



## VICTORY CRUISE LINES FACT SHEET

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**OVERVIEW:** Victory Cruise Lines® is committed to delighting travelers with the joy of all-inclusive, small ship, coastal cruising on The Great Lakes and Canadian Coasts.

**THE FLEET:** The *Victory I*® and *Victory II*® are purpose-built to cruise on all five Great Lakes, the St. Lawrence Seaway, and the French-Canadian Maritimes, offering a refreshing alternative to river and ocean cruises. The size and maneuverability of these ships are perfectly suited for coastal cruising in this region.

### ***Victory I*® and *Victory II*®**

Year Built 2001/Year Refurbished 2024

Length 286 Ft.

Guest Decks Five

Suites and Decks 101

Guests 190

Crew 80

Registry Nassau, Bahamas

**ITINERARIES:** Voyages cruise along magnificent coastlines, journey through seaways and lakes, navigate hidden harbors and call on downtown marinas with ease.

### **ULTIMATE GREAT LAKES – All 5 Great Lakes**

#### **Chicago to Toronto**

#### **9-Night Cruise, 10-Night Cruise + Pre-Cruise Hotel**

#### **31 Voyages – April through September 2025**

Chicago, Illinois; Scenic sailing on Lake Michigan; Escanaba, Michigan; Mackinac Island, Michigan; Sault Ste. Marie (Soo Locks), Michigan; Lake Superior and scenic sailing on Lake Huron; Detroit, Michigan; Scenic Sailing on Lake Erie; Cleveland, Ohio; Niagara Falls (Port Colborne), Ontario; Scenic sailing on Lake Ontario; Toronto, Ontario

## **GREAT LAKES & ST. LAWRENCE SEAWAY – All 5 Great Lakes**

### **Chicago to Montreal**

#### **11-Night Cruise, 12-Night Cruise + Pre-Cruise Hotel**

##### 3 Voyages – September and October 2025

Chicago, Illinois; Scenic sailing on Lake Michigan; Escanaba, Michigan; Mackinac Island, Michigan; Sault Ste Marie (Soo Locks), Michigan; Lake Superior and scenic sailing on Lake Huron; Detroit, Michigan; Scenic sailing on Lake Erie; Cleveland, Ohio; Niagara Falls (Port Colborne), Ontario; Toronto, Ontario; Scenic sailing of Lake Ontario and the St. Lawrence Seaway; Montreal, Quebec

## **GREAT LAKES & THUNDER BAY – 2 Great Lakes + Mackinac Island Overnight**

### **Roundtrip Chicago**

#### **14-Night Cruise, 15-Night Cruise + Pre-Cruise Hotel**

##### 2 Voyages – May and June 2025

Chicago, Illinois; scenic sailing on Lake Michigan, Mackinac Island, Michigan (Overnight); Marquette, Michigan; Houghton, Michigan; Duluth, Michigan; Thunder Bay, Ontario; Scenic sailing on Lake Superior; Sault Saint Marie (Soo Locks), Michigan; Scenic sailing on Lake Michigan; Green Bay, Wisconsin (Overnight); Muskegon, Michigan; Chicago, Illinois

## **ONBOARD:**

### **Meet The Lake-Lorian™**

A unique exclusive, one-of-a-kind onboard enrichment program is a perfect complement to the cruise experience. Victory Cruise Lines Lake-Lorian™ lecture program includes engaging, destination-oriented historians and naturalists who share their vast knowledge and expertise of the history, ecology, and culture of each port of call.

### **Compass Lounge**

Home to enriching presentations and entertainment, the Compass Lounge is the main lounge, home to a grand piano and a favorite spot for old fashioned sing-alongs. After dinner, cocktails, music, and dancing keep the fun going into the evening hours.

### **Observation and Sun Deck**

Guests may lounge on the aft deck on comfortable, cushioned outdoor sofas under the pergola, the perfect place to celebrate a successful excursion, gather for afternoon cocktails, amber sunsets, or late-night stargazing. In the morning or afternoon, take advantage of the forward deck to greet the day with morning coffee, relax with a book and soak up some rays on one of the outdoor lounge chairs.

### **Salon and Spa**

Renew with a relaxing massage or choose from a selection of beauty treatments.

**DINING:**

With creativity on the highest level, Victory Cruise Line chefs bring exclusive culinary delights to the table. And they like to complement elaborate menus with local specialties and fresh fish, when available. The wine selection reflects the routes and never fails to impress with fine wines from the various regions.

**The Tavern**

Share stories and laughter with friends and fellow travelers in the casual comfort of this cozy, English-style tavern. In the early evening, talented musicians bring the ship to life with energetic sing-alongs.

**The Grill**

Enjoy outdoor dining and fresh selections at The Grill, serving buffet breakfast, seated, themed brunches, lunch, and seated dinner.

**The Coastal Dining Room**

Savor delicious cuisine in the easy elegance of the main dining room, where a professional wait staff serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner daily from the chef's menu of regionally inspired dishes. Classic delights include Roast Rack of Lamb Dijonnaise or Pan Seared Scallops Provencal, Chicken with Roasted Vegetables or Miso Glazed Atlantic Cod to Roasted Prime Rib of Beef with Creamy Horseradish Sauce.

For the health conscious, or guests with specific diets, guests will find a variety of healthy dining alternatives that meet their dining needs and are still loaded with flavor.

**INCLUSIONS:**

Each Victory Cruise Lines voyage includes 1-night pre-cruise hotel stay with free ground transfers between the hotel and vessel; all oceanview accommodations, some with balcony; an included tour in each port from the Rock and Roll Hall of Fame in Cleveland to the Henry Ford Museum in Detroit; acclaimed cuisine for breakfast, lunch and dinner served in multiple venues; gourmet selections including freshly prepared lobster and USDA Prime beef; unlimited beverages including an extensive wine list, choice spirits, local craft beers and specialty coffees; open bars and lounges throughout the vessel; unlimited Wi-Fi; live, daily onboard entertainment and enrichment; hiking sticks.

**CHARTERS/GROUPS:**

Whether it's a reunion, a corporate trip, a birthday, getting married on board, wedding anniversary, honeymoon, or trip with friends, *Victory I* and *Victory II* offer the perfect setting to celebrate and enjoy special milestone moments. The team onboard creates unforgettable experiences – whether traveling with other sailing enthusiasts or booking an entire ship exclusively.

**RESERVATIONS:** Contact your travel advisor, call 855-556-7193 or visit VictoryCruiseLines.com.  
*Reservations open July 22, 2024.*

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