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# Black Sea, Italy & Turkey FAM

12-day/11-nt Cruise from **\$799\*** visiting Italy, Ukraine, Greece & Turkey

Genoa to Genoa, Italy · Companions Welcome · KIDS FREE\*

## INDEPENDENT CRUISE FAM INCLUDES:

- ≈ 11 nights run-of-ship cruise accommodations (guaranteed inside or oceanview, as purchased)
- ≈ Welcome cocktail party
- ≈ All meals and snacks onboard
- ≈ Captain's cocktail party & dinner
- ≈ Live entertainment nightly
- ≈ Educational talks of each port with maps
- ≈ Worry-free, Any-reason cancellation waiver up to 30-days prior to departure

**FREE UPGRADE**  
Inside to OV  
Deposit by  
Dec. 31, 2011



Yalta, Ukraine



Sorrento, Italy



MSC Melody  
1062 passengers; 35,143 tons  
Formerly: Home Line Atlantic

## BLACK SEA CRUISE — 12 DAY/ 11 NIGHTS

DATE: **March 31-April 11, 2012**

	ITINERARY	ARRIVE	DEPART
Day 1	Genoa, Italy		6:00 PM
Day 2	Civitavecchia (Rome), Italy	7:00 AM	4:00 PM
Day 3	Relaxing day at sea	-	-
Day 4	Piraeus (Athens), Greece	2:30 PM	7:30 PM
Day 5	Day at sea	-	-
Day 6	Yalta, Ukraine	12:30 PM	5:00 PM
Day 7	Odessa, Ukraine	7:00 AM	12:30 PM
Day 8	Istanbul, Turkey	9:00 AM	4:00 PM
Day 9	Day at sea	-	-
Day 10	Messina, Sicily	2:30 PM	7:30 PM
Day 11	Sorrento, Italy	8:00 AM	1:00 PM
Day 12	Genoa, Italy	10:00 AM	

## TRAVEL AGENT FAM RATES\* per person/dbl occ.

Companions welcome-add \$100 to agent rates

\$799 inside (140 sq.ft)

\$989 oceanview (194 sq.ft)

\$1,299 ov mini-suite (194 sq.ft-5th bed available)

\*Additional per person port taxes: \$249

3rd/4th/5th adult in room: \$499 + tax • Singles +90%

CHILDREN 17yrs & under in room w/2 adults: FREE + tax



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## BLACK SEA, ITALY & TURKEY CRUISE FAM • PORTS OF CALL

### CIVITAVECCHIA (ROME), ITALY

It is not far from the port to the imposing ancient city of Rome, incomparable in terms of monuments, gardens, villas, and works of art: to name but a few, the Coliseum, St Peter's Basilica, ancient Ostia with the famous mosaics in the Baths of Neptune, the Temple of Roma and Augustus and the Forum with the remains of the Capitolium, the most important temple of Ancient Rome.

### GENOA, ITALY

A major commercial center. Its history dates back to 218 BC. Today, the old town boasts narrow, busy streets with a typical Mediterranean ambience.

### ISTANBUL, TURKEY

As you approach Istanbul from the sea, the graceful minarets of countless mosques appear on the horizon and the call to prayer carries over the water. Istanbul's blend of East and West has some of the most magnificent architecture in the world.

### MESSINA (TAORMINA), SICILY

Messina's 3,000-year history is full of disasters; a terrible earthquake wrecked the city in 1908 and killed some 60,000 people. When the city was rebuilt, focus was on being a pleasant, open townscape.

### ODESSA, UKRAINE

Cosmopolitan Odessa, the largest port on the Black Sea, doubles as an industrial area and as a thriving resort with beaches, special saline baths and a mild climate. Once the playground of Russian royalty and the home to famous writers, Odessa retains a vital role as a major cultural center. Past historical events

include the revolutionary activities of 1905, which had the support of the mutinous battleship Potemkin. After WWII, Odessa was proclaimed the "Hero City." Fortunately, many of the 19th-century French-style buildings survived the devastation.

### PIRAEUS (ATHENS), GREECE

Though a busy place, it has a charm of its own. Athens, the capital of Greece, is the cradle of democracy and the birthplace of Western Civilization. Athens is a vibrant city where old and new co-exist.

### SORRENTO, ITALY

On the Amalfi Coast, south of the Bay of Naples, is one of the Mediterranean's most beautiful coasts with its lemon trees and spectacular scenery. Its most alluring town is Sorrento, high on the cliffs above the sea. The adventures possible are too numerous to elaborate. In town you can shop for fine linen, lace, wood inlaid art; or cruise to Capri, the "Island of Love".

### YALTA, UKRAINE

Yalta and its surroundings are protected on three sides by mountains, which account for the region's exceptionally mild climate and as a favored vacation destination. Here at the Golden Riviera, Russian aristocracy built their elegant summer palaces and palatial villas that rivaled those of Nice and Cannes. Noted literary greats made Yalta their home, among them Tolstoy, Chekhov and Gorky. Following the 1917 Revolution, the aristocracy was forced to relinquish their grand estates to the People. Today, the restoration of many of the palaces has returned them to their former glory, making them popular attractions for visitors.



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**Companions/Children Welcome**

Tour Name \_\_\_\_\_ Trip Date \_\_\_\_\_

Agent's Passport Name \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Pax #2 Passport Name \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Pax #3 Passport Name \_\_\_\_\_ D.O.B. \_\_\_\_\_

Agency \_\_\_\_\_ Day Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

Evening Phone (\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_ Fax(\_\_\_\_) \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

#### PAYMENT CALCULATION

Cabin Category (Circle One)

**(I) INSIDE (OV) OCEANVIEW (MS) MINI-SUITE**

Agent rate \$ \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ pax \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Companion rate \$ \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ pax \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_ \$ \_\_\_\_\_ X \_\_\_\_\_ pax \$ \_\_\_\_\_

Taxes \$249 (applies to all) X \_\_\_\_\_ pax \$ \_\_\_\_\_

**TTL PAYMENT \$ \_\_\_\_\_**

**FAM BOOKING INSTRUCTIONS:** Fax or e-mail your application with a copy of your valid travel agent ID to receive an e-mail confirmation with all instructions. We must receive your deposit of \$450 per person, within 4 days after confirmation. Full payment is due no later than 78 days prior to departure, or you will be automatically cancelled for non-payment. All bookings include our cancellation waiver that allows you to cancel for any reason up to 30 days prior to departure and receive a full refund less a \$79 per person, waiver fee. In the last 30-days, the trip is 100% non-refundable.

**NOTE:** To travel you must possess a valid passport.