

CHRISTMAS & NEW YEAR SUNSHINE CRUISE

DEPARTS 21 DECEMBER 2008 FROM £999

YOUR CRUISE INCLUDES

- 14 nights' accommodation on board MV Van Gogh
- En suite cabin with facilities including air conditioning and colour television
- Visits to 7 superb ports of call
- Breakfast, lunch, afternoon tea, dinner and late night snacks on board
- Live West End-style entertainment
- The services of the ship's friendly English speaking crew and team of Travelscope staff



New Year Fireworks, Funchal



Morocco



Mount Teide, Tenerife



Shopping in Madeira



Get away from the British weather and celebrate Christmas and New Year while cruising around Portugal, Gibraltar, Madeira, North Africa and the sunny Canary Islands. Celebrate in style with a traditional five-course Christmas lunch with all the trimmings on Christmas Day, before enjoying Madeira's world-famous firework display on New Year's Eve.

VIGO, SPAIN

The attractive seaport of Vigo is situated on the shores of Vigo Bay, a spectacular Galician fjord extending 18 miles inland into picturesque country.

GIBRALTAR

Wholly British and almost always bathed in sunshine, Gibraltar is an ideal destination to visit at any time of the year. On Christmas Eve we've even arranged a special carol service on board, while on

Christmas day there will be a Christmas Service and a visit from Santa Claus.

Please note: all shops are closed in Gibraltar on Christmas Day.

CASABLANCA, MOROCCO

Casablanca is a legendary Moroccan city offering a cosmopolitan combination of ancient and modern. Enjoy a truly exotic Boxing Day: browse the vibrant bazaars; explore the labyrinth of white-washed stone alleyways along the Old Medina, head to the beachfront promenade, or admire the unique Hassan II Mosque.

ARRECIFE, LANZAROTE, CANARY ISLANDS

On to the dazzling Canary Islands capital, Arrecife. Perhaps visit the local beach, or the salt water lagoon surrounded by fishermen's houses. An optional tour to Timanfaya National Park gives you the perfect opportunity to experience a live volcano.

LAS PALMAS, GRAN CANARIA, CANARY ISLANDS

Deserts, beaches, mountains and valleys: welcome to Gran Canaria. Our port of call here is Las Palmas,

a town of great historical and cultural interest, with highlights including the Cathedral Santa Ana and the Museo Canario. Las Palmas is also within easy reach of the famous Playa del Inglés beach.

SANTA CRUZ, TENERIFE, CANARY ISLANDS

Largest of the seven sun-kissed Canary Islands, the beautiful volcanic isle of Tenerife is blessed with a dry, warm climate all year round and boasts richly varied scenery ranging from lush greenery to rugged mountains. Here we offer an optional excursion to the island's huge volcano, Mount Teide, Spain's highest mountain.

FUNCHAL, MADEIRA

Blessed by a climate that's almost perfect all year round, this sub-tropical paradise island is an year round holiday destination. During your time in Funchal you will welcome in 2009 in style with a special dinner and New Year's Eve party night on board. You will also be able to admire the island's spectacular firework display, as the sky becomes illuminated with fireworks set off from 50 points.

EXCURSION IDEAS

A taste of things to come, our sample 'Going Ashore' excursions highlight the most popular things to do on this cruise. Final excursion and booking details will be posted to you approximately eight weeks prior to departure. The excursions shown below are for guidance only.

Santiago de Compostela, Vigo, Spain
City tour & Grand Hassan II Mosque, Casablanca, Morocco
Fire Mountain, Arrecife, Lanzarote
Mount Tejedra, Las Palmas, Gran Canaria
Mount Teide, Santa Cruz, Tenerife
Loro Parque, Santa Cruz, Tenerife
Toboggan tour, Funchal, Madiera
Eiro de Serrado & Picos dos Barcelos, Funchal, Madiera

FROM FALMOUTH

15 days from £999

DEPARTURE DATE

21 December 2008

DAY	PORT	ARR	DEP
1	Falmouth, UK		1700
2	Cruising at Sea		
3	Vigo, Spain	0700	1200
4	Gibraltar	2230	
5	Gibraltar - Christmas Day		1900
6	Casablanca, Morocco - Boxing Day	0800	2200

DAY	PORT	ARR	DEP
7	Cruising at Sea		
8	Arrecife, Lanzarote, Canary Islands	0800	2330
9	Las Palmas, Gran Canaria, Canary Islands	0800	0300
10	Santa Cruz, Tenerife, Canary Islands	0800	1800
11	Funchal, Madeira - New Year's Eve	1200	0100
12	Cruising at Sea - New Year's Day		
13-14	Cruising at Sea		
15	Falmouth, UK	0800	

CRUISE CODE: 8XNF

PRICES PER PERSON

CABIN GRADE (please see page 47 for full cabin descriptions)

	SUITES	SUPERIOR/CLASSIC OUTSIDE					OUTSIDE TWIN		INSIDE TWIN		INSIDE THREE/FOUR BERTH	INSIDE THREE/FOUR BERTH	SINGLE OUTSIDE	ADDITIONAL OCCUPANCY		
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12	7	3RD	3RD & 4TH	
8XNF	£2599	£2299	£2099	£1999	£1849	£1649	£1549	£1499	£1399	£1299	£1199	£1099	£999	£2329	£949	£899
DEPOSIT: Per person, is the higher of £250 or 10% of the total basic price of your holiday (excluding insurance). INSURANCE: ADULT (up to 64yrs) £65.90 ADULT (65yrs & over) £98.90 CHILD (2-11 yrs) £32.95																