



5 Days

Timeless Gaspé

Dates and Rates Available April 2020

It's what is known as Maritime Quebec and is almost an island unto itself. Untouched and where people walk and talk much like their ancestors did centuries ago. A world where people harvest the sea as they do the land. Come and discover with us.

Day 1: Riviere-du-Loup, PQ

Depart Ottawa and enjoy the serenity of the St. Lawrence River as we journey to **Riviere-du-Loup** where a friendly French Canadian welcome awaits us at the Auberge de la Pointe, or similar.

Day 2: Perce, PQ

Today we begin our journey into the heart of the **Gaspé Peninsula**, travelling through picturesque New Brunswick and the century-old fishing villages that border the magnificent shores and landscapes. As we approach the village, we will marvel at the spectacular five million ton Perce Rock rising out of the sea. This giant draws thousands of tourists to the area each year. After checking into the Rhotel Perce Hotel, in **Perce**, for the next two nights, your evening will be free to enjoy dinner at the hotel and this charming seaside village. (B,D)



Day 3: Perce, PQ

This morning (weather permitting), we will tour **Bonaventure Island** - the largest bird sanctuary in North America. You'll not only see exotic species of feathered creatures, you'll also get a great opportunity to view the mammoth **Perce Rock** up close. This afternoon we will **tour the area** with a local guide and then you can join us on an **optional whale-watching cruise** following the tour. (B)

Day 4: Gaspé Peninsula | Rimouski, PQ

We continue through the Gaspé Peninsula, making stops throughout the day for many picture-taking opportunities. We will wind our way along the north shore of the peninsula and the St. Lawrence River making a stop to visit the famous **Reford Gardens** in **Metis** before arriving in **Rimouski**, the capital of the lower St. Lawrence Region, for the evening. Overnight at the Hotel Rimouski. (B)

Day 5: Ottawa, ON

Today we will travel the north shore of the St. Lawrence as we journey home. Early evening arrival into **Ottawa**. (B)

COST PER PERSON

Your Ultimate Holiday Experience Includes:

- Transportation aboard deluxe motorcoach
- 4 nights accommodation
- 4 breakfasts
- 1 dinner
- Guided tour of Perce
- Boat ride to Bonaventure Island
- Admission to the Reford Gardens
- Unlimited sightseeing
- Bellman's gratuities for one piece of luggage
- Services of an Ottawa Valley Tours director
- All taxes

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