

The Maria Callas Experience

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'The Maria Callas Experience' on-board the legendary Onassis Yacht 'Christina O', will transport you into the jet set era of the 1950's and 1960's. It was the setting for one of the world's most passionate and ill-fated romances between Onassis and Maria Callas, arguably the world's most famous Opera Diva. The love affair fascinated the world and was only ended when Onassis suddenly married Jacqueline Kennedy on-board the yacht at his private island of Scorpios.

Indulge in the luxury and splendour only 'Christina O' can offer, absorb the history and share in a bespoke recital of opera classics with a storyline of the life of Maria Callas – this will be given by well known sopranos of international repute in the bel canto style.

The dining room on board is managed by the restaurant 'Don Alfonso 1890' which was awarded its third Michelin Star in 1997 – so enjoy a sumptuous gastronomic eight course dinner accompanied by fine wines.

DAY ONE

Arrive at Nice airport where you will be transferred to the yacht. At 16.30 board the 'Christina O' at Monte Carlo where you will be welcomed with a champagne and canapés reception. This will be followed by a guided tour of the 'Christina O' giving guests a detailed insight into the history of the yacht and the many famous passengers who have graced her decks while cruising along the Cote d'Azur towards Cannes. After your guided tour of the Yacht there will be time for you to relax and refresh in your cabin and dress in formal attire for the Maria Callas recital and dinner.

Arriving in the Bay of Cannes there will be a pre-recital aperitif on deck followed by the "Maria Callas Storyline" operatic performance by Soprano and Accompanist which takes place in the Callas Salon.

After the recital the eight course gastronomic dinner awaits you in the dining saloon.

No evening's entertainment would be complete without a nightcap in the famous Ari's Bar and the famous Lapis Lounge before retiring to your deluxe cabin.

DAY TWO

In the morning a freshly prepared relaxing breakfast will be served on deck (weather permitting) and the 'Christina O' departs Cannes for Monte Carlo. The yacht will arrive back at Monte Carlo at noon where you will disembark and be transferred back to Nice airport.



Departure Dates

20th May, 21st May, 22nd May, 27th May, 28th May, 29th May, 3rd June, 4th June, 5th June

Price includes

Scheduled flights from London/Heathrow Airport to Nice, Transfers, Champagne Reception with Canapés, Aperitifs, Dinner including wine, Soft Drinks, Breakfast

Costs per person:

Double Cabin.....£1785.00 per person
Onassis Suite supplement.....£2995.00 per person

