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**Book #010 • Disembarkation Day Guide**

## **Chapter 2**

### **Disembarkation Morning Timeline**

Disembarkation morning starts earlier than a typical day onboard. Knowing what to expect—and when—will help you move through the process calmly and avoid unnecessary stress. While each cruise line has its own procedures, the overall timeline is very similar.

#### **Wake Up Early**

Most cruise lines begin announcing disembarkation information early in the morning. Give yourself enough time to get ready, finish packing your carry-on, and enjoy breakfast before your departure group is called.

#### **Leave Your Stateroom on Time**

Guests are usually asked to vacate their staterooms by a designated time so the crew can begin preparing for the next sailing. Double-check closets, drawers, the bathroom, and the safe before closing the door one last time.

#### **Wait for Your Group to Be Called**

Relax in one of the public areas until your luggage tag color or departure group is announced. Leaving too early may slow the process for everyone and create unnecessary congestion in the terminal.

#### **Have Your Documents Ready**

Keep your passport or identification, customs documents if required, transportation information, and any medications in your carry-on bag. You'll want quick access to these items after leaving the ship.

#### **Aimee's Pro Tip**

Don't schedule an early morning flight if you can avoid it. Giving yourself extra time after disembarkation allows for customs, traffic, and unexpected delays, making your trip home much less stressful.