## Paris to Verona or Venice

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## **Overview**

## The Highlights

- Spending the evening in the lovely *Venice Simplon-Orient-Express'* bar car, sipping your favorite drink while listening to live piano music
- A gourmet four-course formal dinner prepared by skilled French chefs, served in one of the train's three dining cars
- Beautiful mountain scenery
- Pampering by your personal steward
- For departures starting in Paris, enjoy a complimentary private transfer from your hotel to the

train station.

- Complimentary shared arrival transfer to your Venice hotel for Historic Twin and Suite passengers.
- Wine and champagne included with meals (top-shelf liquors and drinks in the bar car at additional cost)
- Grand Suite passengers enjoy free-flowing champagne in their cabins and included private arrival and departure transfers to/from the train station, among <u>several other special benefits</u>.
- Enjoying the beauty, artistry and history of these unique trains, lovingly restored in every detail

#### The Tour

Take a step back in time on this overnight trip aboard the <u>Venice Simplon-Orient-Express</u>. The Paris-Verona-Venice route is the "Classic" journey on the *VSOE*, and its most frequently-run itinerary.

See Dates & Prices section for more information about different routings offered, including Paris to Florence, Paris to Rome, Paris to Cannes, Paris to Innsbruck, more.

Depart Paris in the afternoon for your luxurious overnight journey to Verona or Venice, where you arrive late afternoon or early evening the next day. Soak in the train's ambience with gourmet meals and superior service while taking in Europe's beautiful and historic scenery.

Beginning in 2024, the *VSOE* will operate the majority of its departures out of Paris Austerlitz (select departures will operate out of Gare de l'Est). These details will be reconfirmed before you travel.

## **Itinerary**

# Day 1: Board in Paris

Mid-afternoon, privately transfer to the train station to board the gleaming blue and gold carriages of the *Venice Simplon-Orient-Express*. Shortly after boarding, the maître d' will stop by to confirm your dining preferences and advise which of the restaurant cars you'll visit that evening.

Throughout your journey you will be attended by your own personal Steward. After you have settled into your comfortable private cabin, it will soon be time to dress for dinner. Why not sip a pre-dinner cocktail before making your way to one of the magnificent restaurant cars? Here you

will be served a delicious four-course dinner, prepared by our skilled French chefs. After dinner you may want to linger in the bar car, listening to the sound of the baby grand piano. When you are ready, retire to your cabin, which has now been transformed into a cozy bedroom.

## Day 2: Disembark in Verona or Venice

Awaken to magnificent mountain and country scenery as breakfast is served in your cabin at a time to suit you. (This is something we love.) Spend the morning in the Bar Car chatting to fellow guests over coffee. Enjoy a leisurely three-course lunch served in another of the beautiful restaurant cars. While away the afternoon with a visit to the on-board Boutique to purchase souvenirs, or relax in your cabin with afternoon tea, admiring the passing scenery.

All too soon it is time to disembark at either Verona Station mid-afternoon or enjoy the train crossing the Venetian Lagoon and into Venice's Santa Lucia station around 6 p.m. For guests traveling on to Venice, enjoy a complimentary shared transfer to your hotel.

Please note: The *Venice Simplon-Orient-Express* route is subject to change without prior warning due to last minute railway engineering works or similar.

### **Dates & Prices**

### 2024 Dates

April 25 - April 26

May 5 - May 6

June 27 - June 28

July 1 - July 2

July 11 - July 12

July 18 - July 19

July 25 - July 26

August 3 - August 4

August 8 - August 9

August 14 - August 15

September 5 - September 6

September 12 - September 13

September 16 - September 17

September 22 - September 23

September 26 - September 27

October 6 - October 7

October 13 - October 14

October 17 - October 18

October 22 - October 23

November 1 - November 2

November 7 - November 8

November 19 - November 20

November 23 - November 24

November 28 - November 29

December 5 - December 6

December 22 - December 23

ACCOMMODATION	<b>Double Occupancy</b>	Single Occupancy	Deposit
Historic Twin/Double Cabin	From £3,530	From £7,060	15%
Suite	From £6,600	From £13,200	15%
Grand Suite	From £9,240	From £18,480	15%

Please note prices are in British pounds. View approximate exchange rates.

Prices are per person.

Pricing varies based on availability and date. Prices are subject to change daily. Contact us to confirm pricing and availability for your desired departure.

### 2025 Dates

March 10 - March 11

March 15 - March 16

March 20 - March 21

March 29 - March 30

April 3 - April 4

April 10 - April 11

April 17 - April 18

April 24 - April 25

April 28 - April 29

May 11 - May 12

May 24 - May 25

June 30 - July 1

July 10 - July 11

July 24 - July 25

July 31 - August 1

August 7 - August 8

August 13 - August 14

August 27 - August 28

September 1 - September 2

September 6 - September 7

September 19 - September 20

October 11 - October 12

October 16 - October 17

October 21 - October 22

October 25 - October 26

November 6 - November 7

November 17 - November 18

November 22 - November 23

November 27 - November 28

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Historic Twin/Double Cabin	From £3,530	From £7,060	15%
Suite	From £7,985	From £15,970	15%
Grand Suite	From £11,180	From £22,360	15%

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### More

#### Northbound tour also available.

**Please note:** This journey can be extended with our fabulous hotel partners throughout Europe. Contact us for more information about this concierge service.

**News:** The *Venice Simplon-Orient-Express* now offers fully en-suite cabins. Six Grand Suites and eight Suites are now available on every departure. Read more about the train's accommodations.

**Special Report:** Read the first-hand report by Society owners Owen & Eleanor Hardy, who celebrated their 30th wedding anniversary on the *Venice Simplon-Orient-Express* Venice-Paris-London journey.