

FRANCE INWARD JOURNEY 2009

A Spiritual Pilgrimage to Paris and Chartres, France

PILGRIMAGE OVERVIEW AT A GLANCE ...



*Detailed brochure, information & registration materials are available online at
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THE INWARD JOURNEY 2009 PILGRIMAGE

- Facilitated by Rev. Cynthia James and The Pilgrimage Leadership Team
- Two **identical** sessions:
 - ***August 26 – September 6, 2009 or September 2 – 13, 2009***
 - **Each session limited to just 30 pilgrims!**
- **4 nights in Paris; followed by 7 nights in Chartres, France**
- **\$3,935 per person based on double occupancy; *airfare additional.***
 - ***A limited number of single rooms are available. Single room requests taken only upon receipt of deposit on a first-come, first-served basis.***
 - **Paris: \$410 supplement**
 - **Chartres: \$140 supplement**
- Initial minimum **deposit - \$500 per person**; payable by check or credit card
 - *Processing fees apply for credit card payments*
- **Final payment of all outstanding balances due on/before April 30, 2009**
- This Pilgrimage is uniquely customized and therefore has a restrictive cancellation policy and other terms/conditions (**see Terms and Conditions for complete details.**)

PARIS HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ Lodging in quaint 3-star hotel with private gardens and courtyard, and easy access to the Paris Metro
- ✓ Parisian continental breakfast daily

- ✓ 4-day Metro Pass – *unlimited transportation around Paris on your own*
- ✓ Nighttime *Seine River* dinner cruise - *a unique visual experience of Paris*
- ✓ “Sacred site” visits to *Saint Sulpice, Sainte Chapelle, Sacre-Coeur*
- ✓ Attend Sunday church service at historic and sacred *Notre Dame Cathedral*
- ✓ “Nature visits” to Paris’ most spectacular gardens and parks, including *Jardin Des Tuilleries, Jardin Du Luxembourg, Versailles Gardens and Fountains*
- ✓ Memorable art visit to *Rodin Museum and Gardens*
- ✓ Explore world-famous *Versailles Palace*, including the stunning Hall of Mirrors
- ✓ Dinner at *Montmartre* district, offering a spectacular panorama of Paris
- ✓ Photographic Seminar to reveal the sacred through photography with renowned Photographer and Pilgrimage Leadership Team Member Carl Studna
- ✓ Attend a French culinary school and prepare a 2-course French meal!
- ✓ Free time each day (+ one evening dinner on your own) to explore the *City Of Lights*
 - *Chances to explore with fellow pilgrims or begin bridging to the inward journey*

CHARTRES HIGHLIGHTS:

- ✓ Exclusive daily retreat sessions with Rev. Cynthia James, an acclaimed spiritual facilitator, and The Pilgrimage Leadership Team
- ✓ Private nighttime labyrinth walk in Chartres Cathedral open only to *Inward Journey* participants – with thousands of lit candles and live sacred music
- ✓ Private guided tours of Chartres Cathedral’s sacred architecture, crypt, stained-glass windows
- ✓ Lodging near cathedral in seminary-style accommodations – designed for pilgrims throughout the centuries
- ✓ Daily continental breakfast
- ✓ Spacious time to nourish your soul: *Most afternoons and some evenings free*
 - Opportunities for quiet contemplation or exploring Chartres with fellow pilgrims
- ✓ Private session with noted author Dr. Lauren Artress
 - 🚩 *Walking A Sacred Path: Rediscovering the Labyrinth as a Spiritual Tool*
- ✓ Sacred art project
- ✓ Festive final celebratory dinner in a local French restaurant

WHAT ELSE?

- Session textbooks (available through any bookseller)
 - *The Art of Pilgrimage* - Cousineau
 - *Walking A Sacred Path: Rediscovering the Labyrinth as a Spiritual Tool* - Artress
- Several pre-pilgrimage sessions & labyrinth walks, and a post-pilgrimage get-together
- Group airfare options available through Rautenstrauss Travel, or use frequent flyer miles
- Trip insurance is highly recommended to protect your financial investment – contact travel agency for details

“There is only one journey. Going inside yourself.”

- Rainer Maria Rilke

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