

## Spitsbergen - Svalbard Adventure | MS Quest

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### Introduction

Embark on an incredible Svalbard voyage aboard the cosy 50-person expedition ship M/S Quest!

In June, the magnificent mountain ranges are exquisitely snow-capped, bird colonies are teeming with life, and the midnight sun rules supremely. We can observe the constantly shifting ice formations while the ice continues to hold the islands in its grasp. Summer is almost approaching, and spring has already come.

After spending a night in a hotel in Longyearbyen, you spend seven nights aboard the M/S Quest. Cruise over glistening glaciers as we traverse the stunning Arctic wildness of Svalbard, stopping ashore to admire the breathtaking landscape. We also look for the famous wildlife, such as polar bears, seals, and walrus.

### Itinerary

#### DAY 1: Arrival in Longyearbyen

Today you will arrive in Longyearbyen where you will be transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day will be spent at your leisure to explore the quaint town.



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This narrow strip of land is covered by a  
magnificent and snow-covered mountain

locations. Svalbard & The Arctic

Svalbard is also home to many

seabirds and harbour seals. Virgohamna,

Danskøya: Danskøya was the starting point

for two of the most daring attempts to reach

the North Pole. The Swedish explorer

Andrée made an attempt with a hydrogen

balloon and the American journalist

Wellman started with an airship. Interesting

remnants of these Arctic expeditions can

still be seen here. Fantastic fjords: Svalbard

offers the visitor countless spectacular

fjords. During our cruise we will explore

some of them such as: Liefdefjorden,

meaning "The fjord of love", is lined with

snow-capped mountain peaks and here we

hope to cruise along the face of the

spectacular Monaco Glacier. Many common

eiders and pink-footed geese nest in the

area and if we are lucky we may see the

rare king eider. In Krossfjorden we enjoy in

the beautifully sculpted front of the 14th of

July Glacier and are greeted by the large

numbers of kittiwakes and Brünnich's

guillemots nesting on the nearby cliffs.

Raudfjorden is an area of immense natural

beauty - dominated by magnificent glaciers.

It is also a favourite spot of seals and the

bird cliffs are abuzz with activity.

Kongsfjorden is home to the scientific

village of Ny-Ålesund. It was from here that

Amundsen and Nobile set out on their

heroic expeditions to the North Pole. North

of Spitsbergen: North of Spitsbergen, we

may come across the edge of the pack ice.

Not many ships venture here and we can

marvel at the silence and grandeur of this

icy landscape. We keep an eye out for the

iconic Arctic wildlife.



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Early morning we disembark our expedition

ship and begin our journey back home.

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Please note: Our exact route will depend on

ice, weather conditions and wildlife. The

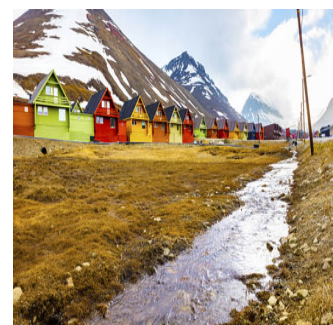
places mentioned are just examples of some

of the many sites Svalbard has to offer. We

always strive to maximise your experience.

Please remember that flexibility is the key

to a successful expedition!



### Inclusions & Details

Accommodation

Cabin On Board Ship & Hotel

#### **INCLUSIONS**

One night in a hotel in Longyearbyen.

Cabin accommodation on board ship.

Lunch on day two.

All meals, tea, and coffee on board throughout your voyage.

All scheduled landings and excursions.

Guiding and leadership by expert exploration team and crew.

#### **EXCLUSIONS**

Flights to/from Longyearbyen.

Group transfers to/from hotel and ship.

Any other pre or post land arrangements not mentioned above.

Passport and visa expenses.

Government arrival and departure taxes not mentioned above.

Baggage, cancellation, interruption and medical travel insurance—strongly recommended.

Mandatory waterproof pants for Zodiac cruising, or any other gear not mentioned.

Voluntary gratuity at the end of the voyage for shipboard staff and crew.

Meals ashore unless otherwise specified.

Excess-baggage fees on international and domestic flights.

Laundry, bar and other personal charges unless specified.

Optional Adventure Activities.

Difficulty Rating

2 (Light Adventure)

Single Surcharge

Available upon request. A supplement surcharge applies and is subject to availability. Please [contact us](#) for more information.

Prices are based on per person, and vary from single, triple, and twin cabins.

Prices are correct at time of publishing but are subject to change at any time.

Notes

All entrance fees are subject to change without prior notice.

Please note this itinerary is subject to change depending on weather and ice conditions\*

Price Dependent upon

Departure date, fuel surcharges, cabin category, currency fluctuations, seasonality and availability.



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