

# NEW ! MEDITERRANEAN SERENADE SICILY AND MALTA 2025

- Aboard the 36-cabin M/Y Variety Voyager
- Sailings May, June, July, August
- 8-day cruise, from / to Valletta



# AT A GLANCE



An 8 day- cruise program from/to Malta

A unique experience! Visit the Ggantija temples on Gozo island and Lipari in Sicily – both UNESCO World Heritage Sites, climb the active volcano of Etna and be at the places where "The Godfather" was filmed.

Highlights include:

**Valletta - Gozo island - Syracuse – Lipari – Catania**





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## DAY 1: VALLETTA, MALTA

Embarkation at the port of Valletta starts at 14:00 (Late embarkation is possible – please liaise with our reservations department).

After the VARIETY CRUISES safety drill demonstration, meet at the restaurant for our welcome cocktail & dinner. Overnight in Valletta

## DAY 2: VALLETTA - GOZO ISLAND – SYRACUSE, SICILY

In the morning, the boat leaves Valletta port. Our next destination is Malta's beloved Gozo Island famous for the Ggantija temples, a UNESCO World Heritage Site renowned as some of the oldest free-standing megalithic monuments globally, dating back 5500 years.

Enjoy a morning refreshing swim stop in the serene Maltese Waters, before your lunch on board. Early in the afternoon we arrive at Gozo Island, where you will have your afternoon free for exploration and dinner ashore. After dinner the ship leaves Gozo. Next destination is the Glorious Sicily.

Itineraries can be changed at the discretion of Variety Cruises and of the Vessel's Captain in case of adverse weather conditions - winds of 6/7 Beaufort or more depending on the vessel- on port authorities not allowing a vessel to leave port or in case of other extraordinary conditions. Such itinerary changes do not automatically entitle passengers to any refunds, but Variety Cruises guarantees that passengers are disembarked at the advertised port of disembarkation on time for their flights.

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## DAY 3: SYRACUSE – LIPARI , AEOLIAN ISLAND

We will arrive in Syracuse early in the morning.

After breakfast, **join our optional tour during which we will explore Syracuse**, known as the “White City”.

Lunch under own arrangements and Free afternoon at your own leisure.

At 7pm, we are waiting for you to enjoy our “Cocktail Demonstration” one of our most popular events. During this 1-hour demonstration, our Bar Manager will create for you, 2 signature cocktails for you and will share with you the recipes, so you can easily prepare at home. The Cocktail Demonstration is followed by our 4-course served dinner on board. Our boat leaves Syracuse at around 9pm. Next destination is the charming Lipari Island.

## DAY 4: LIPARI, AEOLIAN ISLAND

After a lazy breakfast, enjoy your day on the deck enjoying the sun and the refreshing sea breeze. Our boat will sail around Stromboli, one of the seven volcanic islands that make up the Aeolian Archipelago, off Sicily's northern coast. This UNESCO World Heritage Site reigns as one of the world's most active volcanoes, having spewed fountains of lava almost continuously for nearly 2500 years.

We anchor at Lipari Island at around at noon.

Before our included BBQ lunch on board, our chef will share with you the recipe of the Pesto a la Trapanese dip!

The afternoon is free to explore Lipari at your own leisure and enjoy your dinner ashore at your own leisure.

The boat overnights at Lipari.

## DAY 5: LIPARI - CATANIA, SICILY

After breakfast, **join our optional tour to Quattrochi Belvedere, Quattropani and the Lipari Castle**.

You will be free to enjoy your lunch at your own leisure.

At 7:30 pm join our included Wine Tasting Experience, during which you will enjoy a beautiful selection of Italian and Greek wines, preparing your palate for our 4-course served dinner on board.

## DAY 6: CATANIA, SICILY

Our boat will reach Catania early in the morning. Enjoy some moments on the deck whilst we are approaching Catania just before your breakfast.

**Embark on a captivating optional tour** through the varied landscapes of Mt Etna's southern slopes, reaching heights of 2000 meters. Wine Tasting with Lunch is included.

The afternoon is free to enjoy at your own leisure.

Tonight, you are invited to our Captain's Italian Night Dinner with delicious Italian dishes & Italian Music.

Our boat overnights in Catania



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## DAY 7: CATANIA, SICILY

The day starts with a lazy breakfast.

If you need assistance with your airport or hotel transfers, liaise with your Cruise Manager in the morning. It is best to let us have your preferred transfer time 24+ hours earlier to pre-book for you.

**Join our optional tour** during which we will explore the second largest city of Sicily, founded by the Greeks in the 8th century B.C on the foot of the highest volcano in Europe, known as the "Black City". You will have free time to explore Catania in the afternoon or enjoy your lunch ashore at your own arrangements.

At around 6pm our boat leaves Catania.

## DAY 8: VALLETTA, MALTA

We reach Valetta at 7:30 am. Enjoy a relaxing breakfast with your co-travelers. Disembarkation at 8:30 - 9am after breakfast. Your Cruise Manager will assist with your pre-booked transfers.

We look forward to welcoming you again to one of our VARIETY CRUISES around the world!

\*\*\*COMBINE OUR **MALTA TO MALTA – Mediterranean Serenade** PROGRAM WITH OUR **MALTA TO NAPLES-Sicilian Sunsets & Amalfi Delights** ITINERARY FOR A FULL TOUR OF SICILY AND A TASTE OF THE AMALFI COAST!

CONTACT US FOR SPECIAL DISCOUNTS AVAILABLE.



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From/to Valetta <b>Saturday Sailings</b>	<b>May 31</b> <b>Jul 26</b>
<b>M/Y VARIETY VOYAGER CABIN CATEGORIES</b>	GROSS EURO RATES PER PERSON IN DBL/TWIN
<b>Cat C</b> Lower Deck / Twin or Double bedded Cabins	<b>€ 3350</b>
<b>Cat B</b> Lower & Main Deck /Twin or Double bedded Cabins	<b>€ 3950</b>
<b>Cat A</b> Main Deck / Flex bedded Cabin	<b>€ 4700</b>
<b>Cat P</b> Upper Deck / Flex bedded Cabin	<b>€ 5550</b>
<b>Owner's Suite</b> Upper Deck / Flex bedded Cabin	<b>€ 6550</b>
<b>SINGLE SUPPLEMENT</b>	<b>60% in Cat. A, B and C / 75% in Cat. P, OS</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> person discount in Cat P & B	<b>30%</b>
<i>"Children policy/Family offer as below*"</i>	
<b>Port Charges</b>	<b>€ 490</b>



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## A/ What's INCLUDED:

- Accommodation in double or twin cabins with private SH/WC & air conditioning
- Half-board: Buffet breakfast and 1 meal daily, including a Welcome Cocktail, a Captain's Italian Night dinner, fun BBQ (weather permitting).
- Regular (filter) coffee, tea and drinking water free all day
- Use of fishing and snorkelling equipment (subject to availability)
- English-Speaking Cruise Escort

### Not included:

- Beverages (except those mentioned above)
- Shore excursions on the islands or other land arrangements
- Crew tips
- Passenger personal expenses
- Wi-Fi (Satellite Internet available at charge)

### **\* Children Policy**

Children discounts apply to children 5-17 years old, sharing a triple cabin with two paying adults. Port taxes are not discounted.

Children 5-10 years old: 50% discount on the gross per person twin cabin fares

Children 11-17 years old: 35% discount on the gross per person twin cabin fares

In case of more than one cabin, full adult rates apply.

### **\* FAMILY OFFER**

- SINGLE parent with 1 or max 2 children in same cabin: The parent pays Single cruise fare & children cruise for FREE
- COUPLE with 1 child sharing the same cabin: No charge for the child up to 10 years old 50% reduction for the child 11-17 years old
- COUPLE with 2 or 3 (regardless of age) children: Both cabins will be charged at Single rate (single adult rate)
- Children (5-17 years old) **having pre-booked** the Family offer: 25% reduction on all optional excursion

**\*The offer needs to be requested at the time of reservation, it is subject to availability and occupancy levels. Port taxes are excluded.**

### Conditions & Restrictions for the Family offers:

- They apply for children 5-17 years old
- They are valid for new bookings only
- They are on request and on first come-first served basis
- "Special Family offer" to be mentioned at the time of booking so that the discounted rates will apply for the reservation. Otherwise, Full rates will apply
- No reduction offered on port taxes which are additional for all participants
- They cannot be combined with any existing or future early bird discounts or special offers including Club exclusive offers
- Standard payment and cancellation policies apply

## **B/ Conditions and restrictions**

### PROOFREADING

Tour Operators featuring our Cruises in their Catalogue or Internet site by itinerary, vessel's description and images, will send VARIETY CRUISES a draft for error-checking of the contents prior publication as well as two brochure copies when printed, in order to secure correct information given to our clients and to keep our high customer satisfaction levels. Variety Cruises will not bare any responsibility for inaccurate information or misrepresentation of our vessels or cruise itineraries without having accepted a draft prior to the brochure going to print or internet page published.

### PAYMENT

25% deposit is required 7 days from confirmation.

75% Balance of payment no less than 60 days prior to day of embarkation.

### CANCELLATIONS

240 days to 120 days from embarkation: €120 / US\$140

Administration fee (per booking)\*

119 to 90 days from embarkation 15% of the cruise fare

89 to 60 days from embarkation 25% of the cruise fare

59 to 30 days from embarkation 50% of the cruise fare

29 to 00 days from embarkation 100% of the cruise fare

Cancellations must be confirmed by VARIETY CRUISES in writing in all cases.

**\*In case of cancellation the administration fee per booking will be converted to a future cruise credit redeemable on bookings made up to 12 months after cancellation, valid for any cruise and date of cruise.**

### AMENDMENTS

There may be a charge for amendments of cruise date or decreasing pax number received less than 60 days prior to sailing. Amendments must be confirmed by VARIETY CRUISES in writing.

### NOT INCLUDED IN CRUISE FARE

Such personal expenses as drinks (other than included in the rate), laundry, spa-where applicable-, boutique items and gratuities, (gratuities are optional but as a rule, satisfied clients are expected to give to the captain, at the end of the cruise, approximately Euro 13-15 per person per day for distribution among all crew members) medical expenses, port taxes, shore excursions (shore excursions are proposed and arranged on board by the tour leaders), use of the on board Wi-Fi (available at a charge), expenditures incurred ashore, and anything not mentioned in cruise program.

YOUR BOAT



# M/Y VARIETY VOYAGER

## Mega Yacht

### GENERAL INFORMATION

**Length:** 68 m

**Launched:** 2012

**Cabins:** 36

**Capacity:** 72 passengers

**Crew:** 32

Imagine your floating home on board the sleek, contemporary state of the art Mega Yacht that sails the seas under the name VARIETY VOYAGER, waving her flag through the wind. Discover the world by sea at 13 knots per hour, in her un-rushed pace, one island or seashore at a time. Variety Voyager loves to seduce her select 72 guests with her sleek lines and ample deck space redefining what yachting was meant to be. Warm fabrics, rich marbles, ax minster carpeting, and soft tones wood-paneling are just some of the elements that define her essence. 360° views of unobstructed ocean are your eyes' canvas painted with ocean blue and deep green mountains. Mingle with like-minded travelers in our public areas, enjoy a moment to yourself in our ample deck space, or retreat to your cabin sanctuary all offering windows or portholes connecting you with Mother Nature's wonders.





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## Mega Yacht

**HORIZON**  
SKY DECK



**360°**  
SUN DECK



**INFINITY**  
UPPER DECK



**RIVIERA**  
MAIN DECK



**OCEANS**  
LOWER DECK



The 68-meter / 36-cabin Variety Voyager was launched in 2012. This sleek high-tech looking Mega Yacht complies with the most stringent SOLAS safety regulations.

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### CABIN SPECIFICATIONS

The 68-meter Mega Yacht Variety Voyager accommodates up to 72 guests in 36 cabins. 28 cabins are located in the Main and Lower Decks, and 8 staterooms sizes range from 16-20 m<sup>2</sup>. Cabins at the Lower deck feature two oversized portholes and cabins at the Main and the Upper deck feature large windows. All cabins have individually controlled A/C and ventilation, mini-fridge, flat-screen TVs and DVD players. Bathrooms are finished with warm marble and Corian materials.

### LIFE ON BOARD

#### MAIN LOUNGE

Located on the Main deck, right off the reception area, the Main Lounge is gracefully designed and finished with wood panels. There is ample seating space for moments of pleasure or relaxation and modern AV equipment for presentations. The mini library, just off the Main Lounge, offers a variety of books and magazines.

#### DINING ROOM

Located on the Upper deck, the glass enclosed dining room seats 75 and allows for spectacular views around you, while dining in an elegant environment. It extends to the adjacent open deck dining room, also seating 50 passengers and allowing for breakfast, lunch or dinner to be taken "al fresco". Food is served at the table or displayed on the state of the art hot & cold buffet which also includes an "a la minute cooking" section.



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### **Ocean's Bar & Lounge**

Located on the 360° Sun Deck, the open Bar and Lounge offers stylish shaded seating and is the ideal spot for reading, relaxing or dancing under the stars until the late hours at the sound of our resident DJ/entertainer.

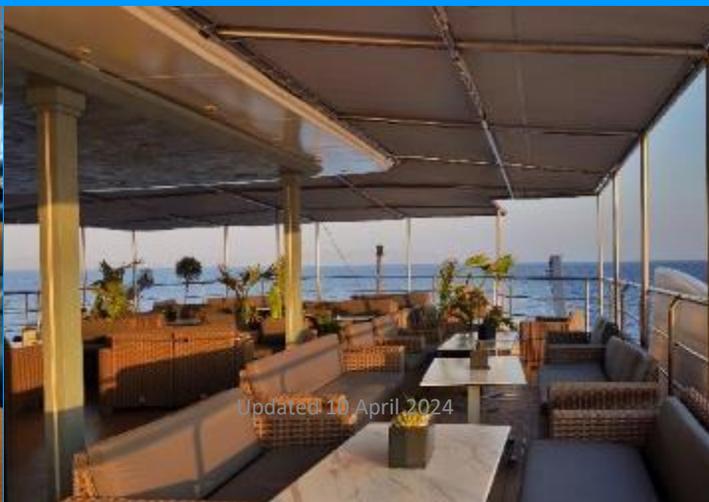
### **Spa & Fitness Suite**

Located at the Lower Deck, it offers Massage, Sauna and some fitness equipment. Our Balinese Spa Supervisor also provides hair, face and nails treatments.

### **Sun deck / Sky deck**

Sun loungers are available to sunbathe in total comfort while enjoying drinks served from the Ocean's Bar.

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