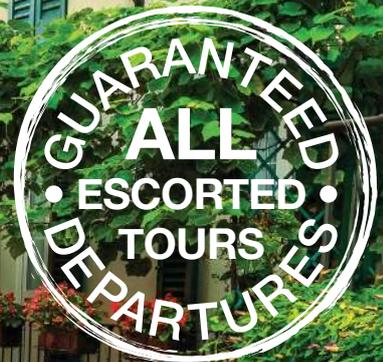
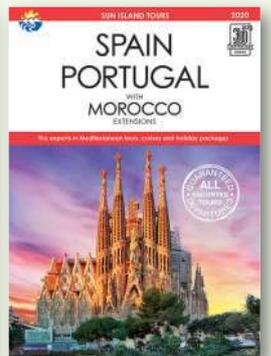
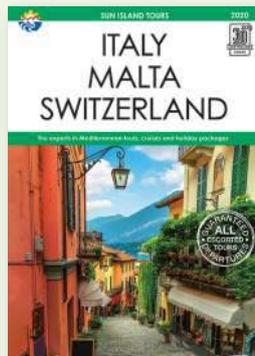
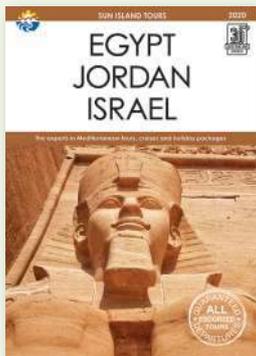
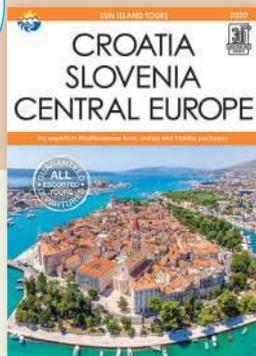
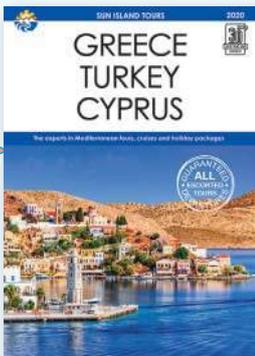




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All Escorted Tours are Guaranteed Departures

Once you are booked and confirmed on a tour, the tour will definitely go ahead and will not cancel. Minimum numbers do apply though, for instance in Turkey where the minimum number of passengers needed to guarantee a tour is two people.



Welcome to Sun Island Tours

Dear Traveller,

Sun Island Tours is proud to present our 2020 brochure featuring the best of Italy, Malta, and Switzerland.

Italy encapsulates so much variety in sightseeing, landscapes, people and cuisines, that we really find the need to visit many, many times to satisfy our interests and fill our bellies. This year, we have expanded and improved our offering of tours and packages so that you can explore the regions that interest you, in the style of travel that suits you best. We have now added a wonderful selection of villas in Tuscany, for people looking to base themselves in the countryside among the hilltop hamlets and rolling vineyards. We have also included rail packages which make for an efficient, reasonably priced option. We continue to increase our offerings to Puglia (including stays in the trulli of Alberobello), as well as a renewed focus on Northern Italy and the Lakes District.

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10 great
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to travel with
Sun Island Tours

Why travel with Sun Island Tours

1

Experts in the Mediterranean

Over 30 years of experience in sending travellers to the Mediterranean.

2

Guaranteed escorted coach tours

All our coach tours are guaranteed. Which means if you are booked and confirmed on the tour, it will definitely go ahead.

3

Tailor made services

Can't find a tour or package to meet your needs? Let us know where you would like to go and we will put something together for you.

4

Support

We have licensed partners in each of our destinations, ensuring that you are supported every step of the way.

5

Security

We are a licensed wholesaler, operating since 1989, and are part of the Australian Federation of Travel Agents, and the Council of Australian Tour Operators.

6

Choice

We have access to over 100,000 hotels in the Mediterranean, Middle East and Europe, as well as over 700 tours, packages and cruises in the Mediterranean.

7

Insight

Our ready-made tours and packages have been refined over years of experience and feedback from our clients.

8

Aussie owned

We are an Australian owned and operated family business.

9

Accommodate everyone

Our products cater for all age groups. We have certain services which we gear more towards certain age groups to ensure travellers have the best experience.

10

Simplicity

We're just a phone call or an email away. Your preferred travel agent can contact us for enquiries or amendments to your quote or booking, 6 days a week.

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ITALY

6 GREAT REASONS THAT MAKE SUN ISLAND TOURS THE ITALY EXPERTS

1. Local operator with 30 years experience
2. Most coach tours guided in English only
3. Extensive range of hotels
4. Tailor made packages
5. Coach tours stay on Venice Island
6. Guaranteed departures on all escorted tours

WHY TRAVEL TO ITALY?

The history of Rome and its sites; Colosseum, Spanish Steps, Pantheon, Trevi Fountain. The Duomo of Florence and the wineries of the Tuscany region. The unique Leaning Tower of Pisa. Milan, the shopping capital. The chic island of Capri. Beauty and colours of the Cinque Terre and Positano. Majestic Lakes; Como, Maggiore, Garda. The sinking city of Venice: canals, gondolas, St Marks Basilica. Remains of the destroyed city of Pompeii. Ski fields of the Dolomites. Active volcano Mt Etna in Sicily. Verona, home of Romeo and Juliet. Gateway to Vatican City. The fashion. The Pasta and Limoncello.

HOW?

Emirates fly into Rome, Milan, Venice and Bologna. Etihad fly into Milan and Rome. Qatar Airways fly into Rome, Milan, Venice and Pisa.

CLIMATE:

The weather is usually hot from June to August and mild to warm during May, September and October.

CURRENCY:

Euro (EUR).

VISA:

Current Australian passport holders do not require a visa for stays of 90 days or less.

DON'T MISS ...

Hiring a car and visiting the little medieval villages throughout the country.

Note that the above information is a guide only and is subject to change.



FLORENCE WALK & TALK
From **\$62**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Half Day Tour
- Departure 10:00/15:00 | Duration 2½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Walk through the charming streets of Florence. See Piazza della Signoria with the Palazzo Vecchio, the Duomo, the Baptistery, Giotto's bell tower, Brunelleschi's Dome, Santa Trinita and Orsanmichele Church, Ponte Vecchio Bridge and the secret Vasari Corridor.



FLORENCE WITH A VIEW
From **\$126**

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat
Jan-Dec

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Short Tour
- Departure 14:30 | Duration 1½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line into the Cathedral of Florence. After a 30 minute video, climb the Duomo's 32m high terraces and then climb the 463 steps to the Brunelleschi's Dome. Your 24 hour ticket then allows you to access Giotto's Bell Tower.



PIZZA & GELATO MAKING
From **\$119**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Afternoon Activity (Dinner included)
- Departure 15:00/18:00 | Duration 3 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Learn to make pizza and gelato just like the Italians do. Learn how to make tender yeast dough and a light tomato sauce and then get to eat it. Learn about the raw ingredients used in gelato. Wine is included with your meal.



FLORENCE IN A DAY
From **\$256**

Operates Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 9 hrs

A day dedicated to seeing all the sights of Florence. Travel to Piazzale Michelangelo and Fiesole for amazing views of the city. Skip the line and visit the Accademia Gallery and Uffizi Gallery. Wander the historical streets and see the Duomo, Piazza della Signoria, and Basilica di Santa Croce. Enjoy a typical Tuscan lunch.



UFFIZI GALLERY TOUR
From **\$75**

Operates Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Jan-Dec

- Short Tour
- Departure 16:15 | Duration 1½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line for a guided visit of the oldest gallery in the world which houses signature works by Giotto, Michelangelo, Boticelli, and Da Vinci. The tour concludes inside the gallery with free time at your leisure.



CITY TOUR & ACCADEMIA
From **\$129**

Operates Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 3½ hrs

You will be taken to Piazzale Michelangelo for the most breathtaking view of the city. Continue to the Accademia Gallery and skip the line to admire 'David' by Michelangelo and other masterpieces. The tour continues through the historical streets. You will see the Duomo, Giotto's bell tower and the Baptistery.



FLORENCE BOAT TOUR
From **\$99**

Operates Daily
May-Sep

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 20 people
- Short Tour
- Departure 17:00/18:00 | Duration 1 hr

Make your way to the meeting point. See Florence from a different perspective as you sail down the River Arno on a 'Florentine Gondola'. See the Uffizi Gallery and the Ponte Vecchio Bridge. On the tour you have the chance to also discover the Santa Trinita Bridge and the amazing Palazzo Corsini. Enjoy an 'aperitivo' on board.



DUOMO – SKIP THE LINE
From **\$62**

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri/Sat
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Short Tour
- Departure 12:15 | Duration 1 hr

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line entrance for a guided visit of the magnificent Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, better known as the Duomo. Admire the architecture, stained glass windows and Vasari's fresco.

SKIP THE LINE ENTRANCE TO DUOMO WITH A WALKING TOUR OPTION IS ALSO AVAILABLE.



PISA TOUR
From **\$91**

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct*

- Half Day Tour
- Leaning Tower entrance optional
- Departure 08:15 | Duration 5½ hrs

Depart for Pisa with a guided tour of Piazza dei Miracoli with the famous Leaning Tower and Baptistery. See the Romanesque art in the Cathedral and have some free time.

*Apr-Oct, an additional departure at 14:15 is available Mon/Wed/Fri/Sun.

Entrance to religious sites has a dress code. Shoulders and knees should be covered for both men and women. Some sites may be closed during special event periods. Pick-up from central hotels unless otherwise stated. No hotel drop-off. Some tours operate with a minimum number of passengers.



CINQUE TERRE IN A DAY From \$175

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour (Lunch optional)
- Departure 07:00 | Duration 12½ hrs

Travel to the Cinque Terre. Arrive at the village of Manarola. Travel by train to the colourful village of Vernazza and then to Monterosso. Last stop will be Riomaggiore. Free time is given in each of these villages.

NOTE: In case of bad weather, itinerary may be amended.



GRAND TUSCANY TOUR From \$403

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 16 people
- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 08:00 | Duration 12 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. See Siena – the home of Il Palio, before visiting the picturesque San Gimignano. Continue to a Chianti winery for a Tuscan lunch and wine tasting. Continue to Pisa, famous for its Leaning Tower.



SIENA & CHIANTI DINNER From \$133

Operates Saturday
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Half Day Tour/Evening Tour (Dinner included)
- Departure 14:45 | Duration 7½ hrs

In Siena, free time to explore the narrow streets and Piazza del Campo. Admire the sunset from a panoramic spot. Visit an estate in the heart of Chianti, between the famous Tuscan hills and vineyards, where you will be served a typical Tuscan dinner accompanied by wines personally selected by the expert owners of the winery.



PISA & LUCCA From \$107

Operates Thu/Sat
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 09:00 | Duration 9 hrs

In Pisa, a guided walking tour of Piazza dei Miracoli with the famous Leaning Tower, the Baptistery and the Cathedral. Free time in Pisa. Travel to Lucca with free time to admire Piazza del Anfiteatro, the Guinigi Tower, and Duomo di San Martino. Also includes a tasting of Buccellato, a typical Lucchese cake.



SIENA, SAN GIMIGNANO & CHIANTI From \$112

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 08:45 | Duration 10½ hrs

Cross the Chianti hills to the hilltop town of Monteriggioni. In Siena, visit the Cathedral and Piazza del Campo. Enjoy lunch in a restaurant. Continue to medieval San Gimignano for some free time. In the Chianti area, visit an estate to taste some Chianti wine, oil and vinegar.



PISA, SIENA & SAN GIMIGNANO From \$157

Operates Mon/Tue/Thu/Sat
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 07:45 | Duration 11½ hrs

In Pisa, a guided tour of Piazza dei Miracoli with the famous Leaning Tower. Travel to a wine estate at the foothills of San Gimignano for a Tuscan lunch and wine tasting. Free time in the medieval town. In Siena, enjoy a guided tour including the Cathedral with some free time.



CHIANTI FLAVOURS From \$84

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Half Day Tour
- Departure 14:30 | Duration 5 hrs

Visit a wine estate in the heart of the vineyards. Taste a typical Tuscan snack and local olive oil with the delicate "Vino Chianti". Visit the cellar. Continue to the wine village of Greve in Chianti with free time to explore the medieval buildings. More tasting of wine along with some regional products.



VAL D'ORCIA TOUR From \$122

Operates Wednesday
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Mon/Wed/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:00 | Duration 11½ hrs

A day amid art, culture, wine, and food. Visit a cellar in Montalcino for some wine tasting with snacks consisting of local products. The guide will take you around the village of Montalcino. Continue to Pienza and Montepulciano, representing the landscape of Val d'Orcia. Taste the Nobile di Montepulciano in a local winery.



ASSISI & CORTONA From \$177

Operates Monday
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Mon/Thu
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:00 | Duration 11 hrs

Travel to Assisi, the home of St. Francis. You will be guided through the medieval town and the Basilicas of San Francesco and Santa Chiara. The tour continues with a visit to Santa Maria degli Angeli Church. In the beautiful town of Cortona, where the movie 'Under the Tuscan Sun' was filmed, you will have free time to stroll and admire at your own pace.



IMPERIAL WALKING TOUR – SKIP THE LINE
From **\$114**

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri/Sun at 09:00
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Daily at 15:30*
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 20 people
- Half Day Tour
- Duration 3 hrs

Make your own way to the meeting point. Skip the line for a tour of the Colosseum. Skip the line again to Palatine Hill with the Roman Forum archaeological area for a tour. Tour ends inside the Roman Forum.

*Wed/Sun departures in Apr-Oct will depart at 09:00.



VATICAN MUSEUM & BASILICA – SKIP THE LINE
From **\$129**

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat
Jan-Dec

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 20 people
- Half Day Tour
- Times vary | Duration 3 hrs

Make your own way to the meeting point. Skip the line as you marvel at the Sistine Chapel, the Vatican Museum, and then inside St. Peter's Basilica. Tour ends in St. Peter's Square.

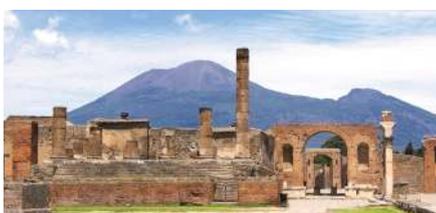


IMPERIAL WALKING TOUR & VATICAN – SKIP THE LINE
From **\$272**

Operates Wednesday
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 20 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 09:00-09:30 | Duration 8-9 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line through to the Sistine Chapel and Vatican Museums, and then into St. Peter's Basilica. Free time. Skip the line into the Colosseum. Continue to Palatine Hill & Roman Forum where the tour ends. Tour includes vehicle transfer from meeting point to Colosseum.



NAPLES & POMPEII TOUR
From **\$243**

Operates Wed/Fri/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 07:30 | Duration 13 hrs

In Naples, on the walking tour you will see Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Piazza del Municipio, the Gallery of Umberto I, the San Carlo Opera House. In Pompeii, your archaeological journey on foot will show you the excavations, ruins and remains of the ancient city. Soft drinks included with lunch.



FLORENCE & PISA DAY TOUR BY TRAIN
From **\$370**

Operates Wed/Fri
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:20 | Duration 15 hrs

Make your own way to the train station for a high speed train to Florence. Continue to the meeting point for a guided tour. After some free time, continue to Pisa with its Leaning Tower. Return to Florence and then to Rome by train where the tour ends at the station.



ASSISI & ORVIETO TOUR
From **\$224**

Operates Mon/Fri
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Mon/Thu/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 07:15-7:30 | Duration 12 hrs

Travel to the town of Orvieto for a short visit to admire the 14th century cathedral. Continue to Assisi for a guided tour of the historic town. See the Church of St. Claire, Townhall Square with its People's Palace, Roman Temple, and visit St. Francis' Basilica. Lunch will be in a traditional restaurant. Short stop at Santa Maria Degli Angeli before returning to Rome.



BEST OF TUSCANY
From **\$287**

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Nov 15

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 07:30 | Duration 12 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Visit the historic towns of Montepulciano, Pienza and the vineyards of Montalcino. Stop at a typical Tuscan farm for a three course lunch of regional dishes, served with local wine. Definitely a tour recommended when limited for time in Italy.



POMPEII & VESUVIUS
From **\$306**

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Nov 11

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 07:30 | Duration 12 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to the Bay of Naples and reach the ridge of the crater of Mt. Vesuvius for a spectacular view (20min hike involved). Lunch will be a pizza. Continue to Pompeii and see the ruins of the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius.

*Hike up Mt Vesuvius is optional. The crater may be closed due to weather in which, more time will be spent in Pompeii.



COLOSSEUM & ARENA FLOOR
From **\$132**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Half Day Tour
- Departure 13:00 | Duration 3 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line and marvel at ancient Rome's most iconic monument, the Colosseum. Walk through the Gladiator's entrance onto the arena floor where you will learn the stadium's history. Skip the line again to Palatine Hill and the Roman Forum.

Entrance to religious sites has a dress code. Shoulders and knees should be covered. Some sites may be closed during special event periods and religious holidays. Pick-up from Rome central hotels unless otherwise stated. Where pick up is not included, it may be added at a supplement. Some tours operate with a minimum number of passengers.



**DOGE'S PALACE
SKIP THE LINE**
From **\$85**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Short Tour
- Departure 10:45 | Duration 1¼ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Skip the line for a tour of the Doge's Palace, a magnificent combination of Byzantine, Gothic and Renaissance architecture. Pass through its lavish chambers and walk through the eerie, narrow passageways towards the prison cells and the famous Bridge of Sighs.



**MURANO, BURANO &
TORCELLO**
From **\$40**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour
- Times vary | Duration 4½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. This panoramic tour will lead you to discover the Venetian Lagoon. Board your vessel and an onboard host will tell you the story of each island; Murano, Burano and Torcello. Stop on each island for free time. Visit a glassblowing factory in Murano.



**VENICE BY NIGHT &
GONDOLA**
From **\$149**

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat/Sun
Apr-Sep

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Evening Tour
- Departure 18:30 | Duration 2½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Step away from the crowds and get off the beaten track with this walking tour through the quiet streets and piazzas of Venice. Along with local legends, hear tales of familiar characters, tracing the footsteps of famous historical people. Tour ends with a 35 minute shared gondola ride.



ST MARKS SKIP THE LINE
From **\$53**

Operates various days at 10:00
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat at 11:10/13:45
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Half Day Tour
- Duration 2 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Visit St. Mark's Basilica with skip the line tickets. Also see Doge's Palace, the Bell Tower, Clock Tower, and the Bridge of Sighs. Visit Campo Santa Maria Formosa and the Cannaregio district.



GONDOLA EXPERIENCE
From **\$62**

Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat at 14:30
Apr-Oct

Operates Sunday at 13:00
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 6 people
- Short Tour
- Duration 30 mins

Make your way to the meeting point. A must do in Venice; a delightful voyage through the back canals of San Marco. Along the way you will see Baroque Salute Church, La Fenice Theatre, the Guggenheim Museum, and Mozart's home.

NOTE: Departures also available on selected days in Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec.



**DISCOVER VENICE &
GONDOLA**
From **\$111**

Operates Daily at 15:00
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec

Operates Daily at 15:45
Apr-Oct

- Duration 2 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Panoramic walking tour near Piazza San Marco and the Rialto Bridge. See Teatro La Fenice and Scala del Bovolo. End with a 30 minute gondola ride (up to 6 people) along the Grand Canal and the minor canals.



ABSOLUTE VENICE
From **\$193**

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour
- Departure 09:00 | Duration 3½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. On a panoramic walking tour, see St. Mark's Basilica, Bell Tower, Santa Maria Formosa, Campo San Giovanni e Paolo, Marco Polo's House and the Malibran Theatre. Visit the Doge's Palace and walk to the prison cells and the Bridge of Sighs.



CORTINA & DOLOMITES
From **\$295**

Operates Mon/Thu
May-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 8 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Enjoy a memorable day discovering the Italian Dolomites. See the lake of Santa Croce. Stop in Pieve di Cadore and then to the Tre Cime di Lavaredo. Free time in Cortina. Continue past Lake Misurina and Lake Auronza. There will be more stops at scenic viewpoints.



VERONA & AMARONE
From **\$340**

Operates Tue/Fri
May-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 8 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to the region of Valpolicella. Short stop in the medieval town of Soave famous for its wine and castle. Stop at a local estate and visit the winery for wine tasting. Continue to Verona, the historical town of Romeo and Juliet. Time at leisure before returning to Venice.

Entrance to religious sites has a dress code. Shoulders and knees should be covered. Some sites may be closed during special event periods and religious holidays. Tours may be affected due to heavy rain. Some tours operate with a minimum number of passengers.



GRAND TOUR & LAST SUPPER
From **\$147**

Operates Tue/Wed/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Tue/Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Apr-Oct

- Half Day Tour
- Departures 09:30/14:30 | Duration 3½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. See Castello Sforzesco. Visit the impressive Duomo, Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II and Teatro alla Scala. End at Leonardo Da Vinci's Last Supper. Skip the line as you spend 15 minutes in the room housing the masterpiece.



COMO & BELLAGIO
From **\$180**

Operates Daily
Mar 28-Nov 8

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 9 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to the town of Como and visit the Basilica of Sant'Abbondio and Villa Olmo. After some free time, take a panoramic cruise on Lake Como to the enchanting village of Bellagio. Time at leisure before transferring to Cadenabbia and returning to Milan.



CINQUE TERRE DAY TOUR
From **\$274**

Operates Mon/Thu/Fri
Mar 30-Nov 6

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:00 | Duration 13 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Discover some of the villages of the beautiful Cinque Terre region. Visit Manarola and then travel by train to Monterosso al Mare with some free time. Travel by boat from Monterosso to La Spezia before returning to Milan.



FOOTBALL LOVERS TOUR
From **\$119**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour (Light lunch included)
- Departures 10:35/11:35/12:35 | Duration 4 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. A must do for any football lover. Board the open-top sightseeing bus and travel to San Siro Stadium, home to AC Milan and Inter Milan. Look at the pitch from the stands, visit the press room and walk through the tunnel. Visit the museum. End the tour at Casa Milan.



GENOA & PORTOFINO
From **\$253**

Operates Thu/Sat
Mar 28-Nov 7

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:00 | Duration 12½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Enjoy a walking tour of the old district of Genoa with its Romanesque churches. Explore Santa Margherita Ligure and then continue by boat to the colourful, charming village of Portofino. After some free time, return to Milan.



LAKE MAGGIORE
From **\$147**

Operates Mon/Sun
Mar 29-Nov 8

- Half Day Tour
- Departure 13:30 | Duration 7 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Visit the town of Stresa in Lake Maggiore for some free time. Take a 2 hour panoramic boat ride on the lake, visiting the Borromean islands; Isola Madre, Isola dei Pescatori, and Isola Bella. Free time to visit the Borromean Palace and gardens. Return to Milan.



VERONA & LAKE GARDA
From **\$200**

Operates Friday
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Tue/Fri
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:00 | Duration 12 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Begin with a walking tour of Verona where you will see the Roman Arena, Piazza Bra lined with cafes, and the famous Juliet's Balcony. After free time, transfer to Lake Garda. See the medieval streets of Sirmione, bustling with life, and the ancient castle Rocca Scaligera. Return to Milan.



BERNINA TRAIN & ST. MORITZ
From **\$274**

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat/Sun
Jan-Mar & Nov-Dec
Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:00 | Duration 13 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to Tirano and take a ride on the Bernina train (2nd class). Travel through the beautiful Swiss scenery; wild gorges, soaring bridges, white glaciers, and blue lakes. Free time in St. Moritz and return to Milan.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Passport is required on this tour.



COMO, BELLAGIO & LUGANO
From **\$215**

Operates Tue/Sat
Apr
Operates Tue/Wed/Sat
May & Oct 3-24
Operates Tue/Wed/Fri/Sat/Sun
Jun-Sep

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 10½ hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to Como for a 2 hour cruise along the lake. Continue to Bellagio and Lugano, Switzerland, for free time to explore.

IMPORTANT NOTE: Passport is required on this tour.

Entrance to religious sites has a dress code. Shoulders and knees should be covered. Some sites may be closed during special event periods and religious holidays. Pick up can be included for some tours, at a supplement. Some tours operate with a minimum number of passengers.



POMPEII TOUR From \$73

Operates Mon/Wed
Apr-Oct

- Half Day Tour
- Departure 08:15 | Duration 4 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Travel to Pompeii, the city buried following the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Walk through the ancient streets of the archaeological site where you can see baths, forums, and villas. Also see frescoes which adorned the floors and walls of the villas.

NOTE: Entrance to the ruins is not included. It is to be paid locally, approximately €15pp (subject to change).



POMPEII & VESUVIUS From \$95

Operates Tue/Thu/Sun
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:15 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Travel to Pompeii and see the ruins of the city buried following the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Continue to the crater of Mt. Vesuvius for a spectacular view (20min hike involved) over the Bay of Naples.

NOTE: Entrance to the ruins and Vesuvius is not included. It is to be paid locally, approximately €21.50pp (subject to change).



AMALFI COAST EXPERIENCE From \$142

Operates Daily
Mar-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 24 people
- Full Day Tour
- Departure 09:00 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Visit the beautiful towns of the Amalfi Coast; Positano, Amalfi and Ravello. Discover the history of the coast and get to spend some free time in each town.



CAPRI & ANACAPRI From \$170

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 08:15 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Sail across the Bay of Naples for a full day in chic Capri and Anacapri. Admire the colourful Gardens of Augustus overlooking Faraglioni Rocks and Marina Piccola. People watch in Piazza Umberto or simply relax at the beach. Option available locally to visit the Blue Grotto.



AMALFI DRIVE From \$77

Operates Tue/Wed/Thu
Apr-Oct

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 07:55 | Duration 8 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Begin with one of the most enchanting drives in Italy. In Amalfi, see the cluster of tightly packed houses on the hillside dominated by the beautiful Cathedral. Continue to Ravello with time at leisure to visit Villa Rufolo.



ISCHIA DAY TRIP From \$180

Operates Thursday
May-Sep

- Full Day Tour
- Departure 09:00 | Duration 10 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point (or pick up from selected hotels upon request). Travel by boat to the island of Ischia. Upon arrival, a guided bus tour around the island. Free time to visit La Mortella Gardens.



POSITANO BY NIGHT From \$99

Operates Daily
Mar-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 24 people
- Evening Tour (Dinner optional)
- Departure 18:00 | Duration 5 hrs

Travel to Positano and stroll the little alleys of this town. Admire the panoramic view. Free time to visit the Roman Villa next to the Church of Santa Maria Assunta. Those that choose the dinner option, dinner will be a 2 course menu in a restaurant on the beach.



CAMPANIA FLAVOURS From \$194

Operates Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Apr 16-Oct 18

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 25 people
- Half Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 08:30 | Duration 4 hrs

Make your way to the meeting point. Travel to the rural and small town of Schiazzano for a gastronomic tour. Visit a farm with lemon, orange and olive groves. Taste different flavoured oils and limoncello. See the production of Mozzarella and Provolone and taste the products. Visit a pizzeria for a demonstration.



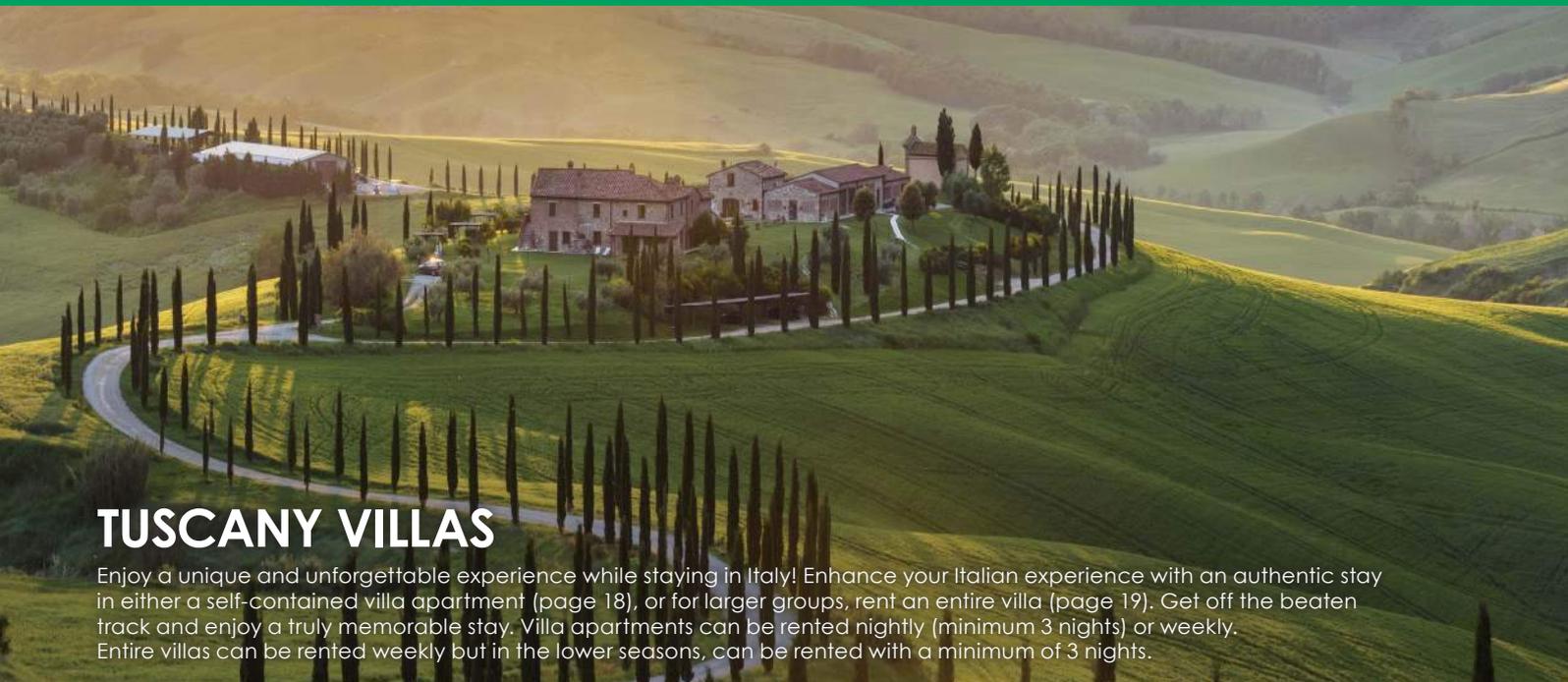
NAPLES EXPERIENCE From \$160

Operates Tue/Thu/Sat
Apr-Oct

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 24 people
- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Departure 08:00 | Duration 8 hrs

Travel to Naples. Pass through San Gregorio Armeno Alley where you can try a handmade "Corno" in San Gregorio Armeno. Admire the view from Posillipo Hill and visit Piazza Plebiscito. Visit Sansevero Chapel and its stunning Veiled Christ. Lunch in a typical pizzeria. Coffee break for a tasty Sfogliatella.

NOTE: Entrance fees are not included and are to be paid locally.



TUSCANY VILLAS

Enjoy a unique and unforgettable experience while staying in Italy! Enhance your Italian experience with an authentic stay in either a self-contained villa apartment (page 18), or for larger groups, rent an entire villa (page 19). Get off the beaten track and enjoy a truly memorable stay. Villa apartments can be rented nightly (minimum 3 nights) or weekly. Entire villas can be rented weekly but in the lower seasons, can be rented with a minimum of 3 nights.

MONTEGUFONI (BASTIONE – VILLA APARTMENT)

From **\$170** per night

LOCATION: Montespertoli (29km from Florence)

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MONTEGUFONI (MONTEGUFONI 4 – VILLA APARTMENT)

From **\$154** per night

LOCATION: Montespertoli (29km from Florence)

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Rates do not include any tourist taxes. These are to be paid locally upon arrival. Extra charges may apply for final cleaning, air conditioning, electricity, heating, washing machine usage, and extra bedding (depending on the property). Swimming pool may not be available all year round. A refundable security deposit is required upon check-in, payable in cash.

VILLA CALCINAIO
From **\$797** per week

LOCATION: Cortona  6  3  2



CASA VANIA
From **\$976** per week

LOCATION: Donnini (29km from Florence)  6  3  3



VILLA SABRINA
From **\$1252** per week

LOCATION: San Gimignano  7  3  2



Rates do not include any tourist taxes. These are to be paid locally upon arrival. Extra charges may apply for final cleaning, air conditioning, electricity, heating, washing machine usage, and extra bedding (depending on the property). Swimming pool may not be available all year round. A refundable security deposit is required upon check-in, payable in cash.



ART CITIES BY RAIL 8 DAYS from \$1125

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Rome arrival transfer
- 7 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- Rome hop-on hop-off ticket
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome. Transfer from Rome airport or train station to hotel.

Day 2: Rome. Utilise your hop-on hop-off ticket and see the sites of Rome. (B)

Day 3: Rome. Day at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Rome – Florence. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Florence. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 5: Florence. Walking tour of Florence including a visit to the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore (Duomo). (B)

NOTE: If tour is not available, it will be replaced by an alternative guided walking tour.

Day 6: Florence – Venice. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Venice. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 7: Venice. Make your way to the meeting point for a morning orientation tour of Venice. See Piazza San Marco with its Basilica, Clock Tower and Palazzo Ducale. (B)

Day 8: Venice. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

Option available to upgrade to 1st class trains at a supplement.



ROME, FLORENCE & CINQUE TERRE BY RAIL 8 DAYS from \$1269

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Rome arrival transfer
- 7 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- Rome hop-on hop-off ticket
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Excursion to Chianti
- 2 day Cinque Terre Train Card
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome. Transfer from Rome airport or train station to hotel.

Day 2: Rome. Utilise your hop-on hop-off ticket and see the sites of Rome. (B)

Day 3: Rome. Day at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Rome – Florence. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Florence. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 5: Florence – Chianti – Florence. Half day excursion to the Chianti region. The tour includes two wine tasting experiences and a visit to the medieval town of Greve in Chianti for some free time. (B)

Day 6: Florence – Monterosso al Mare (Cinque Terre). Make your own way to the train station. Board a train for the Cinque Terre with a change in Pisa or La Spezia. With the 2 day Cinque Terre Card, you will have access to easy and fast connections between all the villages in the Cinque Terre. Upon arrival into Monterosso, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 7: Monterosso al Mare. Day at leisure to continue utilising your Cinque Terre Card. (B)

Day 8: Monterosso al Mare. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

Option available to upgrade to 1st class trains at a supplement.

Package tours do not include any tourist taxes that apply. These are to be paid locally to the hotels upon arrival.



VATICAN CITY



LAKE COMO

LAKES AND LOVE BY RAIL

9 DAYS from \$2221

Operates Sunday

Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Venice arrival transfer
- Como to Milan departure transfer
- 8 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Venice. Transfer from Venice airport or train station to hotel.

Day 2: Venice. Walking tour of Venice visiting the areas close to Piazza San Marco, La Fenice Theatre, the Scala del Bovolo, and Rialto Bridge. At the end of the walking tour, enjoy a relaxing 30 minute gondola ride. Rest of the day is at leisure. (B)

Day 3: Venice – Verona. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Verona. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 4: Verona. Day at leisure to explore the city of Romeo and Juliet. Suggest an optional walking tour. (B)

Day 5: Verona – Milan. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Milan. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 6: Milan. Make your way to the meeting point for a tour of Milan to discover the treasures of this amazing city. See the Sforza Castle, the famous Duomo, and Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. Also visit Santa Maria Dell Grazie and see Leonardo Da Vinci's Last Supper. Rest of the day is at leisure. (B)



Day 7: Milan – Como. Make your own way to the train station. Board the train to Como town on Lake Como. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 8: Como – Bellagio – Como. Make your way to the meeting point for a tour of Lake Como and Bellagio. Guided tour of the town of Como and then take a panoramic cruise on Lake Como to the enchanting village of Bellagio. (B)

Day 9: Como – Milan. Transfer to Milan airport or train station. End of services. (B)

Option available to upgrade to 1st class trains at a supplement.



SAN GIMIGNANO



ABSOLUTE ITALY BY RAIL

11 DAYS from \$2177

Operates Daily

Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Rome arrival transfer
- 10 nights accommodation options in standard (3🛏) or superior (4🛏) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- 2 day Cinque Terre Train Card
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome. Transfer from Rome airport or train station to hotel.

Day 2: Rome. Morning tour of Rome with skip the line entrance to the magnificent Colosseum and Roman Forum. Rest of the day is at leisure. (B)

Day 3: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Rome. Travel to Naples with a walking tour of the historic centre. Continue to Pompeii for a guided visit of the archaeological site at the foot of Mt. Vesuvius. Return to Rome. (B,L)

Day 4: Rome – Florence. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Florence. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. (B)

Day 5: Florence – Siena – San Gimignano – Chianti – Florence. Travel to the Chianti area and visit Monteriggioni with its still

intact medieval walls. Proceed to Siena. Discover Piazza del Campo, Piazza Duomo, the Cathedral, Palazzo Pubblico and the Torre del Mangia. Continue to San Gimignano, with its medieval towers. In the Chianti area, wine tasting experience of the Chianti red wine. Return to Florence. (B,L)

Day 6: Florence – La Spezia. Make your own way to the train station. Board a train for La Spezia, gateway to the Cinque Terre. (B)

Day 7: La Spezia – Cinque Terre – La Spezia. Day at leisure to utilise your Cinque Terre Card. The card allows you to travel between the villages and access the walking paths. (B)

Day 8: La Spezia – Milan. Make your own way to the train station for a train to Milan. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. Suggest an optional Milan city tour. (B)

Day 9: Milan – Lake Como – Milan. Excursion to Lake Como. Visit the town of Como's historic centre and attractions with some free time. Panoramic cruise on Lake Como to the enchanting village of Bellagio. Free time before taking a cruise to Cadenabbia. Return to Milan. (B)

Day 10: Milan – Venice. Make your own way to the train station. Board the high speed train to Venice. Upon arrival, make your own way to the hotel. Rest of the day is at leisure to discover this unique and beautiful city. (B)

Day 11: Venice. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

Option available to upgrade to 1st class trains at a supplement.

Package tours do not include any tourist taxes that apply. These are to be paid locally to the hotels upon arrival. Pick up from hotels for the day tours may not be included and you may need to make your way to a meeting point.

CINQUE TERRE WONDERS

4 DAYS from \$599

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Not Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation options in a standard (3*) or superior (4*) class hotel
- Meals as per itinerary
- 2 day Cinque Terre train card

Day 1: Monterosso al Mare. Make your own way to your hotel in Monterosso al Mare.

Day 2: Monterosso al Mare – Cinque Terre – Monterosso al Mare. Utilise your Cinque Terre card for a full day visiting the picturesque towns. Return to Monterosso al Mare. (B)

Day 3: Monterosso al Mare – Cinque Terre – Monterosso al Mare. Second day utilising your Cinque Terre card. Return to Monterosso al Mare. (B)

Day 4: Monterosso al Mare. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

CINQUE TERRE – FIVE LANDS

4 DAYS from \$550

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Not Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation at the CDH Hotel La Spezia (4*)
- Meals as per itinerary
- 2 day Cinque Terre train card

Day 1: La Spezia. Make your own way to your hotel in La Spezia.

Day 2: La Spezia – Cinque Terre – La Spezia. Utilise your Cinque Terre card for a full day visiting the picturesque towns. Return to La Spezia. (B)

Day 3: La Spezia – Cinque Terre – La Spezia. Second day utilising your Cinque Terre card. Return to La Spezia. (B)

Day 4: La Spezia. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



CINQUE TERRE TRAIN CARD INCLUDES:

- Second class travel with the regional and regional fast trains (except for the IC/ICN/FB trains) on the Levanto – La Spezia (and vice versa) route
- Access to the Park area
- Poetic Nature Paths at Parco Letterario Eugenio Montale and Parco delle Cinque Terre
- Use of the Bus Services managed by ATC among the villages
- WI-Fi internet connection in the Park's Hot Spots
- Reduced admission ticket to the Civic Museums in La Spezia (Amedeo Lia, Castello San Giorgio, CAMEC, Sigillo, Palazzina delle Arti, Etnografico, Diocesano).

DISTANCES BETWEEN THE TOWNS OF THE CINQUE TERRE

Train times



Walking times



Rates do not include any tourist taxes that may apply. This is to be paid locally to the hotels upon arrival.

VERNAZZA, CINQUE TERRE





MOTORS & FOOD

4 DAYS from \$2250

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Thu/Sat/Sun
Jan-Jul & Sep-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation in a 4* hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Bologna. Make your way to the hotel in Bologna. Afternoon private walking tour of Bologna. Visit one of the city's oldest food markets, and check out a traditional bakery and pasta maker as you enjoy tastings of bread, chocolate and gelato.

Day 2: Bologna – Modena – Maranello (Ferrari museum) – Bologna. Full day excursion. Transfer to Casa Enzo Ferrari museum to learn about the history of the creator of the most famous car company. Continue for a guided visit of the balsamic vinegar farm followed by a typical light lunch of local produce and Lambrusco wine. Proceed to Maranello and visit the Ferrari museum. Return to Bologna. (B,L)

Day 3: Bologna (Ducati & Lamborghini museums) – Castelvetro di Modena – Bologna. Full day excursion. Tour the Ducati factory and continue with a visit to the Ducati museum on your own. Travel to the charming village of Castelvetro di Modena for free time in the historical centre. Lunch in a local restaurant. Continue to the Lamborghini museum and immerse yourself in the history of another iconic car brand. (B,L)

Day 4: Bologna. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



TASTE OF LIGURIA

4 DAYS from \$1000

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers as per itinerary
- 3 nights accommodation in a 4* hotel
- Return train tickets Santa Margherita Ligure – Levanto
- Return ferry tickets Santa Margherita Ligure – Portofino
- 1 day Cinque Terre Train Card
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Genoa – Santa Margherita Ligure. Transfer from Genoa airport or train station to hotel in Santa Margherita Ligure.

Day is at leisure to relax by the local beach or enjoy a walk on the seaside promenade. (D)

Day 2: Santa Margherita Ligure – Portofino – Santa Margherita Ligure. Make your way to the terminal and take the ferry to Portofino, the fashionable seaside village on the Italian Riviera. Day is at leisure before returning to Santa Margherita Ligure by ferry. (B)

Day 3: Santa Margherita Ligure – Cinque Terre – Santa Margherita Ligure. Make your way to the station and take the regional train from Santa Margherita Ligure to Levanto. Upon arrival, utilise your Cinque Terre card to explore the five villages; Riomaggiore, Manarola, Corniglia, Vernazza, Monterosso. Return to Santa Margherita Ligure by train. (B)

Day 4: Santa Margherita Ligure – Genoa. Transfer to Santa Margherita Ligure train station or to Genoa airport or train station. End of services. (B)

Package tours do not include any tourist taxes that apply. These are to be paid locally to the hotels upon arrival. Pick up from hotels for the day tours may not be included and you may need to make your way to a meeting point.





LAKE MAGGIORE

TASTE OF LAKE COMO

4 DAYS from \$1475

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers as per itinerary
- 3 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Private tour to Lugano
- Return ferry ticket to Bellagio
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan – Lake Como. Transfer from Milan airport or train station to hotel in Como, located on Lake Como. Free time to immerse yourself in the colours of Como's historical centre. (D)

Day 2: Lake Como (Como – Bellagio – Como). Make your way to the ferry terminal to board the ferry to Bellagio. Day is at leisure to discover the narrow streets, small squares and the fabulous architecture of this beautiful town. Suggest a walk around the Villa Melzi gardens or just soak up the views of 'the Pearl of the Lake'. Return to Como by ferry. (B)

Day 3: Lake Como – Lugano – Lake Como. Travel to Lugano in Switzerland for a private half day excursion. Walk the maze of alluring cobblestone streets of this town. There is also the opportunity to shop at the outlet of Foxtown.



Day 4: Lake Como – Milan. Transfer to Milan airport or train station. End of services. (B)

COMO & MAGGIORE LAKES

5 DAYS from \$1962

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- All transfers as per itinerary
- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Return ferry ticket to Bellagio
- Excursion to Borromean Islands
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan – Lake Como. Transfer from Milan airport or train station to hotel in Como, located on Lake Como. Free time to immerse yourself in the colours of Como's historical centre. (D)

Day 2: Lake Como (Como – Bellagio – Como). Make your way to the ferry terminal to board the ferry to Bellagio. Day is at leisure to discover the narrow streets, small squares and the fabulous architecture of this beautiful town. Suggest a walk around the Villa Melzi gardens or just soak up the views of 'the Pearl of the Lake'. Return to Como by ferry. (B)

Day 3: Lake Como – Lake Maggiore. Transfer to Stresa, located on Lake Maggiore. Day is at leisure. Suggest a walk in the historical centre or to take a ferry to Verbania to admire the gardens of Villa Taranto. (B,D)

Day 4: Lake Maggiore (Stresa – Borromean Islands – Stresa). Make your way to the ferry terminal to board the ferry for an excursion to the Borromean Islands. Stop at



Isola Madre to visit the 16th century palace and the splendid gardens. Process towards Isola Dei Pescatori, a charming fisherman village with its picturesque lanes and little island Church. After some free time, take the ferry to Isola Bella the most famous of the Borromean Islands, largely occupied by Palazzo Borromeo and its surrounding garden. Return to Stresa. (B)

Day 5: Lake Maggiore – Milan. Transfer to Milan airport or train station. End of services. (B)



MANAROLA, CINQUE TERRE



MILAN & THE LAKES 6 DAYS from \$1353

Operates Wed/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Apr-Oct

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers in Milan
- 5 nights accommodation options in a standard (3🌟), superior (4🌟) or deluxe (5🌟) class hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan. Transfer from Milan airport or train station to your hotel.

Day 2: Milan. Make your way to the meeting point. See Castello Sforzesco. Visit the impressive Duomo, Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II and Teatro alla Scala. Skip the line and view Leonardo Da Vinci's Last Supper. (B)

Day 3: Milan – Verona – Lake Garda – Milan. In Verona, see the Roman Arena, Piazza Bra, and Juliet's Balcony. After free time, transfer to Lake Garda. See the medieval streets of Sirmione and the ancient castle Rocca Scaligera. Return to Milan. (B)

Day 4: Milan – Como – Bellagio – Milan. Travel to the town of Como and visit the Basilica of Sant'Abbondio and Villa Olmo. After some free time, take a panoramic cruise on Lake Como to the enchanting village of Bellagio. Time at leisure. Return to Milan. (B)

Day 5: Milan – Lake Maggiore – Milan. Visit the town of Stresa in Lake Maggiore for some free time. Take a 2 hour panoramic boat ride on the lake, visiting the Borromean islands; Isola Madre, Isola dei Pescatori, and Isola Bella. Free time before returning to Milan. (B)

Day 6: Milan. Transfer to Milan airport or train station. End of services. (B)



TUSCANY, UMBRIA & CINQUE TERRE 6 DAYS from \$1213

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers in Florence
- 5 nights accommodation options in a standard (3🌟), superior (4🌟) or deluxe (5🌟) class hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Florence. Transfer from Florence airport or station to your hotel.

Day 2: Florence. Make your way to the meeting point. See Piazza della Signoria, Palazzo Vecchio, the Duomo, the Baptistery, Giotto's bell tower, and the Ponte Vecchio. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Pisa – San Gimignano – Siena – Florence. Travel to Pisa and see the Leaning Tower and Baptistery. Continue to a wine estate for lunch based on typical Tuscan products, and wine tasting. Free time in medieval San Gimignano. Continue to Siena for a guided tour of the Cathedral. Return to Florence. (B,L)

Day 4: Florence – Assisi – Cortona – Florence. Travel to Assisi. Tour the medieval town and the Basilicas of San Francesco and Santa Chiara. Visit Santa Maria degli Angeli Church. Travel to Cortona with free time. (B)

Day 5: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Travel to the Cinque Terre. Arrive at the village of Manarola. Travel by train to the colourful village of Vernazza and then to Monterosso. Last stop will be Riomaggiore. Free time is given in each of these villages. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 6: Florence. Transfer to Florence airport or station. End of services. (B)

Package tours do not include any tourist taxes that apply. These are to be paid locally to the hotels upon arrival. Some packages operate with a minimum number of passengers.

ITALIAN LAKES

6 DAYS from \$3000

Operates Thursday

**May 14, 21, 28; Jun 11, 18, 25; Jul 9, 16, 23;
Aug 27; Sep 3, 10, 17, 24; Oct 1, 8, 15**

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 5 nights accommodation in 4⁺ hotels
- Transfers as per itinerary
- 1 day Lake Maggiore ferry ticket
- 1 day Lake Como ferry ticket
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Venice. Make your own way to the Venice hotel on the program. At 2pm, join a guided tour of Venice. See St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 2: Venice – Verona – Lake Maggiore. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Proceed to Stresa or Baveno on Lake Maggiore. (B)

Day 3: Lake Maggiore. Day at leisure to utilise your local ferry ticket to visit Isola Bella at your own pace. (B)

Day 4: Lake Maggiore – Lake Como. After breakfast, transfer to Lake Como. Day at leisure. (B)



Day 5: Lake Como. Day at leisure to utilise your local ferry ticket to explore the lake at your own pace. (B)

Day 6: Lake Como – Milan. After breakfast, at approximately 9am, transfer to Milan Central train station or Milan Malpensa airport. End of services. (B)

ENCHANTING CAMPANIA

7 DAYS from \$1820

Operates Mon/Tue/Wed/Sat

May-Sep

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 6 nights accommodation options in a standard (3⁺), superior (4⁺) or deluxe (5⁺) class hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary



view (20min hike involved) over the Bay of Naples. Return to Sorrento. (B)

NOTE: Entrance to the ruins and Vesuvius is not included. It is to be paid locally, approximately €21.50pp (subject to change).

Day 3: Sorrento – Amalfi – Positano – Ravello – Sorrento. Full day is spent visiting the beautiful towns of the Amalfi Coast; Positano, Amalfi and Ravello. Discover the history of the coast and get to spend some free time in each town. Return to Sorrento. (B)

Day 4: Sorrento – Ischia – Sorrento. Ischia is known as the Green Isle because of its lush vegetation. Travel by boat to the volcanic island with sandy beaches. Upon arrival, a guided bus tour around the island. Free time to visit La Mortella Gardens. Return to Sorrento. (B)

Day 5: Sorrento – Capri – Anacapri – Sorrento. Sail across the Bay of Naples for a full day in chic Capri and Anacapri. Admire the colourful Gardens of Augustus overlooking Faraglioni Rocks and Marina Piccola. Option available locally to visit the Blue Grotto. People watch in Piazza Umberto or simply relax at the beach before returning to Sorrento. (B)

Day 6: Sorrento – Naples – Sorrento.

Travel to Naples. Pass through San Gregorio Armeno Alley where you can try a handmade "Corno" in San Gregorio Armeno. Admire the view from Posillipo Hill and visit Piazza Plebiscito. Visit Sansevero Chapel and its stunning Veiled Christ. Lunch in a typical pizzeria. Coffee break for a tasty Sfogliatella. Return to Sorrento. (B,L)

NOTE: Entrance fees are not included and are to be paid locally.

Day 7: Sorrento. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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LAKE COMO





BEST OF APULIA 7 DAYS from \$2715

Operates Daily

Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- All transfers as per itinerary
- 6 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- Private tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Brindisi – Otranto. Transfer from Brindisi airport or train station to Otranto. Day at leisure to relax by the beach. (D)

Day 2: Otranto. Day at leisure to visit the historical centre of Otranto, dominated by the Cathedral of the Annunciation, the Aragonese Castle and the Church of San Pietro. (B)

Day 3: Otranto – Lecce – Otranto. Travel to Lecce for a privately guided tour of the city to discover the history and traditions of 'The Florence of the South'. Lecce is known for its numerous baroque churches and buildings. Their opulence, in contrast with the rustic bars and villas, makes Lecce fashionable and incomparable. Take part in a papier-mache workshop and also visit the Jewish Medieval Museum. Free time before returning to Otranto. (B)

Day 4: Otranto – Ostuni – Alberobello – Matera. Transfer to the beautiful city of Ostuni with its white-washed buildings perched strategically atop a hill with views of the endless olive trees in the Valle d'Itria countryside. Time at leisure before transferring to Alberobello, the small town known for its Trulli, the white-washed conical-roofed houses. After some free time, transfer to Matera. (B)

Day 5: Matera. A privately guided tour of Matera, the third oldest city in the world with over 10,000 years of history. Time at leisure to walk through the streets of the historical centre and to visit the ancient churches that have been carved into the rock. (B)

Day 6: Matera – Trani. Transfer to the charming city of Trani with a stop en route to admire the medieval castle, Castel Del Monte (entrance fee to be paid locally). Continue to the seaside town of Trani with time at leisure to explore the city. Suggest a visit to the medieval churches of the historical centre. (B)

Day 7: Trani – Bari. Transfer to Bari airport or train station. End of services. (B)

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MATERA





FLORENCE, TUSCANY & BEYOND

8 DAYS from \$1821

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers in Florence
- 7 nights accommodation options in a standard (3🌟), superior (4🌟) or deluxe (5🌟) class hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Florence. Transfer from Florence airport or station to your hotel.

Day 2: Florence. Travel to Piazzale Michelangelo and Fiesole for amazing views of the city. Skip the line and visit the Accademia Gallery and Uffizi Gallery. Tour the historical streets and see the

Duomo, Piazza della Signoria, and Basilica di Santa Croce. Enjoy a typical Tuscan lunch. (B,L)

Day 3: Florence – Pisa – Lucca – Florence.

In Pisa, see the Leaning Tower and the Cathedral. Travel to Lucca with free time to admire Piazza del Anfiteatro, the Guinigi Tower, and Duomo di San Martino. (B)

Day 4: Florence – Assisi – Cortona –

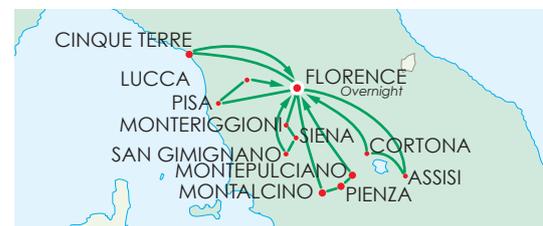
Florence. Travel to Assisi. Tour the medieval town and the Basilicas of San Francesco and Santa Chiara. Visit Santa Maria degli Angeli Church. Travel to Cortona with free time. (B)

Day 5: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence.

Travel to the Cinque Terre. Arrive at the village of Manarola. Travel by train to the colourful village of Vernazza and then to Monterosso. Last stop will be Riomaggiore. Free time is given in each of these villages. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 6: Florence – Montalcino – Pienza –

Montepulciano – Florence. Visit a cellar in Montalcino for some wine tasting with snacks consisting of local products. See the



village of Montalcino. Continue to Pienza and Montepulciano, representing the landscape of Val d'Orcia. Taste the Nobile di Montepulciano in a local winery. (B)

Day 7: Florence – Monteriggioni – Siena –

San Gimignano – Florence. Visit the hilltop town of Monteriggioni. In Siena, visit the Cathedral and Piazza del Campo. Enjoy lunch in a restaurant. Continue to medieval San Gimignano for some free time. In the Chianti area, visit an estate to taste some Chianti wine, oil and vinegar. (B,L)

Day 8: Florence. Transfer to Florence airport or station. End of services. (B)

MILAN & BEYOND

8 DAYS from \$2090

Operates Daily
Apr-Oct

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Return transfers in Milan
- 7 nights accommodation options in a standard (3🌟), superior (4🌟) or deluxe (5🌟) class hotel
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan. Transfer from Milan airport or train station to your hotel.

Day 2: Milan. Make your way to the meeting point. See Castello Sforzesco. Visit the impressive Duomo, Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II and Teatro alla Scala. Skip the line and view Leonardo Da Vinci's Last Supper. (B)

Day 3: Milan – Cinque Terre – Milan.

Discover some of the villages of the beautiful Cinque Terre region. Visit Manarola and then travel by train to Monterosso al Mare with some free time. Travel by boat from Monterosso to La Spezia before returning to Milan. (B)

Day 4: Milan – Lake Maggiore – Milan.

Visit the town of Stresa in Lake Maggiore for some free time. Take a 2 hour panoramic boat ride on the lake, visiting the Borromean islands; Isola Madre, Isola dei Pescatori, and Isola Bella. Free time to visit the Borromean Palace and gardens. Return to Milan. (B)

Day 5: Milan – Genoa – Portofino –

Milan. Walking tour of Genoa with its Romanesque churches. Explore Santa Margherita Ligure and then continue by boat to the colourful village of Portofino. Free time, then return to Milan. (B)

Day 6: Milan – Verona – Lake Garda – Milan.

In Verona, see the Roman Arena, Piazza Bra, and Juliet's Balcony. After free time, transfer to Lake Garda. See the medieval streets of Sirmione and the ancient castle Rocca Scaligera. Return to Milan. (B)



Day 7: Milan – Como – Bellagio – Milan.

Travel to the town of Como and visit the Basilica of Sant'Abbondio and Villa Olmo. After some free time, take a panoramic cruise on Lake Como to the enchanting village of Bellagio. Time at leisure. Return to Milan. (B)

Day 8: Milan. Transfer to Milan airport or train station. End of services. (B)



BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20
SAVE 5%
 (Escape to Sorrento only)

ESCAPE TO SORRENTO 2 DAYS from \$821

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 29

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 1 night accommodation in 4* hotel
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento. Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Rome. Depart for Capri by ferry. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Rome (via Pompeii) with an evening arrival. End of services. (B,L)



TASTE OF AMALFI 3 DAYS from \$932

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 29

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 2 nights accommodation in 4* hotel
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Amalfi. Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Amalfi. (L)

Day 2: Amalfi. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Amalfi. Suggest a local bus visit to Ravello or Positano. (B)

Day 3: Amalfi – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Amalfi to continue exploring. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

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POMPEII

SORRENTO AT LEISURE 3 DAYS from \$1048

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 29

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 2 nights accommodation in 4* hotel
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart for Capri by ferry. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Marina Grande for the ferry back to Sorrento. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Sorrento – Rome. Morning at leisure in Sorrento to explore at your own pace. Suggest a local bus visit to Positano or Amalfi. Depart for Rome (via Pompeii) in the early afternoon with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)



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SAVE 5%

(Sorrento at Leisure only)

TASTE OF SORRENTO & CAPRI 3 DAYS from \$1213

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 29

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 2 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri. Depart for Capri by ferry. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Capri for time at leisure. (B,L)

Day 3: Capri – Sorrento – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Capri to continue exploring. Ferry back to Sorrento. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)



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POSITANO



TASTE OF POSITANO 3 DAYS from \$1812

- Operates Daily
Apr 10-Oct 15
- Partially Escorted
 - Guaranteed Departures
- Includes:**
- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
 - 2 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
 - Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
 - Meals as per itinerary
 - Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento. Early morning departure for Naples with a short panoramic tour. Continue to Pompeii and visit the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento – Positano. Depart for Capri by ferry with a guided mini-bus tour. Optional tour to visit the Blue Grotto. Short visit to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Capri. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. After some free time return to your Sorrento hotel and a transfer will take you to Positano. (B,L)

Day 3: Positano – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Positano to explore at your own pace. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)



LANDSCAPE OF POSITANO 4 DAYS from \$2237

- Operates Daily
Apr 10-Oct 15
- Partially Escorted
 - Guaranteed Departures
- Includes:**
- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
 - 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
 - Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
 - Meals as per itinerary
 - Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento. Early morning departure for Naples with a short panoramic tour. Continue to Pompeii and visit the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento – Positano. Depart for Capri by ferry with a guided mini-bus tour. Optional tour to visit the Blue Grotto. Short visit to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Capri. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. After some free time return to your Sorrento hotel and a transfer will take you to Positano. (B,L)

Day 3: Positano. Day at leisure to relax by the Mediterranean Sea. (B)

Day 4: Positano – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Positano to explore at your own pace. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

Option to add another night in Positano also available.

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SAVE 5%
(All tours on this page)

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LANDSCAPE OF SORRENTO

4 DAYS from \$1272

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 28

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotel
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart for Capri by ferry. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Marina Grande for the ferry back to Sorrento. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Sorrento. Day at leisure to relax by the Mediterranean Sea. (B,D)



Day 4: Sorrento – Rome. Morning at leisure in Sorrento to explore at your own pace. Suggest a local bus visit to Positano or Amalfi. Depart for Rome (via Pompeii) in the early afternoon with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20

SAVE 5%

(Landscape of Sorrento only)

AMALFI COAST

5 DAYS from \$1798

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 30

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace, Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento.

Ferry to Capri. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Sorrento. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Sorrento – Positano – Amalfi. Travel via the breathtaking Amalfi Coast drive to the picturesque village of Positano. Continue to Amalfi. Rest of the day at leisure. (B)



Day 4: Amalfi. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Amalfi. (B)

Day 5: Amalfi – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Amalfi. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii. Continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

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NAPLES & MT. VESUVIUS



SORRENTO & POSITANO

5 DAYS from **\$1907**

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 29

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento. Early morning departure for Naples with a walking tour of the historical centre. See Piazza del Plebiscito, the Royal Palace,

Galleria of Umberto I, and the San Carlo House. Continue to Pompeii. Visit a cameo factory and then the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart for Capri by ferry. Visit the Blue Grotto (weather conditions permitting) and the famous Piazzetta. Transfer to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Marina Grande for the ferry back to Sorrento. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Sorrento – Positano. Morning transfer to Positano via the breathtaking Amalfi Coast road. Rest of the day at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Positano. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Positano. Suggest a local bus visit to Ravello or Amalfi. (B)

Day 5: Positano – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Positano to continue exploring. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)



AMALFI & CAPRI

5 DAYS from **\$1529**

Operates Daily
Apr 1-Oct 31

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3*) or superior (4*) class hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Ferry tickets as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Amalfi. Early morning departure for Naples with a short panoramic tour. Continue to Pompeii and visit the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Amalfi. (L,D)

Day 2: Amalfi. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Amalfi. (B,D)

Day 3: Amalfi – Capri. Transfer to Sorrento and depart for Capri by ferry. Rest of the day is at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Capri. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 5: Capri – Naples – Rome. Morning at leisure in Capri to continue exploring. In the afternoon, board a ferry to Naples and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

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SORRENTO, CAPRI & AMALFI

7 DAYS from \$3487

Operates Daily
Apr 10-Oct 15

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 6 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a short panoramic tour. Continue to Pompeii and visit the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri. Depart for Capri by ferry. Optional tour to visit the Blue Grotto. Short visit to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Capri. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,L)

Day 3: Capri. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 4: Capri – Sorrento. Transfer to Marina Grande for the ferry back to Sorrento. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,D)

Day 5: Sorrento – Amalfi. Early afternoon transfer to Amalfi. (B)



Day 6: Amalfi. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Amalfi. Suggest a local bus visit to Ravello or Positano. (B)

Day 7: Amalfi – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Amalfi to continue exploring. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

SORRENTO, CAPRI & POSITANO

7 DAYS from \$3300

Operates Daily
Apr 10-Oct 15

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 6 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Sightseeing as per itinerary with multi-lingual local guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Naples – Pompeii – Sorrento.

Early morning departure for Naples with a short panoramic tour. Continue to Pompeii and visit the excavations of the famous city destroyed by the volcanic eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Proceed to Sorrento. (L,D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri. Depart for Capri by ferry. Optional tour to visit the Blue Grotto. Short visit to Anacapri with its magnificent views. Return to Capri. Lunch will be in a local restaurant. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,L)

Day 3: Capri. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 4: Capri – Sorrento. Transfer to Marina Grande for the ferry back to Sorrento. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,D)

Day 5: Sorrento – Positano. Early afternoon transfer to Positano. (B)

Day 6: Positano. Day at leisure to explore the wonderful coastal resort town of Positano. Suggest a local bus visit to Ravello or Amalfi. (B)



Day 7: Positano – Pompeii – Rome. Morning at leisure in Positano to continue exploring. Early afternoon transfer to Pompeii and then continue to Rome with an evening arrival. End of services. (B)

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(All tours on this page)

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CAPRI





ROME TO VENICE 4 DAYS from \$1090

Operates Monday/Saturday
Jan 13, 27; Feb 10, 24; Mar 9, 16;
Apr 6, 13, 20, 27;
May 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30;
Jun 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29;
Jul 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27;
Aug 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, 31;
Sep 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28;
Oct 3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Assisi – Siena – Florence.

Make your own way to the bus terminal (Hotel Massimo D'Azeglio, Rome) and depart at 7.15am for Assisi, the town of St Francis. Time at leisure to visit the Basilica of St. Francis. Proceed to the medieval city of Siena, famous for the Palio. Continue to Florence. (D)

Day 2: Florence. Morning tour of Florence. See the Piazza del Duomo, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Giotto's Bell Tower, and the church of Santa Croce. Lunch in a local restaurant. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,L)

Day 3: Florence – Bologna – Padua – Venice. Discover the city of Bologna with its Porticos. Walk the streets and see the different piazza's in the heart of the city as well as Palazzo del Podesta and San Petronio. Continue to Padua and see the Cathedral of St. Anthony. Proceed to Venice. (B,D)

Day 4: Venice. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



ROMANTIC ITALY 4 DAYS from \$1453

Operates Monday
May 4-Oct 26

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Venice. Make your own way to the tour hotel. Dinner will be at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: Venice. Visit Piazza San Marco. Skip the line and visit St. Mark's Basilica. See the famous sites of Venice including the Doge's Palace and Bridge of Sighs. Afternoon at leisure to roam along the canals. (B)

Day 3: Venice – Verona – Lake Garda – Lake Como. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. Walk the narrow streets and see the Arena at your own pace. Proceed to Sirmione on Lake Garda and then to Como on Lake Como. (B,D)

Day 4: Lake Como – Milan. Depart for Milan with the tour ending at the central railway station. End of services. (B)

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ASSISI





UMBRIA TOUR

4 DAYS from \$1590

Apr 5; May 4, 21; Jun 1, 22; Jul 6, 24;
Aug 20; Sep 7; Oct 26

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in a 4* hotel
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Tivoli – Marmore – Spoleto – Assisi. Make your own way to the meeting point (Hotel Cicerone, Rome) and depart

at 8.30am for the beautiful village of Tivoli, famous for its villas. Visit the Old Town. Short stop at Marmore to admire the most beautiful falls in the heart of Umbria. Proceed to Spoleto and then continue to Assisi.

Day 2: Assisi – Perugia – Todi – Assisi. Walk through the town of Assisi and visit the Basilica of St. Francis. Depart for Perugia. Admire the Palazzo dei Priori, the Fontana Mayor, the Etruscan Gate, the Cathedral, and the medieval wall. Continue to Todi. Stroll the historical centre. See the Cathedral, the People's Square, the Palace of Priors, and the Church of Consolation. Return to Assisi. (B)

Day 3: Assisi – Gubbio – Citta di Castello – Assisi. Morning visit to the Basilica of Santa Maria degli Angeli in Assisi. Depart for Gubbio. Highlights include the Cathedral, the Ducal Palace, the Captain's



Palace, and the Palacio de los Consules. Continue to Citta di Castello and walk the narrow and picturesque streets. Return to Assisi. (B)

Day 4: Assisi – Orvieto – Rome. Depart for Orvieto. Admire the imposing Gothic Cathedral with free time before returning to Rome. End of services. (B)

WINES OF TUSCANY & CINQUE TERRE

4 DAYS from \$1381

Operates Sunday

Apr 12, 26; May 10, 24; Jun 7, 21; Jul 5, 19;
Aug 2, 16, 30; Sep 13, 27; Oct 11, 25

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 18 people
- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- 3 wine tastings with local products
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Pisa – Lucca – La Spezia. Make your own way to the meeting point and depart for Pisa at 8am. See the Leaning Tower, a Piazza dei Miracoli, and

the Baptistry. Continue to Lucca, known for the large number of religious buildings in the historic centre. Depart for La Spezia. Dinner at a local restaurant. (D)

Day 2: La Spezia – Portovenere – Cinque Terre – Siena area (Casanova Pansarine). Depart by boat to discover the Cinque Terre. Stop at Portovenere. Continue to Vernazza and Monterosso and walk the colourful streets. Return to La Spezia and continue to your hotel in the Siena area (Casanova Pansarine). (B,D)

Day 3: Siena area – Gaiole in Chianti – Radda in Chianti – Greve in Chianti – San Casciano in Val Di Pesa – San Gimignano – Siena area. Depart for the Chianti area, considered the heart of Tuscany and famous for its wines. Free time in Gaiole in Chianti, Radda in Chianti, and Greve in Chianti. Stop near San Casciano in Val di Pesa for wine tasting in a charming winery. Continue to San Gimignano. Free time to visit this small medieval town. End the day with another wine tasting. Return to the Siena area. (B,D)

Day 4: Siena area – Siena – Montepulciano – Rome. Guided tour of the historic



centre of Siena, the medieval city built around Piazza del Campo. Continue to Montepulciano, famous for producing the 'Nobile di Montepulciano'. Taste some wine and local products. Proceed to Rome. End of services. (B)

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SAVE 5%

(Wines of Tuscany & Cinque Terre, Apr-Jun departures only)

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ALBEROBELLO



BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20
SAVE 5%
 (All tours on this page)

MAGNIFICENT SASSI & TRULLI

4 DAYS from \$1062

Operates Tuesday
May 26; Jun 23; Jul 21; Sep 1, 15; Oct 6

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Sorrento – Matera – Alberobello. Make your own way to the meeting point at 8.30am. Travel to Matera and visit the famous Sassi, one of the most impressive sites on the World Heritage list. Continue to Alberobello. (D)

Day 2: Alberobello – Lecce – Ostuni – Alberobello. Depart for the city of Lecce, known for its Baroque architecture, for a guided tour before proceeding to Ostuni which has been inhabited since 1000BC. Return to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 3: Alberobello – Martina Franca – Amalfi Coast. Excursion of Alberobello, a village of one thousand fairytale-like Trulli; round white houses with tall conical roofs. Visit a farm near Alberobello for a tasting of their 'primitive' wines. Light lunch is included. Visit Martina Franca and its old city centre. Continue to your hotel located along the Amalfi Coast. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Amalfi Coast – Rome. Depart for Rome, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B)



ITALIAN DELIGHTS

4 DAYS from \$1362

Operates Tuesday
May 12, 19, 26; Jun 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21; Aug 25; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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LIGURIA TOUR

4 DAYS from \$1920

Apr 2, 13, 27; May 7, 22; Jun 1, 15, 29;
Jul 16; Aug 20, 31; Sep 11; Oct 1, 12, 22, 29

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in a superior (4*) or deluxe (5*) hotel
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan – Genoa. Make your own way to the meeting point (Starhotels Ritz, Milan) and depart at 8.30am for Genoa. Visit the modern zone of 'Ancient Port'. Rest of the day is at leisure.

Day 2: Genoa – San Remo – Genoa.

Depart for San Remo, the city famous for the Song Festival. This little town has beaches and nice promenades. Its famous casino is situated at the top of the most elegant street in the town. Free time before returning to Genoa, passing through characteristic villages. (B)

Day 3: Genoa – Portovenere – Cinque Terre – Genoa.

Depart for the colourful fishing village of Portovenere. Weather conditions permitting, take the ferry to Cinque Terre, the picturesque and unique five villages on the cliff. Time at leisure. Return to Genoa. (B)



Day 4: Genoa – Rapallo – Portofino – Santa Margherita Ligure – Milan.

Depart for Rapallo where you can taste focaccia, typical local bread produced in the area. Travel to Portofino, a coastal town with colourful houses, whose small port is lined with luxurious yachts. Continue to Santa Margherita Ligure, also located on the coast. Free time before returning to Milan. End of services. (B)

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PORTOVENERE





NORTH LAKES 4 DAYS from \$1845

Operates Friday

**May 8, 22, 29; Jun 5, 19, 26; Jul 10, 24;
Aug 7, 21; Sep 11, 18, 25; Oct 9, 23**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 3 nights accommodation in 4★ hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan – Lake Orta – Lake Maggiore – Lake Como. Make your own way to the meeting point (Starhotels Ritz, Milan) and depart at 8.30am for the charming Lake Orta with a short visit to the village of Orta San Giulio. Travel by boat to San Giulio Island. After a short visit, travel to Stresa on Lake Maggiore for some free time. By boat, visit Isola dei Pescatori and then Isola Bella that houses the Borromeo Palace. Return to Stresa and then continue to your hotel in Como, Lake Como.

Day 2: Lake Como – Bergamo – Brescia.

Short visit to the town of Como and then travel by boat to visit the picturesque village of Bellagio. After some free time, travel by boat to Varenna for a panoramic tour before continuing to the medieval town of Bergamo for a short walking tour of the city centre. Continue to Brescia. (B)

Day 3: Brescia – Lake Garda – Verona.

Travel to Lake Garda for a panoramic tour of the lake's west coast, taking in the natural scenery. Continue to the town of Sirmione for a boat tour. After some free time, continue to Riva del Garda and see the Venetian style historic centre. Proceed to Verona. (B)

Day 4: Verona – Milan. Visit the town of Verona, walking through the narrow streets and seeing its medieval structures and renaissance palaces. Depart for Milan where the tour will end in a central location. End of services. (B)

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LAKE GARDA





FLORENCE

ART CITIES & TUSCANY 5 DAYS from \$1360

Operates Monday/Saturday

Jan 13, 27; Feb 10, 24; Mar 9, 16;

Apr 6, 13, 20, 27;

May 2, 4, 9, 11, 16, 18, 23, 25, 30;

Jun 1, 6, 8, 13, 15, 20, 22, 27, 29;

Jul 4, 6, 11, 13, 18, 20, 25, 27;

Aug 1, 3, 8, 10, 15, 17, 22, 24, 29, 31;

Sep 5, 7, 12, 14, 19, 21, 26, 28;

Oct 3, 5, 10, 12, 17, 19, 24, 26

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Assisi – Siena – Florence.

Make your own way to the bus terminal (Hotel Massimo D'Azeglio, Rome) and depart at 7.15am for Assisi, the town of St Francis. Time at leisure to visit the Basilica of St. Francis. Proceed to the medieval city of Siena, famous for the Palio. Continue to Florence. (D)

Day 2: Florence. Morning tour of Florence. See the Piazza del Duomo, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Giotto's Bell Tower, and the church of Santa Croce. Lunch in a local restaurant. (B,L)

Day 3: Florence – Bologna – Padua – Venice. Discover the city of Bologna with its Porticos. Walk the streets and see the different piazza's in the heart of the city as well as Palazzo del Podesta and San Petronio. Continue to Padua and see the Cathedral of St. Anthony. Proceed to Venice. (B,D)

Day 4: Venice. Visit Piazza San Marco. Skip the line and visit St. Mark's Basilica. See the famous sites of Venice including the Doge's Palace and Bridge of Sighs. Afternoon at leisure to roam along the canals. (B)



Day 5: Venice – Montepulciano – Rome.

Travel to the medieval Tuscan city of Montepulciano which is known for its Nobile wine. Lunch in a typical restaurant. After some free time, return to Rome, arriving in the evening, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B,L)

ITALIAN LANDSCAPES 5 DAYS from \$2020

Operates Sunday

Apr 19; May 3, 17, 31; Jun 14, 28; Jul 12, 26;

Aug 9, 23; Sep 6, 20; Oct 4, 18

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 18 people
- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Venice – Bologna – Modena area – La Spezia. Make your own way to the meeting point (Piazzale Roma) for an 8.30am departure. Depart for Bologna with

free time to visit Piazza Maggiore and the Asinelli and Garisenda Towers. Proceed to the area of Modena for a tasting of balsamic vinegar. Continue to La Spezia. (D)

Day 2: La Spezia – Portovenere – Cinque Terre – La Spezia. Depart by boat to discover the Cinque Terre. Stop at Portovenere. Continue to Vernazza and Monterosso. Return to La Spezia. (B)

Day 3: La Spezia – Pisa – Florence. Depart for Pisa. Visit the city of the Leaning Tower. Continue to Florence. See Piazza del Duomo, Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio. (B)

Day 4: Florence. Day at leisure. (B,D)

Day 5: Florence – San Gimignano – Siena – Rome. Depart for San Gimignano. Time at leisure to visit the medieval town. Proceed to Siena, visiting Piazza del Campo. Departure for Rome with a late evening arrival. End of services. (B)



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SAVE 10%

(Italian Landscapes, Apr-Jun departures only)

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SAVE 5%
 (Artistic Italy only)

ARTISTIC ITALY

5 DAYS from \$1650

Operates Tuesday
May 12, 19, 26; Jun 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21; Aug 25; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – San Gimignano – Siena. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Continue to the beautiful hilltop town of San Gimignano and visit a wine estate to taste Chianti wine, accompanied with a light dinner. Proceed to Siena. (B)

Day 5: Siena – Rome. Walking tour of the city of Siena. See the square known as Il Campo, where the famous Palio race is held. Time at leisure. Return to Rome, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B)

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SAN GIMIGNANO



BOHINJ

JOURNEY TO CROATIA 6 DAYS from \$2623

Operates Monday
Apr 27-Sep 28

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle with English speaking escort
- Accommodation in 4* hotels
- Meals as per itinerary
- Tours as per itinerary with local guides
- Entrance fees and local taxes

Day 1: Venice – Postojna – Bled. Make your own way to the meeting point at Piazzale Roma for a 9am departure. Travel to Slovenia and the Postojna Cave. Tour the fantastic subterranean caves by miniature electric train, before continuing to magical Bled, one of the most beautiful alpine resorts. Take a traditional pletna boat to the small island situated in the middle of Lake Bled and visit the iconic 15th century Church of the Assumption. (L)

Day 2: Bled – Bohinj – Bled. Travel to Lake Bohinj and see the Church of St. John the Baptist. Take the cable car ride to the top of Mount Vogel and admire the stunning view of the lake and the Julian Alps. Enjoy a traditional Slovenian lunch at a local restaurant. (B,L)

Day 3: Bled – Ljubljana – Zagreb. Travel to Ljubljana for a walking tour of the Old Town. See Ljubljanica River, Three Bridges Square and the Cathedral. After some free time, continue to Zagreb. (B,L)

Day 4: Zagreb. City tour of Zagreb. Visit the fortified Upper Town – the city's historical centre, St. Mark's Church, the Cathedral, and the Croatian National Theatre and University. For lunch, taste traditional Zagorje cuisine. (B,L)

Day 5: Zagreb – Plitvice – Zadar. Depart for Plitvice and visit the Plitvice National Park with its beautiful lakes. After a traditional lunch, continue to Zadar. (B,L)



Day 6: Zadar – Krka – Split. Morning city tour of Zadar. See sights including the Roman Forum and St. Donatus Church. Depart for Krka National Park. Upon arrival, head for the last set of falls before the river meets the sea, where the Skradinski Buk Falls form a spectacular multi-level cascade over travertine cliffs. Also visit the ethno village and old mills for a view of the foamy waterfall. Continue to Split, arriving at the port at approximately 6pm. End of services. (B,L)



MONTEPULCIANO



BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20
SAVE 10%
 (Italian Classics, Apr-Jun departures only)

ITALIAN CLASSICS
 6 DAYS from **\$2977**

Operates Monday
Apr 20; May 4, 18; Jun 1, 15, 29; Jul 13, 27; Aug 10, 24; Sep 7, 21; Oct 5, 19

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 18 people
- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Orvieto – Montepulciano – Siena area (Casanova Pansarine). Make your own way to the meeting point and depart at 8am for Orvieto, a village in Umbria built on a cliff. Proceed to Montepulciano to taste 'Nobile' wine, one of the oldest and finest wines of Tuscany. Continue to your hotel in the Siena area (Casanova Pansarine). (D)

Day 2: Siena area – Siena – Bologna – Venice. Depart for the town of Siena for a guided tour of the medieval city built around Piazza del Campo, famous all over the world for its architectural beauty and

unique shape. Proceed to Bologna with free time upon arrival to visit the impressive Piazza Maggiore and the Asinelli and Garisenda Towers. Continue to Venice island for overnight. (B)

Day 3: Venice. Guided tour of Venice. See Piazza San Marco, the beating heart of the city with its extraordinary buildings (St. Mark's Basilica, Doge's Palace, St. Mark's Clock Tower) and the Bridge of Sighs. Depart by boat for Murano, famous for its glassworks. See some glassmaking. Return to Venice with the rest of the day at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – Florence. Depart for Verona with time at leisure to visit the romantic city which set the scene for the love story of Romeo and Juliet. Continue to Florence with a guided tour on arrival. See Piazza del Duomo, Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio. (B)

Day 5: Florence. Day at leisure to explore the city or possibly join an optional excursion to the Chianti area. (B,D)

Day 6: Florence – Assisi – Rome. Depart for Assisi. Upon arrival, walk through the narrow streets of the medieval city, famous for having St. Francis and St. Claire as its former residents, two important figures of religious history. Departure for Rome with a late evening arrival. End of services. (B)

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HERITAGE OF THE NORTH

6 DAYS from \$3031

Operates Saturday
Apr 11; May 9, 23; Jun 20; Jul 4, 18;
Aug 1, 15, 29; Sep 12; Oct 10, 24

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 18 people
- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Milan – Lake Como – Milan. Make your own way to the tour hotel. At 11am, panoramic guided tour of Milan. See the Duomo, Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II and Teatro alla Scala. Continue to Lake Como for a short panoramic boat trip. Return to Milan. (D)

Day 2: Milan – Lake Garda – Verona – Venice. Depart for Sirmione on Lake Garda. On a boat ride, see the Villa of Maria Callas, Scaligero Castle, and Grotte di Catullo. Time at leisure in Verona, the city of Romeo and Juliet. Continue to Venice island for overnight. (B)

Day 3: Venice. Guided tour of Venice. See Piazza San Marco, St. Mark's Basilica, Doge's Palace, and the Bridge of Sighs. Depart by boat for Murano. See some glassmaking. Return to Venice with time at leisure. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Bologna – Florence. Depart for Bologna. Free time to visit Piazza Maggiore and the Asinelli and Garisenda Towers. Continue to Florence. See Piazza del Duomo, Santa Maria del Fiore Cathedral, Piazza della Signoria and Ponte Vecchio. (B)

Day 5: Florence. Day at leisure. (B,D)

Day 6: Florence – San Gimignano – Siena – Rome. Depart for San Gimignano. Time at leisure to visit the medieval town. Proceed to Siena, visiting Piazza del Campo. Departure for Rome with a late evening arrival. End of services. (B)



BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20

SAVE 10%

(Heritage of the North, Apr-Jun departures only)

SUNSHINE ITALY, SASSI & TRULLI

6 DAYS from \$1900

Operates Sunday
May 24; Jun 21; Jul 19; Aug 30; Sep 13;
Oct 4

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento. Depart and visit a cameo factory before arriving in Pompeii for a guided tour of the archaeological excavations. Proceed to Sorrento. (D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart by hydrofoil to the island of Capri. Take the funicular from Marina Grande to La Piazzetta with time at leisure. Return to Sorrento where you will enjoy a tasting of Limoncello. (B,D)

Day 3: Sorrento – Matera – Alberobello. Travel to Matera and visit the famous Sassi, one of the most impressive sites on the World Heritage list. Continue to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 4: Alberobello – Lecce – Ostuni – Alberobello. Depart for the city of Lecce, known for its Baroque architecture, for a guided tour before proceeding to Ostuni which has been inhabited since 1000BC. Return to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 5: Alberobello – Martina Franca – Amalfi Coast. Excursion of Alberobello, a



village of one thousand fairytale-like Trulli. Visit a farm for a tasting of their 'primitive' wines. Light lunch is included. Visit Martina Franca and its old city centre. Continue to your hotel located along the Amalfi Coast. (B,L,D)

Day 6: Amalfi Coast – Rome. Depart for Rome, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B)

BOOK & PAY IN FULL BY 29 FEB '20

SAVE 5%

(Sunshine Italy, Sassi & Trulli only)

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VENICE





VERONA



ITALIAN TREASURES 6 DAYS from \$2450

Operates Tuesday
**May 12, 19, 26; Jun 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21;
 Aug 25; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13**

- Partially Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Days 1-4: Touring with English speaking guide
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- 1 day Lake Maggiore ferry ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence –Cinque Terre – Florence.

Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – Lake Maggiore. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Proceed to Stresa or Baveno, two quaint, picturesque towns on Lake Maggiore, one of the most beautiful lakes in Italy. (B)

Day 5: Lake Maggiore. Day at leisure to enjoy the scenery of the lake and Alps. You have a local ferry ticket included to visit Isola Bella at your own pace. (B)

Day 6: Lake Maggiore – Milan. After breakfast, at approximately 9am, transfer to Milan Central train station or Milan Malpensa airport. End of services. (B)

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SAVE 5%
 (Italian Treasures only)

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FANTASY OF PUGLIA

6 DAYS from \$3088

Operates Friday

**May 15, 29; Jun 19, 26; Jul 10, 24; Aug 28;
Sep 18, 25; Oct 9, 23**

- Small Group Tour – Maximum 15 people
- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Bari. Make your own way to the tour hotel in Bari, the main city of Puglia. At approximately 2pm, go on a walking tour of Bari. Walk through the charming alleys of the old city centre, admire the Basilica of San Nicola, the Norman-Swabian Castle, and Piazza Mercantile. (D)

Day 2: Bari – Trani – Alberobello. Depart for the medieval town of Trani, known as the 'Pearl of Puglia'. Visit the Jewish quarter and the white stone Cathedral. Travel to the landmark of Castel Del Monte. Continue to Alberobello, famous for its 'Trulli' and fairytale-like atmosphere. Overnight accommodation will be in a Trullo. (B,D)

Alberobello accommodation is in a Trullo.

Day 3: Alberobello – Matera – Alberobello. Travel to the incredible UNESCO Heritage Site of Matera. Matera is known for its 'Sassi', caves that have been used as houses for over 9000 years. Admire the Romanesque Cathedral that overlooks the city, its beautiful Campanile, and the amazing view of the Sassi. Return to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 4: Alberobello – Locorotondo – Ostuni – Lecce. Depart for Locorotondo. Free time to visit the small town that is part of the 'white towns' of Puglia. Travel to Ostuni that overlooks the coastal plain, rich of ancient olive trees. Free time on arrival. In the late afternoon, depart for Lecce. (B,D)



Day 5: Lecce – Otranto – Lecce. Morning city tour of Lecce. Visit the old town centre, the 12th century Cathedral, the Basilica of Santa Croce, and Piazza del Duomo. After the tour, depart for Otranto with free time on arrival. Wander the old quarters to see how the Greek, Roman and Turkish cultures have blended together. In the early evening, reach Supersano for dinner at the 'Masseria le Stanzie'. Visit the ancient farm and the medieval tombs that are part of the farm. Also see how pasta is made. After dinner, return to Lecce. (B,D)

Day 6: Lecce. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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MATERA





WONDERS OF ITALY 6 DAYS from \$2502

Operates Saturday
May 2-Oct 24

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Rome – Assisi – Siena – Florence.

Make your own way to the bus terminal (Hotel Massimo D’Azeglio, Rome) and depart at 7.15am for Assisi, the town of St Francis. Time at leisure to visit the Basilica of St. Francis. Proceed to the medieval city of Siena, famous for the Palio. Continue to Florence. (D)

Day 2: Florence. Morning tour of Florence. See the Piazza del Duomo, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, Giotto’s Bell Tower, and the church of Santa Croce. Lunch in a local restaurant. Rest of the day at leisure. (B,L)

Day 3: Florence – Bologna – Padua – Venice. Discover the city of Bologna with its Porticos. Walk the streets and see the different piazza’s in the heart of the city as well as Palazzo del Podesta and San Petronio. Continue to Padua and see the Cathedral of St. Anthony. Proceed to Venice. (B,D)

Day 4: Venice. Visit Piazza San Marco. Skip the line and visit St. Mark’s Basilica. See the famous sites of Venice including the Doge’s Palace and Bridge of Sighs. Afternoon at leisure to roam along the canals. (B)

Day 5: Venice – Verona – Lake Garda – Lake Como. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. Walk the narrow streets and see the Arena at your own pace. Proceed to Sirmione on Lake Garda and then to Como on Lake Como. (B,D)

Day 6: Lake Como – Milan. Depart for Milan with the tour ending at the central railway station. End of services. (B)

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FLORENCE





TAORMINA

ROME TO SICILY 7 DAYS from \$2387

Operates Sunday

**May 17, 31; Jun 28; Jul 26;
Sep 6, 13, 20, 27; Oct 4, 11, 18**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Overnight ferry: Naples – Palermo (1 night in an outside cabin)
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary (with wine during lunch)
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento. Depart and visit a cameo factory before arriving in Pompeii for a guided tour of the city destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Proceed to Sorrento. (D)

Day 2: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart by hydrofoil to the island of Capri. Take the funicular from Marina Grande to La Piazzetta with time at leisure. Return to Sorrento where you will enjoy a tasting of Limoncello. (B,D)

Day 3: Sorrento – Naples – At sea.

Morning at leisure in Sorrento. In the afternoon, transfer to Naples to board the overnight ferry to Palermo. Overnight will be at sea. (B,D)

Day 4: Palermo – Monreale – Agrigento.

Disembark the ferry and enjoy your Sicilian breakfast in a typical bar. Continue on a panoramic tour of Palermo where you will see Norman Palace and the Cathedral. Travel to Monreale and visit the 12th century Moorish-Norman Cathedral. Proceed to Agrigento. (B,D)

Day 5: Agrigento – Taormina – Acireale.

Visit the splendid Doric buildings of the Valley of the Temples. Continue to a nearby farm for a tasting of some Sicilian products. Proceed to the beautiful town of Taormina. Time at leisure to explore or shop. Transfer to your hotel in Acireale. (B,D)

Day 6: Acireale – Siracusa – Acireale.

Morning departure to Siracusa for a guided visit of the Greek Theatre, Roman Amphitheatre and the Ear of Dionysus. Afternoon at leisure. (B,D)

Day 7: Acireale – Mt. Etna – Catania.

Morning excursion to Mt. Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. A farewell lunch is organised with typical local products. Continue to Catania airport with an estimated arrival time of 4pm. End of services. (B,L)



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SAVE 5%
(Rome to Sicily only)

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ITALIAN EXPERIENCE

8 DAYS from \$2675

Operates Tuesday
**May 12, 19, 26; Jun 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21;
 Aug 25; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – San Gimignano – Siena. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Continue to the beautiful hilltop town of San Gimignano and visit a wine estate to taste Chianti wine, accompanied with a light dinner. Proceed to Siena. (B)

Day 5: Siena – Rome. Walking tour of the city of Siena. See the square known as Il Campo, where the famous Palio race is held. Return to Rome, arriving in the late afternoon. Dinner will be in a typical Roman restaurant. Overnight will be near the airport. (B,D)

Day 6: Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento. Depart for the Sorrentine Peninsula. Visit a cameo factory before arriving in Pompeii for a guided tour of the city destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Proceed to Sorrento. (B,D)

Day 7: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart by hydrofoil to the island of Capri. Take the funicular from Marina Grande to La Piazzetta with time at leisure. Return to Sorrento where you will enjoy a tasting of Limoncello. (B,D)

Day 8: Sorrento – Rome. Morning at leisure. Afternoon departure for Rome, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B)

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 (Italian Experience only)

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

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SIENA





ITALIAN ESSENCE 8 DAYS from \$3275

Operates Tuesday

May 12, 19, 26; Jun 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21;
Aug 25; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13

- Partially Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Days 1-4: Touring with English speaking guide
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- 1 day Lake Maggiore ferry ticket
- 1 day Lake Como ferry ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence.

Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

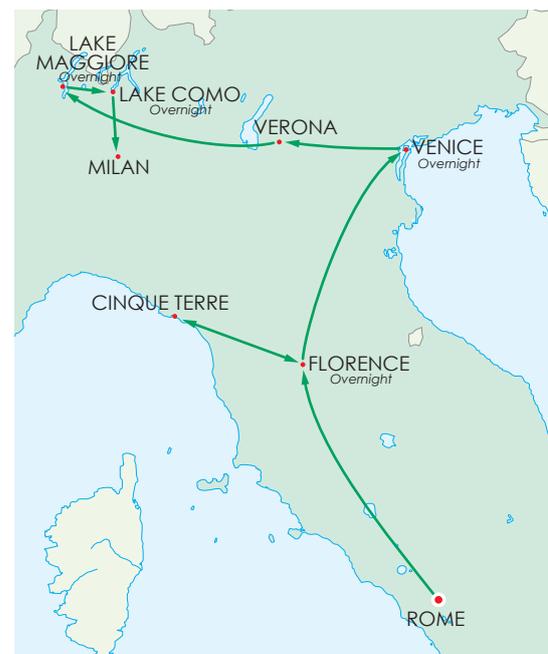
Day 4: Venice – Verona – Lake Maggiore. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Proceed to Stresa or Baveno, two quaint, picturesque towns on Lake Maggiore, one of the most beautiful lakes in Italy. (B)

Day 5: Lake Maggiore. Day at leisure to enjoy the scenery of the lake and Alps. A daily local ferry ticket is included to visit Isola Bella at your own pace. (B)

Day 6: Lake Maggiore – Lake Como. After breakfast, transfer to Lake Como. Day at leisure. (B)

Day 7: Lake Como. Day at leisure to see the beauty of this lake. A daily local ferry ticket is included to explore the lake at your own pace. (B)

Day 8: Lake Como – Milan. After breakfast, at approximately 9am, transfer to Milan Central train station or Milan Malpensa airport. End of services. (B)



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(Italian Essence only)



VERNAZZA, CINQUE TERRE



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 (Grand Tour Sassi & Trulli only)

GRAND TOUR SASSI & TRULLI

11 DAYS from \$3525

Operates Tuesday
May 19; Jun 16; Jul 14; Aug 25; Sep 8, 29

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 10 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – San Gimignano – Siena. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Continue to the beautiful hilltop town of San Gimignano and visit a wine estate to taste Chianti wine, accompanied with a light dinner. Proceed to Siena. (B)

Day 5: Siena – Rome. Walking tour of the city of Siena. See the square known as Il Campo, where the famous Palio race is held. Return to Rome, arriving in the late afternoon. Dinner will be in a typical Roman restaurant. Overnight will be near the airport. (B,D)

Day 6: Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento. Depart for the Sorrentine Peninsula. Visit a cameo factory before arriving in Pompeii for a guided tour of the archaeological excavations. Proceed to Sorrento. (B,D)

Day 7: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart by hydrofoil to the island of Capri. Take the funicular from Marina Grande to La Piazzetta with time at leisure. Return to Sorrento where you will enjoy a tasting of Limoncello. (B,D)

Day 8: Sorrento – Matera – Alberobello. Travel to Matera and visit the famous Sassi, one of the most impressive sites on the World Heritage list. Continue to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 9: Alberobello – Lecce – Ostuni – Alberobello. Depart for the city of Lecce, known for its Baroque architecture, for a guided tour before proceeding to Ostuni which has been inhabited since 1000BC. Return to Alberobello. (B,D)

Day 10: Alberobello – Martina Franca – Amalfi Coast. Excursion of Alberobello, a village of one thousand fairytale-like Trulli; round white houses with tall conical roofs. Visit a farm near Alberobello for a tasting of their 'primitive' wines. Light lunch is included. Visit Martina Franca and its old city centre. Continue to your hotel located along the Amalfi Coast. (B,L,D)

Day 11: Amalfi Coast – Rome. Depart for Rome, dropping off in a central location. End of services. (B)

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GRAND TOUR OF ITALY & SICILY

12 DAYS from \$4087

Operates Tuesday

May 12, 26; Jun 23; Jul 21; Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 10 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Overnight ferry: Naples – Palermo (1 night in an outside cabin)
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Local Cinque Terre train ticket
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Rome – Florence. Travel to Florence with a walking tour on arrival. See Giotto's Bell Tower, the Duomo, and Piazza della Signoria. Visit the Church of Santa Croce. There will be a photo stop at Michelangelo's Square. Lunch in a local restaurant. (L)

Day 2: Florence – Cinque Terre – Florence. Excursion to the Cinque Terre, one of the most amazing landscapes in the world. Visit Vernazza and the fishing village of Monterosso, considered 'the pearl of the Cinque Terre'. Return to Florence. (B)

Day 3: Florence – Venice. Depart for Venice. Guided tour upon arrival. Stroll the narrow streets and see St. Mark's Square and Basilica, and the Rialto Bridge. (B)

Day 4: Venice – Verona – San Gimignano – Siena. Depart for Verona, the town of Romeo and Juliet. See Juliet's Balcony and the Roman Theatre. Continue to the beautiful hilltop town of San Gimignano and visit a wine estate to taste Chianti wine, accompanied with a light dinner. Proceed to Siena. (B)

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Day 5: Siena – Rome. Walking tour of the city of Siena. See the square known as Il Campo, where the famous Palio race is held. Return to Rome, arriving in the late afternoon. Dinner will be in a typical Roman restaurant. Overnight will be near the airport. (B,D)

Day 6: Rome – Pompeii – Sorrento. Depart for the Sorrentine Peninsula. Visit a cameo factory before arriving in Pompeii for a guided tour of the city destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius. Proceed to Sorrento. (B,D)

Day 7: Sorrento – Capri – Sorrento. Depart by hydrofoil to the island of Capri. Take the funicular from Marina Grande to La Piazzetta with time at leisure. Return to Sorrento where you will enjoy a tasting of Limoncello. (B,D)

Day 8: Sorrento – Naples – At sea. Morning at leisure in Sorrento. In the afternoon, transfer to Naples to board the overnight ferry to Palermo. Overnight will be at sea. (B,D)

Day 9: Palermo – Monreale – Agrigento. Disembark the ferry and enjoy your Sicilian breakfast in a typical bar. Continue on a panoramic tour of Palermo where you will see Norman Palace and the Cathedral. Travel to Monreale and visit the 12th century Moorish-Norman Cathedral. Proceed to Agrigento. (B,D)

Day 10: Agrigento – Taormina – Acireale. Visit the splendid Doric buildings of the Valley of the Temples. Continue to a nearby farm for a tasting of some Sicilian products. Proceed to the beautiful town of Taormina. Time at leisure to explore or shop. Transfer to your hotel in Acireale. (B,D)

Day 11: Acireale – Siracusa – Acireale. Morning departure to Siracusa for a guided visit of the Greek Theatre, Roman Amphitheatre and the Ear of Dionysus. Afternoon at leisure. (B,D)



Day 12: Acireale – Mt. Etna – Catania. Morning excursion to Mt. Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. A farewell lunch is organised with typical local products. Continue to Catania airport with an estimated arrival time of 4pm. End of services. (B,L)

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SAVE 5%

(Grand Tour of Italy & Sicily only)

ROME





CATANIA TO PALERMO 5 DAYS from \$1460

Operates Saturday

**Apr 11, 18; May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
Jun 6, 13, 20; Jul 4, 11, 18; Aug 22, 29;
Sep 5, 12, 19, 26; Oct 3, 10, 17**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary with mineral water

Day 1: Catania. Make your own way to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Modica – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia del Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Depart for Modica and visit a chocolate factory. Continue to Ragusa. (B,D)

Day 3: Ragusa – Piazza Armerina – Agrigento. Depart for Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Depart for Palermo with time at leisure. Travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo to taste the Palermo street food whilst wandering the historical centre. Visit the Cathedral and Palazzo Mirto. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



PALERMO TO TAORMINA 5 DAYS from \$1760

Operates Tuesday

**Apr 14, 21; May 5, 12, 19, 26;
Jun 2, 9, 16, 23; Jul 7, 14, 21; Aug 25;
Sep 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Oct 6, 13, 20**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary with mineral water

Day 1: Palermo. Make your own way to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Erice – Marsala – Trapani – Palermo. Depart for the medieval village of Erice. Walk in its tiny and characteristic streets. Continue to Marsala and stop at a prestigious winery for some wine tasting with local products. Travel to the Trapani area for a panoramic tour of the salt windmills and basins. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Cefalu – Parco Dei Nebrodi – Taormina. Depart for the coastal town of Cefalu. Walk to the city centre to reach the Arab-Norman Cathedral and the medieval wash-house built in the rock. Drive to Parco dei Nebrodi and stop at the Miraglia Forest for lunch. Continue past Cesaro and Randazzo and visit Etna Park from the north facing side. Proceed to Taormina. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Taormina. Day at leisure. Weather permitting, there is an optional tour to Mt. Etna. (B,D)

Day 5: Taormina. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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AGRIGENTO





CATANIA

PALERMO TO CATANIA 5 DAYS from \$1360

Operates Tuesday
Mar 24-Nov 10

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 4 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Palermo. Transfer from Palermo airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Marsala – Agrigento. Travel to Marsala and see the city and its baroque churches. Travel west to the Salt Road. Visit a local winery for lunch and some wine and local product tasting. Transfer to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina – Ragusa – Catania. Morning visit to the Villa Romana del Casale World



Heritage Site in Piazza Armerina. Depart to Ragusa Ibla and visit the historical centre cradle of Sicilian baroque with its Cathedral. Conclude the day with tasting of local products before proceeding to Catania. (B,D)

Day 5: Catania. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

SICILIAN DELIGHTS 6 DAYS from \$1592

Operates Saturday
Mar 21-Nov 7

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 5 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Catania. Transfer from Catania airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Noto – Catania. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including

the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Continue to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO and visit the historical centre. Return to Catania. (B,D)

Day 3: Catania – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania. Travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvestri Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit a local bee keeper for some honey tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina. Visit the Greek Theatre. Free time before returning to Catania. (B,D)

Day 4: Catania – Cefalu – Palermo. Visit the historical centre of Catania with its original Baroque style. On a walking tour, see the ancient fish market, Duomo square with its magnificent Cathedral, University Square, Via dei Crociferi, and St. Benedict Monastery. Stop in a local bar for a tasting of granita and brioche.



Travel to the medieval town of Cefalu and visit the Arab-Norman Cathedral. Continue to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its huge Norman Cathedral. Return to Palermo. Visit the Arab-Norman Cathedral, the Martorana Church, the amazing Palatine Chapel, Teatro Massimo, and Pretoria Square. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 6: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



TAORMINA



SICILIAN CLASSICS 7 DAYS from \$1880

Operates Sunday
Mar 22-Oct 25

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

- Includes:**
- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
 - 6 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
 - Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
 - Meals as per itinerary with mineral water

Day 1: Catania/Viagrande. Make your own way to your hotel located in Viagrande, in the Catania area. (D)

Day 2: Catania/Viagrande – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania/Viagrande. Weather conditions permitting, travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvester Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit Zafferana Etnea, the City of Honey, for tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina with its Roman-Greek theatre. Dinner in a local restaurant in the historical centre of Taormina. Return to your hotel in Viagrande. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Catania/Viagrande – Siracusa – Noto – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the old city centre of Siracusa. Admire the Cathedral, Arethusa Fountain, and the Temple of Apollo. Visit the food market and visit a street food deli vintage shop for a light lunch of Sicilian appetizers. Proceed to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, and see the Cathedral. Continue to Ragusa. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Ragusa – Modica – Agrigento. Visit the ancient city of Ragusa with its Cathedral. Depart for Modica, famous for its Baroque churches, and taste the famous chocolate, Xocoatl. Proceed to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 5: Agrigento – Selinunte – Marsala – Palermo. Depart for the Archaeological Park of Selinunte with its Temples and Acropolis. Enjoy olive oil tasting at a farmhouse. Proceed to Marsala. Visit the historical centre and then stop in a prestigious winery for some wine tasting. Continue to Palermo. (B,L,D)

Day 6: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Tour of Palermo. Visit the Cathedral, the Palace of the Normans and its Palatine Chapel, and the Church of Santa Caterina and its Cloister. Travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo. (B,L,D)

Day 7: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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SICILIAN FANTASY

7 DAYS from \$1987

Operates Thursday

**Apr 16; May 7, 21; Jun 4, 18; Jul 2, 16;
Aug 20; Sep 3, 17; Oct 1, 15; Nov 5**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 6 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary
- Entrance fees

Day 1: Palermo. Make your own way to the tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo.

Travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo with a walking tour of the city. Discover the streets of the Old Town and visit the Cathedral. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Erice – Marsala –

Agrigento. Depart for the medieval village of Erice on Monte San Giuliano. Walk the tiny and characteristic streets. Continue to visit the Saline della Laguna. Board a boat for a trip to the nearby islands. Tour the natural reserve of the Stagnone di Marsala. Continue to Agrigento and visit the ruins at the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina –

Ragusa. Depart for Piazza Armerina. Visit the Villa Romana del Casale with all its mosaics. Continue to Ragusa and the historical centre, Ibla, with its baroque churches and palaces. Visit the old gate of San Giorgio, the Giardini Iblei, Piazza Pola, the church of San Giuseppe, and the Cosentini Palace. (B,D)

Day 5: Ragusa – Noto – Siracusa – Taormina

area. Travel to the baroque city of Noto. Visit the Cathedral of San Nicolo, and walk through the city centre. Continue to Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area which is home to a vast collection of Greek and Roman ruins. Visit the Greek Theatre, the Roman Amphitheatre, and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the small baroque old city centre of Siracusa. Proceed to your hotel in the Taormina area. (B,D)



Day 6: Taormina area – Mt. Etna – Taormina

area. Travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Marvel at the old lava fields. If weather permits, you have a chance to climb the summit. Afterwards, proceed to the beautiful and romantic town of Taormina. Rest of the day is at leisure. (B,D)

Day 7: Taormina area. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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PALERMO





SICILIAN CAROUSEL 8 DAYS from \$2380

Operates Saturday

**Apr 11, 18; May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
Jun 6, 13, 20; Jul 4, 11, 18; Aug 22, 29;
Sep 5, 12, 19, 26; Oct 3, 10, 17**

- Escorted
- Guided in English only
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with English speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary with mineral water

Day 1: Catania. Make your own way to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Modica – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia del Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Depart for Modica and visit a chocolate factory. Continue to Ragusa. (B,D)

Day 3: Ragusa – Piazza Armerina – Agrigento. Depart for Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Depart for Palermo with time at leisure. In the afternoon, travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo to taste the Palermo street food whilst wandering the historical centre. Visit the Cathedral and Palazzo Mirto, located in the ancient Arabic quarter of Kalsa, near Piazza Marina. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo – Erice – Marsala – Trapani – Palermo. Depart for the medieval village of Erice, located on the top of a hill overlooking the city of Trapani and the Egadi Islands. Walk in its tiny and characteristic streets. Continue to Marsala and stop at a prestigious winery for some wine tasting with local products. Travel to the Trapani area for a panoramic tour of the salt windmills and basins. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 6: Palermo – Cefalu – Parco Dei Nebrodi – Taormina. Depart for Cefalu, a former fishing village, now a charming coastal town. Walk to the city centre to reach the Arab-Norman Cathedral and the medieval wash-house built in the rock. Drive to Parco dei Nebrodi and stop at the Miraglia Forest for lunch. Continue past Cesaro and Randazzo and visit Etna Park from the north facing side. Proceed to Taormina. (B,L,D)

Day 7: Taormina. Day at leisure in the small medieval village of Taormina. Weather permitting, there is an optional tour to Mt. Etna. (B,D)

Day 8: Taormina. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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ERICE





SELINUNTE

JOLLY SICILY TOUR

8 DAYS from \$1900

Operates Saturday

Jan 18; Feb 15; Mar 7, 14, 21, 28;
Apr 4, 11, 18, 25; May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
Jun 6, 13, 20, 27; Jul 4, 11, 18, 25;
Aug 1, 8, 15, 22, 29; Sep 5, 12, 19, 26;
Oct 3, 10, 17, 24; Nov 7, 14

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary with mineral water

Day 1: Palermo. Make your own way to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Cefalu – Piazza Armerina – Catania/Viagrande. Depart for the coastal town of Cefalu. Stroll to the city centre and continue to the Cathedral. Proceed to Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to your hotel in Viagrande, in the Catania area. (B,L,D)

Day 3: Catania/Viagrande – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania/Viagrande. Weather conditions permitting, travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvester Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit Zafferana Etnea, the City of Honey, for tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina with its Roman-Greek theatre. Dinner in a local restaurant in the historical centre of Taormina. Return to your hotel in Viagrande. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Catania/Viagrande – Siracusa – Noto – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the old city centre of Siracusa. Admire the Cathedral, Arethusa Fountain, and the Temple of Apollo. Visit the food market and visit a street food deli vintage shop for a light lunch of Sicilian appetizers. Proceed to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO, and see the Cathedral. Continue to Ragusa. (B,L,D)

NOTE: Jan 18-Mar 14 & Nov 7-14 departures do not visit the Food Market in Siracusa.

Day 5: Ragusa – Modica – Agrigento. Visit the ancient city of Ragusa with its Cathedral. Depart for Modica, famous for its Baroque churches, and taste the famous chocolate, Xocoatl. Proceed to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)



Day 6: Agrigento – Selinunte – Marsala – Palermo. Depart for the Archaeological Park of Selinunte with its Temples and Acropolis. Enjoy olive oil tasting at a farmhouse. Proceed to Marsala. Visit the historical centre and then stop in a prestigious winery for some wine tasting. Continue to Palermo. (B,L,D)

Day 7: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Tour of Palermo. Visit the Cathedral, the Palace of the Normans and its Palatine Chapel, and the Church of Santa Caterina and its Cloister. Travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo. (B,L,D)

Day 8: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



PALERMO TO MALTA 8 DAYS from \$3340

Operates Tuesday

Mar 24-Nov 10

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Days 2-4: Fully escorted coach tour with multi-lingual guide
- Tours as per itinerary
- Ferry: Pozzallo – Valletta
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Palermo. Transfer from Palermo airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, and Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Marsala – Agrigento. Travel to Marsala and see the city and its baroque churches. Travel west to the Salt Road. Visit a local winery for lunch and some wine and local product tasting. Transfer to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina – Ragusa – Pozzallo – Malta. Morning visit to the Villa Romana del Casale World Heritage Site in Piazza Armerina.

Depart to Ragusa Ibla and visit the historical centre cradle of Sicilian baroque with its Cathedral. You will get to taste some local products. Transfer to Pozzallo port and board the catamaran to Malta. Arrive into Valletta Harbour and transfer to your hotel located in either St. Julians or Qawra. (B,D)

Day 5: Malta (Valletta – Mdina). Visit the charming capital of Valletta. Visit the Casa Rocca Piccola, the Cathedral of St. John which houses the Caravaggio masterpiece, 'Beheading of St. John the Baptist', the Barrakka Gardens for a magnificent view, and the Grand Master's Palace. Continue to the former capital, Mdina. Visit the Cathedral of St. Paul and have free time to walk the narrow streets. (B)

Day 6: Malta (Senglea – Vittoriosa – Cospicua – Marsaxlokk – Blue Grotto – Dingli – Golden Bay). Full day excursion begins with a visit to the 3 fortified cities of Senglea, Vittoriosa and Cospicua. Visit the charming fishing village of Marsaxlokk with its waterfront lined with colourful boats. Continue to the Blue Grotto and then towards Dingli, through the countryside to Golden Bay in Mellieha, one of the most beautiful beaches on the island. Free time for a swim. (B)

Day 7: Malta – Comino – Gozo – Malta. Board a mini cruise and sail to the island of Comino to visit the famous Blue Lagoon and to enjoy some free time. Continue to the island of Gozo and visit Ta' Pinu, Dwejra, and Victoria with its market square and citadel. After the tour, board the vessel again and return to the island of Malta. (B)

Day 8: Malta. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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RAGUSA





PALERMO

WONDERS OF SICILY

8 DAYS from \$1820

Operates Saturday
Mar 21-Nov 7

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 7 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Catania. Transfer from Catania airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Noto – Catania. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Continue to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO and visit the historical centre. Return to Catania. (B,D)

Day 3: Catania – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania. Travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvestri Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit a local bee keeper for some honey tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina. Visit the Greek Theatre. Free time before returning to Catania. (B,D)

Day 4: Catania – Cefalu – Palermo. Visit the historical centre of Catania with its original Baroque style. On a walking tour, see the ancient fish market, Duomo square with its magnificent Cathedral, University Square, Via dei Crociferi, and St. Benedict Monastery. Stop in a local bar for a tasting of granita and brioche. Travel to the medieval town of Cefalu and visit the Arab-Norman Cathedral. Continue to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)



Day 6: Palermo – Marsala – Agrigento.

Travel to Marsala and see the city and its baroque churches. Travel west to the Salt Road. Visit a local winery for lunch and some wine and local product tasting. Transfer to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 7: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina – Ragusa – Catania. Morning visit to the Villa Romana del Casale World Heritage Site in Piazza Armerina. Depart to Ragusa Ibla and visit the historical centre cradle of Sicilian baroque with its Cathedral. Conclude the day with tasting of local products before proceeding to Catania. (B,D)

Day 8: Catania. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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PEARLS OF SICILY 9 DAYS from \$2032

Operates Tuesday
Mar 24-Nov 3

- Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 8 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Touring with multi-lingual speaking guide
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Palermo. Transfer from Palermo airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Marsala – Agrigento. Travel to Marsala and see the city and its baroque churches. Travel west to the Salt Road. Visit a local winery for lunch and some wine and local product tasting. Transfer to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina – Ragusa – Catania. Morning visit to the Villa Romana del Casale World Heritage Site in Piazza Armerina. Depart to Ragusa Ibla

and visit the historical centre cradle of Sicilian baroque with its Cathedral. Conclude the day with tasting of local products before proceeding to Catania. (B,D)

Day 5: Catania. Day at leisure to explore the city. (B,D)

Day 6: Catania – Siracusa – Noto – Catania. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Continue to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO and visit the historical centre. Return to Catania. (B,D)

Day 7: Catania – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania. Travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvestri Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit a local bee keeper for some honey tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina. Visit the Greek Theatre. Free time before returning to Catania. (B,D)

Day 8: Catania – Cefalu – Palermo. Visit the historical centre of Catania with its original Baroque style. On a walking tour, see the ancient fish market, Duomo square with its magnificent Cathedral, University Square, Via dei Crociferi, and St. Benedict Monastery. Stop in a local bar for a tasting of granita and brioches. Travel to the medieval town of Cefalu and visit the Arab-Norman Cathedral. Continue to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 9: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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TAORMINA





STROMBOLI

SICILIAN HIGHLIGHTS & AEOLIAN ISLANDS

9 DAYS from \$2820

Operates Tuesday
Apr 14-Oct 20

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 8 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Days 2-4: Fully escorted coach tour with multi-lingual guide
- Tours as per itinerary
- Ferry Milazzo – Lipari – Milazzo
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Palermo. Transfer from Palermo airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, and Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 3: Palermo – Marsala – Agrigento.

Travel to Marsala and see the city and its baroque churches. Travel west to the Salt Road. Visit a local winery for lunch and some wine and local product tasting. Transfer to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Piazza Armerina

– Ragusa – Catania. Morning visit to the Villa Romana del Casale World Heritage Site in Piazza Armerina. Depart to Ragusa Ibla and visit the historical centre cradle of Sicilian baroque with its Cathedral. Conclude the day with tasting of local products before proceeding to Catania. (B,D)

Day 5: Catania – Lipari. Time at leisure in Catania, and then it's time to visit the Aeolian Islands. Transfer to Milazzo where you will board a hydrofoil for Lipari. Time at leisure upon arrival. (B,D)

Day 6: Lipari – Panarea – Stromboli –

Lipari. Full day excursion of Panarea and Stromboli. Stop at Cave of Pumice for a swim before continuing to Panarea to visit the Bay of Calajunco, and stay in Zimmari for another swim. Scenic ride visiting the Cave of Lovers to reach the harbour for some free time. Afternoon visit to Ginostra, a small fishing village and see the Sciara del Fuoco, with its lava rivers. Admire Strombolicchio, a gigantic rock and the Sciara del Fuoco, a stunning volcanic explosion of reddish lapilli creating lava rivers reaching the sea. (B,D)



Day 7: Lipari – Salina – Lipari. Full day excursion of Lipari and Salina. Stop at Santa Marina Salina the biggest town on the island of Salina. Visit Malfa village, Capofaro town and its Malvasia wineries. The boat will then stop in the charming fishermen's village of Lingua where you will have free time. On the way back, visit the most beautiful grottos in Lipari. Time for a swim in Vinci beach, in front of the Faraglioni. (B,D)

Day 8: Lipari – Taormina. Transfer to the port for a hydrofoil to Milazzo. Upon arrival, transfer to the charming town of Taormina. Time at leisure. (B,D)

Day 9: Taormina. After breakfast, end of services. (B)



FAVIGNANA



SICILY & AEGADIAN ISLANDS

10 DAYS from \$2520

Operates Saturday
Jun 6-Sep 26

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 9 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels
- Days 2-5: Fully escorted coach tour with multi-lingual guide
- Tours as per itinerary
- Ferry: Trapani – Favignana – Trapani
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Catania. Transfer from Catania airport or train station to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Noto – Catania. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia dei Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Continue to Noto, a World Heritage Site by UNESCO and visit the historical centre. Return to Catania. (B,D)

Day 3: Catania – Mt. Etna – Taormina – Catania. Travel to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe. Reach a height of 1900m to visit the Sylvestri Craters and enjoy a fantastic view. Visit a local bee keeper for some honey tasting. Continue to the beautiful town of Taormina. Visit the Greek Theatre. Free time before returning to Catania. (B,D)

Day 4: Catania – Cefalu – Palermo. Visit the historical centre of Catania with its original Baroque style. On a walking tour, see the ancient fish market, Duomo square with its magnificent Cathedral, University Square, Via dei Crociferi, and St. Benedict Monastery. Stop in a local bar for a tasting of granita and brioche. Travel to the medieval town of Cefalu and visit the Arab-Norman Cathedral. Continue to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Visit Monreale with its Norman Cathedral and its Cloister. Return to Palermo and visit the Cathedral, the Martorana Church, Palatine Chapel, Teatro Massimo. Stop in a local bakery for a food surprise. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 6: Palermo – Favignana. Time to visit the Aegadian Islands. Transfer to Trapani and board a hydrofoil to Favignana. Time at leisure. (B,D)

Day 7: Favignana. Depart from Favignana harbour for a boat tour of the island. Stop in Cala Rossa, Bue Marino, Cala Azzurra – famous for its sandy white beach and the most crystalline sea of the island – and Lido Burrone. Continue to Cala Rotonda and Cala del Pozzo. Plenty of swim stops along the way. (B,L,D)

Day 8: Favignana. Free time in Favignana with an optional boat excursion to Levanzo. (B,D)

Day 9: Favignana – Trapani. Transfer to the port for a hydrofoil to Trapani. Free time to discover the city. (B,D)

Day 10: Trapani. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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BEST OF SICILY & MALTA

12 DAYS from \$4260

Operates Saturday

Apr 11, 18; May 2, 9, 16, 23, 30;
Jun 6, 13, 20; Jul 4, 11, 18; Aug 22, 29;
Sep 5, 12, 19, 26; Oct 3, 10, 17

- Partially Escorted
- Guaranteed Departures

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 11 nights accommodation in 4* hotels
- Days 2-6: Fully escorted coach tour with English speaking guide
- Tours as per itinerary
- Flight from Sicily to Malta
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Catania. Make your own way to tour hotel. (D)

Day 2: Catania – Siracusa – Modica – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia del Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Depart for Modica and visit a chocolate factory. Continue to Ragusa. (B,D)

Day 3: Ragusa – Piazza Armerina – Agrigento. Depart for Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 4: Agrigento – Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Depart for Palermo with time at leisure. In the afternoon, travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo to taste the Palermo street food whilst wandering the historical centre. Visit the Cathedral and Palazzo Mirto, located in the ancient Arabic quarter of Kalsa, near Piazza Marina. (B,D)

Day 5: Palermo – Erice – Marsala – Trapani – Palermo. Depart for the medieval village of Erice, located on the top of a hill overlooking the city of Trapani and the Egadi Islands. Walk in its tiny and characteristic streets. Continue to Marsala and stop at a prestigious winery for some wine tasting with local products. Travel to the Trapani area for a panoramic tour of the salt windmills and basins. Return to Palermo. (B,D)

Day 6: Palermo – Cefalu – Parco Dei Nebrodi – Taormina. Depart for Cefalu, a former fishing village, now a charming coastal town. Walk to the city centre to reach the Arab-Norman Cathedral and the medieval wash-house built in the rock. Drive to Parco dei Nebrodi and stop at the Miraglia Forest for lunch. Continue past Cesaro and Randazzo and visit Etna Park from the north facing side. Proceed to Taormina. (B,L,D)

Day 7: Taormina. Day at leisure in the small medieval village of Taormina. Weather permitting, there is an optional tour to Mt. Etna. (B,D)

Day 8: Taormina – Catania – Malta. Transfer from Taormina to Catania airport for your flight to Malta (**flight included**). Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel located in Qawra/Bugibba. (B,D)

Day 9: Malta (Marsaxlokk – Blue Grotto). Visit the idyllic fishing village of Marsaxlokk. Weather permitting, continue to tour with a visit to the Blue Grotto and the nearby caves (boat price not included). Explore one of Malta's unspoilt villages. Remainder of day at leisure. (B,D)

Day 10: Malta (Valletta). Morning tour of Valletta, the capital of Malta. See the Upper Barracca Gardens and St. John's Co-Cathedral, home to a splendid Caravaggio painting as well as an intriguing museum. Walk past the Grandmaster's Palace before watching the Malta Experience audio-visual show. Remainder of day is at leisure. (B,D)



Day 11: Malta (Mdina – Rabat – Dingli – Ta' Qali – Mosta). Begin with a visit to the medieval fortified city of Mdina. Continue to the Christian Catacombs in Rabat, and then the cliffs at Dingli. Visit the San Anton botanical gardens situated near the Presidential Palace. Spend time at the crafts centre at Ta' Qali. Last stop is the village of Mosta to visit the church renowned for its spectacular dome. (B,L,D)

Day 12: Malta. Transfer to Malta airport or port. End of services. (B)

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CEFALU





MALTA

5 GREAT REASONS THAT MAKE SUN ISLAND TOURS THE MALTA EXPERTS

1. **Local operator with 30 years experience**
2. **Extensive range of hotels**
3. **Tailor made packages**
4. **Licensed, English speaking guides**
5. **Local operator available 24/7**

WHY TRAVEL TO MALTA?

The capital, Valletta and its majestic Grand Harbour. Old capital of Mdina with its narrow streets and views over the country. 359 unique churches including the unsupported dome of Mosta. The beauty of the Blue Lagoon in Comino. Nightclubs in St. Julians. Sliema's restaurants and cafes that line the waterfront. Sandy beach of Mellieha Bay. Historical temples of Ggantija, the oldest in the world. Colourful fishing village of Marsaxlokk. Island of Gozo and its anonymity. The atmosphere of a "festa" in a local village. The Pastizzi and Kinnie.

HOW?

Emirates and Qatar Airways fly into Malta.

CLIMATE:

Typically Mediterranean, Malta experiences hot and dry summers, with warm and sporadically wet autumns. The winter months are generally short and cool with adequate rainfall.

CURRENCY:

Euro (EUR).

VISA:

Current Australian passport holders do not require a visa for stays of 90 days or less.

DON'T MISS ...

Taking a day cruise around the Grand Harbour. The breathtaking views are best seen from the water.



Note that the above information is a guide only and is subject to change.



VALLETTA EXPERIENCE From \$87

Operates Mon/Wed/Fri
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour
- Duration 4 hrs

Walking tour through the bustling streets of Valletta. Stop at the Barracca Gardens with breathtaking views of the Grand Harbour. Continue to St John's Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting before passing by the Grand Masters Palace and historical buildings. Finish with the Malta Experience, a multivision show that depicts the country's history.



TWO HARBOURS CRUISE From \$21

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Duration 1.5 hrs

Make your own way to the cruise terminal (transfers are optional). Take a panoramic cruise around the two natural harbours of Malta. Commentary will help you unfold the history of Valletta and the Three Cities. See historical forts, battlements and the ten creeks from the sea.

NIGHT CRUISE ALSO AVAILABLE, MAY-OCT



THREE CITIES TOUR From \$70

Operates Wed/Sat
Jan-Dec

- Half Day Tour
- Duration 4 hrs

Tour of the historical area begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Discover on foot the old, narrow streets and buildings. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks, a unique way to view the fortifications. End in Senglea with its watchtower in the centre of the harbour.



GOZO TOUR From \$134

Operates Mon/Thu/Sat
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Duration 8 hrs

Travel by bus and ferry to the island of Gozo. Tour around the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the oldest free-standing monuments in the world. Afternoon visit to the Citadel in Victoria and the rocky cliffs in Xlendi Bay. Free time for shopping in the local markets.

NOTE: Monday departure does not visit Ggantija Temples.



MDINA AND MOSTA From \$117

Operates Tue/Fri
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Duration 8 hrs

Walking tour of the medieval town of Mdina, the old capital. See the narrow winding streets and the city's bastions from where a stunning, panoramic view of the island can be seen. Visit Dingli cliffs and San Anton Gardens, home of the President. In Mosta, visit the church with its impressive dome. Also visit Ta' Qali to see glass blowing.



MALTA BY NIGHT From \$59

Operates Tue/Fri
Jan-Dec

- Evening Tour
- Duration 4 hrs

See the main sites of Malta by night, all lit up. Visit Vittoriosa and see the Grand Harbour. Walk around the streets of the city and the waterfront. Drive around the fortifications of Valletta and later on to Mdina. Walk around the old capital city. From the ramparts of Mdina you will be able to see practically half of the island sparkling in front of your eyes.



HAGAR QIM & MARSAXLOKK From \$125

Operates Friday
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Lunch included)
- Duration 8 hrs

See unspoilt villages and a typical Maltese piazza. Visit Limestone Heritage and the historical temples of Hagar Qim. Proceed to the Blue Grotto and weather permitting, take a boat ride (fee not included). Visit the fishing village of Marsaxlokk and Ghar Dalam, the cave of obscurity.



COMINO & BLUE LAGOON CRUISE From \$43

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Lunch & Drinks optional)
- Duration 7½-8 hrs

Make your own way to the cruise terminal (transfers are optional). Cruise past the bays of St. Julian's and St. Paul's before arriving at the island of Comino and the famous Blue Lagoon. Spend the day swimming off the boat or relaxing ashore on the small beach. Lunch and an open bar with drinks (excluding spirits) is optional.



GOZO & COMINO BLUE LAGOON CRUISE From \$74

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Full Day Tour (Drinks optional)
- Duration 7½-8 hrs

Make your own way to the cruise terminal (transfers are optional). Board the vessel and cruise to Gozo. Board a sightseeing bus and visit Dwejra and Victoria. Travel to Comino and the Blue Lagoon for time at leisure to enjoy the turquoise waters. Open bar with drinks (excluding spirits) is optional.



VALLETTA



MALTA AND ITS ISLANDS 5 DAYS from \$420

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Shared return airport transfers
- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷), superior (4🍷) or deluxe (5🍷) class hotels (in Sliema)
- Tours as per itinerary with English speaking tour leader
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta. Make your own way to the cruise departure point. Board your vessel for a short cruise around the Grand Harbour of Valletta with its majestic views of the historical fortifications. (B)

Day 3: Malta – Comino – Malta. Make your own way to the cruise departure point. Board your cruise for a full day at leisure in the Blue Lagoon at the island of Comino. (B)

Day 4: Malta – Gozo – Malta. Transfer to the port and board the ferry to the island of Gozo for a full day tour. Visit the Citadel in Victoria and the rocky cliffs at Xlendi Bay. Free time for shopping in the local markets. Return to Malta island. (B,L)

Day 5: Malta. Transfer to the airport. End of services. (B)



HISTORICAL MALTA 5 DAYS from \$441

Operates Sun
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Shared return airport transfers
- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷), superior (4🍷) or deluxe (5🍷) class hotels (in Sliema)
- Tours as per itinerary with English speaking tour leader
- Meals as per itinerary.

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to hotel.

Day 2: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens with

its view of the Grand Harbour, St. John's Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting, and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience multi-vision show that depicts the country's history. (B)

Day 3: Malta (Mdina – Dingli). Half day tour including Mdina and its citadel. Walk the narrow streets and get a view of the island. Proceed to the Dingli Cliffs for a look out. End the tour with a visit to the San Anton Gardens. (B)

Day 4: Malta (Cospicua – Vittoriosa – Senglea). Half day tour of the historical area begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Discover on foot the old, narrow streets and buildings. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks, a unique way to view the fortifications. End the tour in Senglea with its watchtower in the centre of the harbour. (B)

Day 5: Malta. Transfer to the airport. End of services. (B)

Sequence of the packages may vary depending on arrival day. The cruise company reserves the right to cancel or modify their excursions due to weather conditions. Rates do not include the Malta Environmental Contribution. This is to be paid locally to the hotels.

HIGHLIGHTS OF MALTA

6 DAYS from \$647

Operates Daily

Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Shared return airport transfers
- 5 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀), superior (4🌀) or deluxe (5🌀) class hotels (in Sliema)
- Tours as per itinerary with English speaking tour leader
- Meals as per itinerary.

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour through the bustling streets of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens with its breathtaking view of the Grand Harbour, St. John's Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting, and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience, a multi-vision show that depicts the country's history. (B)

Day 3: Malta (Mdina – Dingli – Mosta – Ta' Qali). Full day tour includes a visit to the citadel of Mdina. Navigate the narrow streets and get an almost 360° panoramic view of the island. Stop at the catacombs before proceeding to the Dingli Cliffs. Visit the San Anton Gardens and the Mosta Church with its impressive dome, one of the largest standing, unsupported domes in Europe. End the day at the crafts centre of Ta' Qali. (B,L)

Day 4: Malta – Comino – Malta. Make your own way to the cruise departure point. Board your cruise for a full day in the Blue Lagoon on the island of Comino. Cruise past Sliema, St. Julians, St. Pauls Bay, and Mellieha. Rest of the day is at leisure on the island before returning to Malta. (B)

Day 5: Malta – Gozo – Malta. Travel by bus and ferry to the island of Gozo. Tour around the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the Citadel in Victoria and the rocky cliffs in Xlendi Bay. Free time for shopping in the local markets. End the day with a ferry back to Malta. (B,L)

Day 6: Malta. Transfer to the airport. End of services. (B)



Sequence of the package may vary depending on arrival day. The cruise company reserves the right to cancel or modify their excursions due to weather conditions. Rates do not include the Malta Environmental Contribution. This is to be paid locally to the hotels.

MDINA





MALTA AND GOZO 9 DAYS from \$962

Operates Mon/Tue/Thu/Fri/Sat/Sun
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- All transfers as per itinerary
- Ferry: Malta – Gozo – Malta
- 8 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷), superior (4🍷) or deluxe (5🍷) class hotels (in Malta – Sliema, in Gozo – location varies)
- Tours as per itinerary with English speaking tour leader
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour through the bustling streets of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens with its breathtaking view of the Grand Harbour, St. Johns Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience, a multi-vision show that depicts the country's history. (B)

Day 3: Malta (Mdina – Dingli – Mosta – Ta'Qali). Full day tour includes a visit to the citadel of Mdina and its view of the island. Stop at the catacombs before proceeding to the Dingli Cliffs. Visit the San Anton Gardens and the Mosta church with its impressive dome. End the day at the crafts centre of Ta'Qali. (B,L)

Day 4: Malta (Cospicua – Vittoriosa – Senglea). Half day tour of the historical area begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Discover on foot the old, narrow streets and buildings. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks. End the morning in Senglea with its beautiful watchtower in the centre of the harbour. (B)

Day 5: Malta. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 6: Malta – Gozo. Transfer to the port for the ferry to Gozo. Upon arrival, transfer to your hotel. (B)

Day 7: Gozo. Full day tour of Gozo on a Tuk-Tuk. Travel through narrow, picturesque streets and see the highlights of Gozo; Xewkija (Rotunda Church & Square), Munxar (Sanap Cliffs), Xlendi Bay, Fontana (Wash House), Dwejra (Limestone Quarries, Fungus Rock), Gharb (Ta' Pinu Sanctuary), Wied il-Mielah (Window), Victoria (Citadel), Marsalforn Bay, Xaghra (Calypso Cave), Ramla il-Hamra, Nadur (Ta' Kenuna Tower), and Qala. (B,L)

Day 8: Gozo. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 9: Gozo – Malta. Transfer to the port for ferry to Malta island. Continue to Malta airport. End of services. (B)

Sequence of the package may vary depending on arrival day. Rates do not include the Malta Environmental Contribution. This is to be paid locally to the hotels.

TA' PINU





ST. JULIANS

MALTA IN DEPTH

9 DAYS from \$930

Operates Daily

Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Shared return airport transfers
- 8 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷), superior (4🍷) or deluxe (5🍷) class hotels (in Sliema)
- Tours as per itinerary with English speaking tour leader
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour through the bustling streets of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens with its breathtaking view of the Grand Harbour, St. Johns Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience, a multivision show that depicts the country's history. (B)

Day 3: Malta (Mdina – Dingli – Mosta – Ta'Qali). Full day tour includes a visit to the citadel of Mdina and its view of the island. Stop at the catacombs before proceeding to the Dingli Cliffs. Visit the San Anton Gardens and the Mosta church with its impressive dome. End the day at the crafts centre of Ta'Qali. (B,L)

Day 4: Malta (Cospicua – Vittoriosa – Senglea). Half day tour of the historical area begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Discover on foot the old, narrow streets and buildings. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks. End the morning in Senglea with its beautiful watchtower in the centre of the harbour. (B)

Day 5: Malta. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 6: Malta (Hagar Qim – Blue Grotto – Marsaxlokk – Ghar Dalam). Full day tour discovering the local lifestyle. Travel to a 'pjazza' in a local village and proceed to the temples of Hagar Qim. Continue to the Blue Grotto (boat fee not included and weather permitting), the fishing village of Marsaxlokk with its colourful 'luzzus', and the caves of Ghar Dalam. (B,L)

Day 7: Malta – Gozo – Malta. Travel by bus and ferry to the island of Gozo. Tour around the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the Citadel in Victoria and the rocky cliffs in Xlendi Bay. Free time for shopping in the local markets. End the day with a ferry back to Malta. (B,L)



Day 8: Malta – Comino – Malta. Make your own way to the cruise departure point. Board your cruise for a full day in the Blue Lagoon at the island of Comino. Cruise past Sliema, St. Julian's, St. Pauls Bay, and Mellieha. Rest of the day is at leisure on the island. (B)

Day 9: Malta. Transfer to the airport. End of services. (B)



MARSAXLOKK



FROM MALTA TO PALERMO

13 DAYS from \$2933

Operates Friday
Apr 3, 10, 25; May 1, 8, 15, 22, 29;
Jun 5, 12, 26; Jul 3, 10; Aug 14, 21, 28;
Sep 4, 11, 18, 25; Oct 2, 9

- Partially Escorted

- Includes:**
- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
 - 12 nights accommodation in 4+ hotels (Nights 1-8 are in Sliema)
 - Days 10-12: Fully escorted coach tour with English speaking guide
 - Tours as per itinerary
 - Transfers as per itinerary
 - Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta – Gozo – Malta. Travel to Gozo. Visit the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the Citadel in Victoria and beautiful Xlendi Bay. Free time at the local markets. Return to Malta. (B,L)

Day 3: Malta. Day at leisure to explore the island at your own pace. (B)

Day 4: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens and the Grand Harbour, St. Johns Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience multivision show. (B)

Day 5: Malta (Mdina – Dingli – Mosta – Ta'Qali). Full day tour includes a visit to the citadel of Mdina. Stop at the catacombs before proceeding to the Dingli Cliffs. Visit the San Anton Gardens and the Mosta church with its impressive dome. End the day at the crafts centre of Ta'Qali. (B,L)

Day 6: Malta (Cospicua – Vittoriosa – Senglea). Half day tour begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Walk the old and narrow streets. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks. Continue to Senglea with its beautiful watchtower. (B)

Day 7: Malta – Comino – Malta. Make your own way to the port. Board the cruise and sail to the Blue Lagoon in Comino. Day at leisure on the island. (B)

Day 8: Malta (Hagar Qim – Blue Grotto – Marsaxlokk – Ghar Dalam). Full day tour discovering the local lifestyle. Travel to a 'pjazza' in a local village and proceed to the temples of Hagar Qim. Continue to the Blue Grotto (boat fee not included and weather permitting), the fishing village of Marsaxlokk with its colourful 'luzzus', and the caves of Ghar Dalam. (B,L)

Day 9: Malta – Catania. Transfer to Malta airport for flight to Catania (**airfare not included**). On arrival, transfer to your hotel. (B,D)

Day 10: Catania – Siracusa – Modica – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia del Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Depart for Modica and visit a chocolate factory. Continue to Ragusa. (B,D)

Day 11: Ragusa – Piazza Armerina – Agrigento. Depart for Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 12: Agrigento – Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Depart for Palermo with time at leisure. In the afternoon, travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo to taste the Palermo street food whilst wandering the historical centre. Visit the Cathedral and Palazzo Mirto. (B,D)

Day 13: Palermo. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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HIGHLIGHTS OF MALTA & SICILY

14 DAYS from \$3528

Operates Sunday

**Apr 5, 12, 26; May 3, 10, 17, 24, 31;
Jun 7, 14, 28; Jul 5, 12; Aug 16, 23, 30;
Sep 6, 13, 20, 27; Oct 4, 11**

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- Transportation by air conditioned vehicle
- 13 nights accommodation in 4* hotels (Nights 1-6 are in Sliema)
- Days 8-12: Fully escorted coach tour with English speaking guide
- Tours as per itinerary
- Transfers as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Malta. Arrival transfer from airport to your hotel.

Day 2: Malta (Valletta). Half day tour of Valletta. See the Barracca Gardens and the Grand Harbour, St. Johns Co-Cathedral with its Caravaggio painting and the Grand Masters Palace. End with the Malta Experience, a multivision show that depicts the country's history. (B)

Day 3: Malta (Mdina – Dingli – Mosta – Ta'Qali). Full day tour includes a visit to the citadel of Mdina. Stop at the catacombs before proceeding to the Dingli Cliffs. Visit the San Anton Gardens and the Mosta church with its impressive dome. End the day at the crafts centre of Ta'Qali. (B,L)

Day 4: Malta (Cospicua – Vittoriosa – Senglea). Half day tour of the historical area begins with a drive past Cospicua to Vittoriosa. Discover on foot the old, narrow streets and buildings. Take a 'fregatina' for a tour of the famous harbour creeks. End the morning in Senglea with its beautiful watchtower in the centre of the harbour. (B)

Day 5: Malta – Gozo – Malta. Travel to the island of Gozo. Tour around the Megalithic temples of Ggantija, the Citadel in Victoria and the rocky cliffs in Xlendi Bay. Free time for shopping in the local markets. Return to Malta. (B,L)

Day 6: Malta – Comino – Malta. Make your own way to the cruise departure point. Board the cruise and sail along the coast, for a full day in the Blue Lagoon at the island of Comino. Day at leisure on the island. (B)

Day 7: Malta – Catania. Transfer to Malta airport for flight to Catania (**airfare not included**). On arrival, transfer to your hotel. (B,D)

Day 8: Catania – Siracusa – Modica – Ragusa. Depart for the Greek colony of Siracusa. Visit the archaeological area including the Latomia del Paradiso and the Ear of Dionysus. Visit the island of Ortigia, the historical centre of the city. Visit the Cathedral and Arethusa Fountain. Depart for Modica and visit a chocolate factory. Continue to Ragusa. (B,D)

Day 9: Ragusa – Piazza Armerina – Agrigento. Depart for Piazza Armerina to visit the Villa Romana del Casale. Continue to Agrigento and visit the Valley of the Temples. (B,L,D)

Day 10: Agrigento – Palermo – Monreale – Palermo. Depart for Palermo with time at leisure. In the afternoon, travel to Monreale and visit the Cathedral with its mosaics and Moorish architecture. Return to Palermo to taste the Palermo street food whilst wandering the historical centre. Visit the Cathedral and Palazzo Mirto. (B,D)

Day 11: Palermo – Erice – Marsala – Trapani – Palermo. Depart for the medieval village of Erice, located on the top of a hill overlooking the city of Trapani and the Egadi Islands. Walk in its tiny and characteristic streets. Continue to Marsala and stop at a prestigious winery for some wine tasting with local products. Travel to the Trapani area for a panoramic tour of the salt windmills and basins. Return to Palermo. (B,D)



Day 12: Palermo – Cefalu – Parco Dei Nebrodi – Taormina. Depart for Cefalu, a former fishing village, now a charming coastal town. Walk to the city centre to reach the Arab-Norman Cathedral and the medieval wash-house built in the rock. Drive to Parco dei Nebrodi and stop at the Miraglia Forest. Visit Etna Park from the north facing side. Proceed to Taormina. (B,L,D)

Day 13: Taormina. Day at leisure in the small village of Taormina. Weather permitting, optional tour to Mt. Etna. (B,D)

Day 14: Taormina. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

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BLUE LAGOON, COMINO



SWITZERLAND

5 GREAT REASONS THAT MAKE SUN ISLAND TOURS THE SWISS EXPERTS

1. **Local operator with over 20 years experience**
2. **Extensive range of hotels**
3. **Rail packages and tours offer different styles of travel**
4. **Tailor Made packages**
5. **Local operator available 24/7**

WHY TRAVEL TO SWITZERLAND?

Zurich, with its beautiful lake-front old town. Lucerne's Chapel Bridge and the Lion Monument. The stunning rail network that weaves through the mountains and swings by the glacial lakes. The ski resorts of Zermatt and St. Moritz. Iconic mountain peaks – the Matterhorn, Jungfrau and Eiger; including the Sphinx Observatory which sits upon the Jungfrauoch. The Chateau de Chillon on Lake Geneva, and glorious Geneva itself, which sits below Mont Blanc. Interlaken's extreme sports scene, and the emerald Brienz and Thun lakes. The different parts of the country where you are just as likely to hear French, Italian or Romansh as you are to hear Swiss German.

HOW?

Emirates, Etihad and Qatar Airways fly to both Geneva Airport and Zurich Airport.

CLIMATE:

The weather is usually cool to moderate from June to September. Many parts of the country are close to freezing during the winter months, with snowfall expected from November to March.

CURRENCY:

Swiss Franc (CHF).

VISA:

Current Australian Passport holders do not require a visa for stays of 90 days or less.

DON'T MISS ...

A little shopping, as Swiss products are of the finest quality. You can purchase some eye-wateringly expensive watches, or perhaps go for some heavenly chocolates and a selection of cheeses as you wander along one of the beautiful lakes that seem to accompany each of Switzerland's most wonderful cities.



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EXPERIENCE ZURICH 3 DAYS from \$442

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 2 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Rail tickets to/from Zurich airport.
- Tour as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Zurich. Transfer by rail from the airport to downtown Zurich. Proceed independently to your hotel, where the afternoon is yours to explore.

Day 2: Zurich. Time to explore Switzerland's largest city. With its old city centre's cobbled streets, various museums and large shopping area Zurich offers something for everyone. In the afternoon join a tour of the city and its surrounding area. The tour includes a ride by cable car to Felsenegg with panoramic views of the city, a visit to Fraumünster church and ends with a short introduction to the Old Town. Evening at your leisure. (B)

Day 3: Zurich. After breakfast make your way to the station for your train to the airport. End of services. (B)



EXPERIENCE GENEVA 3 DAYS from \$452

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 2 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Rail tickets to/from Geneva airport
- Geneva Transport Card for unlimited use on the Geneva network
- Tour as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva. Arrive at Geneva airport and transfer by rail to the city centre and your hotel. The afternoon is at leisure to explore this fascinating city.

Day 2: Geneva. Today you join a guided tour through Geneva to discover the city. Begin with a comfortable bus journey that will take you by the world's peace-making organizations, in the International sector. You'll then visit the main attractions of the city including the Fountain and the wonderful Flower Clock. As an added twist, get a taste of Geneva's history with the mini-train Tramway Tour and dig even deeper into the Old Town with your guide on the final walking section of your excursion. (B)



Day 3: Geneva. Morning at leisure before your package concludes with a rail transfer back to Geneva airport. End of services (B)

Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

ZURICH





BASEL



EXPERIENCE BASEL
3 DAYS from \$324

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

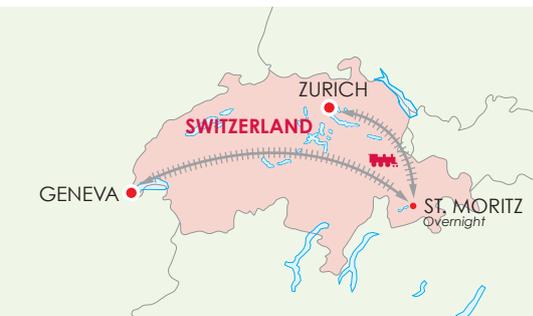
Includes:

- 2 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- 48 Hour Basel Card and Basel Mobility Card
- Tour as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Basel. Upon arrival into Basel, utilise your Basel card to transfer to your hotel. Rest of the day is at leisure.

Day 2: Basel. Morning at leisure. In the afternoon, make your own way to the meeting point for a 3-country cruise. Journey to the spot where 3 borders meet on the Rhine which presents a wonderful photo opportunity. (B)

Day 3: Basel. Utilise your Basel card to transfer to Basel airport or cruise terminal. End of services. (B)



EXPERIENCE ST. MORITZ
3 DAYS from \$644

Operates Daily
Jan 1-Dec 21

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 2 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- Rail tickets (2nd class) to/from Zurich, Geneva or other arrival port
- Bernina Express Glacier Garden ticket (2nd class, unescorted)
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – St. Moritz. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey to St. Moritz. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: St. Moritz – Bernina Express – St. Moritz. After breakfast, journey on the famous Bernina Express train to the small village of Cavaglia. Walk for 10 minutes to the 'Glacier Garden', where you can spend some time before returning to St. Moritz. (B)

Day 3: St. Moritz – Geneva or Zurich. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city). End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

EXPERIENCE LUCERNE 4 DAYS from \$794

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Rail tickets (2nd class) to/from Zurich, Geneva or other arrival port
- Mt. Pilatus ticket (unescorted)
- Swiss Folkloric Dinner Show (Apr-Oct only)
- Tour as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – Lucerne. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey to Lucerne. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: Lucerne. In the morning you may like to explore the vibrant city in the heart of Switzerland, with its unique blend of traditional architecture and contemporary events, on a relaxed city walking tour. Led by your experienced English-speaking tour guide, this scenic two-hour walk will reveal some of Lucerne's famous attractions. Afternoon at leisure. Perhaps embark on an optional guided trip by revolving panoramic cable car up to the glacier paradise at Mount Titlis, over 3000m above sea level, with views over the Alps and glacier crevasses. In the summer evenings, enjoy a traditional dinner and show (Apr-Oct). (B,D)

Day 3: Lucerne. The excursion to Mt. Pilatus, known as the Dragon Mountain, is an exceptional experience. Make your own way to the station before travelling by train to Alpnachstad and with the world's steepest cogwheel railway to Pilatus Kulm (2,132m). After spending the day at the summit, relaxing and enjoying the views over Lucerne, return by gondola and bus via Kriens. (B)



Day 4: Lucerne – Geneva or Zurich. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city). End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

EXPERIENCE MONTREUX 4 DAYS from \$722

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation options in standard (3🌀) or superior (4🌀) class hotels
- Riviera Card for Montreux transport network
- Tours as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Montreux. Upon arrival into Montreux, own arrangements to your hotel. Rest of the day is at leisure.

Day 2: Montreux – Château de Chillon – Montreux. The famous Château de Chillon is our destination today. Standing upon a rocky island at the edge of Lake Geneva, this stunning fortress has provided the inspiration for many literary works including by Lord Byron. Explore the castle at leisure before returning to Montreux by cruise. (B)

Day 3: Montreux – Rochers-de-Naye – Montreux. Make your way to the meeting point. Board the cog railway, reaching the peak of Rochers-De-Naye and enjoy wonderful vistas over Lake Geneva and the Alps. Time at leisure to explore or perhaps a visit to one of the alpine restaurants. (B)

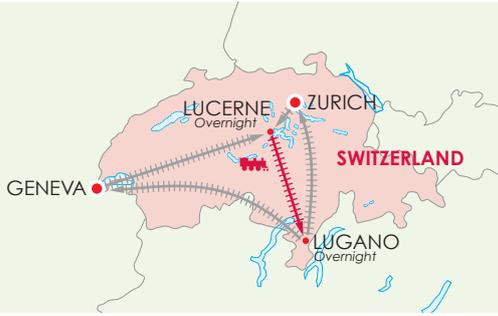


Day 4: Montreux. After breakfast, end of services. (B)

Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

CHATEAU DE CHILLON





GOTTHARD PANORAMA EXPRESS

4 DAYS from \$988

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Not Escorted

Includes:

- 3 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Lucerne Transport Card
- Gotthard Panorama Express seat reservation and boat cruise
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – Lucerne. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey

to Lucerne. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: Lucerne. Day is at leisure. (B)

Day 3: Lucerne – (Gotthard Express) – Lugano. Make your own way to the rail station to board the Gotthard Express. In Lucerne, board the steamer for the 2½ hour cruise across Lake Lucerne to Flüelen. The Gotthard Express crosses breathtaking bridges and passes charming villages to Bellinzona. Continue to Lugano. (B)

Day 4: Lugano – Geneva or Zurich. Day at leisure to explore the charming city of Lugano. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city) or Swiss border. End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

ITINERARY OPERATES IN REVERSE.



CLASSIC BERNINA EXPRESS

5 DAYS from \$1090

Operates Daily
Apr 7-Oct 23

- Not Escorted

Includes:

- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- St. Moritz Travel Card
- Bernina Express seat reservation
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – St. Moritz. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey to St. Moritz, the chic town surrounded by a beautiful lake landscape. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: St. Moritz. Day is at leisure. (B)

Day 3: St. Moritz – (Bernina Express) – Tirano – Lugano. Make your own way to the rail station to board the Bernina Express. Climbing over the spectacular Bernina Pass to more than 2,253m, taking in stunning views of snow covered mountain peaks and glaciers. Travel over circular viaducts and pass through winding tunnels before reaching Tirano in Italy. The Bernina Express Bus will take you to Lugano. (B)

Day 4: Lugano. Day at leisure to explore Lake Lugano. (B)

Day 5: Lugano – Geneva or Zurich. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city) or Swiss border. End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

ITINERARY OPERATES IN REVERSE.

Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

BERNINA EXPRESS





LUCERNE

BEST OF SWITZERLAND
5 DAYS from **\$1148**

Operates Daily
Jan-Dec

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Lucerne & Interlaken Transport Cards
- Tour as per itinerary
- Meals as per itinerary

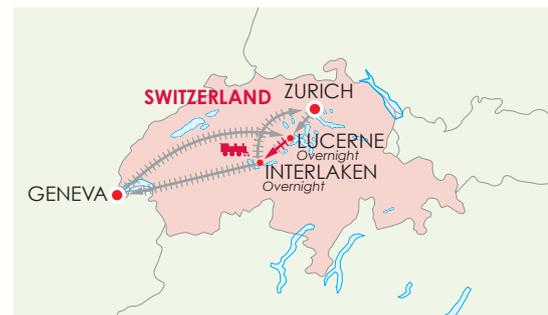
Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – Lucerne. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey to Lucerne. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: Lucerne – Mount Pilatus – Lucerne. Make your own way to the meeting point. The excursion to Mt. Pilatus starts with a short lake cruise to Alpnachstad*, followed by a ride on the world's steepest cogwheel railway up to Pilatus Kulm (2132m). Return by gondola and bus via Kriens. During the

winter months the journey is available by bus and gondola, via Kriens. (B)

Day 3: Lucerne – Interlaken. Make your own way to the rail station to commence your journey on the route of the Golden Pass. The route follows the banks of Lake Lucerne, climbing up past the picturesque villages and numerous lakes to the Brünig Pass. Winding through the countryside below snow-covered peaks you will pass Meiringen with the famous Reichenbach Falls, before descending to the banks of the beautiful Lake Brienz and arriving in Interlaken. Independent arrival to your hotel. (B)

Day 4: Interlaken – Jungfrauoch – Interlaken. Make your own way to the rail station for your excursion to the Jungfrauoch. The Jungfrauoch, at 3454 metres, is known as the Top of Europe and is home to Europe's highest altitude railway station. A highlight of every visit to Switzerland, the journey to the summit is on the Jungfrau Railway, an engineering masterpiece. The last section has been built inside the mountain itself, and the view through the panorama windows are a thrilling experience. (B)



Day 5: Interlaken – Geneva or Zurich. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city) or Swiss border. End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

ITINERARY OPERATES IN REVERSE.

Some sites may be closed during special event periods. *From Oct-Dec the lake cruise to Alpnachstad is replaced with a train service.



GLACIER EXPRESS



CLASSIC GLACIER EXPRESS

5 DAYS from \$1250

Operates Daily
Jan 1-Oct 9

- Not Escorted

Includes:

- 4 nights accommodation options in standard (3🍷) or superior (4🍷) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Glacier Express seat reservation in panoramic carriage
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Geneva or Zurich – St. Moritz. Upon arrival into Switzerland (Geneva, Zurich or another city), commence your rail journey to St. Moritz. Chic, elegant and exclusive, St. Moritz is located 1856 metres above sea level and surrounded by the beautiful lake landscape of the Upper Engadine. Time at leisure to indulge in some of the best cuisine Switzerland has to offer in one of the many outstanding restaurants before relaxing in the beautiful old town. Make your own way to hotel upon arrival.

Day 2: St. Moritz. Day is at leisure. The Swiss National Park, a particularly impressive piece of Alpine landscape, is a stunning slice of pure nature. Walk along the

marked hiking paths and take in the amazing scenery over the Engadine region. Alternatively, take one of the many cable cars from St. Moritz itself to the mountain stations and enjoy a typical Swiss meal at 3,000m looking over the famous resort. (B)

Day 3: St. Moritz – (Glacier Express) – Zermatt. Make your own way to the rail station to take the world-famous Glacier Express for a thrilling ride to Zermatt. Take in some of the most dramatic scenery Switzerland has to offer. The journey is narrated, explaining the amazing engineering feat in overcoming extreme altitude variations by train. Late afternoon arrival into Zermatt. Independent arrival to your hotel. (B)

Day 4: Zermatt. Day at leisure to explore historic Zermatt, the renowned car-free village at the foot of the most photographed mountain in the world. For unparalleled views of the Matterhorn peaks, an excursion up the local mountain comes highly recommended. (B)

Day 5: Zermatt – Geneva or Zurich. Make your own way to the rail station for your rail transfer to the airport (Geneva, Zurich or another city) or Swiss border. End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

ITINERARY OPERATES IN REVERSE.

Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

GRAND TRAIN JOURNEY

10 DAYS from \$2494

Operates Daily
Apr 10-Oct 6

- Partially Escorted

Includes:

- 9 nights accommodation in either standard (3🌟) or superior (4🌟) class hotels
- 2nd class trains as per itinerary
- Seat reservations on the Golden Pass, Glacier Express, Bernina Express and Gotthard Panorama Express
- Excursion to Jungfrauoch
- Meals as per itinerary

Day 1: Zurich – Interlaken. Arrive in Zurich and board a train to Lucerne. Board the Luzern-Interlaken Express for a journey along the shores of crystal clear lakes, past romantic waterfalls and over the breathtaking Brünig Pass to Interlaken.

Day 2: Interlaken – Jungfrauoch – Interlaken. After enjoying breakfast at your hotel, a trip to the world famous Jungfrauoch awaits. Sitting atop of Europe, experience the views from Europe's highest railway station, for the views over the Aletsch Glacier at over 3,454m above sea level. (B)

Day 3: Interlaken – (Golden Pass) – Montreux. The Golden Pass Line is one of the most picturesque routes across the Alps. Little station along the line and magnificent view over meadows and the vineyards above Lake Geneva will be unforgettable memories. (B)

Day 4: Montreux – Zermatt. Take some time in the morning to stroll along the lake in Montreux, before your train trip to Zermatt. The afternoon is free to enjoy this fascinating city. (B)

Day 5: Zermatt. Day at leisure to explore Zermatt, the village at the foot the Matterhorn. (B)

Day 6: Zermatt – (Glacier Express) – St. Moritz. Today, enjoy the legendary Glacier Express experience from Zermatt to St. Moritz, a thrilling journey in a panoramic carriage taking in some of the most dramatic scenery Switzerland has to offer. The exhilarating journey takes you along the deep Rhone valley, over the dramatic Oberalp Pass and through the Rhine Gorge to glamorous St. Moritz in the afternoon. (B)

Day 7: St. Moritz. Day at leisure in chic, elegant and exclusive, St. Moritz, the town surrounded by the beautiful lake landscape of the Upper Engadine. Suggest a visit to the Swiss National Park. Alternatively, take one of the many cable cars from St. Moritz itself to the mountain stations and enjoy a typical Swiss meal at 3,000m looking over the famous resort. (B)

Day 8: St. Moritz – (Bernina Express) – Tirano – Lugano. The highlight today is undoubtedly the Bernina Express where UNESCO protected landscapes and outstandingly beautiful scenery surround



you. Travel along circular viaducts and over remote glaciers before heading down to the border of Italy on one of Europe's best scenic rail journeys. A change to the Bernina Express bus takes you through Italy along the lakes back to Switzerland and Lugano. (B)

Day 9: Lugano – (Gotthard Express) – Lucerne. Travel on the Gotthard Panorama Express from the Mediterranean south to the traditional heart of Switzerland. The Gotthard route is truly mesmerising, and the lake cruise from Flüelen to Lucerne with lunch on board tops off your rail adventure. This evening explore Lucerne on foot, a charming way to experience this wonderful city. (B)

Day 10: Lucerne – Zurich. If you have time after breakfast, don't miss a trip up Lucerne's Dragon mountain, Mount Pilatus. Your journey ends with a rail transfer back to Zurich. End of services. (B)

OPTION AVAILABLE TO UPGRADE TO 1ST CLASS TRAINS AT A SUPPLEMENT.

During the Montreux Jazz Festival rooms in Montreux are on request and an additional supplement may apply. Some sites may be closed during special event periods.

ZERMATT & THE MATTERHORN





FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

GENERAL:

Q: WHAT IS A WHOLESALER?

A: Sun Island Tours is an Australian wholesaler, working proudly with Australian Travel Agents, to source local products, including accommodation, tours, packages and cruises.

Q: WHEN WILL I RECEIVE MY DOCUMENTATION

A: Documentation is issued usually three weeks prior to departure from Australia.

Q: WHY IS A PACKAGE A DIFFERENT PRICE THAN WHAT WAS INITIALLY QUOTED?

A: All packages are based on certain accommodation. If the accommodation is unavailable to what was initially quoted, then new accommodation with new prices will apply.

Q: ARE DRINKS INCLUDED IN MEALS?

A: Unless otherwise specified, no drinks are included with meals, and are payable on consumption.

Q: DO WE NEED A VISA?

A: For each destination it is best to check with your travel agent to ensure that you get the correct advise based on your nationality and duration of travel. Generally, most of our destinations do not require Visas for leisure travel, or can be purchased on arrival in the destination.

TOURS:

Q: WHAT DOES "GUARANTEED DEPARTURES" MEAN?

A: Once you are booked and confirmed on a tour, the tour will definitely go ahead and will not cancel. Minimum numbers do apply though, for instance in Turkey where the minimum number of passengers needed to guaranteed the tour is two.

Q: WHAT DOES PARTIALLY ESCORTED OR PRIVATE TOURS MEAN?

A: Private tours are packages which have independent travel combined with services such as accommodation, transfers, ferries and day tours. Partially Escorted tours are a combination of independent travel on a duration of the program and escorted coach touring.

Q: I'M A SINGLE TRAVELLER. CAN I SHARE ACCOMMODATION?

A: We do not unfortunately offer any accommodation shares on our tours, cruises or packages.

Q: WHAT IS THE STANDARD OF ACCOMMODATION?

A: In each destination the standard of accommodation may vary, but generally we categorise accommodation as: Tourist 2-3 star, Standard 3-3.5 star, Superior 4 star, Deluxe 5 star, Platinum 5 star superior.

Q: HOW MANY PASSENGERS ARE ON YOUR TOURS?

A: Number of passengers vary depending on the product and destination. We do offer small group tours of less than 20 passengers, however tours can go up to 45 passengers.

Q: WHAT SHOULD I TIP?

A: Usually tipping is extra unless specified on your documentation. Tipping is not mandatory, but we do encourage it if you have received good service. We recommend approximately AU\$ 5-10 per day for guides and AU\$ 3-5 for drivers.

TRANSFERS:

Q: WHAT TIME ARE OUR DEPARTURE TRANSFERS?

A: Departure transfer times will be made available locally up to 48 hours prior to departure.

DEPOSIT

A non-refundable deposit of \$200.00 per person is required within 10 days upon confirmation of booking. After this period booking is subject to cancellation. Certain services may require a deposit before booking. This deposit will be refunded if the service is not available. An additional deposit may be required for certain cruises and services and the deadline may vary. These will be outlined on invoice.

FINAL PAYMENT

Final payment is payable 45 days prior to departure date from Australia unless otherwise stated, for instance, specials and other promotions. Unless monies are actually received by Sun Island Tours, no responsibility is held for monies paid to other travel agents, acting on our behalf, for any accommodation, tours, car hire, cruises and/or any other Sun Island Tour products. Cruise bookings or some other tour and hotel options may require full payment earlier than 45 days.

CANCELLATIONS

All cancellation charges are based on the commencement date and cost of each confirmed service and are in addition to any charge levied by the client's travel agent, and will be applied and calculated by the number of days before the commencement date upon which written advice of cancellation is received by the Sun Island Tours office in Australia.

Cancellation Charges:

45 days prior or more	Deposit (including any additional supplier deposits)
44 days or less	Deposit (at minimum), up to 100% (total cost) of each service, as per invoice

As well as the above charges some service providers may charge additional cancellation fees. Any such fees will be added by Sun Island Tours to the client's account.

The Tour Operator or Cruise Company reserves the right to cancel any program at any time. In the event of a complete cancellation of a program by the tour operator, the passenger will be offered the choice of a full refund or an alternative program. Cancellation fees vary on cruises.

AMENDMENT TO BOOKINGS

If a client wishes to amend their bookings after confirmation, an amendment fee of \$33.00 (including GST) will be charged for each individual amendment. First amendment is free of charge. Any amendment is subject to availability as well as cancellation conditions.

ADDITIONAL CHARGES

Credit Cards: Sun Island Tours accepts all credit cards as a form of payment. A surcharge of 2% applies to all credit card transactions. An additional 1% surcharge applies to all international flights.

Ferry, Activity & Transfer only booking: A \$55.00 fee will apply to all bookings that consist of ferry and/or transfers only, where no accommodation or tours have been booked with Sun Island Tours.

Late Booking: A \$55.00 fee will apply to all bookings made within 7 days of departure from Australia. Additionally, a credit card guarantee or full payment is required before proceeding with a booking.

AFTER DEPARTURE

If any problems or amendments to the arrangements arise and assistance is required, contact the operator listed on the vouchers. Payment of additional services will be made directly with our overseas tour operator.

LATE BOOKINGS

Credit card guarantees are required when bookings are requested within thirty working days before departure. Courier fees may also apply.

INVOICE ERRORS OR OMISSIONS

The right is reserved to correct any errors in rates quoted or calculated for any service not withstanding that the invoice may have been paid in full. It is the responsibility of the agent to ensure that all services requested are correct. Rates may change after quotes due to special event periods.

REFUNDS

Regrettably, no refund can be paid after programme services have commenced due to, but not limited by, reasons such as missed connections, illness or client's choice to change itinerary. Similarly, no refund will be given should any ferry, airline or train schedule fail to operate on time. Sun Island Tours does not authorise overseas suppliers to promise a refund on our behalf.

DOCUMENTATION

Documents are normally issued three weeks prior to departure from Australia, and upon full payment. Some delays may occur in high season.

ACCOMMODATION

All rooms are run of the house unless otherwise stipulated. Double or twin beds may be requested, however cannot be guaranteed as there may be limited availability with the hotels. Single rooms are often smaller in size than other room types and may contain only a single bed. Triple rooms are usually twin rooms with a rollaway bed or a sofa bed. It is important to remember that room types and bedding configuration cannot be guaranteed and are subject to hotel's availability at time of check-in. Child policy is based on one child per room sharing existing bedding with parents, unless otherwise specified. Rarely, hotels may be overbooked and it may be necessary to provide alternative accommodation. In such situations, the alternative accommodation will always be of a similar or higher standard.

PACKAGES

Group Packages refer to organized special interest groups. Private Packages refer to individually customized bookings except when part of a cruise or coach tour.

FERRIES

Ferry and hydrofoil services and schedules are subject to change. A surcharge may apply for hydrofoil and jetcat if ferry cancelled or not available. No refund will be due from Sun Island Tours, however, you can speak to your travel insurance upon return to Australia. Ferry and hydrofoil schedules will only be made available upon arrival. Ferry and hydrofoil tickets will be supplied at your overseas destination.

CRUISES

Cruise companies reserve the right to change cruise vessels and itineraries without notice. Categories of cruise vessels vary from standard three star.

Cruise companies reserve the right to cancel services due to insufficient number of passengers.

Service charges do apply and are charged locally.

SELLING PRICES

All products are costed in Australian dollars. In the event of exchange rate fluctuations, alterations in a currency or its sales tax, brochure prices are subject to change without notice. For the most up to date prices please contact reservations. We endeavour to set prices for all products, at competitive levels and cannot always guarantee that a similar product may or may not be available at a lower price if booked direct. Prices are based on costs and exchange rates as at 1 October 2019.

Additional cost supplement may vary for New Years, Christmas and special occasions. This will be highlighted on your invoice.

"From" prices shown are per person, twin share, based on the lead-in room category, and the lowest prices at time of publication. Prices are a comparative guide only. Ask your travel consultant for exact pricing, dates, full inclusions, and availability.

Each product or package include in the selling price charges to cover costs of the following: brochure production, research, reservation, documentation, advertising, postage, bank charges and remuneration to travel agents. Receipt of your deposit signifies your acceptance of those normal commercial costs and reservation fees paid to our overseas associates.

Certain cities and countries have tourist taxes which are to be paid locally at hotels upon arrival.

TIPPING

Usually tipping is extra unless specified on your documentation. Tipping is not mandatory, but we do encourage it if you have received good service. We recommend approximately AU\$ 5-10 per day for guides and AU\$ 3-5 for drivers.

GUARANTEED PRICES

All prices are guaranteed when paid in full.

TOUR PROGRAMMES

We reserve the right to adjust our tour arrangements and costs to coincide with programme departures which are not daily. Alternatively, with your agreement, we will endeavour to arrange your tour and hotel arrangements by providing alternative arrangements of the same standard as the one originally booked. Some tours may be performed bilingually. Guaranteed departures are subject to coach company minimum numbers.

Tours are not operated by Sun Island Tours. They are operated by local companies in each respective country.

CONSUMER COMPLAINTS

Attempts should be made in the first instance to rectify any difficulties directly with the hotel management, our local representative or supplier. Should any difficulties not be resolved as they occur and you wish to lodge a complaint it should be forwarded in writing to Sun Island Tours with supporting documentation through your travel agents, within 30 days of return to Australia.

COMPANY LIABILITY RESPONSIBILITY

Sun Island Tours does not accept any liability for accident, damage, injury, delay, loss, irregularity, default or omissions whether negligent or otherwise of airline companies, coach operators, hoteliers, yacht and shipping companies, or those providing any services which Sun Island Tours acts on behalf of by the issuance of travel vouchers, tickets, coupons or similar as contracted between the client and the operators, of which Sun Island Tours has no direct control. No liability is accepted for any loss or damage to client's property, sickness, injury or death arising from and related to acts of war, fire, floods, acts of God or governments or any other authorities. No liability is accepted for accidents relating to equipment and machinery failure or any industrial action taken directly or indirectly involving employees of company operators and their agents, carriers or whoever. Sun Island Tours is not responsible for advising health, visa and passport requirements.

Sun Island Tours is an Australian Wholesaler; and even though we represent overseas destination management companies and services and products, we cannot be held responsible for any information or lack of on their behalf.

AGENTS/CLIENTS RESPONSIBILITY

It is the responsibility of your travel agent to advise you of any amendments, alterations or important notes in regards to your travel arrangements. Furthermore, it is the responsibility of your agent to advise us of any special/additional requirements or amendments that may affect your travel arrangements held with us.

It is the client's responsibility to ensure that services on their vouchers are accurate prior to departure from Australia.

All quotes and bookings made signify the acceptance of our booking conditions including important notes and content throughout this brochure.

BROCHURE ACCURACY

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MEALS

Meals are indicated as follows: **B = Breakfast**, **L = Lunch and D = Dinner**. Where breakfast is free and included, as specified in the individual rates, there is no separate value and therefore cannot be refunded if not taken. Drinks with meals are not included.

INSURANCE

Travel Insurance is strongly recommended for cover against loss of monies paid, loss of baggage, medical cover, injury etc. Ask your travel consultant for advice. Sun Island Tours does not accept responsibility for the loss or any expense incurred.

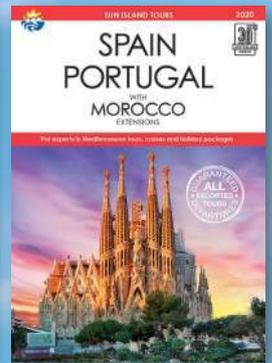
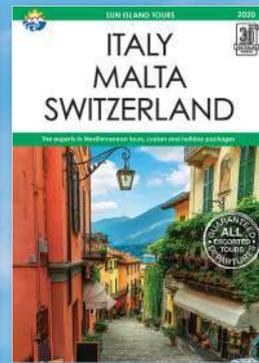
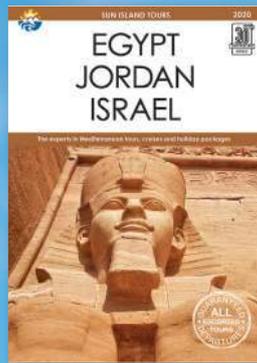
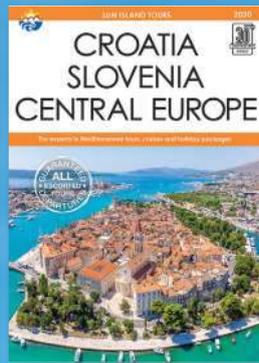
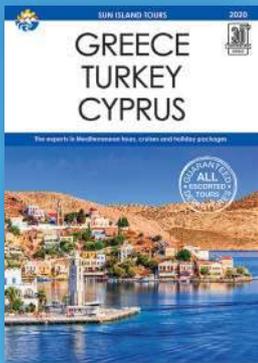
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