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Date of Your Tour: June 23–July 7, 2012

Name of Your Instructor: Brenda Swenson

Sketching with Watercolor

\$4100 per person, double occupancy

\$500 per person due on Reservation

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\*Air Travel to Paris/Toulouse not included.

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*More about  
Brenda Swenson*

Brenda Swenson is the artist author of two books, Keeping a Watercolor Sketchbook (Award of Excellence Finalist) and Steps to Success in Watercolor. Her paintings and sketches have been featured in Splash 11, Splash 12, Artistic Touch 4, Watercolor Magazine, Watercolor Highlights, and numerous other publications. Brenda has been awarded signature membership in WW and NWS and she has won numerous awards for her paintings. An active participant in the arts community she has served on the board of directors for the National Watercolor Society and Watercolor West. She is in demand to demonstrate and teach her painting and sketching techniques to groups nationwide and abroad. [www.SwensonsArt.net](http://www.SwensonsArt.net)



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*Montfaucon Tours*

*Sketching with  
Watercolor in  
Southern  
France*



*With artist  
Brenda Swenson  
June 23– July 7, 2012*

## Explore Southern France

### Highest valued artist's retreat in France

- Paint for several days in and around the picturesque village of Limoux, with its medieval bridges and churches, colorful narrow streets, and animated market days.
- Travel to nearby towns to paint beautiful southern French landscapes: wildflowers, vineyards, wheat fields, Mediterranean fishing villages, the Pyrenees mountains, and don't forget the sunflowers!

### Deluxe Accommodations in historic Limoux

- Fully restored luxury 14th Century residence.
- Each room has been individually designed, equipped with en-suite facilities, internet access and air conditioning.
- Located in town overlooking the river Aude.

### Delight in French Cuisine

- Enjoy the delicious gastronomic specialties of southern France made with fresh local produce.
- Savor the delectable and indulgent variety of exotic cheeses.
- Experience the magnificent wines of the region and have the opportunity to meet local wine producers who are happy to taste and share their full-bodied and rich French Catalonia wines.
- Experience the wonderful culture and become part of the local community here in Limoux.



## Discover Beauty and Inspiration

Enjoy the charming, loose, and colorful nature of watercolor at its best, while sketching in Southern France! Sharpen your observation skills, color awareness and learn simple design principles. Each day we'll explore various sketching tools, techniques and papers while taking in the beautiful region of France. Learn how a sketch can be complete in itself, or a road map to larger studio paintings. Whether you want to improve your skills, create travel journals or take that next step as an artist you will come away from this workshop excited and inspired about your artwork. Benefit from demonstrations, friendly critiques, and lots of one on one help.



Several of France's most renowned artists, **Henri Matisse**, **André Derain** and **Paul Cézanne** to name a few, found their inspiration in the stunning beauty of the Mediterranean light and the surrounding region of Southern France. The diverse geography and climate provides a variety of painting sites to choose from, so we aren't tied down to a specific itinerary. We go where the weather is best. Our professionally-designed studio (located in a former medieval wine cellar) offer the perfect atmosphere for classes and critiques.

## Your Montfaucon Tour Package

Price: \$4,100 per person + airfare

Dates: June 23– July 7, 2012

### Included in your stay

- 14 nights accommodation (double occupancy).
- All breakfast and 12 dinners with vegetarian options available.
- Daily transportation for all painting excursions, sightseeing and other adventures.
- Pickup and drop off at Toulouse International Airport or Carcassonne train station.
- Entrance fees to cultural attractions.

### Does Not Include

- Airfare to Toulouse International Airport or train to Carcassonne.
- Lunches (We find charming cafes or pack picnics together)/Wednesday night dinners.
- Gratuities to the staff.

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