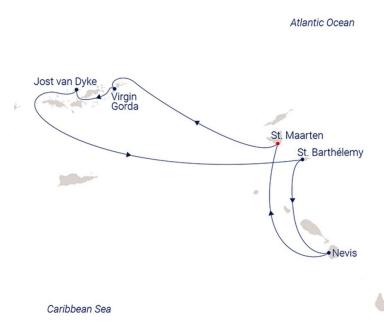


## SAVE THE BEST FOR LAST - CARIBBEAN SAILING CRUISE FROM PHILIPSBURG

Embark on SEA CLOUD's Caribbean farewell with an unforgettable sailing adventure through the British Virgin Islands. Begin and end in Philipsburg, St. Maarten, and explore the carefree beach and sea lifestyle in North Sound, Virgin Gorda, where you can float in the stunning tidal pools of The Baths. Enjoy the glamour of St. Barths, known for its VIP beaches and exclusive parties, and experience the unique blend of French and Dutch cultures on St. Maarten. With stops in picturesque White Bay, Jost van Dyke, and Charlestown, Nevis, this journey promises a perfect mix of relaxation and luxury in some of the Caribbean's most beautiful destinations.



### **ITINERARY**

Day 1 Philipsburg, St. Maarten

#### Departure 7:00 pm

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legend - divided the island up in 1648 after a drinking competition with the French. In the colorful port city of Philipsburg, a day at the beach can be perfectly combined with a stroll through town: From the fine sandy Great Bay Beach it is only a stone's throw to the Boardwalk with its restaurants and to the boutiques of the small city center.

Day 2 North Sound, Virgin Gorda

#### Arrival 5:00 pm

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Day 3 North Sound, Virgin Gorda

#### Departure 1:30 pm

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Sail through the Sir Francis Drake Channel

Day 4 White Bay, Jost van Dyke

#### Arrival 8:00 am, Departure 4:00 pm

The Sir Francis Drake Channel, where swords once crossed, is now one of the most beautiful sailing spots. Jost van Dyke, the smallest of the main islands in the British Virgin Islands, is a mountainous volcanic object of beauty with fewer than 300 inhabitants. One of them, Foxy, has been mixing his cocktails since 1968 and the bar of the same name enjoys a legendary reputation as perhaps the most famous beach bar in the Lesser Antilles. The island's past is less reputable - it was named by a Dutch pirate. The island gives its most beautiful treasures to all who visit - fine sand, green palm trees, colorful beach bars and the luminous blue of the sea.

Day 5 Gustavia, St. Barthélemy

Arrival 1:30 pm

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already had many "owners" before the Lesser Antilles were acquired by France in 1877. When the first estate was acquired by the banker David Rockefeller in 1957, the island's future was finally sealed. It became a refuge for the international jet set and an elegant holiday paradise for many Hollywood stars. For over 40 years, St. Barths has cultivated a luxurious lifestyle with a Caribbean laissez-faire approach. You can stroll through the charming main town of Gustavia, whose beautifully restored houses and colonial facades look out over the sea with its elegant superyachts, browse in the shops for precious items, or enjoy a sundowner in the picturesque harbor surrounded by clusters of high class bars and restaurants.

Day 6 Gustavia, St. Barthélemy

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Day 7 Charlestown, Nevis

Arrival 8:00 am, Departure 1:30 pm

With an area of 100 square miles and a population of only around 53,000, the Federation of St. Kitts and Nevis is one of the twelve smallest recognized states in the world. Located to the southeast, Nevis is the smaller and quieter of the two leeward islands - and a true Caribbean dream. Lush green rainforests stretch along the slopes of its extinct volcano, flowing into long sandy beaches that shimmer seductively in various shades of yellow, black and red toward the ocean. Charlestown itself is quite manageable, and offers two museums as cultural alternatives to splashing around in the warm Caribbean waters.

Day 8 Philipsburg, St. Maarten

#### Arrival 8:00 am

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## **YOUR SHIP: SEA CLOUD**

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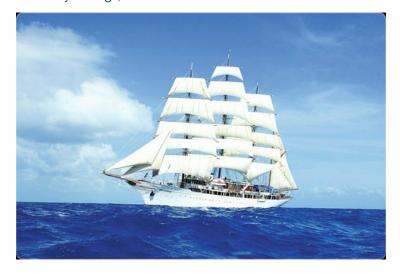
LENGTH:

**PASSENGER CAPACITY:** 

**BUILT/REFURBISHED:** 

Sea Cloud is a ship with a soul, imbued by the original owners, Marjorie Merriweather Post and her husband E.F. Hutton in the 1930's. The ship has played host to royalty, known service in wartime, and sailed the world over. She is a vessel of incomparable grace that harks back to the golden age of ship travel. Once you've been on Sea Cloud under full sail, you'll begin your own love affair. Welcome aboard a legend Sea Cloud accommodates 58 guests in 28 outside cabins including two original owner's suites that still feature original marble baths and fireplaces. At 360 feet she is an expansive ship with extensive public spaces on the top deck, where we luxuriate in deck chairs and watch the crew of 18 go aloft in the web of riggings to hand-set her 30 sails. Her dining room is hung with marine oil paintings of the period and accommodates all guests at once for a single seating. We'll gather in the lounge each evening for Recap. Life aboard is a uniquely pleasing mix of elegance and informality--a return to the golden age of sailing in shorts and deck shoes. You'll find all shipboard services impeccable. Discover the romance of tall ship sailing Experience something many people don't know exists in the 21st century--the romance of life under square sails. Discover the

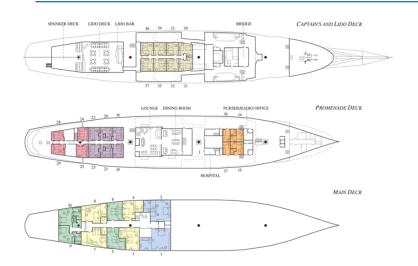
thrill of standing on deck as Sea Cloud gently glides through the water, her crew aloft in the riggings, running out and reefing sails. Settle in to your favorite areas on the top deck and bask in the incomparable experience of traveling aboard the finest tall ship to ever sail the seas. Lose yourself in an adventure that, in this day and age, is almost



unimaginable.



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