps marking another energetic place.



Since it feels magnetic, it may easily be showing us yet another feminine portal and an ongoing invitation into the enigmatic mysteries of Paris.



Then, we will join together on our last evening, to have a peaceful dinner before packing and getting ready to depart the following morning for Toulouse, ready to enjoy our longer journey and to meet our friends.

### *Day 4, May 29*

Breakfast. Depart for Toulouse to meet others on the *Awaken to the Holy Grail Mysteries* journey, beginning on May 29th.

**TOUR LOGISTICS**  
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**Tour Includes**

- All B&B accommodations based on double occupancy, includes French traditional breakfast.  
(Single room supplement if available, \$250)
- Train fare to and from Chartres and any entry fees
- Guidance of Nancy Safford

**Tour Does Not Include**

Airfare to and from the US

Transportation to and from the airport to the hotel

Lunch and Dinner in Paris (breakfast included)

Any purchase of personal items

**Deposits And Payments**

Your immediate **deposit of \$300 is due immediately to secure your place**. The first installment of the remaining balance of **\$450 is due by Feb 15, 2011**. The final balance of **\$100 is due by April 1, 2011**. Payments can be made by cashiers check or personal check (you can ask about credit card payments). **Payments are made payable to: Nancy Safford, and mailed to Fran Clarke, 200 W. University Ave., Lafayette, LA 70506.**

**Cancellation Policy**

Cancellations made 30 days prior to departure will receive a 50% refund of amount paid, *not including* initial non-refundable deposit of \$300 used to secure lodging. No refunds will be made on later cancellations unless someone on the waiting list fills one's spot. If anyone determines that she/he cannot make the trip, please let us know immediately.

**Flight Arrangements**

**You are responsible for making your own travel arrangements to France**, meeting us at the determined hotel – or the airport (information about this will be forth coming). Departure from the US is on May 25<sup>th</sup>, that is, you arrive in Paris on May 26<sup>th</sup>. You must arrive at the airport by 10 AM on May 26, 2011, if you wish to join us for the first tour site in Paris.

Otherwise you will be free to enjoy Paris on your own, joining the group later when we return to the hotel.

### **Travel Documents**

Valid passport plus a Xerox copy to take with you in case passport is lost.

### **Baggage and clothing**

**One small piece of luggage, plus one carry-on only. Max. Size (to try and keep to if possible): 24" x 13" x 10" – preferably with wheels. No large baggage – if possible –so we can fit everyone's in the van .**

\* You will be responsible for carrying your own bags often up stairs to the second or third level accommodations and after eleven days, you will be thankful that you packed light!.

\* A backpack is useful for daytrips.

\*Wear comfortable walking shoes and layered clothing, including a jacket and sweater for morning and evenings. In May/June it is usually warm, but cool in the mornings and evenings. Include a lightweight rain proof poncho or an umbrella.

***Registration Form***  
***Optional Pre-Journey To Paris***  
***May 26 – 29, 2011***

**A separate Registration Form is required for this extension trip to Paris. Please fill out the following information and sign and return as soon as possible. Acceptance of all conditions of the *Tour Responsibility Waiver* and the two *Tour Logistics Pages* is confirmed by your dated signature on this form.**

**Name as it appears on  
passport** \_\_\_\_\_

**Passport  
number** \_\_\_\_\_

**Date and place of  
issue** \_\_\_\_\_

**Name you wish to be  
called** \_\_\_\_\_

**Mailing  
address** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Work phone** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email** \_\_\_\_\_

**Website** \_\_\_\_\_

**Occupation** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth date (month, day, year-  
optional)** \_\_\_\_\_

**Birth time and place** \_\_\_\_\_

**In case of emergency notify** \_\_\_\_\_

**Phone** \_\_\_\_\_ **Relationship** \_\_\_\_\_

**Please do not forget to write – Any Special dietary and Health needs** \_\_\_\_\_

**Roommate preference** \_\_\_\_\_

**Single Supplement: Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

**(Single Supplement when available is \$250)**

**Deposit check included:**  
**Yes** \_\_\_\_\_ **No** \_\_\_\_\_

**Bank and No. of check:** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*I have read the Tour Logistics/Tour Responsibility pages and agree to the conditions:**

**Signed** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date** \_\_\_\_\_

**\*\*Please make payments to: Nancy Safford, and send them with the completed forms to:**

**Fran Clarke  
200 W. University Ave.  
Lafayette, LA. 70506**

**Fran Tel: 337 662-3575 or 337 258-6846**

**To Contact Nancy: use cell 928 300-1293, voice mail: 928 204-5753**

***TOUR RESPONSIBILITY WAIVER***  
***Optional Pre-Journey Extension to Paris***  
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Our Journeys are of the greatest integrity, heart and intentions. The following waiver content does not reflect the tone of the journeys, but it is necessary to state in case of possible rare occurrences.

The Primary Agents, Nancy Safford and Fran Clarke act only in the capacity as an agent for the passengers in all matters connected with lodging accommodations, sight-seeing tours and land transportation in France and shall not be responsible or liable for any injury, loss, accident, health impairment, delay, irregularity or incident resulting from strikes, weather, fuel outages, government regulations or Acts of God. Nor shall they be responsible for any act or omission of any individual or organization providing the transportation, services or accommodations in connection with this journey, nor any delay or expense incurred due to disruption or revision of schedules, not for any cause beyond its control.

Nancy Safford and Fran Clarke retain the right to withdraw a tour or decline to accept any person as a member of the tour or make changes in the published itinerary whenever in sole judgment of conditions warrant or if they deem it necessary for the comfort, convenience or safety of the passengers.

All prices are based on tariffs and exchange rates in effect January 2011 and are subject to change in event of an adjustment therein. If costs do fluctuate due to circumstances beyond our control, we reserve the right to alter our quoted price to you, asking for a supplement.

The Primary Agent is not responsible should a presenter advertised as attending or presenting, during the tour, cancel for any reason. The Primary Agent is not responsible for any physical, emotional reaction or trauma or ailment, during the tour or occurring after the tour.

**Acceptance of all conditions of this Tour Responsibility Waiver and the two Tour Logistics Pages is confirmed by your dated signature on the Registration Form.**

**Our intention for the *Optional Pre-Extension Journey to Paris, May 26-29, 2011* is to serve the highest good and to increase heart openings and blessings for all.  
Welcome.**