### MAP



Only lying 66km north of Rennes and 52km south of Saint Malo, your stay will include a beautiful view of Mont Saint Michel Bay, while sitting off the coast of Normandy France. You could watch the sun set over the high tide from your own window (depending on the hight of your window). We hope your stay will be as magical and full of excitement as the quicksand outside our city walls.

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## MONT SAINT MICHEL



Visit the island with so much mystery and danger, your family will never forget your stay.





### Our Cathedral



The most beautiful building in town is of course La Merveille, our very own church and monastery. This magnificent building rests 900 meters in circumference and 78 meters tall. For this great pleasure we give credit, where it is due, to King Philip II of France (learn mor on next page).

This wonder is split into two sections. The first being the common area for worship, this is where the public may worship. The other section being the cells of the monks where they may personally study in His word.

## History



Our great city was once named Mont-Tombe. Mont Saint Michel was given after the great bishop of Avranches, Saint Albert, witnessed the arc angel Micheal on our very soil and quickly built a small but beautiful oratory on our grounds. This became a small but popular sight until the year 966. In 966, a Benedictine Abby was created out of the oratory. From this the black monks had it all. Of course until 1203.

In that year King Philip II of France tried to take out lovely city by force. He succeeded and was generous enough to donate money to any damage done to the Abby. It was set ablaze for some time. With reconstruction the people of Mont Saint Michel were granted the beautiful monastery. It was named La Merveille, translating to The Wonder.

# Daily Life

There is some, but not much trade between cities with the unpredictable tide. Due to this, most of the food eaten on the land is grown from the land. Most citizens work daily for this food in the fields and plantations, but of course you mustn't worry about work on your travels. Instead you and your family can laugh at those who do on your vacation.

Of course not everyone farms in Mont Saint Michel. For those who choose to live in His word join the monastery. Here they worship the lord and preach to those who don't. You may be one of the few lucky ones to witness this preaching.



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