



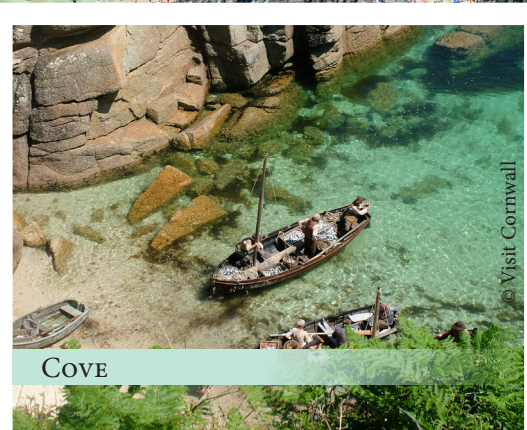
POLDARK'S CORNWALL

THE
ENGLISH MANNER



A TRIBUTE TO WINSTON GRAHAM MAY 4TH - 14TH 2019

The first BBC television production of *Poldark* was aired in 1975. Alexandra Messervy, who has designed this program, read the first books at the age of 8 during her annual family holidays to Cornwall, whilst staying on the Lizard Peninsula, and was captivated by the stories and the history behind them. Each year she and her father collected the books, sharing the stories and locations as they spent their holidays in the area.



When the series was first shown, Alexandra and her father watched it avidly, and so it was with some trepidation that they watched the new 2015 series. Would it be as good? Would it ruin our memories of the books and the original? Happily,

it has lived up to its predecessor and we believe the author would be proud. Over twelve books were written before Winston Graham's death and we very much hope this tour will whet the appetite not only to read the whole series, but also to watch the television series.

THE COST OF THIS ITINERARY, PER PERSON, DOUBLE OCCUPANCY IS:

LAND ONLY (NO AIRFARE INCLUDED):	\$5880
SINGLE SUPPLEMENT:	\$ 980

Airfares are available from many U.S. cities. Please call for details.

THE FOLLOWING SERVICES ARE INCLUDED:

HOTELS:	9 nights' accommodation in first-class hotels including all hotel taxes and service charges
COACHING:	All ground transportation as detailed in the itinerary
MEALS:	Full breakfast daily, 1 lunch, 6 dinners
BAGGAGE:	Porterage of one large suitcase per person
ENTRANCES:	Entrance fees to all sites included in the itinerary
GUIDES:	Fully-qualified Discover Europe tour guide throughout. Guest appearances by Ms. Alexandra Messervy during the tour

Please note that travel insurance is not included on this tour. Insurance information will be mailed to each registrant on receipt of deposit.

The third series covers the period from 1795. King George was on the English throne whilst the French Revolutionary wars continued to rage and Cornwall's proximity to the battlelanes of Brittany creates ample opportunity for smuggling and turmoil. Ross is now firmly established as a Member of Parliament and is making his mark in his quest to support William Pitt and Wilberforce in their legislation, and the first commercial mining engines, powered by coal are produced for use in the mines.

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SATURDAY, MAY 4th - Departure from your chosen US gateway city. **OVERNIGHT: PLANE**

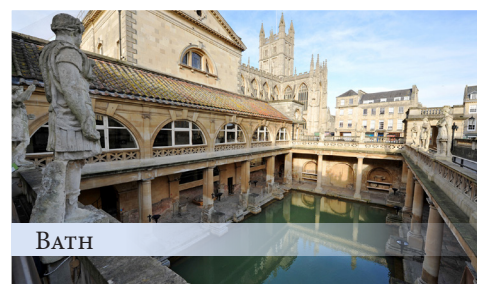


SUNDAY, MAY 5th - Your morning arrival in London will be met for the group transfer to the beautiful Georgian spa city, Bath (please make sure that your arrival at London Heathrow Airport is no later than 11.00 am). On arrival in Bath, there will be a chance to relax or perhaps have a light lunch before an afternoon visit to Prior Park by special permission of the headmaster. Prior Park is a leading independent school and was used as the Warleggan's family home and office in the television series. Dinner is included this evening at the hotel. **(D) OVERNIGHT: BATH**

MONDAY, MAY 6th - Today we have a private visit to one of our favorite family ancestral homes, Chavenage. This is the home of the Lowsley-Williams family and always provides our guests with a spectacularly warm welcome. We will have lunch here and a special tour where we'll hear first hand stories of filming *Poldark* and it's cast, with Chavenage as the now very well known location of Trenwith, the Poldark family home for generations. Guests will be joined by Alexandra Messervy, founder and CEO of The English Manner. Alexandra will talk about *Poldark*, the program to come, and her great love of the West Country and how it ties the books with the history and culture of the area. We return to the hotel for a free evening. **(B, L) OVERNIGHT: BATH**

TUESDAY, MAY 7th - An early breakfast today before we depart for Falmouth. En route, we will enjoy a private visit to the home of the Earls of Clifford at Ugbrooke Park. Their family home for over 900 years, Ugbrooke has only recently opened for private visits. Lord and Lady Clifford, a leading interior designer with Colefax & Fowler, have now handed the estate to their son Alexander, and guests will be highly impressed by stunning interiors and lovely gardens. Dinner at the hotel this evening. **(B, D) OVERNIGHT: FALMOUTH AREA**

WEDNESDAY, MAY 8th - This morning, a private visit to the estate castle at Caerhays. Always a favorite, Ross and Demelza frequented Caerhays several times in their socializing in Cornwall and this is a fascinating example of how an ancient estate has remained relevant and diversified to keep going today. Owner Charles Williams, himself an RHS Gold Medal award winner for the his famous plant nursery at Burncoose, will give a talk, subject to availability, and guests will be able to tour the house and gardens for the morning. This afternoon, after a stop for lunch, we visit the Ship Museum at Charlestown and the historic port used in the series filming. The evening is free. **(B) OVERNIGHT: FALMOUTH AREA**



BATH

THURSDAY, MAY 9th - Our first visit this morning is a private tour of the Levant Mine and Beam Engine. We then go to the Geevor Tin Mine, at St. Just. Here we will visit the newly established Cornish Tin Miners' Memorial Garden. Commemorating Cornish tin miners with plants from four continents, this reflects the countries to which many traveled for work once the mines were established here. A particular feature will be the Agave plants which this year, after an unprecedentedly hot summer, seem to have thrived. After a stop for lunch, we visit the softer landscape of Treloarwarren House and Estate, used as a refuge by actors in the series. The current owner and High Sheriff of Cornwall, whose family have always lived here, the Vyvyans, has transformed the run down house and estate into a vibrant showcase of Cornish arts and crafts, an award winning bistro and pizza restaurant and beautiful woodland estate walks. The evening is free. **(B) OVERNIGHT: FALMOUTH AREA**

FRIDAY, MAY 10th - We will make a brief visit this morning to the seat of Sir Francis Bassett at Tehidy. Sir Francis, who is featured in *Poldark* as Ross's friend and benefactor, was in reality a member of the family whose brother went out to Virginia and settled there. Situated in the parish of Illogan (Illugan in the books!) near Redruth, the manor was the family seat gleaned from the riches of mining. Now a Country Park, the mansion was built in 1734 and after 600 years of Bassett ownership became a TB hospital in 1918. The house was converted into luxury apartments in 1990 and there is no public right of way through the house. Then on to Pool and the famous Portreath Bakery, for a chance to sample an award winning Cornish Pasty. We stop in the lovely Cathedral city of Truro, before a private visit to the seat of Viscount Boscawen, who loomed large in *Poldark*. On the estuary of the Fal River, the estate looks out over acres of parkland and we will have a private garden tour and a traditional Cornish cream tea. Dinner is at the hotel tonight. **(B, T, D) OVERNIGHT: FALMOUTH AREA**

SATURDAY, MAY 11th - Heading back to London, we stop en route to visit Killerton House, just outside Exeter. The first owner, Sir Thomas Acland, was a Member of Parliament for Devon and later for Somerset, sitting at the time of *Poldark*'s election to Parliament. He commissioned Killerton in 1767 on his appointment to the baronetcy and this simply-designed Georgian estate and glorious gardens are an outstanding example of West Country architecture of the period, and the lifestyle of a wealthy country gentleman and his family. Whilst Ross and his family lived at Nampara, his family farm, he was never a 'gentleman at leisure' and nor would he have been happy without pursuing a cause or a career. The estate remained in the family until it bequeathed it to the National Trust in WWII when costs and lack of local help made it unviable. We will be able to have lunch here. On our arrival at the prestigious private members' Sloane Club, the evening is free. **(B) OVERNIGHT: LONDON**



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SUNDAY, MAY 12th - This morning there is an opportunity for sightseeing or a visit to the glorious St. Paul's Church Knightsbridge or St. Luke's Chelsea, or shopping, before we are re-joined by Alexandra Messervy for a guided tour of Chiswick House, with architectural history expert, Rose Balston. A magnificent neo-Palladian villa set in 65 acres of beautiful historic gardens, the opulent interiors created by William Kent display a rich collection of



Old Master paintings and the house is often used for film and television shoots. Dinner will be in a private room at the Sloane Club with Alexandra. **(B, D) OVERNIGHT: LONDON**

MONDAY, MAY 13TH - We begin today with a private tour of Spencer House, a splendid Georgian mansion in the heart of St. James's, beautifully restored and renovated for the nation by Lord Rothschild. Family home of the late Diana, Princess of Wales and Georgiana, Duchess of Devonshire, the state rooms here are truly a magnificent sight. Then on to William Kent's other masterpiece, Kensington Palace, birthplace of Queen Victoria in 1819 and a chance to follow in the footsteps of the Georgian courtiers of Poldark's day, with exhibitions regularly changing (to be confirmed for May 2019) and beautiful gardens. The Orangery Café should be open for a chance to have lunch, and guests will then return to the Sloane Club for a chance to pack and change for dinner. A Champagne Reception and Farewell Dinner at the Army and Navy Club with Lord Fermoy and invited guests. Maurice Fermoy is cousin to Their Royal Highnesses Prince William and Prince Harry, and former Page to Her Majesty The Queen. Maurice will talk to guests about the traditions of London and social changes we have seen since Poldark entered Parliament in the 18th Century. **(B, D) OVERNIGHT: LONDON**

TUESDAY, MAY 14TH - Morning transfers to Heathrow Airport for returning flights to the U.S. **(B) OVERNIGHT: HOME**

Key to included meals: **B** - breakfast, **T** - afternoon tea **D** - dinner

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REGISTRATION FORM

GENERAL INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Please type or print.
2. Make checks payable to DISCOVER EUROPE.
3. Be sure to read the Terms & Conditions and the Refund Policy contained on the reverse before signing.
4. Complete both sides of this form.
5. Detach the bottom section and mail it to Discover Europe with your deposit of \$500 per person. Keep the top section.

DETAILED INSTRUCTIONS

1. Name(s). Please make sure that your name appears on this form exactly as it does on your passport. Include your "Known As" or preferred name.
2. Passport Details. Having your passport details ahead of time enables Discover Europe to speed the check-in process at hotels and helps in the event of lost or stolen documents.
3. Address. If you have a different address, please let us have the details, including dates that you are there, on a separate sheet.
4. Dietary Requirements. Please let us know if you require any special meals both for the hotels and the airlines.
5. Health Information. It is very valuable for us to know ahead of time if you require any special assistance. Discover Europe tours are always paced for comfort, but inevitably there is also a certain amount of walking involved. Participants should have sufficient stamina to keep pace with the tour group and not cause delays. Please consult with your physician if have any questions regarding your ability to participate fully.

EMERGENCY CONTACT

This information is essential.

FLIGHT INFORMATION

1. If transatlantic flights are not already included as part of your tour package, Discover Europe will be very happy to book these for you. The fee for this service is \$40 per ticket.
2. If you are arranging your own flights to join the tour, it is essential that Discover Europe has your complete flight information. Please make sure you give us the following: dates of travel, airline(s), flight numbers, departure and arrival airports and departure and arrival times for all flight segments that you have booked.

ROOMING REQUIREMENTS

Please tick the appropriate boxes.

1. If you are sharing a room, please let us know with whom. If you would like to share a room but do not have a roommate, we will be happy to try and match you up but unfortunately cannot guarantee that this will be possible. If no match is available, the single supplement will apply.
2. A twin room has two separate single beds in it. A double room has one large bed. Please let us know your preference.



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TERMS & CONDITIONS

1. Please be sure to complete both sides of this form.
2. Space on this journey is limited and registrations are accepted strictly on a first come, first served basis.
3. Registration and payment imply acceptance of the terms and conditions described herein. This information, as well as your itinerary description regarding dates, inclusions and prices, form the basis of your individual contract with Discover Europe, Ltd.
4. Registration and payment waive and release Discover Europe, Ltd. and The English Manner, their affiliates, directors, officers, employees, including any person or entity employed or utilized by them, from all claims arising from any injury, loss, damage, accident, delay or expense resulting from events beyond their control, including, without limitation: natural disasters, war, strikes, incidents of politically-motivated violence, sickness or quarantine, government restrictions or regulations, and in the absence of its own gross negligence, arising from the use of any vehicle or from any act of omission by any bus or car rental agency, airline, taxi or tour service, hotel, restaurant, or other firm, agency, company or individual.
5. Discover Europe, Ltd. reserves the right to substitute hotels, airlines, activities or excursions in response to changes in availability, local events or weather conditions, provided such substitutions do not adversely affect the overall quality of the tour. Such substitutions do not constitute grounds for withdrawal with full refund.
6. Conduct During The Tour: You are also responsible for respecting the authority and following the directions of the tour guide and the laws of the countries in your itinerary. We may exclude you from participating in all or any part of the tour if, in our sole discretion, your condition or behavior renders you unfit for the tour or unfit for continuation once the tour has begun. Unfitness may include, without limitation, any behavior that, regardless of its cause, is inappropriate or offensive or interferes with the delivery of tour services, or may constitute a hazard or embarrassment. In such case, our liability shall be strictly limited to refund of the recoverable cost of any unused portion of the tour. Should you decide not to participate in certain parts of the tour or use certain goods included in the tour, no refunds will be made for those unused parts of the tour or goods.

PAYMENT SCHEDULE

1. A deposit of \$500 must accompany this completed form, if it has not already been paid.
2. The remaining balance will be billed and payable 90 days prior to trip departure.

TOUR COST ADJUSTMENTS

Discover Europe makes every effort to guarantee that the published cost of your chosen tour will not change. However, we do reserve the right to make adjustments in the following circumstances:

1. Exchange rates. Should the value of the dollar fall against the currency of the countries visited on your tour by more than 10% in the 6 months prior to trip departure.
2. Group size. Your tour has been based on a minimum group size of 10-15 participants. Should we end up with fewer than 10 people, Discover Europe will work with The English Manner to determine a course of action which may involve either paying a surcharge to keep the tour with all the inclusions listed, or making adjustments in order to keep the cost the same.
3. Airfares. If your tour includes airfare, Discover Europe reserves the right to pass along increases in costs (taxes, airport fees, fuel surcharges, etc.) that are charged by the airline involved.

REFUND POLICY

1. Participants who withdraw more than 90 days prior to tour departure will receive a refund of all monies received by Discover Europe, Ltd., less a \$200 cancellation penalty.
2. Participants who withdraw fewer than 90 days prior to tour departure will receive a refund of all monies received by Discover Europe, Ltd., less the following cancellation penalties:
 90-61 days prior to departure: \$1000 per person
 60 - 31 days prior to departure: \$2000 per person
 Fewer than 30 days prior to departure: no refund
3. Please note that the final payment becomes due upon receipt of the final invoice and will remain payable, as per the above schedule, if your cancellation is received after this.
4. These cancellation penalty amounts do not include any airfares purchased on your behalf by Discover Europe Ltd. Note that the least expensive airfares are usually non-refundable. Refunds for airline tickets will be handled separately from the refund of the land tour package.
5. Travel insurance is *not* included in your tour package. Discover Europe Ltd. strongly advises that you purchase coverage for your upcoming trip. Information describing the services of a recommended travel insurance company will be included with your reservation confirmation package mailing.
6. All cancellation requests must be received in writing.
7. There is no provision for refund for any activities missed due to the participant's absence once the tour has started.
8. Your place on this tour is not transferrable.

INCLUSIONS & EXCLUSIONS

1. All inclusions are listed on the day-by-day itinerary and registration form.
2. The following are not included (unless specifically mentioned in the itinerary): travel insurance, transportation to and from the participant's home to their chosen departure airport, passport fees, excess baggage charges, tips to couriers and tour bus drivers, items of a personal nature.



EMERGENCY CONTACT INFORMATION

Name: _____
 Email: _____
 Primary Telephone: (_____) _____

FLIGHT INFORMATION
(Please check one)

Do you want Discover Europe to book your flights: Yes No
 Flight details (if self-arranged), to be provided **at least** 90 days prior to departure. _____

ROOMING REQUIREMENTS

(Please check one)
 I would like a single room (see itinerary for supplement)
 I will be sharing with: _____
 We would like a double twin-bedded room

PERMISSIONS

Discover Europe may use any photographs taken during the tour in promotional materials. Yes No
 Discover Europe may include my e-mail address on the tour passenger list.
Yes No

SIGNATURES

I have read and agree to the attached Terms & Conditions and understand that travel insurance is not included in the trip.

SIGNATURE: _____ DATE: _____

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