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MILAN CITY BREAK



DAY 1 MILAN

Arrive in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Milan is the second largest city in Italy and the capital of the Lombardy Region. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 2 MILAN

Hotel breakfast. Start the guided city tour of this amazing city combining art, fashion, style and finance. See the Duomo, the Vittorio Emanuele Gallery (called Milan's lounge), the Scala opera House and the amazing Castello Sforzesco, once home of the Sforza family, and "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, in Chiesa Santa Maria delle Grazie. Lunch is on your own. In the afternoon free time at disposal to enjoy your shopping in the most fashionable city in the world. You will be able to explore Via Montenapoleone and Via della Spiga, where all the great stylists' boutiques are located, and see with your eyes what you normally see on catwalks. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3 MILAN - FIDENZA VILLAGE - BERGAMO (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Full day at disposal or optional tour to Fidenza Village, a very special Mall in the Parma Region featuring all the most known brand names. An other optional excursion can be offered to Bergamo for a full day guided city tour. In the Alpine foothills, just 50 km from Milan, Bergamo is the most striking town in Lombardy. Structured in two levels, the lower city is more modern and dynamic, whilst the famous 'upper city' boasts a stunning historic centre full of monuments and works of art. Considered one of the richest and most elegant cities in Italy, Bergamo owes its splendor to the domination of Venice, which ruled the city from the beginning of the 15th century until the end of the 18th century. The upper city is easy to reach with the funicular railway, and its main square, the Piazza Vecchia, hosts the most important religious and civic buildings as well as representing the focus for most of the main commercial and historic streets. Lunch on your own. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 4 MILAN

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the airport in time for your flight back. End of services.



4 DAYS/ 3 NIGHTS FROM € 329

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone



VENICE CITY BREAK

DAY 1

VENICE - TREVISO/ JESOLO

Arrival at Venice airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel in Verona area. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

VENICE

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/boat. Meet the guide and start the guided tour of this city, considered one of the most beautiful in the whole world. Sited on a group of 118 small islands separated by canals and linked by bridges, it is located in the marshy Venetian Lagoon which stretches along the shoreline, between the Po and the Piave Rivers. Venice is renowned for the beauty of its setting, its spectacular architecture and its artworks. The city in its entirety is listed as a World Heritage Site, along with its lagoon. You will get the chance to see: St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Basilica, the Doges Palace and the Bridge of Sighs that connects the Palace to the prisons. Lunch on your own and relax time to walk up and down the romantic canals crossed by narrow bridges. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

LAGOON ISLANDS (optional)

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/ boat. Full day at your disposal or option excursion at the small Islands in the Venetian Lagoon: Burano and Murano, located north of the historic centre of Venice. Murano and Burano offer beautiful handicrafts that have made them famous worldwide: the first is characterized by the centuries-old glass manufacturing, the second for its sophisticated lace, not to mention the original colourful buildings. Visiting Murano and Burano will give you the most authentic and unusual side of Venice. Typical lunch in restaurant on Burano Island. Return to the center of Venice, free time. Transfer back to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

VENICE

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



4 DAYS/ 3 NIGHTS FROM € 339

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone



FLORENCE CITY BREAK



DAY 1

ROME - MONTECATINI

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel in Montecatini area. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

FLORENCE

Hotel breakfast. Full day excursion to Florence, the wonderful heart of the Renaissance, and the capital city of the Italian Region of Tuscany. Centre of medieval European trade and finance and one of the wealthiest cities of the time, Florence is considered the birthplace of the Renaissance, and has been called the Athens of the Middle Ages. A turbulent political history includes periods of ruling by the powerful Medici family, and numerous religious and republican revolutions. From 1865 to 1871 the city was also the capital of the recently established Kingdom of Italy. The historic centre attracts millions of tourists each year, and Florence is ranked as one of the most visited cities in the world. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1982, the city contains numerous museums and art galleries, such as the Uffizi Gallery and the Pitti Palace and still exerts an influence in the fields of art, culture and politics. Florence is also an important city in Italian fashion, being ranked within the top fifty

fashion capitals of the world. On arrival, 3-hour guided tour of the city and get the chance, among others, to see the "David" sculpture by Michelangelo. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon free time to visit individually this magnificent city. Late afternoon return to your hotel in Montecatini. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

MONTECATINI/ PISA - LUCCA (optional)

Hotel breakfast and whole day free for leisure in your spa hotel in Montecatini Terme. Otherwise optional excursion to visit Lucca and Pisa. For its monumental and historic wealth, Lucca has been proposed as addition to Unesco World Heritage Sites. The old town has preserved its medieval appearance with ancient churches, bell towers and monumental renaissance palaces. Lunch on your own. Afternoon arrival in Pisa, famous for the monumental Cathedral and the Leaning Tower. In the evening turn back to Montecatini. Dinner and overnight in hotel.

DAY 4

MONTECATINI - ROME

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



4 DAYS/ 3 NIGHTS FROM € 329

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone



ROME CITY BREAK



DAY 1

ROME

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

ROME

Hotel breakfast and meet with English speaking guide for a full day tour of Rome, the capital of Italy and also of the Lazio Region. Rome's history spans more than 2500 years, since its legendary founding in 753 BC and it is referred to as "The Eternal City". In the ancient world, it was successively the capital city of the Roman Kingdom, the Roman Republic and the Roman Empire, and is regarded as one of the birthplaces of Western civilization. You will see the Fori Imperiali, the Colosseum, Constantine's Arch, and all the other most astonishing sights of Ancient Rome. Lunch on your own. Time for a stroll in Piazza di Spagna, with worldfamous Trinità dei Monti steps, take a picture by the Trevi Fountain, Piazza Navona and, finally reach the Pantheon. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

ROME

Hotel breakfast. Morning visit of the Vatican Museums, originated as a group of sculptures collected by Pope Julius II (1503-1513) and placed in what today is the "Cortile Ottaviano" within the museum complex. Continue your sightseeing with the visit of the Sistine Chapel, without doubt one of the greatest art treasures of all time, one of the most celebrated masterpieces in the world, with amazing frescoed ceilings by Michelangelo. It's the last stop on the Vatican Museum tour and is the most ardently awaited moment for millions of tourists from around the world. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon time for free or option visit of the 3 most important cathedrals in Rome: San Giovanni in Laterano, Santa Maria Maggiore and San Paolo fuori le Mura. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

ROME

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



4 DAYS/ 3 NIGHTS FROM € 469

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone
- Reservation to the Vatican Museum.



REGION LOMBARDY



DAY 1

MILAN

Arrive in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Milan is the second largest city in Italy and the capital of the Lombardy Region. Hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

MILAN

Hotel breakfast. Start the guided city tour of this amazing city, which combines art, fashion, style and finance. See the Duomo, the Vittorio Emanuele Gallery (called Milan's lounge), the Scala opera House and the amazing Castello Sforzesco, once home of the Sforza family, and "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, in Chiesa Santa Maria delle Grazie. Lunch is on your own. In the afternoon free time at disposal to enjoy your shopping in the most fashionable city in the world. You will be able to explore personally Via Montenapoleone and Via della Spiga, where all the great stylists' boutiques are located, and see with your eyes what you normally see on catwalks. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

MILAN - BERGAMO - BRESCIA

Hotel breakfast and transfer to Bergamo for a full day guided city tour. In the Alpine foothills, just 50 km from Milan, Bergamo is the most striking town in Lombardy. Structured in two levels, the lower city is more modern and dynamic, whilst the famous 'upper city' boasts a stunning historic centre full of monuments and works of art. Considered one of the richest and most elegant cities in Italy, Bergamo owes its splendour to the domination of Venice, which ruled the city from the beginning of the 15th century until the end of the 18th century. The upper city is easy to reach with the funicular railway, and its main square, the Piazza Vecchia, hosts the most important religious and civic buildings as well as representing the focus for most of the main commercial and historic streets. Travel to Brescia. Hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

BRESCIA - FRANCIACORTA

Hotel breakfast. Visit of Brescia, rich industrial city between Lake Garda and the Valtrompia in the foothills of the Alps, about 100 km east of Milan. You will see the Tempio Capitolino, the old Roman ruins, the last remains of what once was the city's forum during the Roman Empire, built by the emperor Vespasian, and then Santa Giulia's cloister, a museum and former convent which houses a massive collection of art and archeology dating back more than 10,000 years. Lunch at leisure. Transfer to Franciacorta. This area belongs to the Province of Brescia and it extends from Mount Orfano

to the shores of Lake Iseo. The climate is rather mild. Thanks to the proximity south to the Alps' foothills and nearby important lakes, the ground of gravel and limestone is ideal for grapes, so on the rolling hills shaped by glacial action many well known wines are produced (Berlucchi, Bellavista, Cà del Bosco, Mosnel, Cavalleri, etc). This area established a "Strada del Vino Franciacorta" on the model of the famed German Wine Route (Weinstraße) in 2001. In the afternoon visit of a wine cellar. Back to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

BRESCIA - LAKE GARDA - BRESCIA

Hotel breakfast and meet the guide to start your full day excursion around the lake. Start by driving to Sirmione, located on the south coast, a particularly popular destination, home to the Virgilio & Catullo Spa Complexes, as well as numerous restaurants, bars, hotels, fashion stores. The picturesque Scaliger Castle dates from the 13th century. The Roman poet Catullus had a villa here, and visitors can see an ancient Roman Spa named "Grotte di Catullo". Free time for lunch. In the afternoon cross by boat* to the other side and visit Salò and Gardone Riviera. Back to Brescia, dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

BRESCIA - MANTUA - BRESCIA

Hotel breakfast. Depart towards Mantua, beautiful art city surrounded on three sides by lakes formed by the Mincio River, southwest of Verona. Start the guided tour: at the centre of the city stands its cathedral, which was rebuilt in the 16th century. The vast Ducal Palace, also called the Reggia of the Gonzagas, stands opposite the cathedral. You will also see the "Palazzo del Te", a spectacular building and masterpiece of art which still echoes Renaissance atmospheres. In 2008 Mantua was designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Lunch at leisure. On the way back stop in Borghetto, medieval village. Back to Brescia, dinner and overnight.

DAY 7

BRESCIA - MILAN

Hotel breakfast. Transfer back to Milan airport in time for your flight. End of services.



7 DAYS/ 6 NIGHTS FROM € 689

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Wine tasting in Franciacorta
- Boat on Garda Lake



LAKE GARDA AND THE DOLOMITES

DAY 1

MILAN - LAKE GARDA

Arrival in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Transfer to Garda Lake. Hotel check-in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

LAKE GARDA

Hotel breakfast and meet the guide to start your full day excursion around the lake. Start by driving to Sirmione, located on the south coast, a particularly popular destination, home to the Virgilio & Catullo Spa Complexes, as well as numerous restaurants, bars, hotels, fashion stores. The picturesque Scaliger Castle dates from the 13th century. The Roman poet Catullus had a villa here, and visitors can see an ancient Roman Spa named "Grotte di Catullo". Cross by boat* to the other side and visit Salò and Gardone Riviera. Free time for lunch during the excursion. Dinner and overnight in the hotel.

DAY 3

LAKE GARDA - THE DOLOMITES

Hotel breakfast and leave for the Dolomites area, one of the most beautiful mountain regions in the world. Stop to take a picture right on the shore of Lake Carezza, this crystal clear blue lake and then drive on to Canazei, strategically placed in the upper part of the Val di Fassa. Lunch at leisure. Located at the base of the Pordoi, Sella and Fedaia Passes, Canazei is base station for many excursions and rock climbs to the Sella, Marmolada and Sassolungo Groups. Transfer to your hotel. Check in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

VAL DI FASSA - CORTINA D'AMPEZZO - TREVISO

Hotel breakfast. Drive all the way up to the Pordoi Pass and once on top get the chance to enjoy the spectacular view

stretching all the way to the Sella Mountain Group and the Dolomites. Then continue towards Cortina d'Ampezzo, Italy's premier mountain resort, exclusively positioned in the heart of the Dolomites, one of the most beautiful and unique alpine regions in the world. Lunch at leisure and time to enjoy a stroll and see the luxurious boutiques. In the evening arrival in Treviso, hotel check-in, dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 5

TREVISO - WAY OF PROSECCO

Hotel breakfast and morning guided tour of Treviso, also known as Little Venice for the impressive network of waterways that runs through the historical centre, Treviso is mentioned in the ninth canto of the Divine Comedy as the place "where the Sile and Cagnan are accompanied". Heart of the city and meeting place in Treviso is Piazza dei Signori, dotted with historic buildings like the Palazzo dei Trecento and Loggia Dei Cavalieri. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon excursion on the Prosecco Way. Stop in Valdobbiadene for wine tasting and short visit of Conegliano, in a privileged position on the foothills of Treviso, this town is another centre of production of Prosecco. In the elegant historic centre you will have the opportunity to admire the Castello Scagliero, dominated by a high crenelated tower which houses the city museum. Back to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

TREVISO - VENICE

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your flight. End of services.



6 DAYS/ 5 NIGHTS FROM € 569

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Wine tasting in Prosecco Valley





DISCOVER TRENTINO DOLOMITES



DAY 1

ITALY - TRENTINO

Welcome to Milan Airport. Transfer to **TRENTINO ALPINE REGION OF ITALY**.

Accommodation Hotel check in. Dinner on your own. Overnight.

DAY 2

MOLVENO

Hotel breakfast and Hiking to Molveno Pradel Brenta Group – Dolomite World's Heritage Group. Lunch in Mountain Hut. The location offers a spectacular view of the Brenta Dolomites and make sure to treat yourself to a tasty lunch of polenta cooked slowly over an open fire along with a selection of local cured meats and cheeses. Dinner on your own. Overnight.

DAY 3

LAKE GARDA

Breakfast at the hotel and departure to Lake Garda. Trip from Riva (or from Torbole) to Limone and return. Departure from Riva (Canale della Rocca or from Torbole). We sail along the western side of the lake, passing in front of the Ponale waterfalls. The journey continues to Limone where the lemon groves can be seen from the lake. A stopover is foreseen (usually 1 and a half hours). We set off again, crossing the lake to reach the eastern side. We sail along the coast passing in front of Tempesta, Villa Bella, Torbole to arrive back at Riva (or Torbole). Length of the trip with stopover: about 2 and a half hours. After: A lakeside aperitif at sunset, with a glass of Aperitif (with or without alcohol) Lunch and dinner on your own. Overnight.



DAY 4**TRENTINO- E-BIKE - TRENTO**

Breakfast at the hotel. Departure to rent the E-bike. A pleasant and flavourful afternoon awaits you in this wine excursion to lovely Trentino.

DAY 5**TRENTO CITY**

Hotel breakfast. Drive to Trento City. Meeting with the guide and visit the capital of the autonomous province of Trento. In the 16th century, the city was the location of the Council of Trent. Formerly part of Austria and Austria-Hungary, it was annexed by Italy in 1919. Trento offers rather interesting monuments: Cathedral of St Vigilius with the Late Baroque Fountain of Neptune, Church of Santa Maria Maggiore, Buonconsiglio Castle, Torre Verde (Green Tower), along the former transit path of the Adige river, is said to be where persons executed in the name of the Prince-Bishop were deposited in the river. Lunch and dinner on your own. Free time for shopping or visit. Back to the hotel. Overnight.

DAY 6**VAL DI NON – THE ROAD OF THE APPLES**

Hotel breakfast. Departure to the Road of the Apples and Flavours. In the heart of the Trentino a new gastronomic initiative has been established, the so-called Road of the Apples and Flavours (Strada della Mela e dei Saporì). It is located in the Val di Non and Val di Sole valleys, at the feet of mighty mountains, such as the Brenta Dolomites, the Ortles-Cevedale massif and the Maddalene. The valleys,

where apples and fruits have been in cultivation for centuries, are connected by this road. In September and October, when the cows and sheep come home from the alpine pastures and the time for the apple harvest has come, autumn is really celebrated here. Lunch and dinner on your own. Overnight.

DAY 7**NARDIS WATERFALLS**

Hotel breakfast. Departure to the excursion : Nardis Waterfalls- over 130 metres high surrounded by the mountains of the Adamello Brenta Nature Park. The natural, wild Val di Genova valley is located at the headwaters of an arm of the Sarca River, called Sarca di Genova. Here the waters of the glacial streams of Adamello and Presanella gather. Parallel to the mountain road, at the edge of the forest and on the banks of the Sarca, runs a forest path that connects the imposing waterfalls. We hike from the Ponte Verde car park at the entrance of the valley to the Nardis and Lares Waterfalls, to the hamlet of La Todesca. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon, stop in MADONNA di CAMPIGLIO: the pearl of the Dolomites in Trentino. Dinner on your own. Overnight in Trento.

DAY 8**DEPARTURE**

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Milan Airport end of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 710

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone
- Rent e-bike 2 hours
- Boat trip



CHARMING GARDA LAKE AND IT'S AMUSEMENT PARKS



DAY 1

MILAN - LAKE GARDA

Arrive in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Transfer to Riva del Garda area. Late afternoon hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

RIVA DEL GARDA - VARONE FALLS - MALCESINE - LAZISE

Hotel breakfast. Visit Riva del Garda, elegant and vibrant city right on the Garda Lake, the biggest lake in Italy, much loved by poets and writers of all times. Short excursion to Varone Falls, one of the most popular natural attractions. Go ahead on the panoramic route of the eastern part of the lake to Malcesine. Stop for lunch on your own. Panoramic tour of Malcesine, beautiful lake town governed from 1405 to 1797 by The Republic of Venice. Arrive in Lazise and visit (external) the famous Castle "Castello Scaligero". Transfer to the hotel in the southern part of the lake. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

LIMONE DEL GARDA - TOSCOLANO MADERNO - GADONE RIVIERA

Hotel breakfast and depart by ferry boat to Limone sul Garda, once one of the most productive lemon-growing spots in Italy! Lunch on your own. The day is dedicated to the visit of the north western part of the lake. Drive to Toscolano-Maderno for a short panoramic tour and then to Gardone Riviera to visit the Vittoriale degli Italiani (The shrine of Italian Victories), a hillside estate overlooking the Garda Lake. It is where the Italian writer Gabriele D'Annunzio lived after his defenestration in 1922 and until his death in 1938. The estate consists of the residence of d'Annunzio called the Prioria (Priory), an amphitheatre, the light cruiser Puglia set into a hillside, a boathouse containing the MAS vessel used by D'Annunzio in 1918 and a circular mausoleum. Back to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

SALÒ - DESENZANO DEL GARDA

Hotel breakfast. Depart to Salò for a walk along the elegant lake front and for lunch on your own. Time for shopping and then transfer to Desenzano del Garda, where you will also get the chance to stroll along the narrow city centre streets full of shops and boutiques. Back to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

SIRMIONE - GROTTA DI CATULLO - PARCO SIGURTÀ (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Depart towards Sirmione, with its picturesque Scaliger Castle from the 13th century. The Roman poet Catullus had a villa here, and you will also see the

ancient Roman Spa named "Grotte di Catullo". Lunch at leisure and in the afternoon time for leisure or optional excursion to Parco Sigurtà, which covers an area of 600,000 square meters and extends to the edges of the morainic hills close to Lake Garda, lying just eight kilometres south of Peschiera. It started off as the gardens of Villa Maffei, once the headquarters of Napoleone III. Then following over forty years of loving care, Carlo Sigurtà took advantage of the water-drawing rights from the river Mincio to achieve the "prodigious" success of turning an arid hill into a flourishing and spectacular green area. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

GARDALAND

Hotel breakfast and transfer to Gardaland. Whole day at leisure. Evening transfer to your hotel. Overnight.

DAY 7

CANEVA WORLD

Hotel breakfast and transfer to Caneva World Park. Whole day at leisure. Evening transfer to your hotel. Overnight.

DAY 8

DESENZANO DEL GARDA - MILAN

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Milan airport in time for your flight and end of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 719

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort form 1st till 5th day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone
- Entrance fees (NOT INCLUDED GARDALAND AND CANEVA WORLD)

ALSO INCLUDED

- Ferry boat to Sirmione



THE MOTOR VALLEY

DAY 1 BOLOGNA

Arrival in Bologna and meet with English speaking assistant. Transfer to your hotel and check-in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 2 DUCATI - LAMBORGHINI

Hotel breakfast. Morning departure to Borgo Panigale (a district of Bologna) for the visit at the Museum and Fabric of Ducati Motors to learn more about the 90 years story of the company, word famous for it's style, performance and research of perfection. You will have the possibility to visit the fabric and see how a Ducati cycle "born" but also to know the fabric life of people working there. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon a similar experience you will live, visiting the Lamborghini museum and factory in Sant'Agata Bolognese. Lamborghini's history is the story of a dream come true. The dream of it's founder, Ferruccio Lamborghini, was to make the perfect car. Today it's the car brand that manufactures the most coveted super sports car in the world. Hotel transfer. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3 MASERATI

Hotel breakfast. Morning visit of Museo Panini near Modena, with displays of unique pieces of Umberto Panini Collection, with a large exhibition of vintage cars, mainly Maserati, a section dedicated to motorcycles and vintage scooter, and an unusual but fascinating collection of vintage tractors. The private collection is housed on the farm "Hombre", producer of organic Parmigiano Reggiano DOP cheese! After the visit, cheese tasting. Lunch free and afternoon visit of Maserati Showroom in Modena, inside the factory, (excluding public holidays and the month of August). Inside the showroom and the Maserati store, you can admire cars currently in production, a modern car configurator, ahistorical diorama and the "loop", the semi suspended ring designed by the famous architect Ron Arad. Transfer back to your hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4 FERRARI

Hotel breakfast and visit the Home Museum of Enzo Ferrari, which includes Enzo Ferrari's Birthplace and a futuristic automotive design gallery, painted in the yellow colour that Enzo Ferrari chose as the background for the prancing horse on his famous logo. The interior features a multimedia display of pictures, unpublished films and precious mementos of Enzo Ferrari's life as a man, driver and carmaker throughout the 20th century. The visitor embarks on an exciting, emotional journey, in the age of huge challenges and the passion for speed, to discover the myth. Lunch at leisure and continue to Maranello, which embodies the myth of

the "Red Cars": here in 1943 the most prestigious car industry in the world was founded. Ferrari, a symbol of high technology and passion for car speed, innovation and technical know-how. Stop and visit Museo Ferrari. Completely renovated and now with more exhibition space, it anticipates the museum of the future: not just a collection of the past, but an extraordinary experience of the world of Ferrari, where the historical cars and history are the pretext to understand and get to know today's models, Formula 1 content and technology and the outlook towards the future. This experience is offered via the cars, big screens and films, interactive tools such as the explanation of the Grand Prix pit wall and the possibility to turn into a Formula 1 driver on board of a semi-professional simulator (for payment). Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5 BOLOGNA

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your flight. End of services.



5 DAYS/ 4 NIGHTS FROM € 559

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort form 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Ferrari Museum in Maranello
- Enzo Ferrari Museum
- Umberto Panini Museum
- Ducati Fabric and Museum
- Lamborghini Fabric and Museum



A TASTE OF EMILIA ROMAGNA FICO

DAY 1

BOLOGNA

Arrive in Bologna and meet with your English speaking assistant. Hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

BOLOGNA - MODENA - BOLOGNA

Hotel breakfast. Morning guided tour of Modena. The city is home of the Balsamic Vinegar, a locally produced vinegar boasting unique characteristics and preciousness. Dating back to the Middle Ages, the production is mentioned in a document dated 1046. During the Renaissance, it was appreciated in the House of Este and today is highly valued by chefs and gourmet food lovers from all over the world. The name "Aceto Balsamico di Modena" (Traditional Balsamic Vinegar of Modena) and "Aceto Balsamico di Reggio Emilia" (Traditional Balsamic Vinegar of Reggio Emilia) are protected by the European Union's Protected Designation of Origin. The tour of the producing company will include a tasting. Typical lunch in Modena. Back to Bologna and walking guided tour. The city, the first settlements of which date back to at least 1000 BC, has always been an important urban centre, first under the Etruscans and the Celts, then under the Romans, then again in the Middle Ages, as a free municipality (for one century it was the fifth largest European city based on population). Home to the oldest University in the world, founded in 1088, Bologna hosts thousands of students who enrich the social and cultural life of the city. Famous for its towers and lengthy porticoes, it has a well-preserved historical centre (one of the largest in Italy) thanks to a careful restoration and conservation policy. During the walking tour, we will stop by and visit some of the most traditional culinary shops in town, which take pride in a very long tradition going back many generations, selling cheese, charcuterie, sweets and cakes (Tamburini, Atti, Vecchia Malga, Enoteca Italiana, Pescherie Vecchie Marlet, etc). Back to the hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

FICO - RAVENNA - BOLOGNA

Hotel breakfast and then start with the visit of FICO EAT-ALY WORLD, an outdoor area of 20.000 sqm, to learn more about Italian crops and the most representative local animal breeds. Visit with a Biodiversity Ambassador who will take you to the heart of the park: the 40 farming factories, where you can meet and speak with artisans to learn about the process of making iconic Italian food products. Lunch in one of the restaurants of the park, and continue to Ravenna, the capital city of the Western Roman Empire from 402 until that empire collapsed in 476. Once the capital of Rome's Western Empire, Ravenna's early importance as a centre of Byzantine art and culture still shines through today. Although an inland city, Ravenna is connected to the Adriatic Sea

by the Candiano Canal. It is the location of eight UNESCO World Heritage Sites, mostly basilicas, enriched by the world famous mosaics the city is known for. Dinner in typical restaurant to enjoy the excellent local cuisine characterized by sea food. Back to Bologna. Hotel overnight.

DAY 4

PARMA - BOLOGNA

Hotel breakfast. Short guided tour of Parma's historical centre: the Dome, the Baptistery, Chiesa della Steccata, National Gallery. Then head to the Rosa Dell'Angelo ham producing bio diversity farm, well known for its "prosciutti" like the Culatello, Pancetta, Parma Ham and many more. The specialized guide will walk you through some of the food excellences of our time, with great passion and technical know-how, before you taste the specialties in the Prosciutto Bar. Lunch in local restaurant. In the afternoon you will get the chance to visit a Parmesan maker, to find out more about what's called "the King of Cheese". You will get the chance to see all the production phases and you will also be offered the possibility to buy Parmigiano Reggiano directly from the cheese maker. Back to hotel in Bologna, dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

BOLOGNA

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the airport in time for your flight back. End of services.



5 DAYS/ 4 NIGHTS FROM € 599

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Guided visit of FICO Biodiversity Park in Bologna
- Visit to wine and ham producing farm near Parma
- Visit of a Parmesan cheese factory near Parma
- Visit to vinegar producing company in Modena



NAPLES AND THE AMALFI COAST

DAY 1

ROME - NAPLES

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel in Naples. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

POMPEI - NAPLES

Hotel breakfast and leave for Pompei, visit the archaeological museum and see how life was before the volcano Vesuvius hit in 79 B.C.: the alleys, the town forum, the bakery, the spas, the homes, a perfect reconstruction of family life at that time. Lunch on your own, in the afternoon panoramic tour of Naples the capital of the Italian region Campania and the third-largest municipality in Italy, after Rome and Milan. It is one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. Bronze Age Greek settlements were established in the Naples area in the second millennium BC. Naples' historic city centre is the largest in Europe, enclosing 27 centuries of history, is listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. Naples has long been a major cultural centre with a global sphere of influence, particularly during the Renaissance and Enlightenment eras. Back to your hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

CAPRI

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the pier where you will embark on the ferry going to Capri, one of the most spectacular islands on the Mediterranean Sea, right in front of the Sor-

rentine Peninsula. Enchanting and picturesque, Capri is an island made of limestone rock, a favourite of Roman emperors, the rich and famous, artists, and writers; it's still one of the Mediterranean's must-see places. The island's top attraction is the famous Blue Grotto, Grotta Azzurra. Beaches are scattered around the island. There are only two towns - Capri, just above Marina Grande, and Anacapri, the higher town. Lemon trees, flowers, and birds are abundant and altogether provide that special Capri atmosphere. Spend the whole day on the island where you will have a panoramic tour and lunch on your own. You will also enjoy some spare time to do some shopping in the small boutique shops the world's jetsetters love so much. Return back to the mainland and dinner and overnight at your hotel

DAY 4

NAPLES - COSTIERA AMALFITANA (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Whole day at leisure to explore the city on your own or option excursion to the Amalfi Coast. Panoramic tour along a coastal stretch with an explosion of Mediterranean colors and scents, stop in Amalfi, Positano and Sorrento. Lunch at your leisure. In the late afternoon turn back to Naples for dinner and overnight in your hotel.

DAY 5

NAPLES - ROME

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



5 DAYS/ 4 NIGHTS FROM € 519

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Boat trip to Capri Island



BEST OF ITALY, ROME AND THE ART CITIES OF TUSCANY



DAY 1 ROME - MONTECATINI

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel in Montecatini area. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2 FLORENCE

Hotel breakfast. Full day excursion to Florence, the wonderful heart of the Renaissance, and the capital city of the Italian Region of Tuscany. Centre of medieval European trade and finance and one of the wealthiest cities of the time, Florence is considered the birthplace of the Renaissance, and has been called the Athens of the Middle Ages. A turbulent political history includes periods of ruling by the powerful Medici family, and numerous religious and republican revolutions. From 1865 to 1871 the city was also the capital of the recently established Kingdom of Italy. The historic centre attracts millions of tourists each year, and Florence is ranked as one of the most visited cities in the world. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1982, the city contains numerous museums and art galleries, such as the Uffizi Gallery and the Pitti Palace and still exerts an influence in the fields of art, culture and politics. Florence is also an important city in Italian fashion, being ranked within the top fifty fashion capitals of the world. On arrival, 3-hour guided tour of the city and get the chance, among others, to see the "David" sculpture by Michelangelo. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon free time to visit individually this magnify city. Late afternoon return to your hotel in Montecatini. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3 MONTECATINI - PISA - LUCCA (optional)

Hotel breakfast and whole day free for leisure in your spa hotel in Montecatini Terme. Otherwise optional excursion to visit Lucca and Pisa. For its monumental and historic wealth, Lucca has been proposed as addition to Unesco World Heritage Sites. The old town has preserved its medieval appearance with ancient churches, bell towers and monumental renaissance palaces. Lunch on your own. Afternoon arrival in Pisa, famous for the monumental Cathedral and the Leaning Tower. In the evening turn back to Montecatini. Dinner and overnight in hotel.



DAY 4**CINQUE TERRE**

Hotel breakfast. Full day trip to the Cinque Terre in Liguria, where the coast is punctuated by picturesque small fishing villages. You'll enjoy the views of these picturesque - postcard villages and a boat ride or train ride along the coast. Lunch on your own. Return to Montecatini. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 5**CHIANTI REGION - SIENA - ROME**

Hotel breakfast and leave for Siena, driving through the beautiful region of the Chianti wine. The tradition of cultivating vines in Chianti goes back a long time in history, back to the Etruscans that inhabited the area before the Roman empire. In 1984, Chianti obtained the denomination D.O.C.G. (Denominazione d'Origine Controllata e Garantita, or Controlled and Guaranteed Denomination of Origin), which is the highest type of recognition for quality Italian wines. Stop for wine tasting. Travel to Siena. Lunch on your own and 2 hours guided visit of Siena, one of the most beautiful medieval towns in Italy. Its historic centre has been declared by UNESCO a World Heritage Site. It is one of the nation's most visited tourist attractions, and its famous for its cuisine, art, museums, medieval cityscape and the Palio, a horse race in traditional costumes. Drive to Rome, check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 6**ROME**

Hotel breakfast and meet with English speaking guide for a full day tour of Rome, the capital of Italy and also of the Lazio Region. Rome's history spans more than 2500 years, since its legendary founding in 753 BC and it is referred to as "The Eternal City". In the ancient world it was successively the capital city of the Roman Kingdom, the Roman Republic and the Roman Empire, and is regarded as one of the birthplaces of Western civilization. You will see the Fori Imperiali, the Colosseum, Constantine's Arch, and all the other most astonishing sights of Ancient Rome. Lunch on your own. Time for a stroll in Piazza di Spagna, with worldfamous Trinità dei Monti steps, take a picture by the Trevi Fountain, Piazza Navona and, finally reach the Pantheon. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 7**ROME**

Hotel breakfast. Morning visit of the Vatican Museums, originated as a group of sculptures collected by Pope Julius II (1503-1513) and placed in what today is the "Cortile Ottagono" within the museum complex. Continue your sightseeing with the visit of the Sistine Chapel, without doubt one of the greatest art treasures of all time, one of the most celebrated masterpieces in the world, with amazing frescoed ceilings by Michelangelo. It's the last stop on the Vatican Museum tour and is the most ardently awaited moment for millions of tourists from around the world. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon time for free or option visit of the 3 most important cathedrals in Rome: San Giovanni in Laterano, Santa Maria Maggiore and San Paolo fuori le Mura. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 8**ROME**

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 999

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
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- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
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- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
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ALSO INCLUDED

- Reservation to the Vatican Museums
- Wine tasting in Chianti



BEST OF ITALY: ROME, NAPLES, AMALFI COAST AND SICILY



DAY 1

ROME

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

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DAY 3

ROME - NAPLES

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DAY 4

POMPEI - NAPLES

Hotel breakfast and leave for Pompei, visit the archaeological museum and see how life was before the volcano Ve-

suvius hit in 79 B.C.: the alleys, the town forum, the bakery, the spas, the homes, a perfect reconstruction of family life at that time. Lunch on your own, in the afternoon panoramic tour of Naples the capital of the Italian region Campania and the third-largest municipality in Italy, after Rome and Milan. It is one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. Bronze Age Greek settlements were established in the Naples area in the second millennium BC. Naples' historic city centre is the largest in Europe, enclosing 27 centuries of history, is listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. Naples has long been a major cultural centre with a global sphere of influence, particularly during the Renaissance and Enlightenment eras. Back to your hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

CAPRI

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rors, the rich and famous, artists, and writers, it's still one of the Mediterranean's must-see places. The island's top attraction is the famous Blue Grotto, Grotta Azzurra. Beaches are scattered around the island. There are only two towns -Capri, just above Marina Grande, and Anacapri, the higher town. Lemon trees, flowers, and birds are abundant and altogether provide that special Capri atmosphere. Spend the whole day on the island where you will have a panoramic tour and lunch on your own. You will also enjoy some spare time to do some shopping in the small boutique shops the world's jetsetters love so much. Return to the mainland for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

DAY 6

NAPLES - COSTIERA AMALFITANA (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Whole day at leisure to explore the city on your own or option excursion to the Amalfi Coast. Panoramic tour along a coastal stretch with an explosion of Mediterranean colours and scents, stop in Amalfi, Positano and Sorrento. Lunch at your leisure. In the late afternoon, leave from Naples to Palermo in Sicily by ferryboat. Dinner at your leisure. Cabin accommodation on board.

DAY 7

PALERMO - MONREALE

Breakfast at your leisure on board. In the morning, half day guided tour of Palermo. Its original name (Panormus) means large port and it was a meeting point between East and West. You will see the Cathedral, which houses the tomb of the Norman Kings and the Swabian Emperor Frederick II, and the Church of San Giovanni degli Eremiti. Lunch on your own and depart to Monreale, to visit the astonishing Duomo, which, thanks to its mosaics, is often called "The eighth wonder of the world". Return to Palermo, dinner and overnight in the hotel.

DAY 8

ERYX - SELINUNTE - AGRIGENTO

Hotel breakfast. Departure for Eryx, one of the major cities of the Elymian people, one of the three indigenous native groups of Sicily. Eryx is mentioned by Latin poets, like Virgilio, as a mountain of the first order of magnitude, and is associated with gods like Athos and Atena. On its summit stands a celebrated temple of Venus or Aphrodite, founded, according to the current legend, by Aeneas. Free time for lunch and then reach Selinunte for a guided tour of the "Collina Orientale", home of many temples and of the Acropolis. Transfer to your hotel in Agrigento area. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 9

AGRIGENTO - PIAZZA ARMERINA - CATANIA

Hotel breakfast. Morning guided tour of the Valley of Tem-

ples, which boasts one of the greatest treasures that Greek civilization created in the ancient city of Acraeas, during its most glorious period (5th Century B.C.) The most important temples are dedicated to the goddesses Juno and Concordia, to the Legend of Hercules, to Olympic Jupiter and the twins Castor and Pollux. Free lunch and then continue towards Piazza Armerina, one of the most important archaeological sites in Sicily. About 3 km from where the town is presently situated, visit Villa Casale, a Roman villa adorned with astonishing mosaics from the Roman Imperial Period. Transfer to your hotel in Catania area. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 10

SIRACUSA - NOTO - CATANIA

Hotel breakfast. Depart to Siracusa, rich in historical findings, a city divided into 2 parts: Ortigia Island (the ancient centre) and Neapolis, the archaeological site. See the Greek theatre, Latomie, the artificial Cave called "Dionysus's Ear" and the Roman amphitheatre dating from the 3rd Century AD. Free lunch and travel to Noto, the triumph of Sicilian baroque style. Guided visit of the historical city centre with the churches San Carlo Borromeo and San Domenico and numerous noble palaces. Back to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 11

CATANIA - CYCLOPS COAST - ARCIREALE

Hotel breakfast. Morning panoramic tour of Catania, located right at the foot of the Volcano Etna. See Piazza Duomo, the very heart of Catania with the Cathedral and the Elephant Fountain, Via Crociferi, Municipal Palace, Chierici Palace, the Benedictine Monastery and Villa Bellini, with its beautiful gardens. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon panoramic tour along the Cyclops Coast with Aci Castello, Aci Trezza and Aci Reale. Hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 12

TAORMINA - CEFALU - PALERMO

Hotel breakfast. Morning departure for Taormina, in the world famous Naxos Bay, site of the first Greek colony in Italy, with spectacular views of the Etna and the Calabrian Coast. Short visit of its Hellenic theatre, and then free time in the beautiful downtown with Piazza Corvaja and the Arab Tower. Travel to Palermo with short stop in Cefalù. Of greek foundation, it is a lively and beautiful town, as well as a major tourist attraction in Sicily, right at the very foot of the Monte Madonie. Lunch on your own. Late afternoon arrival in Palermo. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 13

PALERMO

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Palermo airport in time for your flight home, via Rome. End of Services.



13 DAYS/ 12 NIGHTS FROM € 1.669

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Cabin (inside) accommodation in ferry ship for Sicily, with private facilities, with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Reservation to the Vatican Museums
- Boat trip to Capri Island



BEST OF ITALY: FROM NORTH TO SOUTH WITH APULIA



DAY 1

MILAN

Arrive in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Milan is the second largest city in Italy and the capital of the Lombardy Region. Hotel check in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

MILAN - STRESA

Hotel breakfast. Start the guided city tour of this amazing city combining art, fashion, style and finance. See the Duomo, the Vittorio Emanuele Gallery (called Milan's lounge), the Scala opera House and the amazing Castello Sforzesco, once home of the Sforza family, and "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, in Chiesa Santa Maria delle Grazie. Lunch is on your own. In the afternoon free time at disposal to enjoy your shopping in the most fashionable city in the world. You will be able to explore Via Montenapoleone and Via della Spiga, where all the great stylists' boutiques are located, and see with your eyes what you normally see on catwalks. Transfer to Stresa, hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

LAKE MAGGIORE

Hotel breakfast and depart from the Stresa Pier to the Borromean Islands. Visit Isola Bella with the Borromeo Palace and its beautiful botanical garden. Until 1632 the island was a rocky crag occupied by a tiny fishing village: but that year Carlo III of the influential House of Borromeo began the construction of a palazzo dedicated to his wife, Isabella D'Adda, from whom the island takes its name. Then Isola dei Pescatori with its lovely landscape. Here the traditional occupation of fishing still exists, but tourism has become central to the economic life of the island, as its picturesque charms have made it a popular destination. Time at leisure for lunch. In the afternoon, continue navigation to the Isola Madre and visit its exotic garden, covering an area of eight hectares whose construction in the English style began in the late eighteenth century on the site of a citrus orchard. Particularly prized is the scala dei morti, or staircase of the dead. Evening return to Stresa. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

LAKE GARDA

Hotel breakfast and departure for Lake Garda, the biggest lake in Italy, one of northern Italy's most popular tourist destinations. Arrival in Desenzano del Garda for the lunch on your own. Free time, you will also get the chance to stroll along the narrow city centre streets full of shops and boutiques. Transfer to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

VERONA - TREVISO/ JESOLO

Hotel breakfast and depart towards Verona, Romeo and

Juliet's town. The city's main attractions includes Castelvecchio, Gavi Arch, Borsari Gate, Pietra Bridge and the Roman Theatre. Then you will walk to the Scaligera Arches before reaching Piazza dei Signori, Piazza delle Erbe, Juliet's house and the world famous Arena, a Roman amphitheater dating back to 1st Century a.d.. Time at disposal for lunch. Afternoon drive to Lake Garda, the biggest lake in Italy, one of northern Italy's most popular tourist destinations. Visit of Sirmione. Transfer to Venice area, hotel check in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

VENICE

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/boat. Meet the guide and start the guided tour of this city, considered one of the most beautiful in the whole world. Sited on a group of 118 small islands separated by canals and linked by bridges, it is located in the marshy Venetian Lagoon which stretches along the shoreline, between the Po and the Piave Rivers. Venice is renowned for the beauty of its setting, its spectacular architecture and its artworks. The city in its entirety is listed as a World Heritage Site, along with its lagoon. You will get the chance to see: St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Basilica, the Doges Palace and the Bridge of Sighs that connects the Palace to the prisons. Lunch on your own and relax time to walk up and down the romantic canals crossed by narrow bridges. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 7

VENICE - LAGOON ISLANDS (optional) - MONTECATINI

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/boat. Morning at your disposal or optional excursion at the small Islands in the Venetian Lagoon: Burano and Murano, located north of the historic centre of Venice, Murano and Burano offer beautiful handicrafts that have made them famous worldwide: the first is characterized by the centuries-old glass manufacturing, the second for its sophisticated lace, not to mention the original colourful buildings. Visiting Murano and Burano will give you the most authentic and unusual side of Venice. Lunch at your leisure. Afternoon drive to Toscana. Arrival in Montecatini, an idyllic Spa town. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 8

FLORENCE

Hotel breakfast. Full day excursion to Florence, the wonderful heart of the Renaissance, and the capital city of the Italian Region of Tuscany. Centre of medieval European trade and finance and one of the wealthiest cities of the time, Florence is considered the birthplace of the Renaissance, and has been called the Athens of the Middle Ages. A turbulent political history includes periods of ruling by the

powerful Medici family, and numerous religious and republican revolutions. From 1865 to 1871 the city was also the capital of the recently established Kingdom of Italy. The historic centre attracts millions of tourists each year, and Florence is ranked as one of the most visited cities in the world. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1982, the city contains numerous museums and art galleries, such as the Uffizi Gallery and the Pitti Palace and still exerts an influence in the fields of art, culture and politics. Florence is also an important city in Italian fashion, being ranked within the top fifty fashion capitals of the world. On arrival, 3-hour guided tour of the city and get the chance, among others, to see the "David" sculpture by Michelangelo. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon free time to visit individually this magnificent city. Late afternoon return to your hotel in Montecatini. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 9

MONTECATINI - PISA - LUCCA (optional)

Hotel breakfast and whole day free for leisure in your spa hotel in Montecatini Terme. Otherwise optional excursion to visit Lucca and Pisa. For its monumental and historic wealth, Lucca has been proposed as addition to Unesco World Heritage Sites. The old town has preserved its medieval appearance with ancient churches, bell towers and monumental renaissance palaces. Lunch on your own. Afternoon arrival in Pisa, famous for the monumental Cathedral and the Leaning Tower. In the evening turn back to Montecatini. Dinner and overnight in hotel.

DAY 10

CINQUE TERRE

Hotel breakfast. Full day trip to the Cinque Terre in Liguria, where the coast is punctuated by picturesque small fishing villages. You'll enjoy the views of these picturesque - postcard villages and a boat ride or train ride along the coast. Lunch on your own. Return to Montecatini. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 11

CHIANTI REGION - SIENA - NAPLES

Hotel breakfast in hotel and leave for Siena, driving through the beautiful region of the Chianti wine. The tradition of cultivating vines in Chianti goes back a long time in history, back to the Etruscans that inhabited the area before the Roman empire. In 1984, Chianti obtained the denomination D.O.C.G. (Denominazione d'Origine Controllata e Garantita, or Controlled and Guaranteed Denomination of Origin), which is the highest type of recognition for quality Italian wines. Stop for wine tasting. Travel to Siena. Lunch on your own and 2 hours guided visit of Siena, one of the most beautiful mediaeval towns in Italy. Its historic centre has been declared by UNESCO a World Heritage Site. It is one of the nation's most visited tourist attractions, and its famous for

its cuisine, art, museums, medieval cityscape and the Palio, a horse race in traditional costumes. Meet the guide for the city tour: the City Hall, Piazza del Campo, the Cathedral. Lunch on your own. Drive to Naples, check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 12

POMPEI - NAPLES

Hotel breakfast and leave for Pompei, visit the archaeological museum and see how life was before the volcano Vesuvius hit in 79 B.C.: the alleys, the town forum, the bakery, the spas, the homes, a perfect reconstruction of family life at that time. Lunch on your own, in the afternoon panoramic tour of Naples the capital of the Italian region Campania and the third-largest municipality in Italy, after Rome and Milan. It is one of the oldest continuously inhabited cities in the world. Bronze Age Greek settlements were established in the Naples area in the second millennium BC. Naples' historic city centre is the largest in Europe, is enclosing 27 centuries of history, is listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. Naples has long been a major cultural centre with a global sphere of influence, particularly during the Renaissance and Enlightenment eras. Back to your hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 13

CAPRI

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the pier where you will embark on the ferry going to Capri, one of the most spectacular islands on the Mediterranean Sea, right in front of the Sorrentine Peninsula. Enchanting and picturesque, Capri is an island made of limestone rock, a favorite of Roman emperors, the rich and famous, artists, and writers, it's still one of the Mediterranean's must-see places. The island's top attraction is the famous Blue Grotto, Grotta Azzurra. Beaches are scattered around the island. There are only two towns - Capri, just above Marina Grande, and Anacapri, the higher town. Lemon trees, flowers, and birds are abundant and together provide that special Capri atmosphere. Spend the whole day on the island where you will have a panoramic tour and lunch on your own. You will also enjoy some spare time to do some shopping in the small boutique shops the world's jetsetters love so much. Return back to the mainland for dinner and overnight at your hotel.

DAY 14

NAPLES - COSTIERA AMALFITANA (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Whole day at leisure to explore the city on your own or option excursion to the Amalfi Coast. Pa-

noramic tour along a coastal stretch with an explosion of Mediterranean colors and scents, stop in Amalfi, Positano and Sorrento. Lunch at your leisure. In the late afternoon turn back to Naples for dinner and overnight in your hotel.

DAY 15

NAPLES - TRANI - BARI - ALBREROBELLO

Hotel breakfast and departure for Apulia, the region called "the heel of Italy". Stop in Trani to visit the astonishing cathedral. Free lunch and ahead to Bari, the capital of the region. Guided city tour. The Saint Nicholas basilica, together with the Cathedral and the Theatre Petruzzelli, are the most important sites in town. Transfer to your hotel in area Alberobello. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 16

ALBEROBELLO - OSTUNI - LECCE

Hotel breakfast. Morning guided tour of Alberobello, this blindingly white typical Apulia town famous for its unique prehistoric "trulli" buildings. The Trulli of Alberobello have been designated as a UNESCO World Heritage site since 1996. Lunch on your own and continue to Ostuni, the "white town", characterised by its white buildings and the ancient olive groves. Free time for leisure in the city centre. Transfer to Lecce, hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 17

LECCE - OTRANTO - LECCE

Hotel breakfast. Morning guided tour of Lecce. Because of the rich Baroque architectural monuments found in the city, Lecce is commonly nicknamed "The Florence of the South". The city also has a long traditional affinity with Greek culture going back to its foundation; the Messapian who founded the city, are said to have been Cretans in Greek records. Lunch at your leisure and then transfer to Otranto, fishing town famous for its breed of horses, located on the east coast of the Salento Peninsula. Return to Lecce, dinner and overnight in hotel.

DAY 18

LECCE - MATERA - BARI

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Matera in Region Basilicata. The town lies in a small canyon carved out by the Gravina. Known as "la Città Sotterranea" (the Subterranean City), Matera is well known for its historical centre called "Sassi", considered World Heritage Site by UNESCO since 1993, along with the Park of the Rupestrine Churches. Italian host of European Capital of Culture in 2019. Guided visit and free lunch. Transfer to Bari, hotel check in, dinner and

overnight.

DAY 19

ROME

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Rome. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon, meet with English speaking guide for a tour of Rome, the capital of Italy and also of the Lazio Region. Rome's history spans more than 2500 years, since its legendary founding in 753 BC and it is referred to as "The Eternal City". In the ancient world it was successively the capital city of the Roman Kingdom, the Roman Republic and the Roman Empire, and is regarded as one of the birthplaces of Western civilization. You will see the Fori Imperiali, the Colosseum, Constantine's Arch, and all the other most astonishing sights of Ancient Rome. In the late afternoon hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 20

BARI - ROME

Hotel breakfast and continue with the guided visit of the city. Time for a stroll in Piazza di Spagna, with world-famous Trinità dei Monti steps, take a picture by the Trevi Fountain, Piazza Navona and, finally reach the Pantheon. Lunch on your own. Afternoon free for leisure. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 21

ROME

Hotel breakfast. Morning visit of the Vatican Museums, originated as a group of sculptures collected by Pope Julius II (1503-1513) and placed in what today is the "Cortile Ottagono" within the museum complex. Continue your sightseeing with the visit of the Sistine Chapel, without doubt one of the greatest art treasures of all time, one of the most celebrated masterpieces in the world, with amazing frescoed ceilings by Michelangelo. It's the last stop on the Vatican Museum tour and is the most ardently awaited moment for millions of tourists from around the world. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon time for free or option visit of the 3 most important cathedrals in Rome: San Giovanni in Laterano, Santa Maria Maggiore and San Paolo fuori le Mura. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 22

ROME

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



22 DAYS/ 21 NIGHTS FROM € 2.589

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- English speaking guide during sightseeings;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Entrance fees;
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- No-Stop 24/7 English Speaking Assistance by phone

ALSO INCLUDED

- Ferry to the Borromeo Islands
- Ferry to Capri
- Reservation for Vatican Museums



BEST OF ITALY: FROM MILAN TO ROME, VIA VENICE AND FLORENCE



DAY 1

MILAN

Arrive in Milan and meet with your English speaking assistant. Milan is the second largest city in Italy and the capital of the Lombardy Region. Hotel check in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

MILAN - STRESA

Hotel breakfast. Start the guided city tour of this amazing city combining art, fashion, style and finance. See the Duomo, the Vittorio Emanuele Gallery (called Milan's lounge), the Scala opera House and the amazing Castello Sforzesco, once home of the Sforza family, and "The Last Supper" by Leonardo da Vinci, in Chiesa Santa Maria delle Grazie. Lunch is on your own. In the afternoon free time at disposal to enjoy your shopping in the most fashionable city in the world. You will be able to explore Via Montenapoleone and Via della Spiga, where all the great stylists' boutiques are located, and see with your eyes what you normally see on catwalks. Transfer to Stresa, hotel check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

LAKE MAGGIORE

Hotel breakfast and depart from the Stresa Pier to the Borromean Islands. Visit Isola Bella with the Borromeo Palace and its beautiful botanical garden. Until 1632 the island was a rocky crag occupied by a tiny fishing village: but that year Carlo III of the influential House of Borromeo began

the construction of a palazzo dedicated to his wife, Isabella D'Adda, from whom the island takes its name. Then Isola dei Pescatori with its lovely landscape. Here the traditional occupation of fishing still exists, but tourism has become central to the economic life of the island, as its picturesque charms have made it a popular destination. Time at leisure for lunch. In the afternoon, continue navigation to the Isola Madre and visit its exotic garden, covering an area of eight hectares whose construction in the English style began in the late eighteenth century on the site of a citrus orchard. Particularly prized is the scala dei morti, or staircase of the dead. Evening return to Stresa. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

LAKE MAGGIORE - LAKE COMO

Hotel breakfast and leave for Lake Como, the third largest lake in Italy, after Lake Garda and Lake Maggiore. Lake Como has been a popular retreat for aristocrats and wealthy people since Roman times, and a very popular tourist attraction with many artistic and cultural gems. It has many villas and palaces (such as Villa Olmo, Villa Serbelloni, and Villa Carlotta). Many Vips have homes on the shores of Lake Como, which is widely regarded as one of the most romantic lakes in Europe. Meet the guide for the tour of Villa Carlotta, a neoclassical museum with a beautiful garden. Cross the lake by boat and arrive in world known Bellagio, called "the pearl of the lake", setting of many important movies. Guided tour of Bellagio and then free time for lunch. Afternoon check-in at the hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

LAKE COMO - LAKE GARDA

Hotel breakfast and departure for Lake Garda, the biggest lake in Italy, one of northern Italy's most popular tourist destinations. Arrival in Desenzano del Garda for the lunch on your own. Free time, you will also get the chance to stroll along the narrow city centre streets full of shops and boutiques. Transfer to hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

SIRMIONE - GROTTA DI CATULLO - PARCO SIGURTÀ (optional)

Hotel breakfast. Depart towards Sirmione, with its picturesque Scaliger Castle from the 13th century. The Roman poet Catullus had a villa here, and you will also see the ancient Roman Spa named "Grotte di Catullo". Lunch at leisure and in the afternoon free for leisure or optional excursion to Parco Sigurtà, which covers an area of 600,000 square meters and extends to the edges of the morainic hills close to Lake Garda, lying just eight kilometers south of Peschiera. It started off as the gardens of Villa Maffei, once the headquarters of Napoleone III. Then following over forty years of loving care, Carlo Sigurtà took advantage of the water-drawing rights from the river Mincio to achieve the "prodigious" success of turning an arid hill into a flourishing and spectacular green area. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 7

VERONA - TREVISO / JESOLO

Hotel breakfast and depart towards Verona, Rome and



Juliet's town. The city's main attractions includes Castelvichio, Gavi Arch, Borsari Gate, Pietra Bridge and the Roman Theatre. Then you will walk to the Scaligera Arches before reaching Piazza dei Signori, Piazza delle Erbe, Juliet's house and the world famous Arena, a Roman amphitheater dating back to 1st Century a.d.. Time at disposal for lunch. Afternoon drive to Lake Garda, the biggest lake in Italy, one of northern Italy's most popular tourist destinations. Visit of Sirmione. Transfer to Venice area, hotel check in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 8

VENICE

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/boat. Meet the guide and start the guided tour of this city, considered one of the most beautiful in the whole world. Sited on a group of 118 small islands separated by canals and linked by bridges, it is located in the marshy Venetian Lagoon which stretches along the shoreline, between the Po and the Piave Rivers. Venice is renowned for the beauty of its setting, its spectacular architecture and its artworks. The city in its entirety is listed as a World Heritage Site, along with its lagoon. You will get the chance to see: St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Basilica, the Doges Palace and the Bridge of Sighs that connects the Palace to the prisons. Lunch on your own and relax time to walk up and down the romantic canals crossed by narrow bridges. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 9

VENICE - LAGOON ISLANDS (optional)

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to Venice by train/boat. Morning at your disposal or optional excursion at the small islands in the Venetian Lagoon: Burano and Murano, located north of the historic centre of Venice, Murano and Burano offer beautiful handicrafts that have made them famous worldwide: the first is characterized by the centuries-old glass manufacturing, the second for its sophisticated lace, not to mention the original colourful buildings. Visiting Murano and Burano will give you the most authentic and unusual side of Venice. Lunch at your leisure. Return to the centre of Venice and free time. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 10

TREVISO/ JESOLO - MONTECATINI TERME

Hotel breakfast and leave for Montecatini, in the Toscana Region. Hotel check in, lunch at leisure and afternoon free to enjoy your spa hotel. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 11

FLORENCE

Hotel breakfast. Full day excursion to Florence, the wonderful heart of the Renaissance, and the capital city of the Italian Region of Tuscany. Centre of medieval European trade and finance and one of the wealthiest cities of the time, Florence is considered the birthplace of the Renaissance, and has been called the Athens of the Middle Ages. A turbulent political history includes periods of ruling by the powerful Medici family, and numerous religious and republican revolutions. From 1865 to 1871 the city was also the capital of the recently established Kingdom of Italy. The

historic centre attracts millions of tourists each year, and Florence is ranked as one of the most visited cities in the world. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1982, the city contains numerous museums and art galleries, such as the Uffizi Gallery and the Pitti Palace and still exerts an influence in the fields of art, culture and politics. Florence is also an important city in Italian fashion, being ranked within the top fifty fashion capitals of the world. On arrival, 3-hour guided tour of the city and get the chance, among others, to see the "David" sculpture by Michelangelo. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon free time to visit individually this magnificent city. Late afternoon return to your hotel in Montecatini. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 12

CHIANTI REGION - SIENA - ROME

Hotel breakfast in hotel and leave for Siena, driving through the beautiful region of the Chianti wine. The tradition of cultivating vines in Chianti goes back a long time in history, back to the Etruscans that inhabited the area before the Roman empire. In 1984, Chianti obtained the denomination D.O.C.G. (Denominazione d'Origine Controllata e Garantita, or Controlled and Guaranteed Denomination of Origin), which is the highest type of recognition for quality Italian wines. Stop for wine tasting. Travel to Siena. Lunch on your own and 2 hours guided visit of Siena, one of the most beautiful mediaeval towns in Italy. Its historic centre has been declared by UNESCO a World Heritage Site. It is one of the nation's most visited tourist attractions, and its famous for its cuisine, art, museums, medieval cityscape and the Palio, a horse race in traditional costumes. Meet the guide for the city tour: the City Hall, Piazza del Campo, the Cathedral. Lunch on your own. Drive to Naples, check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 13

ROME

Hotel breakfast and meet with English speaking guide for a full day tour of Rome, the capital of Italy and also of the Lazio Region. Rome's history spans more than 2500 years, since its legendary founding in 753 BC and it is referred to as "The Eternal City". In the ancient world it was successively the capital city of the Roman Kingdom, the Roman Republic and the Roman Empire, and is regarded as one of the birthplaces of Western civilization. You will see the Fori Imperiali, the Colosseum, Constantine's Arch, and all the other most astonishing sights of Ancient Rome. Lunch on your own. Time for a stroll in Piazza di Spagna, with world-famous Trinità dei Monti steps, take a picture by the Trevi Fountain, Piazza Navona and, finally reach the Pantheon. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 14

ROME

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seeing with the visit of the Sistine Chapel, without doubt one of the greatest art treasures of all time, one of the most celebrated masterpieces in the world, with amazing frescoed ceilings by Michelangelo. It's the last stop on the Vatican Museum tour and is the most ardently awaited moment for millions of tourists from around the world. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon time for free or option visit of the 3 most important cathedrals in Rome: San Giovanni in Laterano, Santa Maria Maggiore and San Paolo fuori le Mura. Return to your hotel, dinner and overnight.

DAY 15

ROME

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



15 DAYS/ 14 NIGHTS FROM € 1.739

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
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ALSO INCLUDED

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- Boat from villa Carlotta to Bellagio
- Wine tasting in Chianti
- Reservation for Vatican Museums





BEST OF ITALY: ROME, NAPLES, AMALFI COAST AND TUSCANY



DAY 1

ROME - MONTECATINI

Arrival at Rome airport and welcome by our English speaking assistant. Private transfer to the hotel in Montecatini area. Dinner and overnight at the hotel.

DAY 2

FLORENCE

Hotel breakfast. Full day excursion to Florence, the wonderful heart of the Renaissance, and the capital city of the Italian Region of Tuscany. Centre of medieval European trade and finance and one of the wealthiest cities of the time, Florence is considered the birthplace of the Renaissance, and has been called the Athens of the Middle Ages.. Declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1982, the city contains numerous museums and art galleries, such as the Uffizi Gallery and the Pitti Palace and still exerts an influence in the fields of art, culture and politics. Morning guided tour of the city. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon free time to visit individually this, magnify city. Late afternoon return to your hotel in Montecatini. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

MONTECATINI - PISA - LUCCA (optional)

Hotel breakfast and whole day free for leisure in your spa hotel in Montecatini Terme. Otherwise optional excursion to visit Lucca and Pisa. For its monumental and historic wealth, Lucca has been proposed as addition to Unesco World Heritage Sites. The old town has preserved its medieval appearance with ancient churches, bell towers and monumental renaissance palaces. Lunch on your own. Afternoon arrival in Pisa, famous for the monumental Cathedral and the Leaning Tower. In the evening turn back to Montecatini. Dinner and overnight in hotel.

DAY 4

CINQUE TERRE

Hotel breakfast. Full day trip to the Cinque Terre in Liguria, where the coast is punctuated by picturesque small fishing villages. You'll enjoy the views of these picturesque - postcards villages and a boat ride or train ride along the coast. Lunch on your own. Return to Montecatini. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 5

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DAY 11**NAPLES - ROME**

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your return flight. End of services.



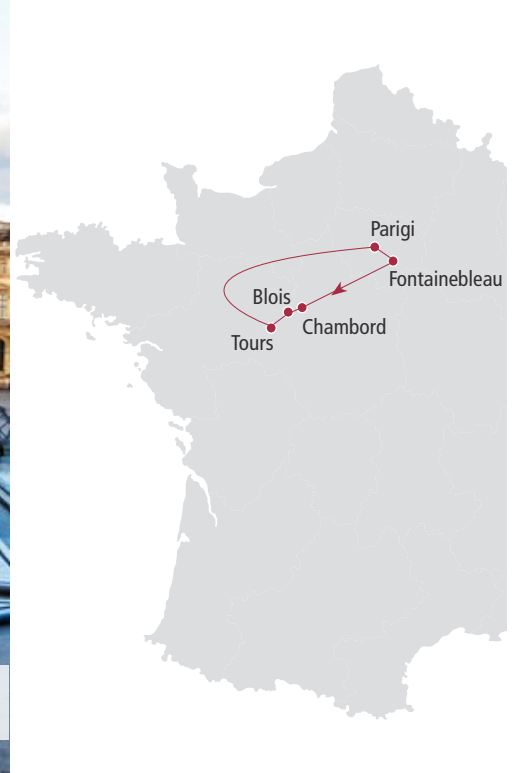
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FEATURES

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PARIS & LOIRE CASTLES

DAY 1

PARIS

Arrival in Paris and meet with English-speaking assistant. Brief introduction to the city during private transfer to the hotel. Check-in. Dinner at your leisure. Overnight.

DAY 2

PARIS

Hotel breakfast and time to start your guided panoramic tour of Paris: the Eiffel Tower, Chaillet Palace, Arc de Triomphe, Champs Elysées, Grand and Petit Palais, Place de la Concorde, Place Vendôme, the State Opera House and the Grands Boulevards. The tour will end in Montmartre, the artists' district with its Basilique du Sacre Coeur, from which the view on the city is spectacular! Afternoon and dinner at your leisure. Return to hotel and overnight.

DAY 3

PARIS

Hotel breakfast and time for the guided tour of historical Paris: Ile de la Cité, Notre Dame, The Latin Quarter, Saint Germain des Pres. See the literary bistros like Café de Flore and Les Deux Magots to feel the atmosphere of the sixties in Paris. Lunch at your leisure. In the afternoon take some time for to do shopping or visit one of Paris museums such as the Louvre or Musée d'Orsay. Return to hotel. Dinner at your leisure.

DAY 4

FONTAINEBLEU - CHAMBORD - BLOIS - TOURS

Hotel breakfast and depart to the Palace of Fontainebleau, located 55 kilometers (31 mi) from the center of Paris, one of the largest French royal châteaux. The palace as it is today, is the result of the work of many French monarchs, building on an early 16th-century structure of Francis I, and it is widespread around a series of courtyards. Emperor Napoleon Bonaparte then transformed the Château into a symbol of his grandeur, as an alternative to the empty Palace of Versailles, with its Bourbon connotations. Lunch at leisure and drive on to Chambord and Blois Castles, in the middle stretch of the Loire River in the central France. Its area comprises about 800 square kilometers (309 sq mi) and it is referred to as the cradle of the French Language and the Garden of France, due to the abundance of vineyards and fruit orchards. We will visit Chambord Castle and Blois Castle and continue on to Tours, a town of art and the history with medieval streets and squares. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

TOURS - CHENONCEAU - AMBOISE - TOURS

Hotel breakfast and morning visit to the Castle of Chenonceau, right by the River Cher, surrounded by beautiful gardens. Lunch at your leisure. In the afternoon visit the Castle of Amboise (with audio guides), built on a spur above the

River Loire and recognized as a "monument historique" by the French Ministry of Culture in 1840. Leonardo da Vinci came to Château Amboise in December 1515, lived, and worked in the nearby Clos Lucé, connected to the château by an underground passage. After the visit, head toward the Tours. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

TOURS

Hotel breakfast in hotel. Full day at leisure. Our suggestion is to visit the center of Tours or to take part to an optional excursion to the castles of Villandry and Azay-le-Rideau with English-speaking guide. Lunch and dinner at leisure. Overnight in hotel.

DAY 7

TOURS - PARIS

Hotel breakfast and departure to Chartres to visit the world famous Cathedral, a real masterpiece of French Gothic style, and a UNESCO Site. Lunch at your leisure. Once the visit is completed, drive on to Paris with a late afternoon arrival. Hotel check-in, dinner at your leisure and overnight.

DAY 8

PARIS

Breakfast in hotel and transfer to the airport in time for your flight. End of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 1.279

FEATURES

- Modern air-conditioned motor coach throughout;
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- Hotel accommodation in 3/4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
- Special visits and sightseeing as specified in the program (entrance fees not included);
- English speaking driver and local English speaking guides;
- Luggage handling (1 x person);
- Service charges and hotel taxes;
- Entrance fees; Not included

ALSO INCLUDED

- Blois Castle entrance fee
- Chenonceau and Amboise Castle entrance fee
- Chartres Cathedral entrance fee



NORTH GERMANY: BERLIN, HAMBURG & LUBECK



DAY 1 FRANKFURT

Arrival in Frankfurt and meeting with our English speaking assistant for a brief introduction to the city, during transfer to the hotel. Hotel check-in, dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 2 FRANKFURT - HAMBURG

Breakfast in hotel and then leave for Hamburg with stop for your lunch at leisure (not included). Afternoon arrival in Hamburg, the second largest city in Germany, situated on the river Elbe, with a big port which is the second largest in Europe and tenth largest worldwide. Hamburg's official name, Free and Hanseatic City of Hamburg, reflects Hamburg's history as a member of the medieval Hanseatic League, as a free imperial city of the Holy Roman Empire. Panoramic city tour and then transfer to the hotel. Check-in, dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 3 HAMBURG - LUBECK

Breakfast in hotel. In the morning, guided city tour of Hamburg with the possibility to go on an optional cruise in the harbour. Lunch on your own and in the afternoon leave for Lubeck, the second-largest city in Schleswig-Holstein, in northern Germany, and one of the major ports of Germany. Situated on the river Trave, it was for several centuries the "capital" of the Hanseatic League ("Queen of the Hanse") and, because of its Brick Gothic architectural heritage, is listed by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. Evening arrival and hotel check-in. On arrival, meet the English speaking guide and start your panoramic tour of the city. Hotel check-in, dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 4 LUBECK - ROSTOCK - WISMAR - LUBECK

Breakfast in hotel. Full day excursion to Pomerania, a historical region on the south shore of the Baltic Sea. Divided between Germany and Poland, Pomerania stretches roughly from the Recknitz River near Stralsund in the West, via the Oder River delta near Szczecin, to the mouth of the Vistula River near Gdansk in the East. We will stop in Rostock, home to one of the oldest universities in the world, the University of Rostock founded in 1419. The rise of the city began with its membership of the Hanseatic League. In the 14th century it was a powerful seaport town with 12,000 inhabitants and the biggest city of Mecklenburg. Panoramic tour of the city, free lunch and continue to Wismar, representative of Hanseatic League city brick construction as well as the German brick churches. The city has been included in the UNESCO list of World Heritage Sites in 2002. Panoramic tour and then time at leisure to walk around the beautiful city centre. Evening return to Lubeck. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 5 LUBECK - SCHWERIN - BERLIN

Hotel breakfast and departure towards Schwerin, called "the city of the seven lakes", as it's surrounded by many picturesque lakes. The largest of these lakes, the Schweriner See, has an area of 60 km². In the midst of these lakes there was a settlement of the Slavic Obotrite (dated back to the 11th century). The area was called Zuarin (Zwierzyn), and the name Schwerin is derived from that designation. In 1160, Henry the Lion defeated the Obotrites and captured Schwerin. The town was subsequently expanded into a powerful regional centre. A castle was built and today it is supposedly haunted by a ghost, called Petermannchen. Guided tour of the Castle. Lunch on your own and drive on to Berlin. Hotel check-in, dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 6 BERLIN

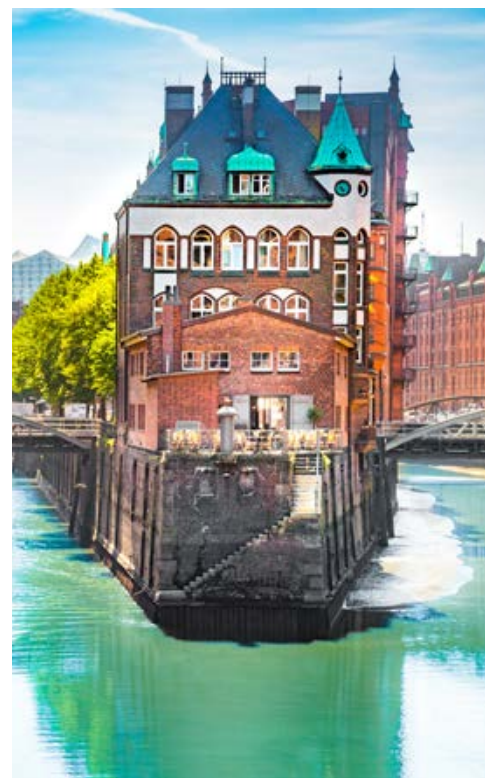
Hotel breakfast. Full day guided city tour. Berlin is best known for its historical associations as the German capital, internationalism and tolerance, lively nightlife, its many cafés, clubs, and bars, street art, and numerous museums, palaces, and other sites of historic interest. Berlin's architecture is quite varied. Although badly damaged in the final years of World War II and broken apart during the Cold War, Berlin has reconstructed itself greatly, especially with the reunification push after the fall of the Berlin Wall in 1989. We will see the Brandenburg Gate, KaDeWe, Checkpoint Charlie and TV Tower, the Berlin Wall Memorial, Unter den Linden with its many historic buildings, The Opera, Alexanderplatz and Gendarmenmarkt Platz, and finally Potsdamer Platz with its world known architectural masterpieces by Renzo Piano. Lunch at leisure. Dinner at leisure and optional tour by night. Overnight in hotel.

DAY 7 BERLIN

Hotel breakfast and leave for Potsdam, the capital city of the German federal state of Brandenburg. It was the residence of the Prussian kings and the German Kaiser, until 1918. Around the city there are a series of interconnected lakes and unique cultural landmarks, in particular the parks and palaces of Sanssouci, the largest World Heritage Site in Germany. Guided tour. In the afternoon time for shopping in Berlin city center. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 7 BERLIN

Hotel breakfast and transfer to the airport in time for your flight. End of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 989

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PRAGUE, BUDAPEST BRATISLAVA & VIENNA



DAY 1

PRAGUE

Arrival in Prague and meeting with our English-speaking assistant for a brief introduction to the city, during transfer to the hotel. Dinner at leisure and overnight

DAY 2

PRAGUE

Hotel breakfast and leave for a full day guided city tour. Visit the Castle, the largest in the world, part of the UNESCO World Heritage. Lunch at leisure and, in the afternoon, the Old Town will bring you back in time, with its beautiful square, the many churches and historical houses, and the world famous Astronomical Clock. Dinner at leisure and overnight.

DAY 3

PRAGUE - BRATISLAVA - BUDAPEST

Breakfast in hotel and then leave for Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia. On arrival, walking tour with your tour leader in the city centre, along the streets and the many old buildings which bring history back to life. Discover the many Bratislava legends and its impressive atmosphere. Lunch on your own and then leave for Budapest, Hungary's capital city. Evening arrival and hotel check in. Dinner at leisure and overnight.



DAY 4

BUDAPEST

Breakfast in hotel and then leave for Vienna, the capital of Austria. It is by far the largest city in Austria, as well as its cultural, economic, and political centre. As the former home of the Hasburg court and its various empires, the city still has the trappings of the imperial capital it once was, and the historic city centre is inscribed on the UNESCO World Heritage List. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon, guided tour of the historic centre, rich in architectural ensembles, including Baroque castles and gardens, as well as the late-19th-century Ringstrasse lined with grand buildings, monuments and parks. Then, transfer to hotel and check-in. Dinner at your leisure. Overnight

DAY 5

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DAY 6

VIENNA

Hotel breakfast and leave for a full day guided city tour. In the morning, panoramic tour along the Ring. First the Opera, The Parliament, the Townhall, and then the more modern part, Uno City, Museum-Quartier. Stop at the magnificent Belvedere Palace, home of extraordinary masterpieces, and symbol of Vienna itself. Lunch on your own. In the afternoon, guided tour of Schonbrunn Castle, part of the World Cultural Heritage and Austria's most visited sight. Return to the hotel, 3 course dinner and overnight. Optional night tour to the Prater.

DAY 7

VIENNA

Breakfast in hotel and transfer to the airport in time for your flight. End of services.



8 DAYS/ 7 NIGHTS FROM € 999

FEATURES

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SLOVENJA - CROATIA: LJUBLJANA, ZAGREB, PLITVICE LAKES AND ISTRIA



DAY 1

VENICE – POSTOJNA CAVE – LJUBLJANA

Welcome to Venice. In the morning, meet your travel assistant and depart to Slovenia in GT coach. Upon arrival to the Postojna cave, the largest Karst cave in Slovenia with as much as 24 km of underground tunnels. The cave is visited in an electric train. You can see the stalactites, stalagmites, underground halls and other rock formations. Lunch at leisure. In the afternoon, departure to Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia. Guided tour of the city, defined as the small pearl of Central Europe. The city with elegant buildings and palaces with Austro-Hungarian flavor, full of life and always busy. On a steep hill right above the City Hall there is a Ljubljana Castle a hard-to-miss symbol of the city and its most popular attraction. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 2

LJUBLJANA – ZAGREB

Hotel breakfast and depart to Zagreb, the Croatian capital. Lunch at leisure. In the afternoon, guided tour of the city. The façades of Zagreb's buildings reflect the ebb and flow of history, while its streets and squares bear witness to the coming together of the many cultures that have shaped the identity of this laid-back capital. It is the cultural, scientific, economic, political and administrative center of the Republic of Croatia, and is home to the Croatian Parliament, Government and President. The old Upper Town evolved into a systematically organized area with clearly defined sections of greenery and carefully located monuments. The Lower town has been developed into the modern area. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 3

ZAGREB – PLITVICE LAKES – OPATIJA

Hotel breakfast. Departure to the Plitvice Lakes National Park. The beauty of one of the oldest National Parks in Southeast Europe, lies in its sixteen lakes, inter-connected by a series of waterfalls, and set in deep woodland populated by deer, bears, wolves, boars and rare bird species. The national park was founded in 1949 and is situated in the mountainous karst area of central Croatia, at the border to Bosnia and Herzegovina. In 1979, Plitvice Lakes National Park was added to the UNESCO World Heritage register. Guided tour with experienced guide (we suggest you to wear comfortable shoes and clothing). Lunch at leisure. In the afternoon, continue to Opatija, a remarkable seaside resort town with a long history of tourism stretching back to 1844. Hotel check-in. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

OPATIJA – ROVINJ – POREC – PULA – OPATIJA

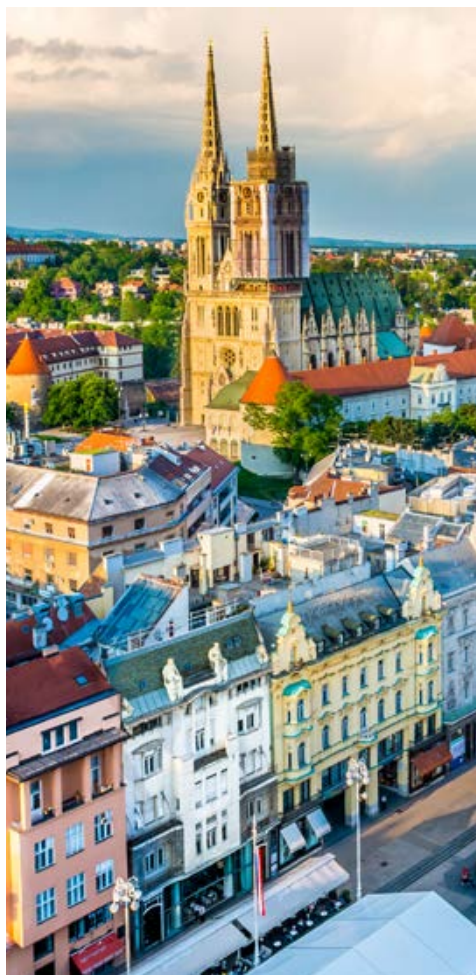
Hotel breakfast. Departure to explore the most charming places of the Istrian peninsula. Visit Rovinj, once a typical fishing town and today an important touristic place. Continue

to Porec, in which you can see the power of the Venetian Republic that ruled here for more than five centuries during the guided tour. Lunch at your leisure. Afternoon arrival to Pula. In the old town interwoven different historical periods: Roman temples, Baroque palaces, churches, Villas from Habsburg era, remains of the medieval walls and the Arena one of the best preserved Roman amphitheatres worldwide. In the evening, return to hotel in Opatija. Dinner and overnight.

DAY 5

OPATIJA - VENICE

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to Venice Airport



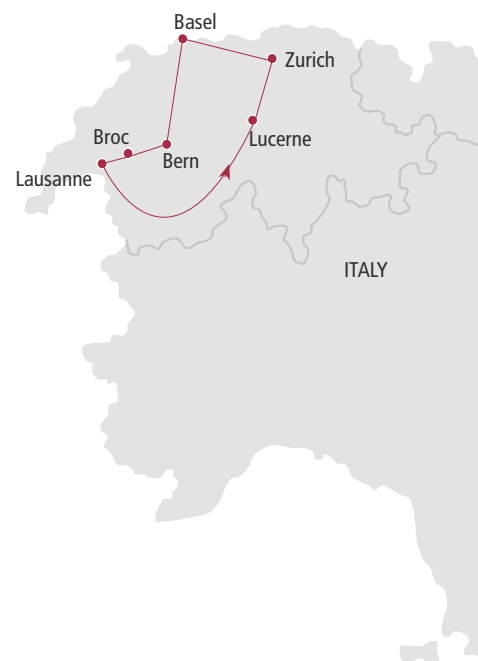
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- Meals as per program;
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SWITZERLAND



DAY 1

ZURICH

Welcome to Zurich. Meet your English travel assistant. Brief introduction of the city during private transfer to the hotel. Check-in. Dinner at your leisure. Overnight.

DAY 2

ZURICH - BASEL

Hotel breakfast and start the guided tour Zürich. Long known as a hard-working financial centre, Switzerland's largest and wealthiest metropolis, Zurich is regularly recognized as one of the world's most liveable cities. See the Fraumünster, the 13th-century cathedral renowned for its stunning, distinctive stained-glass windows, Lindenhof square with spectacular views across the Limmat to the Gross Munster from a tree-shaded hilltop park, smack in the heart of the Altstadt (Old Town). Lunch at leisure. In the afternoon, continue to the north, to the city of Basel, Switzerland's third-most populated city after Zurich and Geneva. Basel sits where the Swiss, German and French borders meet, nestled in an idyllic location on the banks of the Rhine River. Hotel check-in. Dinner at your leisure and overnight.

DAY 3

BASEL - BERN

Hotel breakfast and guided tour of Basel. See the Old town with a large market square, the Basel Minster one of the main landmarks and tourist attractions of the Swiss city of Basel, richly decorated red sandstone town hall and the late Romanesque-Gothic cathedral. Lunch at your leisure. Continue in the direction of Berne, the capital of Swiss confederation with historic city center listed as a UNESCO World heritage site. Visit the House of Parliament, the seat of Swiss Government on the vibrant gathering place of the city, the Parliament square and the famous Clock Tower (Zytglogge), one of Bern's most important sights. Hotel check-in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

BERN – GRUYÈRES – BROC – MONTREUX – CHILLON – LAUSANNE

Hotel breakfast and departure in the direction of Gruyeres, architectural jewel dating from mediaeval times and best known for the production of the same name cheese. Walking tour through historic city centre around the castle. Continue to Broc and visit the "Maison Cailler" famous chocolate factory including the tasting off course. Drive to the Lake Geneva and stop in Montreux, known as the "Pearl of the lake", where you will have free time for the lunch at your leisure. In the afternoon, visit the mediaeval castle in Chillon, (Château de Chillon) one of the most visited castles in Switzerland and in Europe, situated in a unique natural environment on the shores of the lake. The castle was a home of the Counts of Savoy. Continue to Lausanne, hotel check-in, dinner at your leisure and overnight.

DAY 5

LAUSANNE – LUCERNE – ZURICH

Hotel breakfast and departure to Lucerne, a small town on the "Lake of the Four Forested Settlements". Start the guided tour of the town. Contributing to Lucerne's cityscape alongside the world-famous Chapel Bridge and Water Tower are the Musegg Wall, the Jesuit Church, the Mill Bridge and the Lion Monument. Lunch at your leisure. In the afternoon, time at your disposal. Depart to Zurich. Dinner at your leisure. Overnight.

DAY 6

ZURICH

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the airport in the time for your flight.



5 DAYS/ 4 NIGHTS FROM € 570

FEATURES

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THE BEST BALTIC TOURS: VILNIUS, RIGA AND TALLINN



DAY 1

VILNIUS

Arrive in Vilnius and meet with your English speaking assistant. Hotel check in , dinner on you own and overnight.

DAY 2

VILNIUS-TRAKAI-VILNIUS

Hotel breakfast. Start the guided city tour of Vilnius. Home to a baroque old town that oozes character and charm, before moving onto Riga in Latvia and its distinctive Art Nouveau architecture. See Town Hall, Cathedral Square, old University Area, St. Anne's Church. Lunch in a typical restaurant with craft Beer Tasting. In the afternoon excursion to Trakai. This town, famous for its picturesque landscape and the legendary Trakai Castle, was a cradle of the Lithuanian statehood, an important military and political centre, headquarters of the Lithuanian Grand Dukes, and the capital of Lithuania. Today, Trakai attracts visitors to a wonderful place offering refuge from a hectic city life, with walks around the beautiful area or yacht trips on one of the numerous lakes. Return to hotel in Vilnius. Dinner on your own. Overnight.

DAY 3

HILL OF CROSSES – RUNDALĒ – RIGA

Hotel breakfast, departure to Riga: Capital of Latvia. Stop in Šiauliai to visit Hill of Crosses: the exact origins of Lithuania's Kryžiai Kalnas, or the Hill of Crosses, remain a mystery. Just outside the northern city of Šiauliai, thousands of metal and wooden crosses—placed here for nearly two centuries—have found a home on the growing mound of religious fervor. Dangling rosaries chime in the blowing wind and provide a rolling soundtrack for icons of saints and photographs of revered local patriots. Lunch at the restaurant. Afternoon dedicated to the visit of Rundale with its Rundale Palace. Transfer to Riga. Check in, dinner and overnight.

DAY 4

RIGA

Hotel Breakfast and meet the guide to start your full day excursion to the city of Riga. Old Town is where many of Riga's must-see sights are located. Here, you'll see the House of Blackheads on Town Hall Square, Riga Church, the remains of Riga's defensive structures, and St. Peter's Church. The lookout tower of St. Peter's Church is excellent for seeing Riga from above, which is a good way to say you have seen a lot of Riga, including the River Daugava and the Moscow District, very quickly. Lunch and dinner on your own. Afternoon free time. Overnight.

DAY 5

RIGA - PARNU - TALLINN

Hotel breakfast. Morning departure to Tallinn, capital of Estonia. Stop in Pärnu famous for its spas, shallow white sandy beach and beautiful parks. Lunch and dinner on your

own. Afternoon free time. Overnight.

DAY 6

TALLINN

Hotel breakfast. Meeting with the city guide. Explore the medieval town walls surrounding Old Town, visit Town Hall Square, and walk to Freedom Square to cross from Lower Town to Upper Town. Lunch in typical restaurant. Free time in the afternoon. Dinner on your own. Overnight.

DAY 7

TALLINN

Hotel breakfast. Transfer to the airport. End of services.



7 DAYS/ 6 NIGHTS FROM € 859

FEATURES

- Transfer from/to airport
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- English speaking tour escort from 1st till last day;
- Hotel accommodation in 4* hotel with buffet breakfast;
- Meals as per program;
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In case of decrease of total number of participants, we behold the right to adjust the price per person for hotel and all land arrangements of the remaining passengers. Partial cancellation of the group (up to 20% of total number) will result in the following cancellation fees: 1) Up to 30 days prior group's arrival, up to 20% penalty fee (deposit) 2) From 30 to 10 days prior group's arrival, 30% penalty fee; 3) From 10 to 03 days prior group's arrival, 50% penalty fee; 4) From 02 days prior group's arrival to arrival date : "No show", 100% penalty fee. In case flight reservations are made, deposit requirements, amendment fees, payments and penalties will follow the specific rules of the airline involved and, once tickets are issued, no refund is obtainable.

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If we have to alter a tour before departure, any alteration will either be major or minor. Where an alteration is minor, we will, if practicable, advise you before departure, but we are not obliged to do so or to pay you compensation. A minor alteration is any alteration apart from a major alteration as defined below. When an alteration is a major alteration (and a major alteration is an alteration which involves changing your tour or time of departure by more than 6 hours, offering accommodation with a lower rating, or changing the itinerary in a way that lowers its content), we will advise you as soon as it's reasonably possible. You will then have the choice of accepting the alteration or withdrawing from the contract and accepting a full refund of all monies paid.

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