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❖ PROVENCE (MARSEILLE), FRANCE

MRS-002 MARSEILLES HIGHLIGHTS & CASSIS

Duration: 5.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Enjoy the best of Marseille on a panoramic coach tour and visit the quintessential French fishing village of Cassis. You'll drive through Marseille's captivating Old Port, understanding the influence of the Greeks who first settled here around 600 BC, and see Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille. Gaze in awe at this neo-Byzantine church, a green-and-white-striped sanctuary whose belfry soars nearly 200 feet and is topped with a titanic gold-leafed statue of the Madonna and Child. Journey along the scenic Gineste Road, which hugs the pristine coastline, to the enchanting seaside village of Cassis. Nestled at the base of a medieval castle and framed by limestone cliffs, you'll find the stone-paved streets of Cassis' tranquil Old Town, which is lined with pastel-colored houses and mottled plane trees. As you breathe in the aromas of Provençal herbs and take in the village's poetic scenery, you'll understand why the town has attracted artists for generations. During time on your own, perhaps you'll stroll the shimmering harbor and spot fishermen unloading the daily catch, an evocative tableau that perfectly encapsulates the delightfully unspoiled village of Cassis.

- Traverse Marseille's Old Town by coach with an informative guide providing invaluable historical context.
- Marvel at Notre-Dame de la Garde, the neo-Byzantine basilica rising above Marseille.
- Explore Cassis' marvelous Old Town, steeped in the herbal fragrances of Provence.
- Wander beside softly-hued dwellings, through leafy squares and along a timeless fishing harbor.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour does not include a visit to Notre Dame de la Garde Basilica.

MRS-003 AIX-EN-PROVENCE

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Welcome a leisurely walking tour of alluring Aix-en-Provence, a graceful provincial city with a noble heritage. Rejoice in a picturesque drive through the Provençal countryside, a verdant patchwork of gentle foothills and bucolic valleys that stirs the imagination and stimulates the senses. Begin your exploration of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions, whose attractive façades are enriched by wrought-iron balconies and finely carved doorways. You'll cherish the verdant Mazarin District, founded in 1646 by the noted archbishop of the same name and later home to writers and artists such as Paul Cézanne. Admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. During time on your own, perhaps look for the 16th-century belfry that boasts a sophisticated astronomical clock from 1661 or relax at an inviting café beside one of the myriad fountains gracing this refined city.

- See the idyllic landscapes of the French countryside on your journey to Aix-en-Provence.
- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the superb Mazarin District, an artist's haven graced with numerous gardens.
- Gaze at Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, an architectural hodge-podge that took a millennium to build.
- Revel in approximately one hour of free time to shop or explore at your leisure.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ¼ hours of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may make arrangements with the guide to not participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour.

MRS-006 CHARMING CASTELLET

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Stroll through feudal Le Castellet, a walled hamlet once owned by the Lords of Les Baux, on this enjoyable guided walking tour. Travel inland through the ravishing Provençal landscape to Le Castellet, which perches on a wooded hill above fertile plains and vineyards. You'll enter the village through one of two ancient gates, remains of the fortifications that once encircled the town, and immerse yourself in its jumble of narrow, cobbled streets, leafy squares and medieval stone buildings adorned with cascading bougainvillea. Take in far-reaching views from the 15th-century hilltop château that now houses the town hall and uncover the beauty of the restored 12th-century Church of Saint-Sauveur. During time at your leisure, you might browse the village's workshops, where you'll find paintings, metal tableware and the town's famed pottery, including a workshop dating to the early 1700s that is renowned for its distinctive yellow-glazed tiles. You'll truly feel as if time has stood still in impossibly enchanting Le Castellet.

- Discover the hamlet of Le Castellet, a compact medieval jewel set upon the tip of a promontory.
- Enjoy fabulous views of the surrounding Provençal landscape from a 15th-century château.
- See the carefully restored Romanesque Church of Saint-Sauveur.
- Delight in free time to stroll and shop for the village's famed ceramics, metalwork and canvases.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1.5 hours of walking. There will be uneven surfaces and some inclines to negotiate. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.



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MRS-015 QUINTESSENTIAL AVIGNON

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Survey the UNESCO World Heritage sites of remarkable Avignon, whose fortified ramparts once enclosed the seat of the papacy. You'll enjoy a leisurely drive inland to the papal stronghold, passing through some of the most postcard-worthy scenery and villages of Provence, an inspiration to artists such as Cézanne and Van Gogh. Arrive in majestic Avignon, a walled city that was home to seven popes during the political and religious strife of the 14th century. You'll appreciate an approximately one hour guided walking tour through the Old Town, seeing two UNESCO World Heritage sites, the imposing Palace of the Popes, which is one the largest Gothic buildings in Europe, and the remains of the Saint-Bénézet Bridge, a series of stone arches that once spanned a bend in the Rhône River. Relish approximately one hour of time on your own, perhaps strolling the cobbled streets, dining at a brasserie, shopping for local lavender products or simply absorbing the youthful, artistic energy of Avignon's timeless atmosphere.

- Travel through beautiful Provençal landscapes immortalized by the likes of Van Gogh and Cézanne.
- Tour Avignon's outstanding walled Old Town, including views of two UNESCO World Heritage sites.
- Gaze at the impressive Palace of the Popes, a fortified residence to seven popes during the religious upheavals of the 14th century.
- Examine the elegant arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge's partial span across the Rhône.
- Welcome free time to savor a Provençal meal, continue exploring the town or browse products crafted from local lavender.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

MRS-016 DISCOVER ST. REMY DE PROVENCE

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Hear the echoes of Vincent Van Gogh and Nostradamus in the storied village of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence on this guided walking tour with free time. You'll find this serene town nestled at the base of the northern slopes of the Massif des Alpilles, a craggy range of arid limestone mountains. Begin an approximately 45-minute walking tour of the charmed village, following winding, cobbled lanes that lead to fetching squares graced with sparkling fountains and venerable plane trees. You'll learn that in 1889 and 1890 Vincent Van Gogh completed more than 150 paintings and sketches while receiving treatment here, and that the subject matters of many of those works of art, such as irises, can still be seen in the surrounding landscapes of wheat fields, olive groves and cypresses. Consider the town's other notorious citizen, the 16th-century French astrologer and enigmatic forecaster Nostradamus, whose modest house still stands on Rue Hoche. In graceful Saint-Martin Church, the largest building in town, admire the 14th-century bell tower and its restored organ, which boasts nearly 500 pipes. Appreciate time on your own to shop for antiques, browse the outdoor markets or linger over a meal as you contemplate Provence's exceptional gifts.

- Stroll the inviting streets and squares of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, a classic Provençal village.
- Discover Van Gogh produced over 150 works while being treated here in 1889 and 1890.
- Learn Nostradamus, the legendary prophesier and astronomer, lived in a house that has changed little over the centuries.
- Applaud the Gothic spire and sumptuous 500-pipe organ of Saint-Martin Church.
- Enjoy time at your leisure to shop the town's bustling markets or stop for a satisfying meal at a sidewalk café.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for those with mobility concerns.

MRS-019 AIX-EN-PROVENCE CHEESE AND WINE

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$221.00

Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM

Indulge in the best of Aix-en-Provence with a guided walking tour, a wine and cheese tasting and time on your own. Rejoice in a picturesque drive through the Provençal countryside, a verdant patchwork of gentle foothills and bucolic valleys that stirs the imagination and stimulates the senses. Begin your exploration of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions. Seek out the unique Moussie Fountain, fed by a natural thermal spring, and admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. Stop at La Fromagerie du Passage, a purveyor of fine cheeses and wines, for a mouthwatering sampling of a selection of vintages matched with cheeses crafted with local ingredients using traditional methods. During free time, you might retrace the steps of Cézanne by visiting his studio, where he painted some of his largest and most ambitious works, including The Woman with the Coffee Pot. You'll understand why countless artists have found inspiration in the alluring streets of magical Aix.

- See the idyllic landscapes of the French countryside on your journey to Aix-en-Provence.
- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the unusual Moussie Fountain, a verdant water feature fed by a thermal spring.
- Gaze at Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, an architectural hodge-podge that took a millennium to build.
- Savor a tasting of terrific local wines and cheeses at chic La Fromagerie du Passage.
- Revel in free time to shop or explore at your leisure, perhaps visiting Cézanne's fabled studio.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.



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MRS-023 IN THE ALPILLES' HEART, LES BAUX DE PROVENCE & CAF**Duration: 5.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$208.00****Date: May 03, 2022 08:30 AM**

Watch a mesmerizing multimedia show in an ancient underground quarry where the works of iconic artists will be shown on the walls. While the featured artists often change, past exhibits have showcased the creative genius of visionaries such as Picasso, Van Gogh and Leonardo da Vinci, so you can expect a dramatic presentation. Oversized, moving images of some of the world's most recognized art work will be projected throughout the quarry's interior, creating a hypnotic show known as Carrieres de Lumieres. As you will discover, the quarry also influenced the fortunes of the nearby hilltop village Les Baux, much of which was constructed with stone from the surrounding mountains. It is an absolutely gorgeous setting with architectural treasures that include a medieval castle and the 12th-century St. Vincent's Church, which is partially built into the rock face behind it. Prince Rainier III of Monaco donated the church's stained-glass windows, which French artist Max Ingrand designed.

- Walk through an ancient quarry while iconic artwork is projected on the interior surfaces.
- Behold a mesmerized show of oversized imagery from some of the world's most famous artists.
- Explore nearby Les Baux, which is often recognized as one of France's most beautiful villages.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

MRS-020 CHATEAUNEUF-DU-PAPE AND WINE TASTING WITH AVIGNON**Duration: 8.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$221.00****Retail Price: CA\$417.00****Date: May 03, 2022 08:45 AM**

Sample an inspired selection of Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines, sit for a delectable luncheon and tour monumental Avignon, whose historic center has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Settle in for a gorgeous drive through the Provençal countryside to the southern Rhône Valley, where you'll find the ancient village of Châteauneuf-du-Pape. Discover Maison Bouachon, a distinguished winery founded over a century ago by a local barrel-maker. Although the exact wines will be selected upon your arrival, you can expect to sample classics crafted with grapes such as grenache, syrah and mourvèdre, including the winery's signature La Tiare du Pape. Following the tasting, you'll proceed to Avignon for a lavish three-course lunch at celebrated restaurant La Treille and a tour of the majestic walled city. In the UNESCO World Heritage site historic center, you'll see highlights including the imposing Palace of the Popes, which is one the largest Gothic buildings in Europe, and the remains of the Saint-Bénézet Bridge, a series of stone arches that once spanned a bend in the Rhône River. Delight in time on your own to continue your exploration of Avignon's streets or shop for Provence's quintessential lavender-based goods.

- Savor a selection of outstanding Châteauneuf-du-Pape wines at acclaimed Maison Bouachon.
- Indulge in an excellent three-course luncheon at La Treille, a sophisticated restaurant in Avignon.
- Tour Avignon's outstanding walled Old Town, including views of two UNESCO World Heritage sites.
- Gaze at the impressive Palace of the Popes, a fortified residence to seven popes during the religious upheavals of the 14th century.
- Examine the elegant arches of Saint-Bénézet Bridge's partial span across the Rhône.
- Welcome free time continue exploring Avignon or browse products crafted from local lavender.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Please note: This tour includes approximately 3 hours of walking. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.

MRS-004 AVIGNON, THE POPE'S PALACE & LES BAUX**Duration: 8.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$261.00****Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM**

Discover the tumultuous history of arresting Avignon, seat of the papacy for much of the 14th century, and the lovely village of Les Baux de Provence on this marvelous guided tour. As you drive into Avignon, you'll admire its picturesque setting along a bend of the Rhône River and learn of the fascinating historic-political turmoil that drove Clement V to move the papacy here from Rome in 1309. Contemplate the magnificent Palace of the Popes, constructed primarily during the papacies of Benedict XII and Clement VI and at the time one of the world's largest buildings. During your visit of this imposing fortified residence, wander through sumptuously decorated chambers, serene chapels and beguiling passages. In Avignon's lovely Old Town, enjoy a walking tour through an enthralling maze of cobbled lanes and shaded squares. Rejoin your coach for a journey into the craggy Massif des Alpilles, where you'll light upon the medieval hamlet of Les Baux de Provence perched like an eagle's nest 800 feet above the valley floor. Meander through a remarkably preserved jumble of stone houses clinging to the hillside, the crumbling ruins of a once-mighty castle providing a perfect snapshot of Provence's astonishing feudal age.

- Understand Avignon's outsize role in Europe as home to the popes during most of the 14th century.
- Tour the astounding Palace of the Popes, a fortress-like residence that was among its era's largest buildings.
- Stroll the inviting streets of Avignon's labyrinthine Old Town during a guided walking tour.
- Travel to the Massif des Alpilles, a bewitching landscape of irregularly carved hills.
- Find the wonderful medieval village of Les Baux de Provence atop a jagged mountain spur.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 3 ½ hours of extensive walking. There will be uneven surfaces, hills and steps to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.



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MRS-005 A DAY IN PROVENCE

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$117.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$313.00

Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM

Applaud the ochre village of Roussillon, considered one of France's prettiest towns, and the striking cliffside hamlet of Gourdon on this extraordinary journey to the heart of Provence. Wind along the gentle slopes and green pastures of Provence during your journey by coach, stopping briefly in photogenic Lourmarin. On the highest hills between the Coulon River Valley and the Vaucluse Plateau, you'll find Roussillon, a dreamlike village tinted with vibrant colors. During your guided walking tour, see the storied ochre quarries that account for Roussillon's rich tones and wander among the village's distinctive streets. You'll appreciate time on your own, perhaps partaking in lunch at a welcoming brasserie. Travel to charismatic Gordes, which rises dramatically in tiers atop a series of bluffs in the Vaucluse Plateau. Roam along timeworn lanes, under vaulted passageways and up stepped alleyways lined with arcaded medieval dwellings and the remains of age-old ramparts. You'll long treasure your memories of this excursion to Provence's fairy-tale villages.

- Watch the picturesque vistas of rural Provence unfold before you during your journey by coach.
- Wonder at the red, yellow and orange hues of Roussillon, considered one of France's most beautiful villages.
- Appreciate a walking tour of Roussillon and its ochre quarries, source of the town's warm palette.
- Enjoy time at your leisure for lunch in one of Roussillon's sun-drenched squares.
- Explore the fascinating feudal village of Gordes, which is precariously perched on several tiered cliffs.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be some hills to negotiate. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. A brief comfort stop will be provided en route.

MRS-008 AIX EN PROVENCE & MARSEILLES

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$221.00

Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM

Revel in your discovery of equally exquisite Aix-en-Provence and Marseille. Begin your guided walking tour of magnetic Aix on Cours Mirabeau, a lively boulevard shaded by 200-year-old plane trees that is framed by cafés, bookshops and splendid mansions. You'll cherish the verdant Mazarin District, perennial home to writers and artists such as Paul Cézanne, and admire Saint-Sauveur Cathedral, which was built over ten centuries, resulting in its intriguing meld of architectural styles. After time on your own for additional exploration, you'll set off for a panoramic coach tour of Marseille. Drive through the colorful Old Port, delighting in the typically French sidewalk cafés, thriving markets and picturesque fishing boats bobbing in the harbor. Continuing on, you'll notice the city's impressive bluffs and the scenic islands lying just offshore. Visit Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille, and pass the Palais Longchamp, a wonderfully ornate 19th-century complex of stately museums, elegant fountains and an expansive park guarded by four impressive lion sculptures. On this illuminating tour, you'll agree that these two unique yet unmistakably French towns make a perfect pairing.

- Stroll under lofty 200-year-old plane trees in Aix-en-Provence's bustling Cours Mirabeau.
- Discover the superb Mazarin District and the multifaceted Saint-Sauveur Cathedral.
- Enjoy time at your leisure in Aix-en-Provence to shop or explore further.
- Catch stunning views of Marseille's Old Port and the town's striking geography.
- Marvel at Notre-Dame de la Garde, the neo-Byzantine basilica rising above Marseille.
- Behold the architectural flourishes of the 19th-century Palais Longchamp, including its expressive lion sculptures.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of moderate walking. There will be uneven surfaces and over 120 steps to negotiate. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Flash photography and video cameras are not permitted in the cathedral.

MRS-018 THE CLASSIC VILLAGES OF ST. REMY & ARLES

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$195.00

Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM

Follow the footsteps of Vincent Van Gogh in the radiant towns of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence and Arles on this guided walking tour with generous free time. In Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, appreciate an approximately 75-minute walking tour, roaming cobbled lanes that lead to fetching squares graced with sparkling fountains and venerable plane trees. You'll learn that in 1889 and 1890 Vincent Van Gogh completed more than 150 paintings and sketches while receiving treatment at the town's psychiatric hospital. Gaze out a window from the room where the master convalesced, perhaps catching a glimpse of his subject matters, such as irises and cypress trees. Appreciate approximately 90 minutes of free time to lunch and shop before heading to Arles, a marvelous city that played host to one of Van Gogh's darkest episodes, the severing of his own ear. During your approximately one-hour walking tour, you'll learn the town has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site for its outstanding Roman ruins and the Romanesque Church of Saint-Trophime, whose cloister and ornate 12th-century portal depicting the Last Judgment are particularly exquisite. Among other highlights, you'll view an arcaded Roman amphitheater and enjoy approximately one hour on your own to further explore resplendent Arles.

- Stroll the inviting streets and squares of Saint-Rémy-de-Provence, a classic Provençal village.
- Examine the room Van Gogh stayed in while he received psychiatric treatment in 1889 and 1890.
- Discover the city of Arles, a UNESCO World Heritage site that boasts stunning Roman ruins.
- Learn of Van Gogh's troubled year in Arles as you walk on streets once trod by the artist.
- Admire the Church of Saint-Trophime's remarkable Romanesque portal and cloister.
- Appreciate time at your leisure in both towns for lunch and shopping.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate-to-strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces, steps and inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for those with mobility concerns. Participants should be in good physical condition.



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MRS-022 MAGNIFICENT VILLAGES OF FONTAINE DE VAUCLUSE

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$234.00

Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM

Explore two immensely charming Provence villages that revolve around the meandering Sorgue River that connects them. The river's source is a powerful spring in the village of Fontaine de Vaucluse that gushes an abundance of turquoise water through the beautiful Provençal countryside. Jacques Cousteau tried to reach the spring's underwater source in the 1940s but the current was so strong he turned back. You will have the chance to see the famed spring and other landmarks in the ancient village, which has long inspired writers and artists. Not far downstream, you will find the equally lovely L'Isle-sur-la-Sorgue, a village known as the Venice of Provence because of its river canals. Once a major supplier of freshwater crayfish, the village is now known for its antique stores. You will have ample time to browse the shops and linger over lunch on your own before the guide presents the village's prime attractions and the stories behind them.

- See the powerful source of the Sorgue River, a spring with the fastest-flowing water in France.
- Discover a village dating to antiquity that grew up around the spring.
- Follow the river downstream to a village known as the Venice of Provence.
- Browse the village's abundant antique stores and dine on your own.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

MRS-025 FWT-LE DOMAINE DE FONTENILLE & LOURMARIN

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$326.00



Date: May 03, 2022 09:00 AM

Savor the gustatory delights of Provence through an inspired wine tasting and lunch at Le Domaine de Fontenille before independently exploring the fashionable village Lourmarin. Built in the early 1800s, the Fontenille estate has been handsomely renovated and expanded to include a hotel, two restaurants, an art gallery and a winery – all of them extraordinary. An introductory tour will reveal the estate's exquisite qualities, just as the white wine apéritif tasting will present the unique characteristics of the terroir. Additional wines thoughtfully paired with a lunch of seasonal, locally sourced ingredients further cements Fontenille's reputation as a true treasure of Provence. How appropriate that Lourmarin is only minutes away, as the medieval village is the perfect complement. During free time, you might meander its twisting cobbled streets, admire the honey-hued architecture and browse the boutiques. Lourmarin has been officially declared one of the Most Beautiful Villages in France, a designation that transcends its physical appearance.

- Enjoy a white wine apéritif tasting at the Provençal estate Le Domaine de Fontenille.
- Linger over an inspired lunch paired with characteristic wines at the estate.
- Spend free time in Lourmarin, a village deemed one of the most beautiful in France.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. This tour is not suitable for wheelchair guests and those with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. On dates where the winery restaurant may not be available, an alternate restaurant in Lourmarin of similar quality may be substituted. Since a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to tour.

MRS-GL3 GO TO NOAILLES MARKET LIKE A MARSEILLAIS

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00 GL

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Meander through the exuberant Noailles Market in the heart of Marseille, a bazaar-like setting with a dizzying array of shops and stalls. Known as the "belly of Marseille," the Noailles district is effervescent, ethnically and religiously diverse and boasts a personality all its own. The Marché Noailles market is no exception, as it offers an incredible array of merchandise that reflects the diversity of the people. There is truly something for everyone, as you will realize while browsing the stalls, the scent of freshly ground spices wafting through the air. Along the way, all sorts of samples will be offered. You can expect to observe residents haggling over prices, choosing the ripest produce and looking over the handicrafts. Its ambiance is much like that of a souk or a bazaar. Some of the shops are centuries old and quite unusual. For instance, there is Le Père Blaize, a pharmacy and dispenser of herbal medicines since 1815.

- Browse the stalls of Marché Noailles with the locals for a genuine slice of daily life.
- Expect to be offered samples as you meander through the stalls of the market.
- Soak in the bazaar-like ambiance in unusual shops like France's oldest hardware store.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about three hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

MRS-GL2 PROVENCE BLACK TRUFFLE DISCOVERY

Duration: 3.75 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$221.00

Retail Price: CA\$431.00 GL

Date: May 03, 2022 09:15 AM

Venture into the Provençal countryside with a truffle hunter and a truffle-hunting dog to find these coveted fungi, after which you will sample them with several local wines. Your adventure will take place near Rognes, a village known its wine, quarried stone and the cultivation of black truffles. These delectable fungi delicacies, sometimes called Provençal black diamonds, grow underground near the roots of specific host trees. Their locations are closely guarded, as the truffles are highly prized for their pleasant aroma and earthy flavor. Accompanied by a truffle hunter and a specially trained truffle-hunting dog, you will head into the woods in search of black truffles. Once the dog sniffs out a truffle, the hunter will show you how to extract it from the soil without damage. It is a slow, methodical process that reflects the value of these black fungi. After truffle-hunting, you will enjoy a tasting of truffles paired with local wines.

- Hunt for black truffles in the Provençal countryside with a guide and truffle-hunting dog.
- See how to methodically extract the truffles from beneath the soil without damaging them.
- Enjoy a sampling of black truffles thoughtfully paired with local wines.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about 1¾ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour. This tour must be purchased at least 3 days prior to the operating date.



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MRS-021 MARSEILLE HOP ON HOP OFF

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$78.00

Date: May 03, 2022 09:30 AM, 10:00 AM, 10:30 AM



See the attractions that you find most interesting and stay as long as you wish by hopping on and off buses as they make a continuous loop around Marseille. After departing from the pier, you will soon arrive at the Old Port, a central location in Marseille that is an ideal place to start your Hop On Hop Off tour. Using the complimentary bus pass, you can explore the destinations that are most appealing to you. Simply hop on one of the buses and then hop off when it reaches an attraction of interest from the dozen or so designated stops on the bus loop. Another bus will show up in about 20 minutes, giving you plenty of time to explore. Or simply wait for another bus if you wish to stay longer. The amount of time that you spend at each destination is entirely up to you. You might hop off at the landmark Notre-Dame-de-la-Garde church perched atop a limestone hill that was once used as a guard post. Another excellent option is the atmospheric Old Quarter known as Le Panier, which features steep, crooked streets lined with artisan shops. If you want to concentrate on outstanding architecture, don't miss the Palais du Pharo that Emperor Napoleon III built in the mid 19th century. The Abbey of Saint Victor is another stop that is architecturally and historically important, as it is one of the oldest buildings in Marseille and looks like a fortress. Please note: Walking on this tour is at the guests' discretion during any stops they choose to get off the bus. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Weather appropriate clothing; sun cap; sunglasses; sunscreen; an umbrella; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended. While the lower deck of the bus is air-conditioned, the open-top upper deck is not. The duration will vary based upon the guests' choice of stops and time spent at each. A transfer back to ship is provided at the end of the tour. Guests who wish to return to the ship earlier would need do so at their own expense.

MRS-001 MARSEILLES CITY HIGHLIGHTS

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 03, 2022 01:30 PM



Uncover the intriguing highlights of Marseille on this survey of the dazzling maritime city with time on your own. Drive through the colorful Old Port, where the city's Greek founders landed in 600 BC, and delight in the typically French sidewalk cafés, thriving markets and picturesque fishing boats bobbing in the harbor. As you continue along the coast, notice the impressive bluffs of the Massif de Marseilleveyre and the scenic islands lying just offshore. Make your way to Notre-Dame de la Garde Basilica, a 19th-century wonder built atop a limestone outcrop that towers over Marseille. Gaze in awe at this neo-Byzantine church, a green-and-white-striped sanctuary whose belfry soars nearly 200 feet and is topped with a titanic gold-leafed statue of the Madonna and Child. You'll stop for photos at the Palais Longchamp, a wonderfully ornate 19th-century complex of stately museums, elegant fountains and an expansive park guarded by four impressive lion sculptures. Return to the Old Port for approximately one hour of free time in this compact waterfront area, whose inviting, mostly pedestrian-only streets perfectly capture this charming city's élan.

- Appreciate glorious views of the Massif de Marseilleveyre's cliffs and the islands dotting the sparkling sea.
- Marvel at Notre-Dame de la Garde, the neo-Byzantine basilica rising above Marseille.
- Admire the colossal gold-leaf Madonna and Child crowning the church's 200-foot belfry.
- Behold the architectural flourishes of the 19th-century Palais Longchamp, including its expressive lion sculptures.
- Delve into the shops and cafés of Marseille's alluring Old Port during time at your leisure.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be approximately 120 steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may make arrangements with the guide not to participate in some of the guided walking portions of the tour. Flash photography and video cameras are not permitted in the cathedral.



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❖ PORTOFINO, ITALY

POF-004 THE SPLENDOR OF GENOA

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 04, 2022 08:15 AM

Venture to fascinating Genoa, birthplace of Christopher Columbus, and examine masterpieces housed in former palaces along stunning Via Garibaldi. Exult in phenomenal views of the Italian Riviera as you travel by boat and coach to Genoa, where you'll embark on a walking tour to Via Garibaldi, considered the most beautiful street in Europe by Flemish master Peter Paul Rubens. As you stroll along this extraordinary lane, which may be likened to an open-air museum, you'll be flanked by some of Genoa's most magnificent palaces. Learn that many of the opulent residences were built in the 16th century by the city's noble families and were recently restored to their former glory to celebrate Genoa's designation as the 2004 European Capital of Culture. You'll visit three of Via Garibaldi's most prized gems, including the Palazzo Bianco, where you'll find paintings by Van Dyck, Caravaggio and Rubens. In the majestic Palazzo Rosso, gaze at works by Veronese and Guercino, and in the Palazzo Doria Tursi, admire furnished public rooms and its Paganini Museum, which showcases a violin that belonged to the revered maestro. After your enlightening tour, partake in lunch or shop to your heart's desire in this storied city.

- Appreciate a scenic journey into Genoa along the Italian Riviera via boat and motorcoach.
- Wonder at a seemingly endless sequence of lavish 16th-century palaces lining Genoa's Via Garibaldi.
- Study works by Caravaggio, Rubens and Van Dyck in the Palazzo Bianco.
- Discover masterpieces by Guercino and Veronese as you roam the Palazzo Rosso.
- Cherish a violin once played by the virtuosic maestro Paganini in the Palazzo Doria Tursi.
- Enjoy time at your leisure to lunch in a trattoria or pick up a memento or two in a welcoming shop.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately three hours of strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Coaches are not allowed to enter Portofino. Lunch is not included.

POF-005 LIVING THE TASTE OF THE ITALIAN RIVIERA

Duration: 6.25 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$221.00

Retail Price: CA\$417.00



Date: May 04, 2022 08:15 AM

Sample the rich and flavorful cuisine of the Italian Riviera during a cooking class at a renowned restaurant followed by lunch with local wines. You'll start your epicurean adventure with a brief cruise along the dazzling coastline to the village of Santa Margherita Ligure, from where you'll drive through the scenic countryside to the seaside town of Recco. In this delightful community, you'll find noted Ristorante Da ò Vittorio, whose chef will be happy to share the secrets of his art. Dive into a truly fun and informative hands-on demonstration on the creation of local specialties, which may include a dish prepared with locally caught fish as well as handmade pasta and ravioli with pesto, the savory green sauce created in Genoa that is traditionally crafted using fresh basil, garlic, cheese and pine nuts or walnuts. At the conclusion of your class, you'll sit for a leisurely lunch consisting of an array of delectable regional dishes, including your own creations, all paired with distinctive local wines. Top off your meal with a delicious dessert and coffee, a perfect finale to your gastronomic survey of the Italian Riviera.

- Sail along the glorious coast of the Italian Riviera to the waterfront town of Santa Margherita Ligure.
- Discover popular Ristorante Da ò Vittorio in nearby Recco and meet its friendly chef.
- Participate in a cooking lesson focused on the celebrated food of the Italian Riviera.
- Assist in the preparation of regional specialties such as pasta with pesto and locally caught seafood.
- Lunch on the bounty of your cooking class, including dishes you have helped create.
- Enrich your dining experience with carefully selected local wines, a tempting dessert and coffee.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Walking on this tour is primarily at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

POF-GL1 FISHING WITH NATIVES IN PORTOFINO COAST

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$234.00

Retail Price: CA\$431.00



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Date: May 04, 2022 08:30 AM

Spend a day at sea on a fishing boat, watching the crew haul in the day's catch, which they will prepare for your lunch while you sit back and enjoy the staggeringly beautiful scenery. The captain and crew of your boat will describe a typical day on the Ligurian Sea as they fish for mackerel, bream, mullets and other common species. In some cases, the fishermen might haul in nets that they cast the night before. Other times, they may use traditional palamiti, which are long fishing lines with hundreds of hooks. Regardless, the fishermen are always successful, and you will dine on the day's catch while on board. As you will discover, fresh fish just pulled from the sea taste absolutely wonderful, especially when prepared in its traditional way. If conditions permit, you may have time to take a refreshing swim in the protected waters off Portofino.

- Cruise into the Ligurian Sea on a fishing boat and watch the fishermen at work.
- Enjoy a lunch of fresh fish that the fishermen have just pulled in.
- Take a refreshing swim in the protected waters off Portofino, if conditions permit.
- Enjoy the views of Mount Portofino Natural Regional Park as you cruise its coast.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour is operated by boat with a small amount of walking and standing and some inclines to negotiate. Guests must be able to step into and out of the boat on their own. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.



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POF-002 CRUISING THE ITALIAN RIVIERA**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$195.00****Date: May 04, 2022 08:45 AM**

Gain a privileged perspective on the Italian Riviera as you journey on a boat that skirts the spectacular coastline with a stop at a characteristic seaside village. During your cruise, you'll capture one terrific photo after another of the gorgeous cliffs and cozy coves that grace the picturesque Ligurian coast. Sail into a tiny, forest-lined inlet only accessible by boat or on foot and discover the Abbey of San Fruttuoso tucked away in this remarkable setting. Continuing on, you'll reach the small fishing village of Camogli, which is renowned for its brightly painted houses, expansive waterfront promenade and small fishing harbor. Visit the wonderful Baroque Basilica di Santa Maria Assunta, which sits in an utterly enchanting square and houses numerous works by Ligurian artists. Rejoice in time at your leisure to stroll along the harbor and promenade, perhaps stopping at one of the colorful shops and cafés to select a memorable souvenir or a cooling gelato. Cap off your truly memorable outing with locally made wine and traditional Genoese bread, baked with olive oil and salt, served during your leisurely cruise back to Portofino.

- Take in sublime vistas of the Italian Riviera as you cruise along the stunning coast on a touring boat.
- See an intriguing abbey that is hidden in a shimmering cove only accessible on foot or by boat.
- Alight in the fishing village of Camogli, known for its cheerfully colored houses, compact harbor and waterside promenade.
- Explore the splendid Baroque Basilica di Santa Maria Assunta, which showcases the work of Ligurian artists.
- Revel in time on your own to shop, indulge in a gelato and succumb to Camogli's charms.
- Savor local wine and baked Genoese bread as you sail back to Portofino.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The tour is by boat and depends on sea conditions. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

POF-001 SCENIC RAPALLO AND SESTRI LEVANTE**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$91.00****Retail Price: CA\$287.00****Date: May 04, 2022 09:00 AM**

Explore two of the Italian Riviera's most captivating coastal towns, Rapallo and Sestri Levante, on this idyllic excursion. Relax during a brief yet spellbinding cruise to Rapallo, a charming waterfront community graced with attractively painted buildings. You'll embark on an approximately one-hour walking tour of the town's key highlights, perhaps seeing historic Rapallo Castle, a stately clock tower dating from 1473 and several centuries-old churches. Reboarding your boat, sail to seductive Sestri Levante, which is often referred to as the Town of Two Seas because it sits on a rocky headland that boasts exquisite bays on both sides. You'll discover that the lively Bay of Fables, named by Hans Christian Andersen, features an expansive beach, whereas the much smaller Bay of Silence is intimate, romantic and characterized by the timeless rhythms of the local fishermen. Appreciate a short guided tour of the town followed by time on your own to browse the town's inviting art galleries, visit the Romanesque Chiesa di San Nicolò dell'Isola or simply stroll seaside as your cares gently drift away on the ocean breeze.

- Glimpse the marvelous coastal landscapes of the Italian Riviera during a short cruise.
- Discover the outstanding landmarks of Rapallo on a guided walking tour of the colorful port town.
- Tour Sestri Levante, a seaside hamlet straddling two distinct bays, one bustling and the other serene.
- Stop in Sestri Levante's art galleries or just bask in the town's enthralling atmosphere during time at your leisure.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you wish to visit a religious venue, dress appropriately; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

POF-003SG PORTOFINO AND SANTA MARGHERITA - SMALL GROUP**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$65.00****Retail Price: CA\$221.00****Date: May 04, 2022 09:00 AM**

Enhance your shoreside experience with a Regent Choice small group tour. Hosting no more than 16 guests, these tours provide a more intimate experience and allow for more personal engagement with your knowledgeable guide. Celebrate the jet-setting villages of Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure, where you'll visit the town's spectacular Baroque basilica, on this unforgettable tour. During your illuminating outing, you'll learn this fabled stretch of coastline has long been a holiday playground of royal families, politicians, wealthy industrialists and movie stars. In iconic Portofino, a tiny hamlet where pastel-hued narrow buildings vie for space along the snug harbor, begin your walking tour in the main square. Follow your guide as you ascend through the narrow streets, passing gracious villas accented with lush, tropical gardens and Mediterranean olive trees. Catch fabulous views from the ochre Chiesa San Giorgio and admire the striking Castello Brown before you reach Portofino's lighthouse, whose position at the tip of a verdant outcropping jutting toward the sea will likely be one of the day's most indelible sights. Travel by motorboat to palm-dotted Santa Margherita, where you'll view the magnificent Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia. Stand in awe within the church, where seemingly every square inch has been extravagantly decorated with gilded stucco and woodwork, vivid frescoes and expressive sculptures. Conclude your exceptional excursion with free time to wander the town's lively waterfront and seaside piazzas.

- Tour Portofino, whose colorful buildings hug a tiny harbor and hillside villas brim with vibrant flora.
- Absorb sensational views from the town's lighthouse and from the Chiesa San Giorgio.
- Cruise in a motorboat along the glittering Ligurian coast, where Europe's elite comes to unwind.
- Visit lovely seaside Santa Margherita Ligure and applaud the Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia.
- Study the ornate décor of the church's brilliant interior, an exemplar of Baroque sumptuousness.
- Wander the alluring seaside promenades and piazzas of Santa Margherita Ligure during time on your own.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. Guides will issue motorboat tickets for those guests who would like to return independently to Portofino from Santa Margherita. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.



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POF-008 SLOW VINTAGE CARS: PORTOFINO, THE RIVIERA AND CAM**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$587.00 Retail Price: CA\$849.00****Date: May 04, 2022 09:00 AM**

Drive along the spectacular Ligurian coast at a leisurely pace in a vintage automobile, stopping along the way at scenic overlooks and to explore some charming villages. You will first pause for photos at Paraggi, a seaside locale rimmed by a beautiful beach. The earth-toned town of Santa Margherita lies ahead, as does Rapallo, where you will have time to ramble about wherever you please. You will soon realize why literary figures such as poet Ezra Pound and novelist D.H. Lawrence once lived here, as Rapallo is immensely inspiring. Another stop for photos will be made at panoramic San Rocco hill, where you might snap a picture of yourself at the wheel of the vintage car framed by the gorgeous setting. Free time follows in Camogli, a slow-paced fishing village with pastel-hued palazzi much like those in more famous Portofino. It will be easy to see why so many Italians from urban areas summer here.

- Drive a vintage automobile along the immensely picturesque coast overlooking the Ligurian Sea.
- Pause for photos at viewpoints that best capture the scenery.
- Spend free exploring lesser-known seaside towns such as Rapallo and Camogli.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

Tour is conducted by an English-speaking driver. Two (2) guests per vehicle; this tour is priced per vehicle (not per person), and only one person in the party need to book it. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests as there is no place to store foldable wheelchairs/walkers.

POF-003 PORTOFINO AND SANTA MARGHERITA**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 04, 2022 09:15 AM**

Celebrate the jet-setting villages of Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure, where you'll visit the town's spectacular Baroque basilica, on this unforgettable tour. During your illuminating outing, you'll learn this fabled stretch of coastline has long been a holiday playground of royal families, politicians, wealthy industrialists and movie stars. In iconic Portofino, a tiny hamlet where pastel-hued narrow buildings vie for space along the snug harbor, begin your walking tour in the main square. Follow your guide as you ascend through the narrow streets, passing gracious villas accented with lush, tropical gardens and Mediterranean olive trees. Catch fabulous views from the ochre Chiesa San Giorgio and admire the striking Castello Brown before you reach Portofino's lighthouse, whose position at the tip of a verdant outcropping jutting toward the sea will likely be one of the day's most indelible sights. Travel by motorboat to palm-dotted Santa Margherita, where you'll view the magnificent Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia. Stand in awe within the church, where seemingly every square inch has been extravagantly decorated with gilded stucco and woodwork, vivid frescoes and expressive sculptures. Conclude your exceptional excursion with free time to wander the town's lively waterfront and seaside piazzas.

- Tour Portofino, whose colorful buildings hug a tiny harbor and hillside villas brim with vibrant flora.
- Absorb sensational views from the town's lighthouse and from the Chiesa San Giorgio.
- Cruise in a motorboat along the glittering Ligurian coast, where Europe's elite comes to unwind.
- Visit lovely seaside Santa Margherita Ligure and applaud the Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia.
- Study the ornate décor of the church's brilliant interior, an exemplar of Baroque sumptuousness.
- Wander the alluring seaside promenades and piazzas of Santa Margherita Ligure during time on your own.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes strenuous walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. Guides will issue motorboat tickets for those guests who would like to return independently to Portofino from Santa Margherita.

POF-006 VILLA DURAZZO & SANTA MARGHERITA**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$130.00****Date: May 04, 2022 09:30 AM**

Cruise to Santa Margherita Ligure, a Tuscan treasure on the Italian Riviera, where you'll explore a 17th-century villa with spectacular gardens and admire two lovely Baroque churches. Sail up the alluring coastline on a private boat to Santa Margherita Ligure, a tranquil town that blankets the hills of a picturesque cove. Alight in the effervescent village and embark on a brief walk to Villa Durazzo, a pink-hued, 17th-century estate built by the Marquis Durazzo as a summer retreat. You'll delight in the interior, which is richly adorned with sculptures, paintings, tapestries, marble work and Venetian chandeliers, but it's the superb gardens that are sure to inspire awe. Amble along winding paths dotted with fountains and statuary, passing through the citrus garden, the palm-filled Italian garden and an untamed English wood. Following your enchanting visit, descend toward the marina and stop at two churches, the splendid Baroque Chiesa di San Giacomo and the colorful Oratorio di San Erasmo, dedicated to the protector of sailors and charmingly decorated with maritime items and paintings. After enjoying time at your leisure for additional exploration, say arrivederci to this divine corner of the Italian Riviera.

- Sail along the glorious coast of the Italian Riviera to the waterfront town of Santa Margherita Ligure.
- Stroll to Villa Durazzo, a 17th-century confection that was once a marquis' summer estate.
- Study the exuberantly ornate period décor of the villa's elegant rooms.
- Wander the estate's immaculately maintained gardens, whose themed areas are enhanced by statuary and fountains.
- Visit two distinctive Baroque sanctuaries, the Chiesa di San Giacomo and the Oratorio di San Erasmo.
- Appreciate time on your own to further uncover Santa Margherita Ligure's treasures.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes just under two hours of easy-to-moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, steps and inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with walking difficulties.



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POF-007 EXPERIENCE RAPALLO & SANTA MARGHERITA

Duration: 3.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$143.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$339.00


Date: May 04, 2022 09:30 AM

Revel in the charms and flavors of two wonderfully complementary seaside towns on the Italian Riviera, inspiring Rapallo and quaint Santa Margherita Ligure. Cruise along the captivating coastline to Rapallo, where you'll be welcomed by the compact castle that stands guard in the harbor. After learning about the intriguing fortification and some of the town's notable denizens, such as Ezra Pound and D.H. Lawrence, you'll walk into the historical town center and visit an enticing shop that specializes in regional foods. Observe the welcoming owner creating Rapallo-style pesto, which you'll have an opportunity to savor along with focaccia, bruschetta, black olives and a glass of vermentino or pigato white wine, all local products. Reboard your boat for the journey to palm-dotted Santa Margherita, where you'll view the magnificent Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia. Stand in awe within the church, where seemingly every square inch has been extravagantly decorated with gilded stucco and woodwork, vivid frescoes and expressive sculptures. You'll relish time on your own to dip into the boutiques lining the waterfront promenade or mingle with the locals in one of the town's lively seaside piazzas.

- Sail along the glorious coast of the Italian Riviera to the waterfront towns of Rapallo and Santa Margherita Ligure.
- Gaze at the small but immensely photogenic beachfront Rapallo Castle.
- Try delicacies of the Italian Riviera, including focaccia and pesto paired with local white wines, at an inviting shop.
- Visit lovely seaside Santa Margherita Ligure and applaud the Baroque Chiesa di Santa Margherita d'Antiochia.
- Study the ornate décor of the church's brilliant interior, an exemplar of Baroque sumptuousness.
- Stroll and shop on the alluring seaside promenades and piazzas of Santa Margherita Ligure during free time.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of easy-to-moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, steps and inclines to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with walking difficulties. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

POF-GL2 PORTOFINO COUNTRYSIDE & LOCAL CRAFT

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$130.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$326.00  **GL**

Date: May 04, 2022 09:30 AM

Cruise to Santa Margherita to watch traditional handicrafts being made and visit a farm in Portofino to sample delicacies made with ingredients grown on the premises. The ferry will take you to the former fishing village of Santa Margherita, where you will visit a workshop to watch local women embroidering and explain the history of the traditional process. The technique dates to the 16th century, when bobbin lace was included in the dowries of affluent women. Following the demonstration, you may explore Santa Margherita on your own. As an alternative, you might simply sit on a waterfront bench and gaze at the sea and the pastel-colored homes clinging to the hillside. Back in Portofino, you will walk to Niasca, a nearby farm with olive groves and lemon orchards. Here, you will have the opportunity to sample some of products made on site, such as crispy focaccia bread, olive oil and lemonade.

- Take the ferry to Santa Margherita and watch embroiderers create traditional bobbin lace.
- Spend free time in Santa Margherita, a former fishing village with a wonderful ambiance.
- Sample local specialties such as focaccia bread, olive oil and lemonade at a farm in Niasca.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.



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❖ ROME (CIVITAVECCHIA), ITALY

CIV-007 CLASSICAL ROME BY PRIVATE RAILCAR

Duration: 9.25 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$417.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$614.00



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Access the best of Rome by reaching the city aboard a private rail car and touring essential landmarks via comfortable coach. Relax in the Roma Express train's luxurious private car and transfer to a coach once in Rome, where glorious sights await. See the Church of Saint Peter in Chains, believed to contain the saint's shackles, and find Michelangelo's virtuosic Moses within. Gaze in awe at the Colosseum, whose construction started in AD 72 under the Emperor Vespasian and which was the largest amphitheater ever built in Rome. You'll enter its arena, where as many as 50,000 Romans enjoyed spectacular and gruesome shows of gladiatorial combat and fights with wild beasts. Celebrate the astounding Roman Forum, the religious, political and commercial center of ancient Rome, and walk along the Via Sacra, where victorious generals marched in triumph to the Curia, Rome's senate house. Enjoy time on your own to lunch in gorgeous Piazza Navona and transfer to breathtaking Saint Peter's Square, which is anchored by the majestic Saint Peter's Basilica, begun in 1452 on the site where Saint Peter was buried and designed by masters such as Michelangelo, Raphael and Bernini, whose contributions immortalized this ravishingly beautiful sanctuary.

- Reach Rome in an exclusive rail car and transfer to a comfortable coach in the city.
- View Michelangelo's lifelike Moses in the Church of Saint Peter in Chains.
- Wander through the famed Colosseum, a 1st-century amphitheater where vast crowds clamored for blood.
- Contemplate the Forum, heart of ancient Rome, and stroll along the storied Via Sacra.
- Admire from the outside the overwhelming architectural and artistic riches of Saint Peter's Square and Basilica.
- Appreciate time to sit for lunch in Piazza Navona, in the restaurant we have selected
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour is not suitable for guests with walking difficulties. Cancellations made within seven days of the tour's operating date will be under 100 percent penalty.

CIV-008 THE ANGELS AND DEMONS OF ROME- INSPIRED BY DAN BROWN

Duration: 10.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$156.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$352.00

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Gain a unique perspective on the Eternal City by visiting sites that inspired Dan Brown's bestselling novel Angels and Demons. You'll travel among what the book calls Altars of Science, works of art that also provide hidden directions to the Illuminati's secret meeting place. Start in the Basilica of Santa Maria Del Popolo's Chigi Chapel, where the first hint is found in a Bernini sculpture featuring an angel. In another of Rome's grand churches, Santa Maria Della Vittoria, learn Bernini's statue Ecstasy of Saint Teresa reveals the location of the fourth Altar of Science. Pause your intriguing exploration with a visit to the iconic Trevi Fountain and the imposing Pantheon, which houses the tomb of the great master Raphael. In radiant Piazza Navona, an extravagant Bernini fountain suggests the location of the fifth Altar of Science. Lunch on your own in the restaurant-lined piazza before visiting commanding Castel Sant'Angelo, erected by Emperor Hadrian as his mausoleum and whose titanic angel sculpture points to the Illuminati's conclave. Conclude in breathtaking Saint Peter's Square, which is anchored by the majestic Saint Peter's Basilica, and learn that a modest marble relief in the ground offers your enjoyable day's final tantalizing clue.

- Uncover timeless landmarks of Rome following the cryptic Illuminati signposts featured in Dan Brown's bestseller Angels and Demons.
- See a series of masterful Bernini sculptures that lead to the Illuminati's secret meeting place.
- Behold impressive Castel Sant'Angelo, where an immense bronze angel reveals the final clue.
- Complement your investigation with visits to the illustrious Pantheon and the beloved Trevi Fountain.
- Find a helpful hint in plain sight on mesmerizing Saint Peter's Square, where the exquisite Saint Peter's Basilica rises.
- Break for lunch in lively Piazza Navona, where tempting eateries and palatial buildings sit side by side.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately five hours of extensive walking over approximately three-to-four miles. There will be uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. Castel Sant'Angelo is closed on Mondays. In the event that St. Peter's Basilica is closed due to religious celebrations, the guide will give commentary from the exterior.

CIV-013 PANORAMIC ROME

Duration: 6.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$248.00

Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Experience Rome's enthralling historic beauty and architecture during this orientation tour specially designed for guests with mobility concerns. After arriving in the Eternal City, you'll pass the riverfront Lungotevere, the Vatican Walls, which delineate the Vatican City, and the Ara Pacis, a 1st-century BC altar dedicated to peace. Continue along the Roman Walls and the wonderful Villa Borghese gardens before entering the Old Town near the ancient Porta Pinciana. You'll drive down lively Via Vittorio Veneto, around which much of Fellini's La Dolce Vita was filmed, and make your way to quintessential landmarks including the white marble Victor Emmanuel II Monument, the Roman Forum, the Colosseum, the Arch of Constantine, the Circus Maximus and Saint Peter's Basilica. After concluding your panoramic tour, you'll alight from your coach and enjoy time on your own starting from elegant Piazza del Popolo, which is a few minutes' walk from memorable landmarks such as the Trevi Fountain and the Spanish Steps, as well as some of Italy's finest shopping avenues, Via del Corso, Via Frattina and Via del Tritone. You're certain to appreciate how this tour brings you up close to Rome's marvels from the comfort of your coach.

- Survey Rome from your comfortable coach on this panoramic tour to many of the city's key sites.
- View landmarks in and around the Vatican City, including Saint Peter's Basilica and the Vatican Walls.
- Travel beside the Roman Walls, the Villa Borghese gardens and down Via Vittorio Veneto, site of Fellini's La Dolce Vita.
- Admire grand remains of the Roman Empire, such as the Colosseum and the Circus Maximus.
- Enjoy free time for shopping or exploration after being dropped off in enchanting Piazza del Popolo.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately if you wish to enter a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes some free time, during which guests will not have the services of a guide and the amount of walking will be at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Saint Peter's Basilica may be closed at times for security reasons.



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CIV-014 ROME - THE ETERNAL CITY

Duration: 10.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$130.00** **Retail Price: CA\$326.00**

Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Revel in the epochal highlights of Rome on this comprehensive coach and walking tour. Begin your exploration of the Eternal City at its heart, the Vatican City's inspiring expanse of Saint Peter's Square, a vast, circular plaza that can hold over 300,000 people and is surrounded by a breathtaking colonnade. Enter Christendom's largest sanctuary, Saint Peter's Basilica, and admire the high altar where the Pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo's most revered works. From atop Aventine Hill, behold the imposing remains of the Roman imperial palaces and the Circus Maximus, site of thrilling chariot races such as those depicted in the movie Ben Hur. Driving into central Rome, you'll glimpse vestiges of the glory and majesty of the Roman Empire in the ruins of the ancient Forum and the infamous Colosseum, where gladiators valiantly clashed, often pitted against wild beasts. Appreciate time on your own to dine in a trattoria, browse inviting shops or simply wander through the history-steeped streets of spellbinding Rome.

- Stand in awe in Saint Peter's Square, the expansive, round plaza at the heart of the Vatican City.
- Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter's Basilica, which houses the pope's high altar and Michelangelo's Pietà.
- View the ruins of the Circus Maximus, where chariot races exhilarated thousands, and the imperial palaces.
- Bask in the grandeur of the Forum and the storied Colosseum, site of gruesome entertainments.
- Relish time at your leisure to lunch, shop or delve further into iconic Rome.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter's Basilica is closed for a religious celebration, the guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own.

CIV-015 VATICAN CITY AND ROME HIGHLIGHTS

Duration: 10.50 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$169.00** **Retail Price: CA\$365.00**

Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Explore the Eternal City on this panoramic tour, taking in many of the city's most meaningful monuments, and study the treasures contained within the Vatican. You'll see the Pyramid of Cestius and the ruins of the great Circus Maximus, site of thrilling chariot races. View the Forum, the Arch of Constantine and the Colosseum, symbol of the power of Imperial Rome. Pass the gorgeous Piazza del Popolo, the lovely Villa Borghese gardens, the Aurelian Walls, built to defend Rome against Barbarians, and Piazza Venezia, dominated by the impressive monument to King Victor Emmanuel II. Enjoy free time for lunch on your own and visit the spectacular Vatican Museums, beginning in the magical Pine Cone Courtyard. Walk through the Gallery of the Candelabra, the Gallery of Tapestries and Gallery of Geographical Maps, arriving at the magnificent Sistine Chapel. Here, you'll behold the brilliantly restored Michelangelo frescoes of the Genesis and Last Judgment as well as other priceless masterpieces adorning the hallowed walls. Enter Christendom's largest sanctuary, Saint Peter's Basilica, and admire the high altar where the pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo's most revered works.

- Relax on your coach as you pass myriad sights including the Circus Maximus, where chariots once sped.
- Gaze at superb landmarks such as the Colosseum, the Forum, Piazza Venezia and the Villa Borghese gardens.
- Meander through the opulent Vatican Museums, passing through one dazzling gallery after another.
- See one of humanity's most beautiful and recognizable artistic achievements, Michelangelo's frescoes for the Sistine Chapel.
- Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter's Basilica, which houses the pope's high altar and Michelangelo's Pietà.
- Appreciate time on your own for lunch as a refreshing respite during your day of fabulous sightseeing.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a one-mile walk from the coach to the basilica. This tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. If Saint Peter's Basilica is closed during religious celebrations, your guide will give commentary from the exterior. Lunch is on your own. The coach is air-conditioned.

CIV-018 JEWISH QUARTER & ROME HIGHLIGHTS

Duration: 10.50 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$195.00** **Retail Price: CA\$391.00**



Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Reveal the fascinating history and landmarks of Rome's Jewish population through the centuries on this enlightening tour. Upon arrival in the Eternal City, you'll enjoy a panoramic drive past the Baths of Caracalla's ruins, Capitoline Hill, Piazza Venezia and the Colosseum. During your guided walking tour of the Jewish Quarter, stroll along lively Via Portico d'Ottavia, built in 146 BC and to this day the center of Jewish life in Rome. See the Jewish Ghetto, where the anti-Semitic Pope Paul IV decreed in 1555 that Jews must live, and learn that this tiny district, the smallest in Rome, was isolated for more than three centuries behind towering walls. Visit the palatial Tempio Maggiore di Roma, built in 1904 and the city's main synagogue, and the captivating Museo d'Arte Ebraica, a small museum detailing Roman Jewish life and ritual. Relish a typical Roman lunch with wine and drive along the Tiber River to Viale Washington, a Baroque area where you'll have time on your own to shop, explore or sip a cappuccino in a cozy café. As a final treat, pass by opulent Saint Peter's Basilica and ponder the diverging history of the city's Christians and Jews.

- Wander through the heart of the Jewish Quarter, bustling Via Portico d'Ottavia.
- Contemplate the Jewish Ghetto, where for centuries Jews were cut off from the remainder of Rome.
- Examine the graceful 1904 Tempio Maggiore di Roma synagogue and a museum highlighting Jewish life in Rome.
- Relax during an invigorating lunch of Roman favorites accompanied with wine.
- Drive beside iconic landmarks such as the Colosseum, Capitoline Hill and Saint Peter's Basilica.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Men must wear long pants and will be given an appropriate paper head covering.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a substantial amount of walking. It is not recommended for guests with walking difficulties. Travel time to Rome is approximately 1 ½ hours by coach in each direction. The synagogue visit may be delayed, shortened or eliminated due to services, ceremonies or security reasons at any time. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.



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CIV-027 PIZZA-MAKING SCHOOL AT THE WINERY

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$300.00

Retail Price: CA\$496.00



Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Craft authentic Italian pizza during a hands-on class in an 18th-century winery, lunch on the fruits of your labor and enjoy a wine tasting. Relax during a meandering drive into the gorgeous countryside, where you'll find Casale Marchese. You'll learn the estate was built atop two ancient Roman cisterns and has been owned by the Carletti family since 1713. Tour the winery for an edifying introduction into age-old local winemaking techniques, as grapes have been grown in the area's volcanic soil for well over 2,000 years. Discover that at least 10 varieties of grapes flourish at the estate, and the resulting wines pair beautifully with fresh-baked pizza, perhaps the world's favorite Italian dish, which you'll learn to prepare step by step. Once ready, savor the piping-hot finished pizza and a sampling of locally produced ham, cheese and bruschetta along with a selection of Casale Marchese wines. Although the exact wines will be chosen that day, expect to taste a zesty Frascati with hints of tropical fruit and a blend of merlot and cabernet sauvignon with forest berry notes, and perhaps even Casale Marchese's acclaimed grappa. Rejoice in your culinary exploration of Italy's classic and beloved flavors.

- See the lovely landscapes surrounding Rome on your drive to the Casale Marchese wine estate.
- Wander through the estate, erected over ancient Roman cisterns and run by the same family for centuries.
- Hear of the over 10 grape varieties grown here, fueled by the fertile volcanic soil.
- Create your own pizza from scratch with precise guidance from a cooking instructor.
- Feast on your pizza, bruschetta and other tasty bites accompanied by a selection of the estate's wines.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 3.5 hours of walking and/or standing. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.

CIV-028 POPE SUMMER RESIDENCE AND CAESARS VINEYARDS

Duration: 9.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$457.00

Retail Price: CA\$653.00



Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Visit a palace complex used as a papal summer residence since the 17th century and experience a rewarding wine tasting in the region's oldest winery. Appreciate a leisurely drive through a landscape dotted with farmhouses and villas on your way to commanding Castel Gandolfo, which perches at the edge of Lake Albano, a deep-blue crater lake. You'll learn that in the early 1600s, Pope Urban VIII began construction on the castle, which was later enlarged by subsequent popes. Gain a rare glimpse into papal life, visiting the pope's bedroom, the gallery of popes' portraits and the splendor of the Barberini Garden. Journey to Santa Benedetta, a family-owned winery, and tour the vineyards, glean details about the estate's former life as a monastery and the traditional methods used to produce various wines. You'll sample two varieties of white wines, which are typical to the region, paired with bruschetta and the estate's olive oil. During the light lunch that follows, try a number of rarer red wines that may include a popular Tre Vecchie made with syrah grapes. Lift your glass and toast the riches of this bounteous land.

- Travel through captivating countryside to Castel Gandolfo, summer residence of the popes for four centuries.
- Survey the remarkable setting of the castle, which towers over the volcanic crater Lake Albano.
- Roam through the popes' private quarters and marvel at the wonderful Barberini Garden.
- Explore the Santa Benedetta winery, a family-run estate that is the oldest in the region.
- Savor a tasting of two characteristic white wines along with estate-made olive oil and bruschetta.
- Sample several unusual red wines as an accompaniment to an enjoyable light lunch.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 4 hours of walking over cobblestone and uneven surfaces. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

CIV-034 BOCELLI MUSIC & ART

Duration: 9.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$352.00



Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Enjoy a private piano concert and lunch at a hilltop restaurant in Rome and see the Eternal City's signature attractions on a panoramic tour. Your immersion into all things Roman will begin with an enlightening drive through the capital, during which you will see icons such as the Colosseum, Trevi Fountain and Circus Maximus, the massive stadium where the Romans once held chariot races. You will then ascend Monte Mario, the highest hill in Rome, for a sweeping view of the city from the restaurant Lo Zodiaco. It will also serve as the venue for the piano concert of Italian classics with an accomplished singer as accompaniment. During the inspired lunch that follows, wines produced on the Tuscan estate of Andrea Bocelli's family will complement each course. The sommelier will describe the characteristics of the wines and how the Bocelli's produce them. You will then view even more iconic locations such as St. Peter's Square while exploring Vatican City.

- Enjoy a private piano concert and singing performance at a hilltop restaurant overlooking Rome.
- Savor a four-course lunch accompanied by wines that Andrea Bocelli's family estate produces.
- Spend hours driving around Rome and Vatican City, admiring the most iconic landmarks.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them.



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CIV-GL1 BEST LOCAL ROMAN FOOD SCOOP

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$156.00**

Retail Price: CA\$352.00



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Date: May 05, 2022 08:15 AM

Walk through Lungotevere, one of the oldest sections of Rome, and sample a multitude of classic Italian treats. Your culinary immersion will begin at Campo de Fiori, where you will meander a bustling outdoor marketplace with stalls full of colorful produce, aromatic spices and classic Italian condiments. Crudites will be offered, allowing you to see just how tasty raw vegetables can be, especially when dipped in seasoned fresh-pressed olive oil. You will then walk to a bakery for a pizza tasting, on to a chocolate shop to sample confections and then to Sant' Eustachio, a coffee shop that makes its espresso with water from an ancient aqueduct. The proprietors will explain how they ensure the freshest ingredients and highest quality. A refreshing dessert follows at Giolitti, which may be Rome's oldest, if not finest, gelato shop. You will then enjoy free time around Navona Square, a wonderfully atmospheric area built over a stadium from the 1st century.

- Taste an array of classic Italian treats in one of the Rome's oldest sections.
- Expect to sample crudites, pizza, chocolate confections, coffee and gelato.
- Spend free time exploring atmospheric Navona Square.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about five hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

CIV-022 ORVIETO, UNDISCOVERED ITALY

Duration: 10.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$182.00**

Retail Price: CA\$378.00



Date: May 05, 2022 08:30 AM

Witness Italy as it is rarely seen with a trip to Orvieto, an unspoiled, fortified medieval town known for its ornate 13th-century cathedral and distinctive wines. You'll journey north along a flank of the Apennine Mountains into Umbria, a beguiling land of steep hills and deep valleys studded with charming villages. Upon arriving in Orvieto, you'll notice the city commands attention due to its dramatic setting atop a massive limestone outcropping. Learn Orvieto was once an Etruscan citadel that has seen little change since the 14th century and that it is known for a dry white wine crafted from trebbiano grapes grown in the surrounding vineyards. Enjoy a walking tour through atmospheric streets that concludes at the enthralling cathedral, which is awash in elaborate carvings and mosaic work. Relish time on your own to study the interior chapels, where you'll find treasured frescoes by Fra Angelico and Signorelli. Sit for a repast of traditional Umbrian dishes at a local restaurant and welcome free time to stroll through picturesque lanes and alleyways, shopping for the town's famed ceramics, Pinocchio dolls and signature Orvieto wines or simply relaxing in an outdoor café, drinking in the fabulous medieval atmosphere.

- Explore refined Orvieto, an off-the-beaten-path destination that offers a perfect snapshot of the Middle Ages.
- Admire the city's stunning placement on an impressive limestone plateau ringed by vineyards.
- Enjoy a guided walking tour in the city's enchanting warren of narrow streets.
- Behold the sumptuous cathedral, which holds exalted frescoes by Signorelli and Fra Angelico.
- Lunch on specialties of the Umbrian region in an inviting ristorante.
- Appreciate time on your own to meander or browse Orvieto's renowned wines and ceramics.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ miles of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and steps to negotiate. Time permitting, guests will have approximately 45 minutes for browsing and shopping at the Orvieto Center. The cathedral is closed to tour groups on Sundays and during services. Should this occur during your visit, the guide will give an explanation outside and guests will then enter on their own. Please remember to take local currency if wishing to shop. Shops may be closed during the peak seasonal times and dates, during holidays and on Sundays. Souvenir and handicraft shops will be open. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary but will include all mentioned sites.

CIV-032 A TASTE OF UMBRIA AT MONTE VIBIANO CASTLE & WINERY

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$391.00**

Retail Price: CA\$587.00



Date: May 05, 2022 08:30 AM

The Perugian poet Giosuè Carducci left a memorable description of Umbria with the term "the green heart of Italy," where every imaginable shade of green can be witnessed in one breath. Experience the beauty, the history, the wine, and the flavors of Umbria through your guided tour of the Monte Vibiano Castle, the ancient Vigna Lorenzo vineyard, and the Cantina Monte Vibiano winery. Leave with your driver and guide on a picturesque journey from Civitavecchia for a guided visit of the historic center of the Umbrian hilltop town of Todi. Capture impressive views from every direction and enjoy a coffee break in Todi before you continue the journey to Monte Vibiano Castle. Arrive at the 2,000-year-old castle owned by the Fasola Bologna family since the 19th century. Your guided tour starts though a medieval iron gate and a guarding tower as you make your way to the beautiful castle gardens. Visit the private family chapel to view unusual and fascinating paintings by a famous Umbrian painter. Proceed to the Elizabethan labyrinth, an original green theatre, and a historical swimming pool. Learn about the Etruscan origins of the castle and the Vibi family who produced two Roman Emperors. Leave the castle behind you with a short drive to the entrance of the olive grove. Electric cars await you for a drive through the ancient olive trees to the evocative Vigna Lorenzo, which dates to the times of the Carthaginians, who under Hannibal defeated the Romans in 217 BC. Discover the traditions and legends that soak the soil of this magical environment, where the Fasola-Bologna Family lead Italy's green revolution in the production of wine and olive oil with zero CO2 emissions. Depart from Vigna Lorenzo with the electric cars on a scenic ride to the winery. At Cantina Monte Vibiano accompany an expert sommelier on a tour of the vinification and barrel rooms of the environmentally sensitive winery. Learn how wine is produced and aged using pioneering sustainable processes. Conclude your winery tour on a panoramic terrace with a wine tasting experience and a three-course meal representing the best flavors of Umbria. Return to Civitavecchia, but not before a mid-way stop for a visit and coffee break in Piazza Martiri d'Ungheria in the ancient city of Viterbo.

- Experience breathtaking views of Umbria from the ancient hilltop town of Todi.
- Discover the historic charms on the grounds of the 2,000-year-old Monte Vibiano Castle with a local guide.
- Immerse yourself into the olive groves with eco-friendly electric cars to reach the ancient vineyard dating back to 217 BC to discover Etruscan legends.
- Follow a sommelier on a guided tour of Cantina Monte Vibiano winery – Italy's pioneer in the production of wine and olive oil with zero CO2 emissions.
- Relax on a panoramic terrace and enjoy an exclusive wine tasting experience paired with a three-course meal representing the best flavors of Umbria.
- Visit Piazza Martiri d'Ungheria in the ancient city of Viterbo.

- Wear weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable shoes.

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests who would like to drive the electric cars need to bring a driver's license.



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CIV-WT1 THERMAL BATHS OF POPES

Duration: 5.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$182.00** **Retail Price: CA\$378.00**

Date: May 05, 2022 08:30 AM

Unwind in restorative waters enjoyed by centuries of popes on this relaxing tour. You'll travel to the ancient city of Viterbo, whose healing springs have been renowned since the time of the Etruscans and the Romans. You'll learn the Terme dei Papi, the Thermal Baths of the Popes, were used by a succession of popes in medieval times but received their current name in the 15th century from Pope Nicholas V, who was so impressed with the curative effects of the waters that he had a grand palace built on the site. Discover the baths are fed by the Bullicame spring, which was sketched by Michelangelo and mentioned by Dante in the Divine Comedy. As you relax in the expansive outdoor pool of the gorgeous estate, appreciate the mineral compounds in the thermal waters, which make them highly valued for multiple therapeutic applications, including the treatment of respiratory ailments, bone and joint pain as well as skin conditions. You might also experience a natural cave heated by falls of spring water that saturate the space with healthy vapors. At Terme dei Papi, you'll indulge in a day of wellness that will renew your body and spirit.

- Restore your mind and body at Terme dei Papi, thermal waters enjoyed for centuries by the popes.
- Soak in a pool of curative waters rich in healing minerals, including salts, calcium and magnesium.
- Revel in a pastoral landscape that has inspired artists and poets such as Michelangelo and Dante.
- Imbue yourself with the beneficial vapors emanating from cascading warm spring water in a natural cave.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable shoes.
- Wear a hat, sunglasses, sunscreen and swimwear under a cover-up.

This program is not recommended to guests suffering from low blood pressure. A short medical test conducted by the spa's physician takes place before gaining access to the premises. Slippers are not provided, but can be purchased for six Euros.

CIV-003 ROME ON YOUR OWN

Duration: 10.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$0.00** **Retail Price: CA\$195.00**

Date: May 05, 2022 08:45 AM

Uncover the glories of Rome at your own pace with ample time for independent exploration. During your drive into the city, you'll be accompanied by a knowledgeable tour escort who will provide you with insight and guidance. Wherever in Rome you choose to go, you'll find that a veritable cornucopia of superlative sites awaits you, including Piazza Navona, the Pantheon, Castel Sant'Angelo, the Roman imperial palaces and the adjoining Circus Maximus and Colosseum. You might begin by strolling to the nearby Spanish Steps and the Trevi Fountain, where Anita Ekberg and Marcello Mastroianni famously frolicked in Fellini's cherished La Dolce Vita. Perhaps you long to see the Michelangelo masterpieces held in the Vatican City or examine countless artistic treasures in the Galleria Borghese. Descend into the fascinating Catacombs and reach for the divine at sublime Saint Peter's Basilica, or browse high-end boutiques along Via Condotti and dine as the Romans do in an enticing ristorante. As you roam the resplendent Eternal City, you'll agree with writer Anatole Broyard that "Rome was a poem pressed into service as a city."

- Immerse yourself in Rome with generous time and complete freedom to go wherever you choose.
- Visit grand outdoor attractions such as the Colosseum, Piazza Navona and the Spanish Steps.
- View magnificent buildings including Castel Sant'Angelo and the Pantheon.
- See crowning achievements in art at the Galleria Borghese and the Vatican Museums.
- Behold Michelangelo's seminal frescoes in the Sistine Chapel and his Pietà in Saint Peter's Basilica.
- Shop along glamorous Via Condotti or partake in a quintessential Italian meal.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately if you wish to enter a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes no guided touring, only transportation to Rome. An official escort will be on the bus to provide information about Rome and places to visit. Maps are available on the bus. The coach will drop you off near the Piazza del Popolo, which is a 15-minute walk from the Spanish Steps and Trevi Fountain. Your return transfer to the ship departs from the same convenient location.

CIV-004 ITALIAN COUNTRYSIDE & CATACOMBS

Duration: 9.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$130.00** **Retail Price: CA\$326.00**

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Discover what lies beneath the earth in the bewitching Catacombs, and find what thrives above in the lovely medieval town of Castel Gandolfo and at a farmhouse where you'll enjoy a hearty lunch accompanied with wine. After a scenic drive, arrive at the Catacombs, a remarkable underground maze of tunnels where early Christians, persecuted by the Romans, practiced their religion in secret and buried their dead. Visit the gracious town of Castel Gandolfo, for centuries the papal summer residence and considered one of Italy's prettiest towns for its elegant architecture and striking setting beside Lake Albano. You'll make your way through the undulating fields of Rome's wine-growing hinterland to Monte Due Torri, a farmhouse recognized for its balsamic vinegar. Tour the estate's ancient Roman cisterns and wine cellars, perhaps assisting in the creation of fresh pasta for your delicious meal, which will also feature homemade tomato sauce, bruschetta, lasagna and a sweet tiramisu, all accompanied with the farm's own red and white wines. Indulge in ciambelline, Roman ring-shaped biscuits, along with a cup of coffee or cappuccino, and treasure a parting gift of a stamped postcard for you to send or keep as a memento of your unforgettable day.

- Descend into the entrancing Catacombs, where the first Christians secretly worshipped.
- Rejoice in the marvelous lakeside town of Castel Gandolfo, site of the popes' summer home.
- Appreciate a warm reception at the Monte Due Torri farmhouse, where you'll receive an enlightening tour and a souvenir postcard.
- Find one of your friendly hosts making pasta and perhaps be invited to help.
- Feast on fresh pasta with just-made tomato sauce, lasagna and tiramisu among many delectable courses.
- Enjoy red and white wines produced on the estate as the perfect pairing to your meal.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

There will be numerous steps, steep in some parts, uneven surfaces and inclines to negotiate. Catacombs are very narrow underground tunnels, so guests with claustrophobia may wish to evaluate their participation. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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CIV-020 BRACCIANO LAKE & WINE TASTING**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$208.00****Date: May 05, 2022 08:45 AM**

Embrace the singular Italian way of life with visits to a quaint lakeside village and a winery for a tasting of its traditional products. You'll journey for approximately one hour to shimmering Lake Bracciano, an ancient volcanic crater filled with water that mirrors its gorgeous surroundings. Drive around the lake's picture-perfect perimeter to the tiny town of Anguillara, where you'll appreciate free time to enjoy the charismatic ambiance of this quaint resort town. You might stroll the lakeside promenade, treat yourself to ice cream, browse for souvenirs or just relax and enjoy the superlative setting. Bid farewell to Lake Bracciano and continue to Cerveteri, an area rich with the history of the ancient Etruscan civilization. You'll make your way to an esteemed winery for a sampling of its vintages, as well as silky olive oil and fluffy bread produced locally. Delight in the opportunity to shop for the winery's wares, perhaps finding that perfect bottle for your wine-loving friend or purchasing olive oil that is sure to enliven your Mediterranean dishes back home.

- Rejoice in the shining expanse of Lake Bracciano, which lies within a dormant volcanic crater.
- Discover the enchanting lakeside village of Anguillara, where you'll enjoy free time for exploration.
- Savor wine, bread and olive oil produced using age-old methods at a well-regarded winery.
- Browse the winery's products, which make for perfect gifts or a delectable treat back on your ship.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately ½ mile of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and inclines to negotiate. Please remember to take local currency if wishing to shop. Shops may be closed during the peak seasonal times and dates, during holidays and on Sundays. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary, depending on traffic or local conditions. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

CIV-021 CHRISTIAN ROME - THE VATICAN & ST. JOHN IN LATERAN B**Duration: 10.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$195.00****Retail Price: CA\$391.00****Date: May 05, 2022 08:45 AM**

Exult in the sublime achievements of Christian Rome on this guided tour of the Vatican and the Basilica of Saint John in Lateran, along with an exceptional lunch. You'll visit the spectacular Vatican Museums, where over one thousand rooms and galleries contain countless treasures collected by the popes throughout the centuries. In the overpowering Sistine Chapel, behold the brilliantly restored Michelangelo frescoes of the Genesis and Last Judgment as well as other priceless masterpieces adorning the hallowed walls. Enter Christendom's largest sanctuary, Saint Peter's Basilica, and admire the high altar where the pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo's most revered works. After lunch accompanied by a flute of sparkling or table wine in a specially chosen hotel or restaurant, drive to the regal Basilica of Saint John in Lateran. You'll learn it is the official cathedral of the Church of Rome and the ecclesiastical seat of the Bishop of Rome, the pope. Admire the neoclassical exterior and the superbly ornamented interior, which features remarkable larger-than-life statues of the 12 apostles. Feel the spirit of the divine course through you on this transfixing tour.

- Meander through the opulent Vatican Museums, passing through one dazzling gallery after another.
- See one of humanity's most beautiful and recognizable artistic achievements, Michelangelo's frescoes for the Sistine Chapel.
- Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter's Basilica, which houses the pope's high altar and Michelangelo's Pietà.
- Admire the marvelous neoclassical façade of the Basilica of Saint John in Lateran, official seat of the pope.
- Gaze at extraordinary statues of the apostles cradled by 12 of the basilica's niches.
- Relax during lunch with sparkling and table wines in a bespoke eatery.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately three miles of walking and endure extended periods of standing. There will be uneven surfaces and numerous steps to negotiate. Should Saint Peter's Basilica or Saint John in Lateran Basilica have special events or services taking place, the guide will give an exterior explanation and guests will then enter on their own. Guests may be required to check large bags, backpacks, video cameras and personal water bottles at designated checkpoints. Flash photos are not permitted in the Vatican Museums. Video and photography are not permitted at any time in the Sistine Chapel. Should your guide determine that the line at the Saint Peter's Basilica security check point is longer than a 45-minute wait, they will forego the interior visit of the basilica and provide you with a full explanation and description while outside. Depending upon the number of people in the basilica, it may be closed for security reasons. These safety precautions are beyond the control of the local tour operator. You will be provided more time during your shopping or free period to compensate for not entering the basilica. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

CIV-030 HOP ON - HOP OFF ROME**Duration: 9.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$208.00****Date: May 05, 2022 08:45 AM**

Immerse yourself in the wonders of Rome at your own pace by riding a double-decker bus around town, hopping on and off whenever you please at the attractions you find most intriguing. With your complimentary pass in hand, board a hop-on, hop-off bus until you reach the first stop of your choice. You might ride to the Vatican's glorious Saint Peter's Basilica or massive Castel Sant'Angelo, originally the mausoleum of the Roman Emperor Hadrian. Spend as much time as you desire in each location, as the buses operate throughout the day on a continuous loop around Rome's must-see landmarks. When on the bus, avail yourself of the route map and headphones that describe each destination. You might explore the iconic Spanish Steps, the Trevi Fountain and the breathtaking Colosseum, an amphitheater that held as many as 50,000 spectators, who came to watch mock naval battles and gladiators fight to the death. Perhaps leave the bus at the astounding monument to King Victor Emmanuel II in Piazza Venezia and stroll to the marvelous Pantheon. With the convenience and flexibility of your hop-on, hop-off option, you'll feel as if the best of radiant Rome is within easy reach.

- Visit iconic attractions of the Eternal City with the use of an unlimited hop-on, hop-off bus pass.
- Hear informative recordings about every destination and take a map while aboard the double-decker buses.
- Hop off at key locations including the Vatican, The Trevi Fountain, the Colosseum and Piazza Venezia.
- Take as much or as little time as you wish at each landmark before you hop onto the next bus.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Walking on this tour is primarily at the guest's discretion during the stops. There may be steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. An audio tour is available in nine languages. Air conditioning is available on lower deck of the bus only.



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CIV-005 AN INSIDER VIEW OF THE VATICAN

Duration: 10.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$836.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$1306.00

Date: May 05, 2022 09:00 AM

Appreciate exclusive access to areas of the Vatican City that are off-limits to the general public and enjoy ample free time to explore Rome. Upon arrival in the Eternal City, enjoy approximately 2 ½ hours to shop, sightsee and lunch on your own before traveling to the transcendent Vatican. Embark on your tour at the Bronze Gate, which boasts outstanding Bernini sculptures, and visit the exquisite Vatican Museums and Saint Peter's Basilica, including some private sections. Delight in access to the pope's personal place of worship, the Niccoline Chapel, which is adorned with extraordinary 15th-century frescoes by Fra Angelico. Marvel at the ingenious double-helix Bramante Staircase, which allows people to ascend without meeting those descending. In the Carriage Museum, study carriages, automobiles and sedan chairs used by the popes, and in the Pinacoteca, see wonderful paintings that include Raphael's Crowning of the Virgin, Leonardo's Saint Jerome and Deposition from the Cross by Caravaggio. Another off-limits experience awaits in the glittering Sala degli Ori, where precious Etruscan jewels dating back to the 8th century BC are beautifully displayed. Conclude your fabulous tour in Saint Peter's Treasury, where invaluable objects showcase the opulence of the exalted Vatican City.

- Enjoy several hours of time on your own to shop, sightsee and savor lunch before your tour begins.
- Indulge in an exclusive tour of the Vatican that provides access to areas that are typically off-limits.
- Tour the enthralling Vatican Museums, Saint Peter's Basilica and the private Niccoline Chapel.
- View rarely seen corners of the Vatican such as the astonishing Bramante Staircase.
- Examine conveyances of the popes in the Carriage Museum and priceless paintings in the Pinacoteca.
- Wonder at centuries of accumulated riches in Saint Peter's Treasury and the Sala degli Ori.
- Wear conservative, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Men should wear jackets.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes over four hours of strenuous guided walking over approximately 2 ½ miles, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour sequence, as requested by the Vatican, will require guests to retrace their steps through areas already viewed when visiting the Carriage Museum. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Lunch is on your own and there is a cafeteria on site. Certain areas on the tour, such as the Niccoline Chapel or Saint Peter's Treasury, may on occasion be closed for Vatican functions. On those occasions, they will be substituted with other areas of the Vatican considered equally private and exclusive. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. This tour cannot operate on Sundays or Catholic holidays. The Vatican is a very popular attraction in Rome that draws large numbers of visitors. Neither the cruise line or the local tour operator have any control over crowds at the venues. Given this, guests should be prepared to wait in lines and understand the tour scheduling can only be approximate. This tour must be purchased no later than four days prior to the operating date. Cancellations made within four days or less are subject to a 100 percent cancellation penalty.

CIV-006 THE COLORS AND AROMA OF THE ETRUSCANS

Duration: 4.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$195.00

Date: May 05, 2022 09:00 AM

Trace the footsteps of the beguiling and ancient Etruscans on this visit to several key sites of their long-gone civilization. You'll journey to Tarquinia, founded in the 7th century BC and now renowned for its magnificent Etruscan burial ground, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Visit the stunning Necropolis of Tarquinia, final resting site of Etruscan royalty, and see numerous crypts with colorful paintings, which are the world's only examples of painted Etruscan tombs and thus of utmost archaeological importance for the light they shed on this long-gone civilization. In the National Archaeological Museum of Tarquinia, study an extensive collection of intriguing excavated Etruscan artifacts, such as sarcophagi, pottery, objects carved from ivory and votive offerings. You'll also appreciate the museum's setting, a splendid palace built in the 15th century by Cardinal Giovanni Vitelleschi. Enjoy the land's more recent offerings at Il Mandoletto, an inviting nearby farm where you'll relish a tasting of traditional delicacies, a wonderful way to cap off your day of compelling discovery.

- Visit extraordinary remains of the Etruscan civilization in the ancient city of Tarquinia, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- See the exceptional Necropolis of Tarquinia, where royalty was laid to rest in brightly adorned tombs.
- Examine a wealth of excavated Etruscan artifacts in the National Archaeological Museum of Tarquinia.
- Admire the museum's building, the graceful 15th-century Palazzo Vitelleschi.
- Try a variety of delectable, locally made treats at Il Mandoletto, a convivial farmhouse.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 200 yards of walking. There will be uneven ground and steps to negotiate. This tour is not recommended to guests who utilize a wheelchair and guests with mobility concerns.

CIV-023 TASTE OF ROME

Duration: 9.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$261.00

Date: May 05, 2022 09:00 AM

Join an excursion tailor-made for those who wish to have a limited guided tour followed by time to enjoy lunch and explore independently. You'll begin at 3D Rewind, which presents an engrossing 3D virtual journey through ancient Rome. Walk to the exterior of the iconic Colosseum, a masterpiece of classical architecture and an enormous amphitheater where gladiators, early Christians and wild beasts once battled to the death in front of as many as 50,000 spectators. See the imposing triumphal Arch of Titus, erected in AD 81 by the Emperor Domitian in honor of his father's and brother's victories in battle, and the Via Sacra, the route followed by religious and triumphal processions. Continue to the exterior of the Roman Forum, through lovely Piazza Venezia and into Piazza Navona, a graceful square that exudes a relaxed atmosphere and showcases beautiful ornamentation in its church and three fountains. Revel in approximately 1 ½ hours on your own, perhaps dining on the Roman favorite bucatini all'amatriciana in a welcoming trattoria, shopping for Italian fashions and mementoes or delving deeper into the exhilarating streets of the Eternal City.

- Step back in time at 3D Rewind, a virtual reality experience in 3D that reveals Rome as it was centuries ago.
- View the exterior of key landmarks of classical Rome such as the Colosseum and the Forum.
- Stroll through two of Rome's grand squares, Piazza Venezia and Piazza Navona.
- Appreciate time at your leisure to lunch, shop or find inspiration amid Rome's grandeur.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two miles of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and some steps to negotiate. An escort will be on the coach during the trip to/from Rome and a local guide will accompany the group once in Rome for the half-day guided portion of the tour. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. On Sundays and public holidays, the majority of shops, boutiques and small stores will be closed. Only souvenir shops will be open.



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CIV-025 OSTIA ANTICA

Duration: 6.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$221.00

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Wander through the remains of Ostia Antica, classical Rome's main commercial port and military base, and relish time on your own in seaside Lido di Ostia. You'll learn Ostia Antica was founded by King Anco Marzio around the 4th century BC and at its peak had nearly 100,000 inhabitants. Although it was buried for centuries, you'll see excavations that offer a vivid picture of life in the Roman Empire. Begin at Via delle Tombe and reach the Porta Romana, one of the city's three gates and the origin of Decumanus Maximus, Ostia Antica's main road. From the Baths of Neptune, walk to a theater and forum that were once the beating heart of the city. Among the captivating ruins, discover 18 temples dedicated to the Persian god Mithras, a 1st-century BC synagogue and an early Christian basilica. Visit the House of Diana, the Thermopolium, which was an ancient Roman bar with a fresco representing the foodstuffs that were sold there, and the Museo Ostiense, where unearthed sculptures and mosaics are displayed. In the popular seaside resort area of Lido di Ostia, cool off with a complimentary gelato and enjoy free time to roam the sun-kissed beachfront.

- Explore the storied ruins of Ostia Antica, a crucial military and commercial center in the Roman Empire.
- Enter the city through the Porta Romana and stroll along its main road, the Decumanus Maximus.
- Admire the vestiges of a theater, the forum, temples, a synagogue and an ancient bar among the illuminating excavations.
- Examine a collection of recovered artifacts such as sculptures and mosaics in the Museo Ostiense.
- Enjoy time on your own in the beach resort area of Lido di Ostia and savor a complimentary gelato.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 2 hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

CIV-WT2 ARCHEO-YOGA IN ROMES CENTRAL PARK

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$234.00

Retail Price: CA\$431.00

Date: May 05, 2022 09:00 AM

Meander the trails of the Villa Borghese gardens, an elegant public park in Rome, where you'll practice Hatha yoga as a prelude to seeing many of the city's landmarks. Settle in for a scenic drive to the center of Rome, where you'll discover the Villa Borghese gardens. Tour this urban oasis, one of Rome's largest, most beautiful green spaces, whose grand grounds resemble late 19th-century English-style parks and boast secret gardens, statuary and temples in various architectural styles. Whether a seasoned or beginner Hatha yoga practitioner, appreciate an immersive sensory experience as you slowly follow your instructor through a series of postures, enhancing your flexibility and mental concentration. You'll also learn how to breathe more deeply, which can help improve your peace of mind. Enjoy time on your own, perhaps to partake in a healthy meal, and embark on a tour of the city, including highlights such as the superb Colosseum, the sprawling Roman Forum and Palatine Hill, where the mighty emperors of Rome once resided. After your enlightening yoga session, you're sure to view the splendor of Rome with a newfound clarity.

- Stroll along the trails of the vast and beautiful Villa Borghese gardens, Rome's Central Park.
- Find secret gardens, ornate statues and grand temples rising from the meticulously maintained grounds.
- Practice yoga with an experienced instructor, who will guide you no matter your level of ability.
- Improve your concentration, flexibility and your breathing as you slowly move through the poses.
- Relish free time to dine on a healthy meal or continue exploring on your own.
- See landmarks such as the Forum, the Colosseum and the remains of the Roman imperial palaces.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing that allow freedom of movement and comfortable sports or walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

CIV-017 FARMHOUSE CULINARY EXPERIENCE

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$143.00

Retail Price: CA\$339.00



Date: May 05, 2022 09:30 AM

Reconnect with the earth on this gratifying visit to a traditional farmhouse, where you'll receive cooking instruction and enjoy a four-course lunch accompanied with wine. Journey through the gentle landscapes of the Italian countryside to a typical farmhouse, where the friendly owners await with a warm welcome. Led by a culinary teacher, participate in a cooking class during which you'll learn how to prepare classic fettuccine with ragout sauce, a hearty favorite, and a scrumptious tiramisu cake, a recipe that is sure to place you in demand among your friends back home. After the class, your appetite will no doubt be awakened, so you'll settle in for an authentic four-course Italian lunch, complete with wine and a sampling of local aromatic liqueurs. Once satiated, walk off your meal with a stroll around the farm or simply relax in the shade of the fruit trees dotting the property, committing to memory every moment of your marvelous rural idyll.

- See the bucolic side of Italy as you traverse the beautiful countryside on your coach.
- Visit a traditional farmhouse and meet its inviting owners.
- Learn how to prepare two cherished Italian staples, fettuccine with ragout sauce and tiramisu.
- Sit for a delicious four-course lunch paired with wines and a tasting of aromatic liqueurs.
- Find serenity on the farm's grounds, perhaps lounging beneath a picturesque fruit tree.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to both make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. A minimum number of bookings is required for this program to operate. In the event the featured dishes cannot be prepared, a similar Italian dish will be substituted. Travel time to the farmhouse is approximately 30 minutes each way.



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CIV-019 BIKE IN MEDIEVAL TARQUINIA & ICE CREAM

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$221.00

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Zip around stunning and serene Tarquinia on this bicycle tour that culminates with a sampling of freshly-made ice cream. Drive along rural roads and through beautiful countryside to Tarquinia, a peaceful counterpart to Rome that also boasts numerous notable landmarks. You'll begin your cycling tour at the entrance to the ancient city walls and make your way to the Romanesque Church and Convent of San Francesco, the largest religious complex in Tarquinia, and the outstanding Palazzo Comunale, originally built in the 13th century. Admire the impressive facade of the city's cathedral, the austere 12th-century Palazzo dei Priori and the Palazzo Vitelleschi, part of a massive urban fortification built in the first half of the 15th century by Cardinal Vitelleschi, who was a powerful plenipotentiary and supreme strategist of the Roman Curia, or senate. Follow your circuit to the southern portion of the city walls and find the beguiling Church of Santa Maria in Castello. As a sweet conclusion to your tour, visit a local family-owned gelateria, where you'll sample a variety of ice creams, and shop or explore alluring Tarquinia during time on your own.

- Pedal through the fetching and history-steeped city Tarquinia on this invigorating bicycle tour.
- View age-old sanctuaries, including the Romanesque Church and Convent of San Francesco.
- Pass handsome medieval civic buildings such as the Palazzo Comunale and the Palazzo Vitelleschi.
- Wend along the imposing city walls, which are remarkably well-preserved.
- Indulge in a tasting of mouthwatering ice cream at a family-run gelateria.
- Enjoy time at your leisure to browse enticing shops and further uncover the ample charms of Tarquinia.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking or sports shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring appropriate weather gear, a backpack for belongings and extra bottled water to stay hydrated during the ride.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two miles of cycling. There will be gravel and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. Participants must be in good physical condition, be comfortable using hand brakes and be confident on a bicycle. Participants must be at least 60 inches in height. Participants should be aware that there are certain inherent risks involved in any cycling excursion. A parent or guardian must accompany children under the age of 18 years. This tour will operate rain or shine. In case of special events taking place in the churches, they may close without previous notice. On Sundays or religious holidays, shops will be closed.

CIV-033 LUXURY EXPERIENCE WITH CASTLE MONTE VIBIANO OWNERS

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$1437.00

Retail Price: CA\$1960.00



Date: May 05, 2022 09:30 AM

The Perugian poet Giosuè Carducci left a memorable description of Umbria with the term "the green heart of Italy," where every imaginable shade of green can be witnessed in one breath. Experience the beauty, the history, the wine, and the flavors of Umbria with a luxury excursion that takes you into the heart of Umbria on an exclusive experience with the owners of Monte Vibiano Castle. Leave in a luxury Mercedes Benz with a chauffeur and a local guide on a picturesque journey from Civitavecchia for a guided visit of the historic center of the Umbrian hilltop town of Todi. Capture impressive views from every direction and enjoy a coffee break in Todi before you continue the journey to the Monte Vibiano estate. Meet an expert guide at the Monte Vibiano winery and enjoy a welcome drink. Depart from the winery for a scenic drive through the ancient olive trees to the evocative Vigna Lorenzo, which dates to the times of the Carthaginians, who under Hannibal defeated the Romans in 217 BC. Discover the traditions and legends that soak the soil of this magical environment, where the Fasola-Bologna Family lead Italy's green revolution in the production of wine and olive oil with zero CO2 emissions. Leave Vigna Lorenzo and make your way to the 2,000-year-old Monte Vibiano Castle to meet Maria Camilla and Lorenzo, your hosts for the tour of the Castle, and an exclusive Umbrian lunch experience. Savor a multi-course meal paired with fine wines prepared by the historic chefs of the Castle. As special treat, you will sample wine from the Vigna Lorenzo vineyard, an experience usually reserved solely for members of the vineyard's wine club. Leave Monte Vibiano Castel behind and enjoy the panoramic drive back to the winery. At Cantina Monte Vibiano winery you will have the opportunity to shop for wine and olive oil that can be shipped directly to your home. Return to Civitavecchia with your chauffeur and guide, with a mid-way stop for a coffee break and visit of Piazza Martiri d'Ungheria in the ancient city of Viterbo.

- Experience breathtaking views of Umbria from the ancient hilltop town of Todi.
 - Immerse yourself into the olive groves to reach the ancient vineyard dating back to 217 BC to discover Etruscan legends.
 - Discover the historic charms of the 2,000-year-old Monte Vibiano Castle with its owners.
 - Savor an exclusive multi-course Umbrian lunch paired with fine wines.
 - Sample wine from the Vigna Lorenzo vineyard, an experience usually reserved solely for members of the vineyard's wine club.
 - Visit Piazza Martiri d'Ungheria in the ancient city of Viterbo.
- Wear weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable shoes.

This tour includes limited walking, mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Guests who would like to drive the electric cars need to bring a driver's license.

CIV-GL2 HIS MAJESTY THE TRUFFLE

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$156.00

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Enjoy a leisurely walk through the woods with a truffle hunter and a dog specially trained to sniff out the prized subterranean mushrooms. Truffles grow near the roots of trees such as birch oaks and hornbeams and prefer well-drained soils. Expert truffle hunters know where to find them and fiercely guard the locations, as gourmands covet these aromatic, flavorful delicacies, sometimes paying huge sums for the rarer ones. As you follow the truffle hunter and dog through the forest, you will learn about the local species of truffles and their characteristics. Watching the dog in action will be quite the treat, as it has a knack for finding truffles at peak ripeness. The lagotto romagnolo is the traditional truffle-hunting breed in Italy, although many other breeds can be trained to point out a buried truffle. As the perfect end to your truffle-hunting adventure, you will sample a selection of truffle-based specialties.

- Watch a specially trained dog find truffles growing underground deep in the woods.
 - Gain insight into the world of rare truffles, which are coveted among gourmet chefs.
 - Sample classic Italian specialties made even more flavorful with local species of truffles.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes approximately 2.5 hours of moderate walking/standing. There will be 4 steps to enter/exit the motor coach. Guests will have to manage uneven and paved surfaces throughout the excursion. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.



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CIV-029 VATICAN CITY AND WINE TASTING

Duration: 9.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$391.00 Retail Price: CA\$587.00 

Date: May 05, 2022 10:00 AM

Study the icons of the Vatican, from the Sistine Chapel to Michelangelo's Pietà, then linger over lunch and a wine tasting at a celebrated restaurant in the heart of Rome. You'll visit the spectacular Vatican Museums, beginning in the magical Pine Cone Courtyard. Walk through the Gallery of the Candelabra, the Gallery of Tapestries and Gallery of Geographical Maps, arriving at the magnificent Sistine Chapel. Here, you'll behold the brilliantly restored Michelangelo frescoes of the Genesis and Last Judgment, as well as the other priceless masterpieces adorning the hallowed walls. Enter Christendom's largest sanctuary, Saint Peter's Basilica, and admire the high altar where the pope celebrates mass, the splendid gilt and bronze throne in the apse and the intensely stirring Pietà, one of Michelangelo's most revered works. Following this wonderful immersion into the unforgettable Vatican, you'll enjoy a light lunch and wine tasting at the sophisticated Casa Bleve restaurant, with a knowledgeable sommelier explaining the attributes and origins of the various vintages you'll sample. After your tasting, wander to the cellars and see an ancient Roman wall from the Augustan age, a compelling example of how gastronomy and history seamlessly intertwine in timeless Rome.

- Meander through the opulent Vatican Museums, passing through one dazzling gallery after another.
- See one of humanity's most beautiful and recognizable artistic achievements, Michelangelo's frescoes for the Sistine Chapel.
- Marvel at sumptuous Saint Peter's Basilica, which houses the pope's high altar and Michelangelo's Pietà.
- Sit for a delectable light lunch at upscale Casa Bleve, a restaurant with an ancient Roman wall in its cellar.
- Savor a selection of wines enhanced by an experienced sommelier's enlightening descriptions.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 4.5 hours of walking. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.

❖ SORRENTO/CAPRI, ITALY

SRT-001 CAPRI ON THE LIGHTER SIDE

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$274.00

Date: May 06, 2022 08:00 AM

Venture to the Island of Capri, a favored getaway for Roman emperors Augustus and Tiberius as well as today's pleasure-seeking jet-setters. Relax during an approximately 30-minute scenic cruise on a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples and watch the outline of the dazzling Island of Capri appear before you. Once on land, you'll drive up a winding road to the village of Anacapri, where you may opt to ride a chairlift up 1,884-foot Monte Solaro for simply breathtaking views of the turquoise bay. Alternatively, tour famed Villa San Michele, a wonderful old house that holds a wide-ranging collection of paintings, furniture and ancient Roman artifacts. Finally, if you prefer to explore on your own, you may browse Anacapri's quaint shops and boutiques. Rejoin your bus and travel for approximately 20 minutes to resplendent Capri Town, where you'll view the Marina Piccola and the legendary I Faraglioni, three spectacular rocks that protrude from the aquamarine waters of the Tyrrhenian Sea. Appreciate approximately two hours on your own to enjoy lunch, wander through the charming central square known as La Piazzetta and stroll Via Camerelle, Capri Town's enticing shopping street, perhaps finding that perfect memento of this magical isle.

- Cruise aboard a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples to the exclusive Island of Capri.
- Choose to spend your time in the village of Anacapri by riding a thrilling chairlift, touring a museum housed in a villa or exploring independently.
- Ascend towering Monte Solaro on a chairlift for an awe-inspiring panorama of Capri and the Gulf of Naples.
- Examine priceless antiquities and works of art at Villa San Michele, a captivating museum.
- See highlights of Capri Town, including the picturesque Marina Piccola and the offshore rocks of I Faraglioni.
- Spend time at your leisure shopping, lunching or simply strolling in Anacapri and Capri Town.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. During high season, Capri can be extremely crowded, and long lines are common and unavoidable, especially at the jetfoil and minibus stations.

SRT-001SG CAPRI ON THE LIGHTER SIDE - SMALL GROUP

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$117.00

Retail Price: CA\$313.00

Date: May 06, 2022 08:00 AM

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- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. It is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. During high season, Capri can be extremely crowded, and long lines are common and unavoidable, especially at the jetfoil and minibus stations. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.

SRT-002 CAPRI AND LUNCH AT THE QUISISANA

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$339.00

Retail Price: CA\$535.00



Date: May 06, 2022 08:00 AM

Rejoice in the delights of the chic Island of Capri on this tour that offers a chairlift ride for spectacular vistas, lunch in a storied hotel and free time in glamorous Capri Town. Relax during an approximately 30-minute scenic cruise on a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples and watch the outline of the dazzling Island of Capri appear before you. Once on land, you'll drive up a winding road to the village of Anacapri, where you'll take an exhilarating ride on a chairlift up 1,884-foot Monte Solaro for simply breathtaking views of the turquoise bay, your legs dangling freely in the air. Glory in 360-degree panoramic vistas of the Gulf of Naples, Mount Vesuvius, the Gulf of Salerno, the Sorrentine Peninsula, Ischia Island and Capri. In Capri Town, you'll sit for a delectable Italian lunch in the illustrious 5-star Grand Hotel Quisisana, a Capri institution since 1845. Relish time on your own to explore and shop around the charming central square known as La Piazzetta, concluding your visit with a descent to the shoreline on the town's beloved funicular, another of the island's countless enchanting highlights.

- Cruise aboard a jetfoil across the Gulf of Naples to the exclusive Island of Capri.
- Indulge in a lunch of Italian specialties at the 5-star Grand Hotel Quisisana, the epitome of luxury in Capri.
- Spend time at your leisure shopping, lunching or simply strolling Capri Town.
- Wrap up your visit with a descent to the marina aboard Capri's emblematic funicular.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. During high season, Capri can be extremely crowded, and long lines, traffic delays and crowded streets are common and unavoidable, especially at the funicular. A visit to the Blue Grotto is not included in this tour and the tour is subject to weather conditions.



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SRT-009 SORRENTINO WINERY & ANCIENT VILLAS OF VESUVIUS

Duration: 8.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$326.00 Retail Price: CA\$522.00



Date: May 06, 2022 08:00 AM

Regent Seven Seas Cruises is proud to partner with Food & Wine Trails, America's foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. Food & Wine Trails tours are always kept intimate and visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region. Uncover the effects the AD 79 eruption of Mount Vesuvius had on the past and present during a visit to the superb vestiges of two Roman villas and a distinguished mountain winery. After meeting your knowledgeable guide, you'll drive to the remarkably preserved remains of two luxurious villas in the ancient town of Stabiae, believed to be a summer retreat for Roman elites. You'll appreciate each villa boasted more than 110,000 square feet of space, with multiple dining rooms overlooking the sea, decorated gardens and huge colonnaded courtyards. During your exploration, examine evidence of an ancient water-heating system, mosaic floors and walls decorated with beautiful frescoes. From Stabiae, you'll drive up the southern face of Mount Vesuvius to the Sorrentino family winery. Learn the Sorrentinos have been making wine on this land for more than a century and bask in their warmth as they greet you at the door with open arms. Walk through the vineyards with a member of the family, who will describe the effects the volcanic soil has on growing their grapes, and cap off your tour with a delectable multi-course lunch of local specialties and traditional dishes served with a selection of Sorrentino's highly rated wines.

- Visit the superbly preserved remains of two opulent villas in the ancient Roman town of Stabiae.
- Wander among colonnaded courtyards, quaint gardens and a variety of dining rooms with sea views.
- Study gorgeous frescoes and mosaics as well as proof of an early water-heating system.
- Feel the warmth of the gracious Sorrentino family as you arrive at their celebrated winery.
- Tour the vineyards with a family member and learn how Vesuvius' volcanic soil nourishes the grapes.
- Savor a multi-course meal of regional dishes paired with Sorrentino's first-class wines.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of easy-to-moderate walking; however, there will be some uneven terrain and steps to negotiate. Due to excavations taking place, guests should use caution and remain with the group at all times. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or those with mobility concerns. While there are public restroom facilities at Villa Arianna, there are none at Villa San Marco. Given a set meal is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to tour. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

SRT-006 THE AMALFI DRIVE

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$234.00



Date: May 06, 2022 08:15 AM

Journey along the magnificently scenic Amalfi Drive to the bewitching town of Amalfi, stopping for photos and lunch along the way. Revel in a coach ride along one of Europe's most spectacular roads, the photogenic Amalfi Drive. As the road threads the high, rocky sea cliffs, pass through one pastel-hued village after another, all clinging precariously to the steep coastline. You'll witness a landscape so alluring and quintessentially Mediterranean that it has been deemed a UNESCO World Heritage site. Appreciate a stop for photos of stunning panoramic vistas and continue to a lovely restaurant for a typical Italian-style lunch. In seaside Amalfi, you'll see the exterior of the remarkable Cattedrale di Sant'Andrea, built mostly in the early 13th century atop a flight of 62 steps. You'll wonder at its unique combination of Moorish and early-Gothic architecture, evidenced by its striking striped marble-and-stone façade. Enjoy time at your leisure to stroll along Amalfi's impressive marina, browse among the picturesque shops and sip a cappuccino in one of the village's welcoming cafés. Back in Sorrento, you might choose to stay in town for a guided orientation tour, images of the glorious Amalfi Coast still lingering in your mind.

- Behold brilliant views of the gorgeous Amalfi Coast, a UNESCO World Heritage site, from the comfort of your coach.
- Pause for photos and a satisfying lunch of Italian specialties during your picturesque drive.
- View Amalfi's magnificent Cattedrale di Sant'Andrea, an architectural marvel primarily built in the 1200s.
- Stroll and shop in Amalfi's marina and promenades overlooking the azure Mediterranean during free time.
- Enjoy a guided introduction to Sorrento at the conclusion of your tour, if you wish.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- If you wish to enter the cathedral during free time, dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. Guests visiting Amalfi's Cattedrale di Sant'Andrea during free time should be aware that there are very steep steps to climb. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. In the event of traffic congestion, parking in Amalfi may not be available. Instead, an alternative stop on the Amalfi Drive will be made, either at Maiori or the Vietri Sul Mare. This tour is not recommended for guests who are prone to motion sickness as the Amalfi Drive is a winding road on the cliff side. Minibuses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot. This tour is only offered on select voyages. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.



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SRT-003 ANCIENT POMPEII

Duration: 5.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$0.00**

Retail Price: CA\$248.00

Date: May 06, 2022 08:30 AM



Explore the superbly preserved remains of ancient Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and drive past glittering seaside resorts with a stop for a woodworking demonstration. Journey along the crescent-shaped Gulf of Naples to fabled Pompeii, a Roman town buried under ash and pumice by the catastrophic Mount Vesuvius eruption of AD 79. During your tour, you'll understand why Pompeii is considered the world's finest surviving example of an ancient Roman town, particularly since its architecture and customs were highly sophisticated. As you walk through the remains of the forum, private homes and shops, you'll gain a clear picture of daily life nearly 2,000 year ago. Marvel at frescoes and mosaics adorning largely intact villas, and observe everyday objects scattered about, nearly undisturbed since the classical era. You'll feel as if time has frozen here, especially when you see the haunting plaster casts of victims caught in their life's final moments. On your return trip, delight in the natural beauty and seaside communities of this coastal region and conclude your enlightening journey with a stop at an inlaid woodworking workshop, a delicate artform that exemplifies the victory over adversity of this joyous region.

- Visit the remarkably well-preserved remains of Pompeii, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Roam the ancient Roman city's buildings and public spaces, which for centuries were buried under Mount Vesuvius' volcanic ash.
- Examine frescoes, mosaics and everyday Roman artifacts in Pompeii's nearly intact villas.
- Gaze in reverence at plaster casts capturing the final moments of the town's hapless citizens.
- Drive through the charming landscapes and resort towns of the Gulf of Naples.
- Observe artisans creating inlaid woodwork at a workshop specializing in this intricate craft.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Local shuttle buses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot. Travel time to Pompeii is approximately one hour each way by coach. In the event of heavy highway traffic, the overall length of the tour may be extended.

SRT-003SG ANCIENT POMPEII - SMALL GROUP

Duration: 5.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$104.00**

Retail Price: CA\$300.00

Date: May 06, 2022 08:30 AM

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- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Local shuttle buses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot. Travel time to Pompeii is approximately one hour each way by coach. In the event of heavy highway traffic, the overall length of the tour may be extended. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.

SRT-WT2 HIKE IN THE LAND OF SIRENS

Duration: 6.00 Hrs **Tour Price: CA\$0.00**

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 06, 2022 08:30 AM, 08:45 AM



Hike through the wilds of the Sorrentine Peninsula, taking in the spectacular coastal views on the way to an isolated beach. Starting from the Marina del Cantone, you will follow the trail through gorgeous stretches of Mediterranean scrubland and along little bays that lie in the shadow of sheer limestone cliffs. The route will take you through the Protected Marine Area of Punta Campanella, a coastal region that the ancients held sacred. Ulysses supposedly encountered the sirens here. In time, you will pass the house where English novelist Norman Douglas wrote his 1911 classic travel book "Siren Land: A Celebration of Life in Southern Italy." Continuing on, you will reach the Bay of Ieranto. The views of the sea and the isle of Capri will be spectacular, especially from Capitiello Beach, which you will access by stairs. During free time at the beach, you might swim, stretch out on the sand and take in the extraordinary natural scenery.

- Hike an immensely scenic somewhat coastal trail through the Sorrentine Peninsula.
- Hear how Ulysses supposedly encountered the sirens here.
- Stretch on an isolated beach, where you might swim in the sea or simply relax.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Bring a swimsuit, hat, sunscreen and towel. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes approximately 2½ hours of walking over even and uneven ground with some inclines and steps covering a distance of three miles one way. The tour is not available for guests who utilize wheelchairs or for guests with mobility concerns. Participants must be at least 10 years old. If the weather isn't suitable for bathing, guests will explore other areas.



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SRT-015 CARAVAGGIO EXCLUSIVE VISIT AT PIO MONTE

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$300.00 Retail Price: CA\$522.00



Date: May 06, 2022 08:45 AM

Marvel at a masterpiece Caravaggio painting in a Naples church while the curator elaborates on its artistic significance. A picturesque cruise on a jetfoil will bring you across the gulf to Naples, where you will behold "The Seven Works of Mercy," Caravaggio's exquisite oil painting that depicts seven acts of kindness on a single large canvas. Considered the most important piece of art in Naples, in part because of its composition, the painting has graced the high altar of the Pious Mount of Mercy Church since 1607. Naples will enthrall you in a different way, as the residents exude energy and a passion for life. With Mount Vesuvius looming in the background, you will proceed through town, taking in landmarks that may include the lavish Royal Palace and the San Carlo Theater, an ornate opera house that has become a symbol of the city. The 100-year-old restaurant La Bersagliera is another institution and a lovely waterfront setting for your lunch.

- Cruise to Naples on a jetfoil while taking in the views of the gulf and Mount Vesuvius.
- Admire a priceless painting by Caravaggio that hangs in a church rather than a museum.
- Listen to the curator's enlightening commentary of the painting, which was finished in 1607.
- Feel the pulse of exuberant Naples while observing its key landmarks.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

SRT-005 POSITANO AND LUNCH AT RISTORANTE QUATTRO PASSI

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$234.00 Retail Price: CA\$431.00



Date: May 06, 2022 09:00 AM

Treat your senses with Positano's spectacular topography, photo opportunities and prestigious cuisine during a visit to the beguiling resort village with lunch at the Michelin-rated Ristorante Quattro Passi. Relax during a scenic drive along the renowned Amalfi Drive, a narrow road that winds alongside rocky cliffs overlooking the sea and offers breathtaking vistas of the magnificent Amalfi Coast's rocky outcroppings and small boats dotting sandy coves, a bewitching landscape that has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage site. Upon arrival in dazzling Positano, formerly a forgotten fishing village that has become a retreat for the wealthy and a tony resort area, you'll have time to browse exclusive boutiques along its narrow, sinuous streets. Pause for an exceptional lunch accompanied with wine at the celebrated Ristorante Quattro Passi, a Michelin-rated eatery boasting spectacular views from its beautiful garden terraces high above the sea. Marvel at the restaurant's excellent wine cellar, dug out of tufa rock and extensively stocked with the finest Italian and international labels. You'll appreciate the owners' special blend of warmth and hospitality, which will make you feel immediately at home. After this satisfying sojourn, return to Sorrento and, time permitting, browse the inviting shops of this captivating town.

- Journey along the stunning Amalfi Drive, one of the world's most scenic byways.
- Glory in the Amalfi Coast, a quintessentially Mediterranean landscape designated a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Shop along the quaint streets of Positano, one of the glitterati's most coveted getaways.
- Relish a fabulous lunch overlooking the sea at the Michelin-rated Ristorante Quattro Passi.
- Select wines from among Quattro Passi's world-class cellar, which is carved out of volcanic rock.
- Shop at your leisure upon your return to Sorrento, time permitting.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- The restaurant requires casual, elegant attire but Bermuda-style shorts, jeans and sleeveless shirts are acceptable.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This Regent Choice tour has limited availability. Flexibility is required, as traffic conditions may affect the duration of stops. Small coaches are utilized for this tour, which is suited to guests who prefer less walking. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. This tour is not recommended for guests who are prone to motion sickness as the Amalfi Drive is a winding, cliffside road. Minibuses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot.

SRT-GL1 ALLEYS OF SORRENTO

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$130.00 GL

Date: May 06, 2022 09:00 AM

Stroll through the atmospheric alleyways in Sorrento's romantic old quarter, stopping every so often to admire the attractions and savor local treats. The experience will begin with an elevator ride to Villa Comunale, the largest park in Sorrento. Although lush and leafy, the clifftop park is known more for its spectacular views of the bay and Mt. Vesuvius than its natural beauty. Upon reaching the old quarter of Sorrento, the guide will point out some of the most historical landmarks while offering insight into the founding of Sorrento. You will then pause for a refreshing cup of gelato and walk down narrow Via San Cesareo, whose alleyways are lined with a collection of artisan workshops. The ambiance couldn't be more inviting as you join the local residents browsing for merchandise such as fine leather goods, embroidered clothes and lemon products. Following a coffee break in a traditional café, you will enjoy free time to explore further.

- Explore the maze of shop-lined alleyways in Sorrento's romantic old quarter.
- Take in the spectacular view of the bay and Mt. Vesuvius from a clifftop urban park.
- Mingle with the locals while enjoying coffee, gelato and shopping for artisan merchandise.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about 1½ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.



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SRT-013 PANORAMIC SORRENTO & THE ITALIAN RIVIERA**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$156.00****Date: May 06, 2022 09:15 AM**

Cherish the best of the Sorrentine Peninsula with a tour and free time in absorbing Sorrento, a visit to a wood-inlay workshop and a drive along the glorious coast. In seaside Sorrento, you'll discover an effervescent mix of Renaissance palazzi, Romanesque churches and charming pedestrian lanes. You're sure to appreciate the town's remarkable cliffside setting, which affords spectacular views of the Gulf of Naples. Attend a demonstration of intarsia, or wood inlay, a craft long associated with Sorrento, and applaud the resulting intricate, mosaic-like works of art, which are used to adorn furniture, wall panels and music boxes. Enjoy time on your own for additional shopping and exploration before embarking on a magnificent drive along the rugged coastline, which is dotted with olive groves and fragrant lemon and orange trees. With each twist and turn of the road, you'll exult in the superb vistas unfolding before you. In the Gulf of Salerno, discern three small rocky islands called Li Galli, which were thought to be where the Sirens of Homeric myth lived. Returning along the Sorrentine Peninsula, you'll pass through several hilltop villages and admire once ferocious and now serene Mount Vesuvius presiding over all.

- Behold breathtaking views of the Gulf of Naples from Sorrento's strategic cliff-top placement.
- Delight in a demonstration of intarsia, or wood inlay, a craft perfected by Sorrento's artisans.
- Enjoy time on your own to stroll and pick up souvenirs in the town's tempting shops.
- Travel by coach along the dramatic coastline, a luxuriant paradise sprinkled with olive, lemon and orange groves.
- Look out to sea and discover Li Galli, islets believed to be home to the Sirens that lured Odysseus.
- See imposing Mount Vesuvius rising from the horizon as you travel along the Sorrentine Peninsula.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a short walking tour of approximately 30 minutes, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Minibuses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot.

SRT-014 NAPLES BY JETFOIL AND CANTINE DEL VESUVIO**Duration: 7.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$143.00****Retail Price: CA\$339.00****Date: May 06, 2022 09:15 AM**

SPOTLIGHT ON WINE EXCLUSIVE Take the fast way across the Bay of Naples on a jetfoil and then enjoy a wine tasting at an estate known for its organic production methods. After departing from the pier in a sleek vessel known as a jetfoil, you will zip across the crescent-shaped Bay of Naples. You can expect a wonderfully scenic ride with views of Mount Vesuvius all the way to Naples. Here, you will begin an inspiring tour of key landmarks in Italy's third most populous city, which will likely include the lavish Royal Palace, the Umberto Gallery and the San Carlo Theater, a world-class opera house that has become a revered symbol of Naples. Later, from atop Posillipo Hill, you will be treated to a magnificent view of the still-active volcano and the sprawling metropolis below. Before long, you will arrive Cantine del Vesuvio, a family-owned winery known for its sulfite-free organic wines. While touring the estate, you will learn about the production methods and the various wines made here, which include Lacryma Christi. The dry white variety of this wine is made entirely with Caprettone grapes, while the full-bodied red is made entirely with Piediroso grapes. Chances are, you will sample this iconic Sicilian wine during lunch. Other possibilities include an extra-dry rosé with a wild strawberry bouquet and Cantine del Vesuvio's signature grappa. The estate also produces a sweet extra-virgin olive oil and a tart wine vinegar. Following the culinary experience, you will drive back to Sorrento rather than take the jetfoil. Please Note: This tour includes approximately 2 1/2 hours of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not available to wheelchair guests and those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Comfortable, flat walking shoes and a hat are recommended.

SRT-007 SCENIC RIVIERA AND TASTE OF SORRENTO**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 06, 2022 09:30 AM**

Survey the splendid landscapes and villages of the Sorrentine Peninsula and relax at a traditional farm, where you'll taste the bounty of the land. Beginning from Sorrento's cliffside setting, which affords fabulous views across the Gulf of Naples, you'll journey along a narrow road that winds along the side of rocky seaside cliffs and offers breathtaking views of the coastline. Marvel at jagged rocks rising from the sea and small boats in sheltered sandy coves that look like brightly colored toys from above. Passing the charming village of Sant'Agata sui Due Golfi, arrive at a local farm that commands a terrific view of the gulf. You'll discover that the farm produces oranges, lemons, olives and wine, all grown and created with equipment and methods dating back to the end of the 18th century. In this bucolic setting, you'll receive a light snack of bruschetta and mozzarella accompanied by a glass of wine or water. Back in Sorrento, you may choose to remain in town to explore or shop at A. Gargiulo & Jannuzzi, distinguished merchants specializing in local handicrafts, or continue exploring this wonderful seaside town.

- Travel through the beautiful coastal landscape of the Sorrentine Peninsula high above the sparkling sea.
- Look for picturesque rocky outcroppings emerging from the water and colorful boats bobbing on the waves.
- Admire far-reaching views of the Gulf of Naples from a local farm, where tried and true agricultural methods are employed.
- Savor a refreshing snack of bruschetta and mozzarella with a glass of wine or water.
- Remain in Sorrento after your tour to stroll or shop for traditional handicrafts, if you wish.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

There will be approximately 10 minutes of moderate walking at the farm, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. Minibuses will be used to transfer guests between the pier and the motor coach parking lot. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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❖ TAORMINA (SICILY), ITALY

TAM-004 TAORMINA AND MOUNT ETNA

Duration: 8.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$221.00

Retail Price: CA\$417.00



Date: May 07, 2022 08:00 AM

Capture a seemingly endless array of memorable pictures on this guided coach and walking tour of Taormina and Mount Etna. In Taormina, you'll stroll past the graceful Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century, and discover the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, realize that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and volcanic Mount Etna in the distance. After some free time in Corso Umberto, a lively street lined with appealing shops, you'll begin an exceptional climb by coach up Mount Etna's winding roadways. During your ascent, pass picturesque villages and streams of solidified lava cascading down from the mountain before stopping for an appetizing lunch at a local restaurant. You'll cap off your exploration at the Silvestri craters, which are found at 6,400 feet above sea level and offer stunning views of the shimmering Gulf of Catania and the surrounding fertile, volcanic landscape.

- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of Taormina's 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Ascend to the city's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Enjoy time on your own to shop and stroll along Taormina's bustling Corso Umberto.
- Relish a traditional Sicilian repast during lunch at a restaurant on Mount Etna.
- Stand in awe before the inactive Silvestri craters, dormant giants found over a mile above sea level.
- Delight in expansive views from both Taormina's Greco-Roman theater and Mount Etna's Silvestri craters.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing, long pants and sturdy, closed-toe walking shoes.
- Bring a jacket or sweater with a windproof outer layer for windy and cool temperatures on Mount Etna.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, uphill climbs and steps to negotiate. This tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

TAM-001 TAORMINA AND GRECO-ROMAN THEATER

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$182.00

Date: May 07, 2022 08:15 AM

Delve into dazzling Taormina on a guided walking tour with free time in this ancient seaside city. Relax during a brief drive to Taormina, a town graced with an extraordinary natural setting and an evocative medieval character. You'll marvel at the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city. Learn that the earlier Greek theater was rebuilt by the Romans in the 2nd century and is still in use today for summer performances. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, see that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and striking Mount Etna in the distance. Stroll past the bewitching Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate 15th-century building with Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences, and the remains of the Odeon, a small Roman-era theater. During free time in lively Corso Umberto, browse appealing shops or stop for coffee at the old Dominican monastery, now the deluxe San Domenico Palace Hotel, which is surrounded by gorgeous gardens filled with exotic foliage.

- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Take in 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from atop the theater.
- See the alluring façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja and the ruins of the Roman Odeon theater.
- Enjoy time on your own to shop on bustling Corso Umberto or visit the luxurious San Domenico Palace Hotel.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces, uphill climbs and steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

TAM-003 MOUNT ETNA AND OFF-ROAD ASCENT

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$248.00

Retail Price: CA\$444.00

Date: May 07, 2022 08:15 AM

Conquer Mount Etna via coach, cable car and 4x4 mini-bus on this epic adventure. After a brief drive through the quaint town of Naxos, settle in for a vista-filled ascent toward Etna's summit past charming mountain villages and through barren, rocky landscapes almost as remarkable as the volcano itself. From an altitude of almost 6,400 feet above sea level, you'll revel in seemingly endless panoramas of the shimmering Gulf of Catania and the surrounding fertile, volcanic landscape, today protected as the island's first national park. During your awe-inspiring visit, you'll see dormant craters and remnants of lava streams from the 2001 and 2002 eruptions. Board a cable car and journey to the base of the main craters, enjoying sweeping views of the eminent mountain as you ascend. You'll transfer to specially-outfitted 4x4 mini-buses that will convey you to formidable craters found at a height of over 9,500 feet above sea level. Accompanied by a professional alpine guide, explore the exhilarating volcanic phenomena up close, including a 20-minute walk to view the most recent lava flow. On this unforgettable tour, allow the unbridled, primal beauty of Mount Etna to stir your soul.

- Drive up a picturesque winding road that threads along the moon-like slopes of Mount Etna.
- Delight in glorious views of Mount Etna's fertile surroundings and the sparkling Gulf of Catania beyond.
- Stand in awe before inactive craters, dormant giants found over a mile above sea level.
- Study the vestiges of recent but now-hardened lava streams coating the volcano's sides.
- Climb closer to Mount Etna's two-mile summit by cable car and thrilling 4x4 mini-bus.
- Examine the newest craters and lava flows with the capable assistance of a professional alpine guide.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing, long pants and sturdy, closed-toe walking shoes.
- Bring a jacket or sweater with a windproof outer layer for windy and cool temperatures on Mount Etna.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Guests should note the altitude and walking involved when considering this tour. It is not available for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Your 4x4 vehicle will navigate over rocky and uneven terrain and is not recommended for pregnant women or guests with heart, back, or neck ailments. Due to uncooperative weather, certain portions of this tour may be cancelled with little or no prior notice, including the rides via cable car and 4x4 mini-bus.



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TAM-002 MOUNT ETNA**Duration: 4.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 07, 2022 08:30 AM**

Behold dormant craters and solidified lava flows on the slopes of 10,813-foot-tall Mount Etna, Europe's largest active volcano and one of Earth's most formidable natural wonders. After a brief drive through the quaint town of Naxos, settle in for a vista-filled ascent toward Etna's summit along circuitous roads past charming mountain villages and through barren, rocky landscapes almost as remarkable as the volcano itself. Learn that Etna has had a profound impact on the region through the ages, from the Greek's belief that it was the workshop of Hephaestus, god of fire, to the catastrophe of 1669, when several villages and part of the nearby city of Catania were subsumed by lava. From an altitude of almost 6,400 feet above sea level, you'll revel in seemingly endless panoramas of the shimmering Gulf of Catania and the surrounding fertile, volcanic landscape, today protected as the island's first national park. During your awe-inspiring visit, you'll see the dormant Silvestri craters and remnants of lava streams from the 2001 and 2002 eruptions. As you stand atop one of nature's most powerful agents of change, contemplate the indelible impact of Mount Etna's wrath on the civilizations of the Mediterranean.

- Drive up a picturesque winding road that threads along the moon-like slopes of Mount Etna.
- Delight in glorious views of Mount Etna's fertile surroundings and the sparkling Gulf of Catania beyond.
- Stand in awe before the inactive Silvestri craters, dormant giants found over a mile above sea level.
- Study the vestiges of recent but now-hardened lava streams coating the volcano's sides.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe walking shoes.
- Bring a jacket with a windproof outer layer for windy and cool temperatures on Mount Etna.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes very little walking, unless at the guest's discretion. There will be some uneven surfaces to negotiate.

TAM-019 TAORMINA & VIVERA WITH ETNA DOC WINES**Duration: 8.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$274.00****Retail Price: CA\$470.00****Date: May 07, 2022 08:30 AM**

Regent Seven Seas Cruises is proud to partner with Food & Wine Trails, America's foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. Food & Wine Trails tours are always kept intimate and visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region. Indulge in the wine and food of the Mount Etna region alongside a charming, local sommelier who will gladly share the island's passion for the treasures found in this corner of Italy. In Taormina, which perches on a rocky terrace high above the Ionian Sea, enjoy a guided walking tour past landmarks including the graceful 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja, the bustling Corso Umberto and the marvelous 3rd-century BC Greco-Roman theater. You'll appreciate time on your own to sit in an inviting café or further explore the town's palaces, squares, staircases and small side alleys. Learn from your sommelier-guide that the Mount Etna appellation is a surging wine region, with ample praise heaped on its vintages by Wine Spectator, Wine Enthusiast and Food & Wine magazines. You'll journey to the celebrated Vivera winery, a multi-generational family enterprise producing wines that are refined, spicy and mineral-driven with depth and complexity, which has earned them ratings of 90+ points from Wine Spectator and Wine Enthusiast. Savor a four-course Sicilian lunch paired with five Vivera wines followed by a tour of the estate, the surprisingly elegant flavors of this rugged landscape's bounty lingering on your tastebuds.

- See highlights of magical Taormina such as the remarkably maintained 3rd-century BC Greco-Roman theater.
- Relish time at your leisure to explore Taormina's warren of medieval streets.
- Gain essential knowledge about the Mount Etna wine-growing region from your friendly sommelier-guide.
- Discover the highly-rated Vivera winery at the base of Mount Etna.
- Revel in a four-course luncheon complemented by five of the estate's wines.
- Tour the estate and increase your appreciation for the Vivera family's outstanding vintages.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes over three hours of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steep inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Given it is a set meal that is served on this excursion, guests with any dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to tour. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

TAM-005 HIDDEN SICILY - IN THE FOOTSTEPS OF THE GODFATHER**Duration: 4.50 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 07, 2022 08:45 AM**

Follow in the steps of Francis Ford Coppola and his most enduring film, The Godfather, on this entertaining and enlightening tour to key settings from the movie and its sequels. You'll enjoy a pleasant drive through the resort town of Naxos and into the Sicilian countryside past beautiful villas, flowering gardens and charming villages. Arriving in attractive Savoca, you'll stop at the Chiesa dei Cappuccini to view macabre, mummified and fully dressed bodies of 18th- and 19th-century friars and noblemen. At the entrance of the village, find Bar Vitelli and its captivating collection of photographs taken during filming of The Godfather. Stroll along the winding main street, which is lined with quaint churches and the impressive ruins of an ancient Norman castle that offers marvelous panoramas of the Sicilian coastline and the Italian mainland. In charming Forza d'Agro, you'll overlook a Norman castle and a luminous stretch of coastline that extends northward toward Sicily's tip. Discover that Al Pacino and Sophia Coppola shot scenes here for The Godfather III and see the Cattedrale Maria Santissima Annunziata e Assunta, where Vito Andolini departs on a donkey under cover of night. You'll surely agree this tour is "an offer you can't refuse."

- Relive some of The Godfather movies' most unforgettable moments with visits to actual filming locations.
- Traverse the beguiling Sicilian countryside during your relaxing coach journey.
- Gaze at elaborately outfitted mummies of 18th- and 19th-century friars and noblemen in the town of Savoca.
- Hear the echoes of Michael Corleone's words in Bar Vitelli, which has barely changed through the decades.
- Exult in exceptional views of the lovely Sicilian coast and Italy's mainland from the villages on your tour.
- Admire Forza d'Agro's delicate Cattedrale Maria Santissima Annunziata e Assunta, seen in The Godfather II.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue; shoulders and knees must be covered.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be some uneven surfaces and a moderate uphill climb to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. Some churches may be closed for private religious functions without previous notice and, on those occasions, visits will be exterior only.



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TAM-007 TAORMINA AND LUNCH IN A PRIVATE VILLA

Duration: 7.25 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$313.00 Retail Price: CA\$509.00



Date: May 07, 2022 08:45 AM

Experience Sicily on this guided walking tour with free time in sensational Taormina and lunch in a superb villa featured in The Godfather film. In Taormina, stroll past the graceful Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century, and see the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, realize that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and volcanic Mount Etna in the distance. After some free time in Corso Umberto, a lively street lined with appealing shops, you'll drive to Castello degli Schiavi, a bewitching private villa dating to 1544 and extensively restored in the 1750s. Adding to the villa's allure, you'll learn it was used as the site of Michael Corleone's wedding in The Godfather. After meeting your friendly hosts in the garden, enjoy cocktails and lunch while musicians play. If you wish, tour the inside of the outstanding home, which is decorated in traditional Sicilian style, showcasing family portraits and antique furniture.

- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of Taormina's 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Marvel at 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from the theater.
- Enjoy time at your leisure to shop for handicrafts along bustling Corso Umberto.
- Savor cocktails and lunch as musicians play at the splendid Castello degli Schiavi, a 16th-century villa.
- Wander the grounds and interior of the villa, where Michael Corleone's wedding in The Godfather was filmed.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, uphill climbs and steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

TAM-001SG TAORMINA AND GRECO-ROMAN THEATER - SMALL GRO

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$65.00 Retail Price: CA\$248.00

Date: May 07, 2022 09:00 AM

Enhance your shoreside experience with a Regent Choice small group tour. Hosting no more than 16 guests, these tours provide a more intimate experience and allow for more personal engagement with your knowledgeable guide. Delve into dazzling Taormina on a guided walking tour with free time in this ancient seaside city. Relax during a brief drive to Taormina, a town graced with an extraordinary natural setting and an evocative medieval character. You'll marvel at the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city. Learn that the earlier Greek theater was rebuilt by the Romans in the 2nd century and is still in use today for summer performances. While roaming the fascinating remains of the auditorium, see that its placement on the slope of a steep promontory offers what some consider one of the best views in all of Italy, a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and striking Mount Etna in the distance. Stroll past the bewitching Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate 15th-century building with Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences, and the remains of the Odeon, a small Roman-era theater. During free time in lively Corso Umberto, browse appealing shops or stop for coffee at the old Dominican monastery, now the deluxe San Domenico Palace Hotel, which is surrounded by gorgeous gardens filled with exotic foliage.

- Ascend to Taormina's astonishing Greco-Roman theater, which is still in use today.
- Take in 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from atop the theater.
- See the alluring façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja and the ruins of the Roman Odeon theater.
- Enjoy time on your own to shop on bustling Corso Umberto or visit the luxurious San Domenico Palace Hotel.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces, uphill climbs and steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.

TAM-006 SICILIAN WINE ROADS

Duration: 4.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 07, 2022 09:00 AM

Relish Sicily's historic winemaking traditions on this visit to a celebrated estate hugging the base of Mount Etna. You'll learn that after Tuscany and Piedmont, Sicily is Italy's third most sought-after food and wine destination, likely due to the distinct flavors imparted on the earth's bounty by the volcanic soil from Mount Etna, the smoldering volcano rising nearly 11,000 feet above the sea. After a brief drive through the resort town of Naxos, journey through the scenic Sicilian countryside to the splendid Cottanera Estate, a renowned winery whose lands stretch up the northern foothills of Mount Etna to an altitude of about 2,300 feet above sea level. After touring the vineyard and cellars, savor a tasting of the estate's wines, which may include reds crafted with autochthonous nerello Mascalese or cappuccio grapes and whites from the inzolia and carricante varietals, all accompanied by local delicacies. Raise a glass to Cottanera's skillful vintners and applaud the surprisingly sumptuous gifts of these lava-scarred lands.

- Relax during a picturesque drive through the landscapes of Sicily to the northern edge of Mount Etna.
- Visit the esteemed Cottanera Estate, which specializes in the coveted grapes that thrive in volcanic soil.
- Roam the vineyard and cellars during a tour of the handsome estate.
- Try local varietals such as a red nerello Mascalese or a white inzolia paired with delectable local bites.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour involves uneven surfaces and steep steps to negotiate. There is no wheelchair access to the wine cellar, so this tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. If guests would like to purchase wine, bring euros, as there are no ATM machines. Travel time between Naxos and the Cottanera Estate is approximately 75 minutes each way by coach. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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TAM-015 VIAGRANDE AND BENANTI WINERY

Duration: 4.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$156.00 Retail Price: CA\$352.00

Date: May 07, 2022 09:15 AM

SPOTLIGHT ON WINE EXCLUSIVE Visit an esteemed winery on the fertile slopes of Mt. Etna for a tasting of characteristic Sicilian wines, thoughtfully paired with local delicacies. After departing from the pier, you will enjoy a leisurely drive through the village of Naxos, which the Greeks founded in the 8th century, and on to the village of Viagrande. Here, in the shadow of Mt. Etna, you will visit Benanti, an award-winning winery that takes full advantage of the rich volcanic soil left in the wake of Mt. Etna's eruptions. Following an enlightening tour of the vineyard, where you may learn the characteristics of indigenous Sicilian vines such as Carricante, you will settle into the atmospheric wine cellar. Benanti produces a variety of premier wines, and the exact selection for your tasting will be chosen when you arrive. You may sample a ruby-red Etna Rosso with hints of ripe fruit or a full-bodied Lamoremio, a red blend with nuances of plums and spices. Benanti's aromatic Pietramarina is another possibility. Made entirely with Carricante grapes, the wine is dry, fruity and imparts a lovely aftertaste of anise and almond. Benanti also produces an outstanding extra-virgin olive oil that will be used on some of the food pairings that will be served with the wines. You can expect to sample local cheese, sun-dried and fresh tomatoes, salami and various olives, all of which will leave you with a great appreciation of Sicilian cuisine. Please Note: This tour includes some steps to be negotiated to enter the Wine tasting room; also there will be some uneven ground during the visit to the Vineyards. The tour is not suitable for wheelchair guests. Weather appropriate clothing; sun cap; sunglasses; and flat, comfortable walking shoes are recommended.

TAM-013 WINE TASTING AT VILLA SAN MICHELE

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 07, 2022 09:30 AM

Taste Sicily's world-renowned wines at the acclaimed Tenuta San Michele winery, which nestles on the fertile lands at the base of Mount Etna. You'll appreciate a scenic journey through the verdant farmlands and vineyards of eastern Sicily to Tenuta San Michele, a distinguished winery that takes full advantage of the region's ideal micro-climate of cold winters, temperate summers and abundant rain. You'll learn that the quality of the region's grapes is further enhanced by the lava soil, which is rich in potassium and mineral salts. Once at the estate, cherish wonderful panoramas of the surrounding landscape afforded by the high elevation. Discover that the estate sprawls over 62 acres distributed across large terraces, on which unique Etna varietals are grown, including nerello Mascalese, nerello capuccio, carricante and catarratto. Join your friendly hosts for a tasting of the estate's best vintages, enhanced by informative descriptions of the day's selections. Sip on these opulent and unexpected rewards of Mount Etna's eruptions and toast your buona fortuna.

- Wend your way along the base of Mount Etna through landscapes rich with farms and vineyards.
- Discover Tenuta San Michele, a notable winery established at Mount Etna's base.
- Understand the mineral-rich volcanic soil and local micro-climate's impact on the grapes grown at the estate.
- Gaze over the dazzling expanse of Sicily's eastern coast from the winery's elevated location.
- Try several premium wines while discovering how each was carefully nurtured.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. A quarter mile of walking to reach San Michele Estate from the coach - some steps to be negotiated inside the Wine Estate and uneven ground to visit the vineyard. Participants must be at least 18 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.

TAM-GL1 GRANITA & STREETS OF TAORMINA

Duration: 4.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$195.00 GL

Date: May 07, 2022 09:30 AM

Enjoy a leisurely exploration of Taormina beginning with the boutique-lined boulevard Corso Umberto. As you walk along, you will see designer fashions in the upscale shops and most likely spot ceramic pine cones, a Sicilian symbol of hospitality. Your destination will be Caffè Wunderbar, a family-owned restaurant where you will enjoy a snack of granita and brioche. Granita is a semi-frozen dessert that was made with snow from Mt. Etna in medieval times. Today, the creamy sugary concoction comes in a variety of flavors, including almond, mulberry and lemon. The classic complement to granita is brioche, a sweet bread somewhat similar to a croissant but shaped like small roll. You will encounter other classic Sicilian treats at an open-air market nearby, where you will browse the stalls with the local residents. Afterwards, you will stroll through the leafy Public Gardens. Be sure to notice the English style, as the garden was designed by English conservationist Florence Trevelyan.

- Stop at a popular café to enjoy granita and brioche, two complementary Sicilian snacks.
- Browse the stalls of a market and see ingredients commonly used in Sicilian cuisine.
- Stroll an English-style garden that is one of Taormina's most popular gathering places.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about three hours of walking and standing with some uneven surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.



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TAM-GL2 PICNIC IN A FAMILY FARM

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$182.00

Retail Price: CA\$378.00



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Take the train south and dine on classic Sicilian cuisine at a family-owned farm, a thoroughly relaxing experience that will epitomize country life. The train ride to Giarre-Riposto will offer a genuine look into daily life in Sicily, as you will ride among the local commuters and villagers. You will then delve further into Sicilian life by browsing a bustling market, where you might see prepared specialties such as chickpea polenta. Many of the market offerings are grown at farms such as the one you will visit. As an introduction to the rural lifestyle, you will walk through the farm's groves among citrus trees that flourish in the volcanic soil. You will be offered just-picked fruits to sample and their tastes may be quite different than the citrus from your grocery store. A hearty lunch of farm-fresh dishes follows. Many of the ingredients will be grilled to make them even more flavorful and representative of Sicilian country cuisine.

- Enjoy an eye-opening train ride with the locals to the village of Giarre-Riposto.
- Browse a market with stalls full of seafood and locally grown Sicilian produce.
- Gain an understanding of rural life by touring a farm and dining on traditional dishes.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about 2½ hours of walking and standing with some uneven surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

TAM-008 EXPLORE TAORMINA ON YOUR OWN

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$65.00



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Glory in the exquisite city of Taormina with ample time on your own to do as you wish, returning to the ship only when ready by means of a shuttle operating at convenient intervals. Relax during a brief drive to Taormina, a town graced with an extraordinary natural setting and an evocative medieval character. You might stroll to the bewitching Palazzo Corvaja, a beautifully ornate building whose construction began in the 15th century and which bears Arabic, Norman and Gothic influences. Wander to the Greco-Roman theater, an architectural treasure that dates back to the 3rd century BC, a reminder of how long Taormina has been a vibrant city and a superlative spot from which to take in a breathtaking panorama of Taormina, the glittering Mediterranean and striking Mount Etna in the distance. Perhaps meander through the aromatic Public Garden and stop for coffee at the old Dominican monastery, now the deluxe San Domenico Palace Hotel. Shop along Corso Umberto, the town's main commercial street, and delight in its quaint jumble of elegant homes and picture-perfect churches, a reminder that for centuries Taormina has fascinated poets and artists much as it will inspire you today.

- Embrace time at your leisure in classic Taormina to explore and shop to your heart's content.
- See wonderful medieval embellishments on the façade of the 15th-century Palazzo Corvaja.
- Marvel at 360-degree views of Taormina, Mount Etna and the azure sea from the Greco-Roman theater.
- Immerse yourself in the exotic Public Garden or sip a coffee at the luxurious San Domenico Palace Hotel.
- Shop alongside the stately homes and delightful churches of bustling Corso Umberto.
- Conclude your visit only when you are ready by availing yourself of a shuttle that operates throughout the day.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Walking on this tour is at the guest's discretion. There are some uneven and cobblestone surfaces found within the town. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Shuttles are available on a first-come, first-served basis and alternate means of transportation such as local taxis are available if you do not wish to wait for the shuttle.

TAM-014 DISCOVER MT. ETNA & THE VINEYARDS OF SAN MICHELE I

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$182.00

Retail Price: CA\$378.00



Date: May 07, 2022 09:45 AM

Experience the best of the Mount Etna region with a visit to the soaring volcano, a tasting at an illustrious winery and a traditional Sicilian lunch. Enjoy an arresting drive to Europe's largest active volcano, Mount Etna, where you'll ascend to an altitude of more than 6,000 feet above sea level and discern numerous remnants of lava streams from previous eruptions coating the volcano's slopes. From your fabulous perch, revel in seemingly endless vistas of the the surrounding fertile, volcanic landscape and the shimmering sea beyond. Relax during an approximately 30-minute descent by mini-bus to Tenuta San Michele, a distinguished winery that takes full advantage of the region's ideal micro-climate of cold winters, temperate summers and abundant rain. You'll learn the quality of the region's grapes is further enhanced by the lava soil, which is rich in potassium and mineral salts. Join your friendly hosts for a tasting of the estate's best vintages enhanced by informative descriptions of the day's selections. Sit for a satisfying typical Sicilian lunch accompanied by local wines and return to the port town of Giardini Naxos, concluding your remarkable survey of the region with a brief overview of this popular beachfront resort area.

- Drive up Mount Etna and see the remains of lava streams from eruptions long past.
- Delight in glorious views of Mount Etna's fertile surroundings and the sparkling sea in the distance.
- Discover Tenuta San Michele, a notable winery established at the base of Mount Etna.
- Try several premium wines while learning how each was carefully nurtured.
- Feast on a lunch of traditional Sicilian specialties and regional wines.
- Enjoy a brief overview of Giardini Naxos, a resort town hugging a protected bay.
- Wear warm, layered, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, closed-toe or sports shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking and guests will ascend to an altitude over 6,000 feet. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. This excursion may be operated by coach or mini-bus, but if coaches are used, there will be an uphill walk of approximately 220 yards to reach San Michele Estate. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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❖ ARGOSTOLI (CEPHALONIA), GREECE

ARM-001 MELISSANI & DROGARATI CAVE

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$182.00

Date: May 08, 2022 10:30 AM, 02:15 PM

Explore the natural subterranean attractions of Cephalonia on this intriguing guided tour to stunning Drogarati Cave and beguiling Melissani Lake. Arrive at Drogarati Cave, featuring dramatically lit curtains of jagged stalactites and protruding stalagmites in myriad reds, oranges, whites and yellows, due to iron in the rock and layers of chalk and limestone. You'll learn that though the cave was more than 100 million years in the making, it was only discovered 300 years ago as a result of a calamitous earthquake. Experience near-perfect acoustics in the voluminous Chamber of Exaltation, site of numerous concerts, including an appearance by opera luminary Maria Callas. Passing through the town of Sami in the bright Mediterranean sun, you'll once again head below ground to explore the exotic beauty of Melissani Lake, an arresting subterranean phenomenon. Board a small boat and glide effortlessly through the mix of Ionian Sea saltwater and fresh water. Thrill to the shafts of light beaming onto the lake from 100 feet above and 20,000-year-old stalactites dangling from the ceiling. Emerging again into the sunlight, appreciate extraordinary views across the strait to the Isle of Ithaca and the sheer white cliffs of Myrtos as you contemplate the subterranean wonders of the day.

- Explore dramatic Drogarati Cave with its riotous coloration and impressive rock formations.
- Experience the cavernous Chamber of Exaltations' near-perfect acoustics.
- Skim across subterranean Melissani Lake beneath stalactites and through ethereal beams of light.
- Wear casual activity-appropriate clothing, a hat and comfortable non-slip walking shoes.
- Take a sweater or light jacket, as it is cooler in the caves.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking. Surfaces inside the caves are natural, uneven and can be slippery. There is also a flight of steps to negotiate. Participants must be able to enter and exit the small boats at the lake with limited assistance. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns.

ARM-001SG MELISSANI & DROGARATI CAVE - SMALL GROUP

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$65.00

Retail Price: CA\$248.00

Date: May 08, 2022 10:30 AM

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ARM-002 MELISSANI, MEZE & OUZO

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$234.00

Date: May 08, 2022 10:45 AM

Glide across an underground lake and savor traditional Greek meze at a waterfront restaurant on this captivating tour. Enjoy a scenic coach ride through Cephalonia, known for its unusual geological features, and discover the exotic beauty of Melissani Lake, an arresting underground phenomenon. Board a small boat and skim effortlessly through the brackish mix of Ionian Sea saltwater and fresh water from Argostoli's springs, rivers and ponds. View shafts of light beaming from 100 feet above and 20,000-year-old stalactites dangling from the ceiling. Lose yourself in the captivating and eerie echoes caused by the steep walls and the light's mesmerizing, otherworldly glow. Learn that the lake, also known as the Cave of Nymphs, was named for Melissanthi, a nymph from Greek mythology who drowned herself because the god Pan didn't reciprocate her love. Once again above ground in the warming Mediterranean sunlight, you'll venture to a delightful waterfront restaurant to indulge in traditional meze, a selection of small dishes that might include calamari, cheese pie and meatballs. Sip ouzo, the classic licorice-flavored Greek liqueur, served straight or mixed with water, while you reflect on the charm of this magical place.

- Float on subterranean Melissani Lake beneath stalactites and through glowing beams of light.
- Learn about the nymph Melissanthi, who drowned herself for an unrequited love.
- Sip ouzo and dine on a delicious variety of meze in a charming waterfront café.
- Wear casual activity-appropriate clothing, a hat and comfortable non-slip walking shoes.
- Take a sweater or light jacket, as it is cooler in the caves.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking. Surfaces inside the caves are natural, uneven and can be slippery. Participants must be able to enter and exit the small boats at the lake with limited assistance. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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ARM-002SG MELISSANI, MEZE & OUZO - SMALL GROUP**Duration: 4.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$65.00****Retail Price: CA\$261.00****Date: May 08, 2022 10:45 AM**

Enhance your shoreside experience with a Regent Choice small group tour. Hosting no more than 16 guests, these tours provide a more intimate experience and allow for more personal engagement with your knowledgeable guide. Glide across an underground lake and savor traditional Greek meze at a waterfront restaurant on this captivating tour. Enjoy a scenic coach ride through Cephalonia, known for its unusual geological features, and discover the exotic beauty of Melissani Lake, an arresting underground phenomenon. Board a small boat and skim effortlessly through the brackish mix of Ionian Sea saltwater and fresh water from Argostoli's springs, rivers and ponds. View shafts of light beaming from 100 feet above and 20,000-year-old stalactites dangling from the ceiling. Lose yourself in the captivating and eerie echoes caused by the steep walls and the light's mesmerizing, otherworldly glow. Learn that the lake, also known as the Cave of Nymphs, was named for Melissanthi, a nymph from Greek mythology who drowned herself because the god Pan didn't reciprocate her love. Once again above ground in the warming Mediterranean sunlight, you'll venture to a delightful waterfront restaurant to indulge in traditional meze, a selection of small dishes that might include calamari, cheese pie and meatballs. Sip ouzo, the classic licorice-flavored Greek liqueur, served straight or mixed with water, while you reflect on the charm of this magical place.

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This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking. Surfaces inside the caves are natural, uneven and can be slippery. Participants must be able to enter and exit the small boats at the lake with limited assistance. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

ARM-003 ST. ANDREW'S MONASTERY & ROBOLA WINERY**Duration: 3.75 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$156.00****Date: May 08, 2022 10:45 AM**

Discover how Argostoli has flourished since a 1953 earthquake by visiting a monastery largely spared from the devastation, an esteemed winery and a rebuilt village, on this coach and walking tour. View the 16th-century Monastery of St. Andrew and study the ancient frescoes uncovered by the earthquake's damage to the building's walls and ceilings, now considered the island's greatest artistic treasures. Learn the story behind a bizarre relic believed to be the sole of St. Andrew's right foot. Tour nearby Robola Winery, whose popular vintages, such as the iconic white robola, a delicate melampus and a dry, ruby-colored linos, are created with grapes dating back to the time of Homer and get their unique taste from the mild climate and limestone-rich soil. You'll visit largely rebuilt Kourkoumelata village, financed by a local shipping-magnate's family but retaining its rural charm. Notice newer homes, updated government buildings and the striking cultural center. Relish free time to stroll about and admire the sweeping views of the sea in this revived and vibrant town.

- Examine ancient frescoes at 16th-century Monastery of St. Andrew, uncovered by an earthquake.
- Marvel at an unusual relic that is purportedly the sole of St. Andrew's right foot.
- Visit Robola Winery and understand the influence of the mild climate and limestone soil on the grapes.
- Explore rebuilt Kourkoumelata village during free time and appreciate its rural, reinvigorated charm.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a religious venue.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for guests with mobility concerns

ARM-004 CEPHALONIA HIGHLIGHTS**Duration: 7.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 08, 2022 11:00 AM**

Revel in panoramic island vistas through olive groves, vineyards and thick cypress glades and experience magnificent natural wonders on this fascinating coach tour. Ascend Mt. Ainos and pass the city of Sami, where Captain Corelli's Mandolin was filmed. Discover the exotic beauty of Melissani Lake, an arresting underground phenomenon, where you'll board a small boat and skim effortlessly through the brackish mix of Ionian Sea saltwater and fresh water from Argostoli's springs, rivers and ponds. View shafts of light beaming from 100 feet above and 20,000-year-old stalactites dangling from the ceiling. Lose yourself in the captivating and eerie echoes caused by the cavern's steep walls and the light's otherworldly glow. Capture photos at Myrtos Beach, nestled at the foot of steep limestone cliffs and consistently voted one of Greece's top ten beaches. Enjoy free time in Fiskardo village, considered the most picturesque village on the island and the only place untouched by the 1953 earthquake. Stroll past the waterfront tavernas, cafés and shops to immerse yourself in the island's picture-perfect appeal.

- Ascend Mt. Ainos and pass Sami, setting of the 2001 film, Captain Corelli's Mandolin.
- Float beneath stalactites and through glowing beams of light on subterranean Melissani Lake.
- Appreciate picturesque Myrtos Beach, one of Greece's top ten beaches.
- Wander among shops, waterfront tavernas and cafés during free time in quaint Fiskardo village.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking during free time. There will be natural, uneven surfaces to negotiate and they may be slippery. Participants must be able to enter and exit the small boats at Melissani Lake with limited assistance. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability.



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ARM-004SG CEPHALONIA HIGHLIGHTS - SMALL GROUP

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- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of moderate walking, plus any additional walking during free time. There will be natural, uneven surfaces to negotiate and they may be slippery. Participants must be able to enter and exit the small boats at Melissani Lake with limited assistance. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and may not be suitable for guests with mobility concerns, who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability.

❖ CHANIA (CRETE), GREECE

CAA-011 KNOSSOS AND AROLITHOS

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$117.00

Retail Price: CA\$313.00



Date: May 09, 2022 10:30 AM

Discover the ancient history and rich traditions of Crete on this coach and walking tour of the excavated palace of the mythological King Minos and the village of Arolithos. After a relaxing drive to Knossos, once the capital of ancient Minoan Crete, arrive at the seat of power of the legendary King Minos. You'll learn that this area, a UNESCO World Heritage site, was first inhabited in the 7th millennium BC. View the excavations led by British archaeologist Sir Arthur Evans from 1900 to 1931 and see royal quarters, shrines, banquet halls and other preserved monuments reflecting the glory of the Minoan civilization. Explore a modern re-creation of a traditional Cretan village in Arolithos, founded in 1988 but appearing centuries older. Watch Cretan artisans, such as weavers and potters, crafting wonderful handicrafts along cobbled walkways, lending the hamlet an air of authenticity. In Arolithos's intriguing cultural museum, you'll examine art objects from throughout Crete. Cap your tour with a traditional Cretan lunch, accompanied by a spirited folkloric show, and time for shopping in this charming village.

- Visit the painstakingly excavated palace of legendary King Minos, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Inspect royal quarters and banquet halls amidst the archaeological excavations led by Sir Arthur Evans in the early 20th century.
- Wander the charming cobbled walkways of Arolithos, a re-created ancient Cretan village.
- Observe potters, ironsmiths and weavers crafting extraordinary handiwork.
- Study antique objects from across Crete in Arolithos' alluring cultural museum.
- Relish a traditional Cretan lunch and joyous folkloric show before shopping for that perfect memento.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may make arrangements with the guide to not participate in some walking portions of the tour. The tour includes approximately 3 ¾ hours of travel time by coach.

CAA-013 CHANIA WALKING TOUR

Duration: 3.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$104.00

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Stroll through Chania's irresistible Old Town, immersing yourself in Crete's history and browsing the shops around the harbor. After a brief drive, you'll arrive at Crete's former capital of Chania, and enter its Old Town, which thrived around a Venetian port. Because many civilizations have conquered and occupied Crete over the centuries, you'll observe myriad architectural styles among the Venetian buildings, Turkish fountains, churches, mosques and synagogues in the Jewish Quarter. Explore Market Hall, a shopping venue containing elaborate stalls overflowing with an abundance of merchandise that was built in 1913 in the shape of a cross to celebrate Crete's reunification with Greece. You'll end the guided portion of your tour in the harbor area and enjoy ample time to browse the galleries, tavernas and shops, where you may watch tradesmen at work. Perhaps you'll opt for a fresh seafood dish and a glass of Cretan wine while enjoying a view of the Arabian lighthouse at the harbor entrance. No matter how you choose to bring your day to a close, you're sure to have fond memories of charming Chania.

- Discover Chania's captivating Old Town, built around a Venetian harbor.
- Appreciate the city's varied architecture due to its occupation by many civilizations.
- See cross-shaped Market Hall, a shopper's paradise brimming with colorful stalls and diverse merchandise.
- Revel in free time in the harbor to shop, enjoy a Cretan seafood meal or explore delightful galleries.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

This tour includes approximately 90 minutes of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns.

CAA-015 BEST OF CHANIA: LAND AND SEA

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Date: May 09, 2022 10:30 AM, 10:30 AM

Explore Chania from several different perspectives by walking through its most historical district and then cruising around the harbor and on to a nearby island. Once the capital of Crete, Chania was originally constructed around a Venetian port in what is now the Old Town. While meandering through the charming labyrinth of streets, you can expect to see elegant Venetian buildings, Turkish fountains, Jewish quarters, Christian churches, mosques and synagogues. The diversity is remarkable, which makes Chania all the more intriguing to explore. You will be treated to yet another view of the city while cruising toward Lazaretta, an uninhabited island that was a leper colony in the 17th century. Feel free to take a refreshing swim, snorkel in the crystal-clear waters and stretch out on the small but inviting beach. Back in Old Town, you will have time to browse the abundant shops for merchandise as varied as handbags, herbs and sponges.

- Walk through Chania's irresistible Old Town while admiring the architecture and shopping.
- See Chania from a delightful water perspective while cruising the harbor.
- Relax, swim and snorkel on Lazaretta, an uninhabited island not far offshore.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour requires a moderate amount of activity and participants should be in good physical condition and be able to swim. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests or guests with mobility concerns. Flat, comfortable walking shoes or aqua socks; swim suits; towel; a change of clothing; sun caps; sunglasses and sunscreen are suggested. Snorkel gear (snorkel, mask & fins) are provided. Tour participants taking part in any water activities do so at their own risk and responsibility and will be required to sign a release form before being allowed to take part in any snorkeling activities.



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Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$143.00

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Immerse yourself in Cretan history by touring a 16th-century monastery and neighboring Rethymno, a town of Venetian origin. You'll explore Renaissance-style Arkadi Monastery, a honey-colored stone structure built in 1587 that has long been a pilgrimage site and symbol of resistance after being assailed by Turkish troops in 1866. See relics from that conflict proudly displayed in the monastery's small museum, including weapons and military banners, and examine religious artifacts such as a 17th-century vestment embroidered in gold that depicts Christ and His 12 disciples. Explore the nearby 16th-century city of Rethymno and appreciate the captivating Venetian-style harbor and abundance of restored historic buildings lining its narrow streets. On your guided walking tour, you might view stately Rimondi Fountain in Platanos Square, beautiful mosques and the fragrant municipal gardens. Discover imposing star-shaped Fortezza Castle, an imposing citadel perched at the edge of the city that juts out into the sea, originally built in 1590 to protect Rethymno from pirates and the Turks. You'll revel in free time to further embrace Rethymno's charm and enthralling history.

- Explore 16th-century Arkadi Monastery, a pilgrimage site that is a symbol of Cretan resistance.
- View compelling mementos of the monastery's role in a 19th-century military conflict.
- Appreciate the picturesque Venetian harbor and restored historic buildings of 16th-century Rethymno.
- Discover Rethymno's picture-perfect Remondi Fountain, mosques and fragrant gardens on a guided walking tour.
- Explore 16th-century Fortezza Castle, an imposing citadel built to protect the city from invasion.
- Relish time on your own for further exploration of captivating Rethymno.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.
- Dress appropriately for religious venues; in churches, shoulders and knees must be covered; in mosques, men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may arrange with the guide not to participate in some walking portions of the tour.

CAA-010SG ARKADI AND RETHYMNO - SMALL GROUP

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- Appreciate the picturesque Venetian harbor and restored historic buildings of 16th-century Rethymno.
- Discover Rethymno's picture-perfect Remondi Fountain, mosques and fragrant gardens on a guided walking tour.
- Explore 16th-century Fortezza Castle, an imposing citadel built to protect the city from invasion.
- Relish time on your own for further exploration of captivating Rethymno.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.
- Dress appropriately for religious venues; in churches, shoulders and knees must be covered; in mosques, men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may arrange with the guide not to participate in some walking portions of the tour.



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CAA-012 AGIA TRIADA MONASTERY, AKROTIRI & CHANIA**Duration: 4.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$117.00****Date: May 09, 2022 11:00 AM**

Delve into Crete's history by visiting a military cemetery, a magnificent monastery known for its olive oil and Chania's spectacular Old Town. You'll understand Crete's strategic role in World War II at a cemetery overlooking Souda Bay that holds the remains of over 1,500 British soldiers lost in the 1941 Battle of Crete. On the Akrotiri Peninsula, explore the meticulously maintained 17th-century Agia Triada Monastery, revered for its olive oil and wine varietals. Appreciate the magnificent view from the modest 1936 tomb of Eleftherios Venizelos, a charismatic political figure who fought for Cretan independence and was profoundly influential in the founding of modern Greece. Gain great insight into Chania's past on a walking tour of the city's Old Town, where you'll view restored Venetian villas, palazzos and a cathedral dedicated to the Virgin of the Three Martyrs, patron saint of Chania. Surrounded by the arresting aroma of exotic herbs, browse the town's bustling marketplace, perhaps to discover the perfect souvenir of this unforgettable place.

- Honor the 1,500 soldiers who perished in the 1941 Battle of Crete at a peaceful cemetery.
- Discover the 17th-century Agia Triada Monastery, which produces renowned olive oils and wines.
- Celebrate the sweeping view from the tomb of a key figure in Crete's quest for independence.
- Enjoy a walking tour of Chania's enchanting Old Town and its restored villas and palazzos.
- Shop at Chania's bustling agora amidst the intoxicating fragrance of locally grown herbs.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may arrange with the guide not to participate in some walking portions of the tour.

CAA-012SG AGIA TRIADA MONASTERY, AKROTIRI & CHANIA - SMAL**Duration: 4.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$65.00****Retail Price: CA\$234.00****Date: May 09, 2022 11:00 AM**

Enhance your shoreside experience with a Regent Choice small group tour. Hosting no more than 16 guests, these tours provide a more intimate experience and allow for more personal engagement with your knowledgeable guide. Delve into Crete's history by visiting a military cemetery, a magnificent monastery known for its olive oil and Chania's spectacular Old Town. You'll understand Crete's strategic role in World War II at a cemetery overlooking Souda Bay that holds the remains of over 1,500 British soldiers lost in the 1941 Battle of Crete. On the Akrotiri Peninsula, explore the meticulously maintained 17th-century Agia Triada Monastery, revered for its olive oil and wine varietals. Appreciate the magnificent view from the modest 1936 tomb of Eleftherios Venizelos, a charismatic political figure who fought for Cretan independence and was profoundly influential in the founding of modern Greece. Gain great insight into Chania's past on a walking tour of the city's Old Town, where you'll view restored Venetian villas, palazzos and a cathedral dedicated to the Virgin of the Three Martyrs, patron saint of Chania. Surrounded by the arresting aroma of exotic herbs, browse the town's bustling marketplace, perhaps to discover the perfect souvenir of this unforgettable place.

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- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina and may arrange with the guide not to participate in some walking portions of the tour.

CAA-014 RETHYMNON WINE TASTING & AGRECO FARM**Duration: 6.00 Hrs****Tour Price: CA\$169.00****Retail Price: CA\$365.00****Date: May 09, 2022 11:00 AM**

Appreciate the rich agricultural heritage of northwestern Crete by enjoying its characteristic wines and observing traditional farming practices. A leisurely walk through the medieval Old Town of Rethymnon will present an introductory glimpse into the past, as the architecture reflects Venetian and Turkish influences. An inspiring wine tasting will follow at the restaurant Avli, where you will likely sample wines made from local Vilana and indigenous Kotsifali grapes. A wine expert will explain how wine production in the rugged Cretan landscape has evolved since ancient times. Although the terrain can be challenging for growing crops, the ideal climatic conditions make up for it. As you will discover at Agreco Farm, traditional techniques are used to produce a dizzying array of organic fruits and vegetables. While meandering about the farm, you will see a traditional olive press, watermill, aviary and silkworm nursery. The livestock is only used for tasks such as clearing land and turning presses.

- Get a glimpse into medieval times while meandering through Rethymnon's Old Town.
- Sample a selection of Cretan wines, some of them made from indigenous grape varieties.
- Visit an organic farm that strictly employs traditional techniques.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes approximately 1 hours and 45 minutes of moderate walking/standing. Guests will need to manage some flat and uneven surfaces as well as 20 steps throughout the excursion. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns who are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of stamina and ability. Casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, flat walking shoes are suggested.



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❖ SANTORINI, GREECE

JTR-004 HIGHLIGHTS OF SANTORINI

Duration: 5.75 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 10, 2022 08:30 AM

Appreciate the many highlights of alluring Santorini, visiting a quaint village clinging to rugged cliffs, strolling through a traditional hamlet and savoring local specialties in an inviting taverna. Travel to Oia, a charming village built on the dramatically steep slope of a now-submerged caldera and view pastel-colored mansions and homes nestled into niches hewn into the volcanic rock. Stroll along Oia's narrow, cobbled streets during time on your own and admire the stunning views of the azure Aegean Sea. You'll ascend the rocky caldera wall to the early 18th-century walled Mount Profitis Ilias monastery, which rests on the island's highest peak, and rejoice in breathtaking views. In the nearby traditional village of Pyrgos, you'll see remains of a Venetian castle sitting atop a nearby hill and take a guided walking tour through labyrinthine lanes to a unique, circle-shaped taverna, where you'll enjoy local favorites and magnificent views of the island, the caldera's rim and the sea. Following your tour, return to Fira near the striking Orthodox Metropolitan Cathedral and choose to remain in town for sightseeing or shopping, if you wish.

- Journey to Santorini's northern shore and find enchanting Oia, once a wealthy fishing village.
- Delight in free time to wander along Oia's cobblestone lanes and past pastel-hued mansions.
- Discover the early 18th-century Mount Profitis Ilias Monastery, protected by fortress-like walls.
- Enjoy delicious mezes and postcard-ready views at a circular taverna in Pyrgos village.
- Remain in enchanting Fira to explore or shop after your tour, if you choose.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour involves strenuous walking. There will be a steep, uphill walk, uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. At the conclusion of the tour, guests have the option of descending to the port via cable car or staying in town and returning to the ship independently. There may be lines for the cable car during the busy summer season.

JTR-004SG HIGHLIGHTS OF SANTORINI - SMALL GROUP

Duration: 5.75 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$104.00

Retail Price: CA\$300.00

Date: May 10, 2022 08:30 AM

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- Remain in enchanting Fira to explore or shop after your tour, if you choose.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour involves strenuous walking. There will be a steep, uphill walk, uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. At the conclusion of the tour, guests have the option of descending to the port via cable car or staying in town and returning to the ship independently. There may be lines for the cable car during the busy summer season. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.



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JTR-006 SANTORINI'S BOUTARI WINERY, OIA & FIRA VISITS

Duration: 8.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$248.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$444.00



Date: May 10, 2022 08:30 AM

Regent Seven Seas Cruises is proud to partner with Food & Wine Trails, America's foremost culinary travel company, in the offering of this tour. Food & Wine Trails tours are always kept intimate and visit sites not typically offered by mainstream travel suppliers. Their tours are always led by a knowledgeable, English-speaking sommelier, wine or food expert, cooking instructor or chef, who enjoys introducing visitors to some of the best and most authentic food and wine of their region. Discover Santorini's bewitching beauty and exquisite vineyards and enjoy a tour and lunch at a winery owned by a family recognized as the "Mondavis of Greece" on this captivating tour. You'll explore Santorini with a local expert and tour guide, beginning your day in enchanting Oia, a quaint village once home to wealthy seafarers that is built on the dramatically steep slope of a now-submerged caldera formed in a volcanic eruption around 3,500 years ago. Appreciate tips from your sommelier guide for sites to explore or perhaps shop for handmade ceramics, paintings and semi-precious jewelry. Across the island, you'll find the pretty hamlet of Megalochori, home of the renowned Boutari Winery. Learn that its founder, Yiannis Boutari, is a Greek vintner whose influence on the country's wine industry has been compared by Wine Spectator to that of the late Robert Mondavi's imprint on Napa Valley. After a guided tour, you'll sample a selection of their award-winning wines and enjoy a sumptuous luncheon featuring local specialties. Back in Fira, relish free time to shop or relax with a coffee, gazing at stunning vistas and contemplating your magnificent day.

- Journey to Santorini's northern shore and explore enchanting Oia, once a wealthy fishing village.
- Receive knowledgeable suggestions from your sommelier guide for sightseeing or shopping in Oia.
- Visit the world-class Boutari Winery in the village of Megalochori.
- Learn about the significant impact Boutari's founder has on Greece's wine industry.
- Tour the estate before rejoicing in a selection of their award-winning vintages and a delectable lunch.
- Savor time on your own in Fira to sightsee, shop or revel in the breathtaking views.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, plus any walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. On occasion, due to last-minute operational issues at the wine estate, an alternate winery of similar quality and ranking may be substituted. The meal on this excursion is set, so guests with dietary restrictions should advise the Destination Services Desk a minimum of 48 hours prior to the tour.

JTR-009 QUINTESSENTIAL SANTORINI

Duration: 7.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$156.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$352.00



Date: May 10, 2022 08:30 AM

See how volcanic activity has altered the course of Santorini's history, shaped the landscape and left the soil abundantly fertile. The devastation of a volcanic eruption thousands of years ago will be evident in the village Akrotiri, the so-called Pompeii of the Bronze Age. Excavations have uncovered homes with colorful frescoes and streets lined with commercial buildings that reveal urban life in the Minoan period. Another historical perspective awaits you in the village of Pyrgos, where you will see a 13th-century Venetian castle. The vineyards surrounding neighboring Episkopi have taken advantage of Santorini's mineral-rich volcanic soil to produce extraordinary wines, a sampling of which you will enjoy as a prelude to a traditional Greek lunch. You may notice that the white wines have an appealing citrus aroma. Finally, you will visit cliff-top Oia, which offers spectacular views of an ancient caldera that a volcanic eruption left in its wake. It's a classic whitewashed village to ramble through during free time.

- Explore four villages, each with its own allure and historical significance.
- See the excavated ruins of Akrotiri that were once covered in volcanic ash.
- Sample a selection of wines made from grapes that flourish in Santorini's volcanic soil.
- Behold the beauty of Oia, a classic whitewashed village perched high above the sea.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

JTR-007 WINDMILLS & AMAZING AKROTIRI

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$156.00

Date: May 10, 2022 08:45 AM

Uncover ancient Santorini landmarks that reveal life on the island 3,500 years ago, when a volcanic eruption created a huge caldera in the island's center that filled with the Aegean Sea. You'll travel south to the picturesque windmill ruins that have become a Santorini icon and marvel at sweeping panoramic views of the sparkling Aegean Sea and beyond. Discover remains of the ancient village of Akrotiri, preserved in ash since a powerful volcanic eruption in the middle of the 2nd-millennium BC and systematically excavated since 1967. After a brief stroll through the contemporary sections of Akrotiri, delve into the primary archeological site to view the remains of commercial buildings that once lined the main street, prominent two-story homes with colorful frescoes and large earthen jars with traces of olive oil, fish and onion inside, all which offer a mesmerizing step back into urban life during the Minoan period. Following your exploration of Akrotiri, you'll return to Fira, where you may choose to remain in town for sightseeing or shopping, if you wish.

- Discover the captivating ruins of Santorini's oft-photographed windmills.
- View Akrotiri village's surviving remains from a devastating volcanic eruption.
- Marvel at excavations begun in 1967 that exposed ancient commercial buildings and two-story homes.
- Examine frescoes and earthenware jars that were preserved for millennia in volcanic ash.
- Remain in enchanting Fira to explore or shop, if you choose.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes two hours of significant walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be inclines and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and it may not be suitable for guests with mobility issues, who are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. At the conclusion of the tour, guests have the option of descending to the port via cable car or staying in town and returning to the ship independently. There may be lines for the cable car during the busy summer season.



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JTR-001 SANTORINI SHOPPING EXPERIENCE

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$143.00

Date: May 10, 2022 09:00 AM

Rejoice in sightseeing and shopping in the charming villages and shops of Santorini on this enjoyable tour. Settle in for a scenic coach ride to the island's northern tip and visit Oia, a quaint village once home to wealthy seafarers and built on the dramatically steep slope of a now-submerged caldera formed in a volcanic eruption around 3,500 years ago. View the town's aged, two-story mansions painted in refreshing pastel colors and homes nestled in niches hewn into the volcanic rock. During a walking tour through Oia's narrow, cobbled streets, discover myriad tiny shops that offer a varied and unusual collection of handmade ceramics, paintings and semi-precious jewelry. Perhaps you'll catch a glimpse of Nea Kameni, an active island volcano, and Fira, Santorini's capital, from one of the coffee shops at the cliff's edge. Following your visit to Oia, return to Fira near the striking Orthodox Metropolitan Cathedral and choose to remain in town for sightseeing or shopping, if you wish.

- Journey to Santorini's northern shore and explore enchanting Oia, once a wealthy fishing village.
- Delight in a guided walking tour of Oia along cobblestone lanes and past pastel-hued mansions.
- Browse inviting shops for handmade ceramic art, paintings and unique jewelry.
- View the active volcano Nea Kameni and the capital city of Fira from a cliffside café or shop.
- Remain in enchanting Fira to explore or shop after your tour, if you choose.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour includes many steps and cobblestone sidewalks. Lines may be encountered for the cable cars during the busy summer season.

JTR-003 VOLCANO, HOT SPRINGS AND WINERY VISIT

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$208.00

Date: May 10, 2022 09:00 AM

Peer into the crater of a still-active volcano, swim in warm thermal springs and tour a local winery on this adventurous tour. Board a caique, a traditional fishing boat, and sail to the lava rock islet of Nea Kameni, where you'll take an approximately 20-minute walk up an unpaved path among lava fragments and volcanic rock formations toward the crater of a still-active volcano. Perhaps you'll observe steam rising from the crater's walls and capture photos of the fascinating phenomenon. Re-board the caique for a short cruise to the thermal springs at the nearby island of Palea Kameni and enjoy a dip in the warm, sulfur-enriched waters. Back on the mainland, rejoin your coach and ascend the steep sides of the rocky caldera wall on your way to a popular local winery. You'll tour the cellars and participate in a tasting of three of their most celebrated wines, accompanied by barley rusks and local cheese. In captivating Fira, the island's capital built on the rim of the caldera wall, you'll appreciate free time to explore the town or simply soak up magnificent panoramic views of this stunning volcanic island and the cobalt Aegean Sea.

- Climb to the crater's rim of a still-active volcano on the islet of Nea Kameni.
- View lava fragments, volcanic rock formations and steam likely rising from the crater.
- Enjoy a refreshing swim in a warm thermal spring at Palea Kameni, a tiny island.
- Discover a popular local winery and sample three of their most well-known vintages.
- Savor time on your own in Fira to sightsee, shop or revel in the breathtaking views.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and closed-toe, rubber sole walking shoes.
- If you wish to swim, wear swimwear under a cover-up and bring a towel from the ship.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes challenging and strenuous walking. There will be uneven surfaces and steep hills to negotiate. Participants should be in good physical condition. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Guests who participate in any water activities do so at their own risk and responsibility. Due to the high sulfur content of the springs, bathing suits could become discolored. Cancellation due to weather conditions is at the discretion of the tour operator and the itinerary is subject to change without notice. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. Guests making wine purchases at the winery for shipment to their homes are advised that, due to Customs regulations, delivery can take up to three months.

JTR-005 OIA VILLAGE AND COOKING CLASS AT AEOLOS

Duration: 5.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$248.00

Retail Price: CA\$444.00



Date: May 10, 2022 09:30 AM

Experience the best of Santorini with a visit to the enchanting village of Oia followed by an immersion into delectable Greek cuisine, wine and ouzo during a cooking class at a local taverna. Enjoy a picturesque journey to enchanting Oia, a quaint village once home to wealthy seafarers that is built on the dramatically steep slope of a now-submerged caldera formed in a volcanic eruption around 3,500 years ago. Begin an approximately one-hour guided walking tour along Oia's narrow, cobbled streets and admire the pastel-colored mansions and cliffside Cycladic architecture for which Santorini is well-known. After a drive to ancient Akrotiri, you'll arrive at the popular Aeolos taverna, where you'll be greeted with a chilled glass of wine or ouzo. View a cooking demonstration of local Santorinian specialties and popular Greek dishes, showcasing local ingredients and the authentic techniques practiced by Aeolos' master chef. Following the class, savor a luncheon of your chef's delicious creations. You'll revel in time at your leisure in Fira to explore or shop, a joyous end to an unforgettable day.

- Journey to Santorini's northern shore and explore enchanting Oia, once a wealthy fishing village.
- Delight in a guided walking tour of Oia along cobblestone lanes and past pastel-hued mansions.
- Partake in a glass of chilled wine or ouzo at the charming Aeolos taverna.
- Participate in a cooking demonstration of popular Santorini specialties and Greek favorites.
- Enjoy a delectable lunch created by acclaimed Aeolos taverna's master chef.
- Savor time on your own in Fira to sightsee, shop or revel in the breathtaking views.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. There may be lines for the cable car during the busy summer season. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. This tour has limited participation.



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JTR-008 SANTORINI WINES AT VENETSANOS WINERY

Duration: 4.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$182.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$378.00

Date: May 10, 2022 09:30 AM

Visit three of the island's most exceptional wineries to sample their signature vintages, many of which will be thoughtfully paired with delectable local mezes. Take in marvelous views and captivating scenery before arriving at the family-owned Venetsanos Winery, which overlooks the spectacular submerged Santorini caldera. After a guided tour, you'll sample three premier wines in their cellar, which may include a dry white made from the island's flagship assyrtiko grape, a red with fruit aromas produced from mandilaria grapes and a full-bodied rosé. You'll learn that the volcanic composition of the island's soil, scant rainfall and strong winds contribute to the terroir that lends Santorini's wines their unique characteristics. At the Santo Winery, participate in a tasting while the vintner explains the kouloura method of hand pruning, in which the vines are shaped into a spiral close to the ground to protect them from strong winds. You'll delve even deeper into Santorini's wine-making heritage in the tasting room at Domaine Sigalas, where their vintages will be paired with local delicacies such as white eggplant, goat cheese and olives. Relish this glimpse into the widely acclaimed and luscious world of Santorini's wines.

- Journey to the family-owned Venetsanos Winery, which perches over Santorini's magnificent submerged caldera.
- Enjoy a tasting of three of Venetsanos' premier vintages following a guided tour.
- Learn the effect Santorini's terroir has on the distinctive character of the island's wines.
- Sample Santo Winery's selections and learn a unique pruning method that protects the vines from wind.
- Appreciate fine wines from Domaine Sigalas paired with local delicacies.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes mostly easy walking. There will be some uneven ground and some steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.

JTR-GL1 SANTORINI'S MUSICAL HERITAGE

Duration: 4.75 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$234.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$457.00 **GL**

Date: May 10, 2022 10:00 AM

Gain an understanding of how local craftsmen make traditional Greek musical instruments and take in the island's natural beauty. Pyrgos is known for its 13th-century Venetian castle, the classic Cycladic design of its homes and the panoramic views from its hilltop location. It will be an ideal setting to pause for a cup of coffee and a Greek sweet. Megalochori is equally picturesque, as you will discover while meandering the village's atmospheric cobbled streets lined with neoclassical houses. The intriguing Museum of Musical Instruments honors the history of the instruments that make Greek music so recognizable. You will learn how classic instruments such as the bouzouki and laouto are handmade and have the chance to play some of them. Afterwards, you will visit the family-owned Gavalas Winery, which has been producing traditional wines such as Katsano and Nykteri since the 19th century. There you will sample wines indicative of Santorini's terroir and snacks that pair perfectly with them.

- Pause for a snack and to revel in the village of Pyrgos' classic Cycladic setting.
- Discover how some of the most recognizable Greek musical instruments are hand-crafted.
- Sample a selection of traditional wines and local delicacies at a family-owned winery.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing with some cobblestone, uneven surfaces and inclines to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

JTR-WT1 YOGA & WINE TASTING OVERLOOKING CALDERA

Duration: 3.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$234.00 **Retail Price:** CA\$431.00

Date: May 10, 2022 11:00 AM

Reach for a heightened sense of peace during an outdoor yoga session at a hilltop winery and sample a selection of their premium vintages on this serenity-filled tour. After a short journey, arrive at the family-owned Venetsanos winery, which overlooks Santorini's spectacular underwater caldera. With this stunning backdrop, you'll exult in a yoga session, led by a practiced instructor, that is designed to achieve peace in both body and mind. Through controlled breathing and stretching, expect to feel a release of tension, an increased awareness and added flexibility as you gently move from pose to pose. Following your session, you'll sample several of Venetsanos' premier wines, which may include a dry white made from the island's flagship assyrtiko grape, a red with fruit aromas produced entirely from mandilaria grapes and a full-bodied rosé. You'll learn that the volcanic composition of the island's soil, scant rainfall and strong winds contribute to the terroir that lends Santorini's wines their unique characteristics. Following your tour, return to captivating Fira and choose to remain in town for sightseeing or shopping, if you wish.

- Journey to the family-owned Venetsanos Winery, which perches over Santorini's magnificent submerged caldera.
- Rejoice in a relaxing, meditative yoga session on an outdoor terrace at the winery.
- Enjoy a tasting of three of Venetsanos' premier vintages.
- Learn the effect Santorini's terroir has on the distinctive character of the island's wines.
- Remain in enchanting Fira to explore or shop, if you choose.
- Wear casual clothing that allows freedom of movement and comfortable trainers or walking shoes.

This tour includes approximately 20 steps. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Participants must be at least 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages.



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❖ ATHENS (PIRAEUS), GREECE

PIR-008 DELPHI

Duration: 9.75 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$156.00

Retail Price: CA\$352.00



Date: May 11, 2022 07:30 AM

Gaze at Delphi's Temple of Apollo, considered by ancient Greeks to be the physical and spiritual center of the earth. Following a scenic drive through the Greek countryside, arrive at Delphi, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Perched on the slopes of legendary Mount Parnassus, you'll find the ruins of the 15th-century BC Temple of Apollo. Learn that ancient Athenians believed unwaveringly that the Oracle of Delphi, also known as the Pythia, was a direct conduit for Apollo's cryptic, prophetic words. View the Castalian Spring, where a supplicant wishing for answers first purified himself, and the Sacred Way, once lined with statues and treasures. Farther up the hill, you'll find a well-preserved stadium and an expansive theater with excellent acoustics. Visit the Delphi Archeological Museum to see the Omphalos, a rounded stone indicating the navel of the world, and the stunning 5th-century BC bronze Charioteer, one of the best-known statues from Classical Greece. Journey to the picturesque village of Arachova, nestled at the foot of Mount Parnassus, and conclude your tour with a delicious luncheon of traditional Greek dishes.

- Visit iconic Delphi, a storied UNESCO World Heritage site on Mount Parnassus.
- Discover the Castalian Spring, where petitioners cleansed themselves before approaching the Oracle of Delphi.
- Admire the ruins of a theater renowned for its excellent acoustics.
- View Delphi's carefully preserved stadium, which once accommodated over 6,500 spectators.
- Explore the Delphi Archeological Museum and see treasures unearthed from the site's excavation.
- Relish a flavorful lunch of traditional Greek dishes in picture-perfect Arachova
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be a significant number of steps, as well as slippery and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.

PIR-002 THE BEST OF ATHENS AND CAPE SOUNION

Duration: 8.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$182.00

Retail Price: CA\$378.00



Date: May 11, 2022 07:45 AM

Blend ancient ruins with timeless panoramas on this captivating tour of Athens and striking Cape Sounion. You'll begin at the marble Panathenaic Stadium, where the first modern Olympic games were held in 1896 and played again in 2004, and pass the former Royal Palace, now the Parliament House, which stands proudly on Constitution Square. Notice the ceremonial Greek Presidential Guard, known as the Evzones, guarding the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Enter the famed Acropolis through the Propylaea, sacred gates guarding the sanctuary of Athena. Admire the magnificent 5th-century BC Parthenon, regarded as one of the world's most significant cultural monuments. Nearby, discover Erechtheion Temple's six lovely maidens delicately carved into columns supporting the Porch of the Caryatids and the exquisite 5th-century BC Temple of Athena Nike. Continuing toward the mountains, stop for a delicious lunch before traversing the scenic west coast of the Attica Peninsula. As you approach Cape Sounion, the southeasternmost tip of the European landmass, behold the remarkable Temple of Poseidon standing majestically on a jagged spur overlooking the deep blue Aegean Sea. Stand in awe of the temple's surviving Doric columns, a compelling inspiration to poets and writers throughout history.

- View Athens' Panathenaic Stadium, home of the 1896 and 2004 Olympic games.
- Admire the regal ceremonial Presidential Guard protecting the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
- Marvel at the breathtaking Parthenon, an enduring symbol of Ancient Greece.
- Find the six draped female figures supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at Erechtheion Temple.
- Enjoy a delectable lunch at a specially selected Attica restaurant.
- Feel inspired by the Temple of Poseidon's remaining Doric columns beside the Aegean Sea.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking/standing. There will be a considerable number of steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. It does not include a visit to the Museum of the Acropolis. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.

PIR-007 ANCIENT CORINTH & MYCENAE

Duration: 8.50 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$182.00

Retail Price: CA\$378.00



Date: May 11, 2022 07:45 AM

Journey to Greece's fascinating Argolis region, viewing the dramatic Corinth Canal, historic Corinth and the beguiling Mycenae ruins. From a 200-foot-high bridge, you'll behold the breathtaking Corinth Canal, a four-mile-long feat of engineering only 70 feet wide that features sheer sides rising to 170 feet. In age-old Corinth, discover remains of an intriguing meld of a 6th-century BC wealthy Greek city and a 44 BC thriving Roman metropolis. You'll view excavations such as a sacred spring with 5th-century BC lion-head spouts, a huge colonnaded marketplace, the seven remaining Doric columns of Apollo's Temple and the Lechaion Road, formerly a main harbor thoroughfare. Learn Saint Paul lived and preached to the Corinthians here for nearly two years and see the platform on which he stood trial. In Mycenae, delight in a traditional Greek lunch and explore the ancient city, a UNESCO World Heritage site. Learn that this once-opulent town was excavated by German archaeologist Heinrich Schliemann while on his quest to unearth Agamemnon's fabled tomb. Appreciate the results of his meticulous work at the extraordinary Lion Gate and the striking Beehive Tomb, so named for its uncommon domed shape, an intriguing testament of Greece's vibrant ancient past.

- Take in the breathtaking Corinth Canal, which connects the Aegean and Ionian Seas.
- Explore ancient Corinth, a fascinating site showcasing both Roman and Greek ruins.
- Appreciate the striking columns of the Temple of Apollo and the expansive agora marketplace.
- Discover ruins of the platform where the apostle Saint Paul stood while on trial by the Romans.
- Visit the impressive ruins of Mycenae, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- View the unearthed Lion Gate and examine the Beehive Tomb, a burial vault with an unusual dome shape.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable, non-slip walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 2 ½ hours of walking/standing. There will be steps as well as slippery or uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.



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PIR-006 ACROPOLIS & PLAKA STROLL

Duration: 6.75 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 11, 2022 08:15 AM

Delve into the storied Acropolis and Athens' historical center on this enjoyable tour with time for shopping. You'll begin at the Panathenaic Stadium, where the first modern Olympic games were held in 1896 and played again in 2004, and pass the former Royal Palace, now the Parliament Building, which stands proudly on Constitution Square. Notice the ceremonial Greek Presidential Guard, known as Evzones, guarding the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. Enter the famed Acropolis through the Propylaea, sacred gates guarding the sanctuary of Athena. Admire the magnificent 5th-century BC Parthenon, regarded as one of the world's most significant cultural monuments. Nearby, discover Erechtheion Temple's six lovely maidens delicately carved into columns supporting the Porch of the Caryatids and the exquisite 5th-century BC Temple of Athena Nike. Looking down from the Acropolis, don't miss the two ancient theaters in its shadow, the Theater of Dionysus, considered to be the world's first auditorium, and the 2nd-century Odeon of Herod Atticus, a restored Roman theater still used for concerts and plays. Enjoy a guided walking tour of Athens' historical center followed by free time for a delicious lunch and shopping in the Plaka, which teems with colorful boutiques and inviting cafés.

- View Athens' Panathenaic Stadium, home of the 1896 and 2004 Olympic games.
- Admire the regal ceremonial Presidential Guard protecting the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
- Marvel at the breathtaking Parthenon, an enduring symbol of Ancient Greece.
- Find the six draped female figures supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at Erechtheion Temple.
- Discover the 4th-century BC Theater of Dionysus and the 2nd-century Odeon of Herod Atticus, still in use today.
- Revel in time on your own for shopping and lunch in the delightful Plaka neighborhood.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be a considerable number of steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.

PIR-001 HISTORIC ATHENS & THE ACROPOLIS

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$234.00

Date: May 11, 2022 08:30 AM

Glimpse both ancient and recent history on this enthralling tour of Athens and the Acropolis. You'll begin at the Panathenaic Stadium, where the first modern Olympic games were held in 1896 and played again in 2004, and pass the former Royal Palace, now the Parliament Building, which stands proudly on Constitution Square. Notice the ceremonial Greek Presidential Guard, known as the Evzones, guarding the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. You'll enter the famed Acropolis through the Propylaea, sacred gates guarding the sanctuary of Athena. Admire the magnificent 5th-century BC Parthenon, regarded as one of the world's most significant cultural monuments. Nearby, discover Erechtheion Temple's six lovely maidens delicately carved into columns supporting the Porch of the Caryatids and the exquisite 5th-century BC Temple of Athena Nike. Looking down from the Acropolis, don't miss the two ancient theaters in its shadow, the Theater of Dionysus, considered to be the world's first auditorium, and the 2nd-century Odeon of Herod Atticus, a restored Roman theater still used for concerts and plays. Imagine the resplendent glory of ancient Athens as you explore its storied treasures.

- View Athens' Panathenaic Stadium, home of the 1896 and 2004 Olympic games.
- Admire the regal Presidential Guard protecting the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
- Marvel at the breathtaking Parthenon, an enduring symbol of Ancient Greece.
- Find the six draped female figures supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at Erechtheion Temple.
- Discover the world's first auditorium, the 4th-century BC Theater of Dionysus.
- Observe the expansive Odeon of Herod Atticus, a Roman theater still in use today.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking/standing. There will be a considerable number of steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. It does not include a visit to the Museum of the Acropolis. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.

PIR-009 ACROPOLIS, PLAKA & NEW MUSEUM

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00



Date: May 11, 2022 08:30 AM

Step back in time as you experience the wonders of Athens on this enriching tour that visits the magnificent Acropolis, the engaging Acropolis Museum and the bustling Plaka neighborhood with time on your own. Enter the famed Acropolis through the Propylaea, sacred gates guarding the sanctuary of Athena. Admire the magnificent Parthenon, which stands 230 feet above the city, offering expansive views of the surrounding area. Nearby, discover the arresting Erechtheion Temple and find the six lovely maidens delicately carved into columns supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at its south side. From the Acropolis, you'll walk 15 minutes to the Acropolis Museum, built in 2009 as a showcase for the surviving treasures of the Acropolis, including the stunning Parthenon Frieze, the museum's highlight. Following your museum visit, enjoy a panoramic drive through Athens, discovering sites such as the Parliament House, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and the Panathenaic Stadium. In the narrow streets of Plaka, you'll savor a traditional Greek lunch followed by time on your own to explore the wealth of shops and galleries in this enticing neighborhood.

- Marvel at the breathtaking Parthenon, an enduring symbol of Ancient Greece.
- Find the six draped female figures supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at Erechtheion Temple.
- Explore the Acropolis Museum, home to many remaining artifacts from the Acropolis.
- Discover the highlights of splendid Athens on a panoramic tour.
- Revel in a delicious Greek lunch and time on your own for shopping in the delightful Plaka neighborhood.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a considerable amount of uphill walking/standing. There will be a significant number of steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.



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PIR-009SG ACROPOLIS, PLAKA & NEW MUSEUM - SMALL GROUP**Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$104.00 Retail Price: CA\$300.00****Date: May 11, 2022 08:30 AM**

Enhance your shoreside experience with a Regent Choice small group tour. Hosting no more than 16 guests, these tours provide a more intimate experience and allow for more personal engagement with your knowledgeable guide. Step back in time as you experience the wonders of Athens on this enriching tour that visits the magnificent Acropolis, the engaging Acropolis Museum and the bustling Plaka neighborhood with time on your own. Enter the famed Acropolis through the Propylaea, sacred gates guarding the sanctuary of Athena. Admire the magnificent Parthenon, which stands 230 feet above the city, offering expansive views of the surrounding area. Nearby, discover the arresting Erechtheion Temple and find the six lovely maidens delicately carved into columns supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at its south side. From the Acropolis, you'll walk 15 minutes to the Acropolis Museum, built in 2009 as a showcase for the surviving treasures of the Acropolis, including the stunning Parthenon Frieze, the museum's highlight. Following your museum visit, enjoy a panoramic drive through Athens, discovering sites such as the Parliament House, the Tomb of the Unknown Soldier and the Panathenaic Stadium. In the narrow streets of Plaka, you'll savor a traditional Greek lunch followed by time on your own to explore the wealth of shops and galleries in this enticing neighborhood.

- Marvel at the breathtaking Parthenon, an enduring symbol of Ancient Greece.
- Find the six draped female figures supporting the Porch of the Caryatids at Erechtheion Temple.
- Explore the Acropolis Museum, home to many remaining artifacts from the Acropolis.
- Discover the highlights of splendid Athens on a panoramic tour.
- Revel in a delicious Greek lunch and time on your own for shopping in the delightful Plaka neighborhood.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a considerable amount of uphill walking/standing. There will be a significant number of steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions. This tour has a limited capacity; therefore, it is recommended that guests pre-book this tour as early as possible.

PIR-014 AMAZING ATHENS HOP ON HOP OFF & SOUVLAKI LUNCH**Duration: 3.25 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$65.00****Date: May 11, 2022 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM, 09:30 AM**

Delight in an exploration of the astonishing architecture, history and culture of Athens and Piraeus on this enjoyable hop-on, hop-off tour. With your day-long pass, revel in the freedom to explore timeless Athens and Piraeus, Europe's largest passenger port, at your pace and as you choose. Begin the route through Athens at Syntagma Square, passing arresting historical and cultural monuments and sights, including the famed Acropolis and Parthenon. Perhaps visit the intriguing Acropolis Museum, the National Archaeological Museum or the picturesque Plaka neighborhood, filled with neoclassical buildings, archaeological finds and enticing shops. On the Piraeus route, which begins at the cruise ship terminal, you'll discover enchanting private harbors such as the Mikrolimano and the main marina at Pasalimani as well as the lovely late-19th-century Municipal Theater. Using your day pass, join the Happy Train, if you wish, and travel around Piraeus City to its most iconic sites and popular shopping districts. If the freedom to roam at your leisure invigorates you, you'll love this hop-on, hop-off approach to Athens and Piraeus.

- Explore the highlights of Athens and Piraeus at your own pace on this hop-on, hop-off adventure.
- Discover Athens' famed historical and cultural monuments, including the stunning Acropolis.
- View splendid architecture and browse quaint shops in the Plaka neighborhood.
- Find picturesque private marinas in the expansive Piraeus port area.
- Uncover enticing shops, postcard-ready harbors and museums aboard Piraeus' Happy Train
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.
- Carry a bottle of water from the ship, as you may require hydration.

Walking on this tour is at the guest's discretion at stops where they choose to hop off. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Public restrooms are available at most stops. The tour duration will vary based upon the guest's choice of stops and time spent in each. The entire route for both cities without stops is approximately 3 ¼ hours. Only the lower deck of the bus is air-conditioned.

PIR-015 ATHENS UNLIMITED ATTRACTION PASS**Duration: 6.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Date: May 11, 2022 08:30 AM, 09:00 AM**

Maximize your time in Athens by visiting the attractions that interest you the most and exploring them at your own pace. Your unlimited pass will cover all the entrances fees so you can see more than a dozen attractions without thinking about the cost. Getting around Athens will be easy because the pass allows you to ride the buses that loop through town from one attraction to another. Hop on a bus whenever you're ready and hop off at an attraction that sounds intriguing. You might stop at the horseshoe-shaped Panathenaic Stadium, where the first modern Olympics were held. Military history buffs may enjoy browsing the weapons from antiquity in the Athens War Museum. If you wish to delve deeper into history, ride the bus to the Acropolis of Athens, one of the world's most famous archaeological sites. The New Acropolis Museum there displays artefacts excavated from the surrounding slopes, including items from the Temple of Athena Nike.

- Use the Unlimited Attraction Pass to see Athens' best attractions at no additional cost.
- Ride a bus around town, stopping at the attractions that you find most appealing.
- Stay as long as you like at each attraction to enhance your understanding of it.
- Hop on another bus whenever you please and ride it to another intriguing destination.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

Walking on this tour is at the guests' discretion during any stops they choose to get off the bus. It is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.



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PIR-004 CAPE SOUNION

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

Date: May 11, 2022 09:00 AM

Gaze at the compelling remains of a Greek god's temple, whose setting is both magnificent and unforgettable, on this scenic tour. Settle in for a picturesque drive along the west coast of the Attica peninsula, enjoying lovely views of the Saronic Gulf and the verdant countryside. As you approach Cape Sounion, the southeasternmost tip of the European landmass, you'll discover the remarkable Temple of Poseidon standing majestically on a jagged spur overlooking the deep blue Aegean Sea. Learn that the Greeks chose their temple sites by considering both the natural beauty of the location and its appropriateness to the god being honored. You'll agree that the windswept, seaside cliff on which this temple rests pays appropriate tribute to the powerful god of the sea. Cherish your opportunity to be inspired by the surviving Doric columns that have moved countless writers and poets through the ages.

- Enjoy expansive vistas of the Saronic Gulf and lush landscapes of the Attica Peninsula.
- Thrill to the sight of the Temple of Poseidon perched on a lofty promontory beside the cerulean Aegean Sea.
- Ponder the temple's indelible impact over the ages as inspiration to poets and writers.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of walking/standing. There will be steps and some uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not considered suitable for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.

PIR-003 HISTORIC CORINTH AND THE CANAL

Duration: 4.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00

Date: May 11, 2022 09:15 AM

Study the fascinating ruins of ancient Corinth and the dramatic Corinth Canal on this enlightening tour. In enthralling Corinth, discover remains that are an intriguing meld of a 6th-century BC wealthy Greek city and a 44 BC thriving Roman metropolis. You'll view excavations such as a sacred spring with 5th-century BC lion-head spouts, a huge colonnaded marketplace, the seven remaining Doric columns of Apollo's Temple and the Lechaion Road, formerly a main harbor thoroughfare. Learn that the apostle Saint Paul lived and preached to the Corinthians in this area for nearly two years, and see the platform, or bema, on which he stood trial. From a 200-foot-high bridge, you'll view the breathtaking Corinth Canal, a four-mile-long feat of engineering that is only 70 feet wide and features sheer sides rising to 170 feet. Although the first attempt to connect the Aegean and the Ionian seas dates back to the 7th century BC, discover construction on the canal didn't commence until 1881. You'll long ponder these thought-provoking sites that reach back over two millennia.

- Explore ancient Corinth, a fascinating site showcasing both Roman and Greek ruins.
- Appreciate the striking columns of the Temple of Apollo and the expansive agora marketplace.
- Discover ruins of the platform where the apostle Saint Paul stood while on trial by the Romans.
- Take in the awe-inspiring Corinth Canal, which connects the Aegean and Ionian Seas.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

Tour involves walking for approximately 1/2 mile on uneven and gravel terrain. Neither the Corinth ancient site, nor the canal motorboat are wheelchair accessible. Depending on the prevailing traffic in the canal, a slight delay may be experienced while crossing. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour does not operate on Tuesdays as the canal undergoes maintenance on this day, nor does it operate from the end of November through mid-April.

PIR-005 ATHENS PANORAMA

Duration: 2.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00



Date: May 11, 2022 09:30 AM

View the stunning Acropolis and myriad sites of Athens during this panoramic tour. On a vista-filled drive along the harbor-studded coast into Athens, you'll discover one highlight after another, including the Arch of Hadrian, which is reminiscent of a Roman triumphal arch, and the surviving columns of the colossal Temple of Olympian Zeus. See the Panathenaic Stadium, where the first modern Olympic games were held in 1896 and played again in 2004, and pass the former Royal Palace, now the Old Parliament House, which stands proudly on Constitution Square. Notice the ceremonial Greek Presidential Guard, known as the Evzones, guarding the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier. You'll delight in the 38-acre National Garden, formerly the Royal Garden but open to the public since the 1920s. Drive by the Presidential Palace, home of the Greek royal family until the abolition of the monarchy in 1974. Pause for a 30-minute photo stop at the foot of the beguiling Acropolis, which will undoubtedly envelop you in thoughts of Greece's legendary history.

- Discover the highlights of splendid Athens on a panoramic tour.
- Pass the Arch of Hadrian and the remaining columns of the massive Temple of Olympian Zeus.
- View Athens' Panathenaic Stadium, home of the 1896 and 2004 Olympic games.
- Admire the regal ceremonial Presidential Guard protecting the Greek Tomb of the Unknown Soldier.
- See the Old Parliament house and the Presidential Palace, both former royal seats.
- Relish a 30-minute stop to capture postcard-ready photos of the magnificent Acropolis.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with walking at the guest's discretion during stops. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. This tour does not visit the Acropolis but provides an excellent vantage point from which to view it. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. The tour duration may vary due to traffic conditions.



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PIR-GL1 TRADITIONAL SUNDAY LUNCH ON THE ATHENIAN RIVIERA

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$156.00 Retail Price: CA\$352.00  GL

Date: May 11, 2022 09:30 AM

Learn hands-on how to prepare a whole lamb roasted on a spit and several side dishes and then dine on this classic meal that has become synonymous with Greece. Your cooking class will take place in Kalyvia, an inland village where many Athenians spend the weekend taking in the natural beauty. The preparation will be explained in detail, including the best wood for the fire, the ingredients in the rub, how to skewer the lamb and the best techniques for basting. You will take part in the entire preparation, an experience that will make the meal that follows all the more memorable. You will also learn to prepare the Greek meze kokkoretsi, a yogurt sauce known as tzatziki and a traditional Greek salad. Once everything is finished, you will dine on your concoctions and a glass of local wine. On the return drive, you will stop for another drink at Lake Vouliagmeni, which natural thermal springs feed.

- Take a hands-on cooking class and learn to prepare a whole lamb roasted on a spit.
- Make a classic meze and Greek salad as well, and enjoy your concoctions for lunch.
- Stop to enjoy a frappé coffee along the Athenian Riviera before the cooking class.
- Pause for a drink at Lake Vouliagmeni after the cooking class.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about three hours of walking and standing. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

❖ KUSADASI, TURKEY

KSA-004 PRIENE, MILETUS AND DIDYMA - ANCIENT SITES

Duration: 7.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00



Date: May 12, 2022 07:15 AM

Welcome an immersion into the past in three historic towns, savor Turkish specialties at a popular restaurant and enjoy free time in Kusadasi on this scenic tour. Settle in for a leisurely drive to captivating Priene, nestled at the base of an escarpment on Mount Mycale, and find ruins dating to the 6th century BC. You'll visit remains of the Temple of Athena, erected by Alexander the Great in 334 BC, and an expansive 4th-century BC Greek theater altered by the Romans 600 years later to increase its capacity to 6,000 spectators. Behold ancient Miletus, a major maritime power in the 6th century BC due to its four harbors, and view the wonderfully preserved Greco-Roman theater, the impressive Roman Baths of Faustina and a rectangular stadium built by the Greeks and later enlarged by the Romans. In the ancient Greek sanctuary of Didyma, you'll behold ruins of the magnificent Temple of Apollo, considered to be one of antiquity's great monuments, which was constructed over a period of 600 years. Delight in a flavorful lunch of Turkish specialties before appreciating free time to attend a carpet-weaving demonstration in Kusadasi or shop for memorable souvenirs of this magical land.

- Discover remains of the 4th-century BC Temple of Athena in Priene.
- Explore a theater, Roman baths and a stadium in Miletus, once a maritime power.
- Take in the arresting ruins of the Temple of Apollo at Didyma.
- Enjoy a delectable lunch of Turkish specialties.
- Shop for the perfect keepsake or watch a carpet-making demonstration in beguiling Kusadasi.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two miles of walking, lasting over two hours, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and numerous steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair and guests with mobility concerns. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.

KSA-003 THE GLORIES OF EPHEBUS

Duration: 6.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$195.00



Date: May 12, 2022 07:30 AM

Discover the glory of Ephesus during a scenic and informative full-day orientation tour of this remarkable ancient city. Depart the pier for the drive to the House of the Virgin Mary, located 5 miles from Ephesus on Aladag Mountain. After discovering the house, the Archbishop of Izmir declared it a place of pilgrimage in 1892. On July 26, 1967, Pope Paul VI visited and prayed at this site. From here, you will proceed for a visit to Ephesus. One of the 12 cities of Ionia, it was a major departure point for trade routes into Asia Minor. Ephesus is renowned for its sacred ancient shrines, including a famous temple that is among the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Upon arrival at Ephesus, you will visit the beautiful Celsus Library, built in the beginning of the 2nd century AD. You will also see the Grand Theater, one of Ephesus' most impressive buildings, and the site where St. Paul once preached. A visit will then be made to the Temple of Hadrian, located just across the way. Lunch will be served in the garden of a local handicrafts center that is reminiscent of a typical Turkish village and employs traditional carpet-weaving techniques. After lunch, a stop will be made at the nearby Basilica of St. John before visiting the Ephesus Archeological Museum, which contains two wonderful marble statues of Artemis and 25,000 artifacts found in the ancient city. Next, you will return to Kusadasi to watch a carpet-weaving demonstration; a now traditional Turkish experience. You will sip apple tea while watching a myriad of colors unfold before your eyes, and have an opportunity to purchase a carpet, if so desired. Afterward, you may opt to re-board the coach for the return drive to the pier, or be dropped off in Kusadasi for shopping and return to the ship on foot. Please note: Guests are encouraged to wear comfortable shoes for this tour, which involves approximately 2 hours of extensive walking. This tour is not recommended for guests with limited mobility or guests who utilize a wheelchair. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the Cruise Ship Terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal Building.

KSA-007 ANCIENT EPHEBUS

Duration: 2.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$130.00



Date: May 12, 2022 07:45 AM

Immerse yourself in the marvels of one of the best-preserved ancient cities in the world and relish free time for shopping on this captivating tour. After a delightfully scenic drive, arrive in 3rd-century BC Ephesus, one of the largest Roman archaeological sites in the eastern Mediterranean and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, a UNESCO World Heritage site, such as the stunning two-story, 2nd-century Library of Celsus, built to honor a Roman senator, and the Odeon Theater, a small salon for plays and concerts that seated 1,500 people. You'll marvel at the perfect acoustics of the 24,000-seat Great Theater, a storied venue where Saint Paul once preached and which is still used today for musical performances. Savor time to shop for antique jewelry and handmade carpets, viewing a 45-minute demonstration of the craftsmanship behind their creation, if you desire. Cherish your opportunity to uncover both Turkey's ancient past and its inspiring present on this illuminating tour.

- Delve into the well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Admire the authentically restored façade of the AD 125 Library of Celsus, named for a Roman senator.
- Study enthralling excavated treasures, such as the Odeon Theater.
- Gaze at the breathtaking Great Theater, which seats 24,000 spectators and is still in use.
- Appreciate time to shop for antique jewelry or handmade carpets in alluring Kusadasi.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of extensive walking, mostly downhill. There will be uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.



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KSA-016 TURKISH TOWNS & VILLAGES

Duration: 5.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$208.00



Date: May 12, 2022 07:50 AM

Explore the wonderful old Greek Orthodox village of Sirince, visit the town of Tire in the foothills of the Aydin Mountains and enjoy a traditional carpet-weaving art center on this illuminating tour that includes lunch. Set off for enchanting Sirince, a quaint village that is a perfect synthesis of 1920s Turkish-Greek culture and lies surrounded by hills blanketed with peach orchards, bountiful vineyards and lush olive groves. You'll find that farming remains the principal town activity and that many villagers make wine and olive oil. Discover over 100 mosques in the town of Tire and delight in the myriad crafts practiced by its citizens, including embroidery, quilting and rope-making. You'll relish lunch at a popular local restaurant before a stop in a characteristic carpet-making center. Returning to enthralling Kusadasi, you might choose to shop or explore independently, reveling in the wonders of this glorious city.

- Roam the narrow lanes and absorb village life in charming Sirince.
- Marvel at the town of Tire, which is home to over 100 mosques.
- Appreciate the crafting heritage of Tire's artisans, who practice everything from embroidery to rope-making.
- Savor a tasty lunch at a specially selected restaurant.
- Survey a wonderful center for the creation of fine carpets.
- Choose to shop for cherished mementos or explore further in alluring Kusadasi.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses, insect repellent and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of walking. There will be uneven surfaces, inclines and several steps to negotiate. There will be an opportunity in Sirince to visit a local wine house for a fruit wine at your own cost. Participants must be 21 years of age to be served alcoholic beverages. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.

KSA-001 DISCOVER EPHEBUS WITH AN EXPERT

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$248.00

Retail Price: CA\$444.00



Date: May 12, 2022 08:00 AM

Journey back in time during this exclusive, limited-participation tour of the ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site. After a leisurely drive, you'll arrive in 3rd-century BC Ephesus, one of the largest Roman archaeological sites in the eastern Mediterranean and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. Meet your guide, an expert archaeologist, who will lead you in a discussion about the site. You'll visit the Ephesus Museum's Hall of Artemis and view artifacts and statues unearthed during the excavations of the temple and other key locations around Ephesus. Discover countless remains of this once-thriving city, such as the beautifully restored two-story, 2nd-century Library of Celsus and the Odeon Theater. Behold the 24,000-seat Great Theater and see the Terrace Houses where Ephesus' wealthiest citizens lived. Savor a delicious repast at a specially selected restaurant in Selçuk, adjacent to the ruins. You'll have the option to shop on your own in Kusadasi or enjoy a demonstration of the craftsmanship of carpetmaking, if you desire.

- Survey ancient Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site, under the tutelage of an expert archaeologist.
- View parts of Ephesus off-limits to most visitors with a guided look at some of the sites' most breathtaking ruins.
- See relics of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World.
- Delight in a flavorful lunch at a restaurant located near the ancient site.
- Enjoy free time in Kusadasi to shop or attend a carpet-making demonstration.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes extensive walking, mostly downhill, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven surfaces and numerous steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. Although you will not visit newly excavated areas, you will discover parts of Ephesus not located on the tourist route or seen during regular site visits. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.

KSA-005 EPHEBUS AND TERRACE HOUSES

Duration: 3.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00



Date: May 12, 2022 08:00 AM

Driving to Ephesus, you can almost feel modern civilization slipping away as you enter a world firmly rooted in the past. Ephesus is esteemed as one of the best-preserved ancient cities in the world, and during your walking tour, you will see the remains of its glorious Roman architecture. Behold excavated treasures such as the Odeon theater, public baths, the two-tiered Celsus Library, and the nearly 24,000-seat Grand Theater, where St. Paul once preached. Known for its wonderful acoustics, the theater is still used today for musical performances. Before leaving the archaeological site, you will have the opportunity to visit the Terrace Houses, which were inhabited by Ephesus' wealthiest residents. The houses are richly decorated with mosaics and frescoes and even had running water. Returning to Kusadasi, it's your choice to enjoy some free time to shop or sit in on an informative carpet demonstration that shows the fine craftsmanship behind these luxurious items.

- Delve into the well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Admire the authentically restored façade of the AD 125 Library of Celsus, named for a Roman senator.
- Study striking excavated treasures, such as the Odeon Theater.
- Gaze at the breathtaking Great Theater, which seats 24,000 spectators and is still in use.
- Explore the richly ornate Terrace Houses, where the wealthiest residents lived.
- Savor free time to shop for antique jewelry or handmade carpets in alluring Kusadasi.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Carry bottled water, as you may require hydration.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of moderate walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be uneven ground and a significant number of steps to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not considered suitable for those with mobility concerns. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.



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KSA-015 PANORAMIC KUSADASI**Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$143.00****Date: May 12, 2022 08:00 AM**

Appreciate some of the area's most significant sites on this panoramic tour to the house of the Virgin Mary and ancient Ephesus, including independent exploration in quaint Sirince and an amazing carpet presentation in Kusadasi. Journey to the location believed to be where the Virgin Mary spent her last days when Saint John the Apostle brought her there after the death of Christ. Learn that dating of personal articles found at the site lend credence to the belief this was her home and led it to become a pilgrimage site for both Christians and Muslims. You'll marvel at 3rd-century BC Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site, and view remnants of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. In the distance, catch sight of an imposing castle on Ayasuluk Hill and see the lovely town of Selçuk. You'll fall in love with the old Greek Orthodox village of Sirince, which is a perfect synthesis of 1920s Turkish-Greek culture, and enjoy time to stroll its narrow, atmospheric streets at your leisure. Returning to Kusadasi, attend an informative carpet demonstration that showcases the fine craftsmanship behind these exquisite pieces.

- Discover the site thought to be the last home of the Virgin Mary until her Assumption.
- Delve into the well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- See ruins of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World.
- Take in vistas of magnificent Seljuk Castle and the picturesque town of Selçuk.
- Explore the narrow lanes and absorb village life in charming Sirince.
- Enjoy an illuminating carpet-making demonstration in artistic Kusadasi.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour is primarily panoramic in nature with limited optional walking at the stops. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.

KSA-018 EPHEBUS WITH LESS WALKING**Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Date: May 12, 2022 08:00 AM**

Explore the wonders of the ancient world with ease by browsing an archaeological museum and walking through an area of Ephesus where the ruins are clustered together. An abundance of locally excavated artifacts are housed in the Ephesus Museum, including busts of Socrates and Emperor Marcus Aurelius, stone masks and sacrificial altars. The exhibits will present a fine introduction to the variety of ruins that you will see in Ephesus. At the excavated site, you will gaze over the upper section of ruins from a distance that will provide a sweeping view of the archaeological treasures. The highlight there is the 2nd-century Odeon that served as a concert hall and a place for senate meetings. For a closer look, you will wander through Ephesus' lower section and peruse the Great Theater where St. Paul preached the Gospel and the Library of Celsus, a monument constructed as a mausoleum with a separate library for scrolls and codexes.

- Browse the fabulous artifacts in the Ephesus Museum.
- Enjoy a sweeping view of the upper section of Ephesus' ruins that holds the Odeon theater.
- Meander through the excavated lower section where you will find the famed Library of Celsus.
- Spend free time shopping or listening to a carpet lecture in Kusadasi.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour is an alternative for those who wish to Ephesus without the long walking involved. The visit of the museum is on flat surface and is equipped with wheelchair ramps. Only the lower section of the museum will be visited, but parts of the upper level can be seen from a distance.

KSA-002 HOUSE OF VIRGIN MARY AND EPHEBUS MUSEUM**Duration: 3.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00****Retail Price: CA\$169.00****Date: May 12, 2022 08:30 AM**

View the home of the Virgin Mary following the death of Christ until her Assumption, or Dormition, explore a museum containing artifacts from the Roman city of Ephesus and relish free time for shopping or a carpet-making demonstration on this enjoyable tour. Journey approximately five miles to Aladag Mountain and see the house believed to be where the Virgin Mary spent her last days after Saint John the Apostle brought her there following Jesus' death. Learn that dating of personal articles found onsite led it to be recognized in 1892 as a pilgrimage site for both Christians and Muslims, including a visit and prayer in 1967 by Pope Paul VI. At the Ephesus Archaeological Museum, survey a collection of artifacts that have been unearthed from Ephesus' many excavations, including statues of the gods and goddesses who inspired this heavenly region. After your return to Kusadasi and if time permits, spend time on your own shopping for souvenirs or famous Turkish carpets in this magical city.

- Discover the site thought to be the last home of the Virgin Mary until her Assumption.
- Explore the Ephesus Archaeological Museum to view treasures from the ancient city.
- Enjoy shopping for souvenirs, jewelry or handmade Turkish carpets, if time permits.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes some uneven surfaces and a few steps to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.



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KSA-GL1 A DAY AT THE FARM IN KUSADASI

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

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Experience country life in a village near Kusadasi, where you will mingle with the residents and help them harvest crops. You might discover how the villagers spend most days, earn livings and view the rest of the world. This frank, face-to-face conversation will offer great insight into country life, and you can expect the villagers to reciprocate and ask about your life. A meandering walk through the village will bring you to fields of fruits or vegetables, depending on the season. There, you will have the opportunity to join the villagers as they harvest the farm's crops. What better way to experience rural life than to be a genuine part of it, sharing each moment as if you were a local? Chances are, you will work up an appetite, which will easily be appeased with a hearty Turkish breakfast, known as "kahvalti." It typically includes cheeses, black and green olives, spicy sausages, fruit preserves and fresh-baked bread.

- Mingle with the locals in a small village on the outskirts of Kusadasi.
- Learn about the farmers' rural lifestyle and join them in a harvest, if you wish.
- Enjoy a hearty Turkish breakfast with country favorites such as sausage, cheeses and olives.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing.
- Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about 1½ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate, plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. The tour is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

KSA-006 EPHEBUS AND SIRINCE VILLAGE

Duration: 4.75 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00



Date: May 12, 2022 09:00 AM

Relive the glory of Turkey's ancient past during this engaging tour of the well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a visit to the Greek Orthodox village of Sirince and lunch with a village family. Relax on a scenic drive to 3rd-century BC Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site and once the location of the Temple of Artemis, one of the Seven Wonders of the Ancient World. You'll discover the impressive two-story, 2nd-century Library of Celsus and appreciate the perfect acoustics of the 24,000-seat Great Theater, where Saint Paul once preached and which is still used today for musical performances. At the old Greek Orthodox village of Sirince, which is a perfect synthesis of 1920s Turkish-Greek culture, you'll learn it is renowned for its grape and other fruit wines. In this alluring setting, you might observe everyday village life and perhaps purchase some local handicrafts. Proceed to the home of a welcoming village family for a tasty lunch and continue to the hamlet's main coffeehouse for a cup of the traditional Turkish brew, perhaps encountering an enigmatic fortune-teller. Returning to enthralling Kusadasi, choose to do some shopping, if you wish.

- Delve into the well-preserved ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Admire the AD 125 Library of Celsus and the breathtaking Great Theater in ancient Ephesus.
- Take in village life in the charming Greek Orthodox village of Sirince and shop for handicrafts.
- Enjoy a delicious lunch at the welcoming home of a local family.
- Savor a cup of bracing Turkish coffee at the village's leading coffeehouse.
- Elect to remain in Kusadasi to shop for antique jewelry or handmade carpets, if you prefer.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 ½ hours of extensive walking, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some uneven surfaces and steps to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests who utilize a wheelchair or guests with mobility concerns. At the end of the tour, guests will be dropped off in town, as the buses are not allowed to return them to the cruise ship terminal parking lot. There will be a short walk from the drop-off point in town back to the Kusadasi Terminal building.



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❖ ISTANBUL, TURKEY

IST-007 MAGNIFICENT LEGACIES WITH SPICE MARKET

Duration: 4.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00

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Cherish revered landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation on this engaging tour, including a 16th-century mosque, a museum housed in a historic church and a massive underground cistern, and roam an aromatic bazaar. Drive to the mid-16th-century Rustem Pasa Mosque, designed by architect Mimar Sinan and famed for its exquisite red tiles. You'll learn this color was much more difficult to achieve, so the preponderance of red-hued Iznik tiles distinguishes this mosque from all others. Appreciate its intricately carved doors and gilded trim work, which exemplify the small mosque's artistic beauty. You'll discover the 8th-century Byzantine Greek Orthodox Church of the Holy Savior, now the Chora Museum, esteemed for its mosaics and frescoes that depict themes from the Bible. At the Basilica Cistern, the largest of several hundred ancient cisterns lying beneath Istanbul, marvel at the more than 300 beautiful columns of various designs that support its vaulted brick roof. You'll stroll the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery.

- Visit the enchanting Rustem Pasa Mosque, renowned for its use of red Iznik tiles.
- Survey Bible-themed mosaics and frescoes at the Chora Museum, once a Greek Orthodox church.
- Explore the stunning Basilica Cistern and view its barrel-vaulted brick roof, which is supported by over 300 columns.
- Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately two hours of walking. There will be numerous steps and uneven surfaces to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them, but it is not recommended. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. Wheelchairs are not allowed in the Rustem Pasa Mosque and guests who utilize a wheelchair must wait outside in the garden. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Chora Museum is closed on Wednesdays and will be replaced with a visit to Hagia Sophia.

IST-018 ISTANBUL LANDMARKS

Duration: 5.00 Hrs **Tour Price:** CA\$0.00

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Visit several iconic landmarks recognized by UNESCO as pearls of Istanbul's World Heritage site designation and roam a bustling bazaar on this arresting tour. Travel to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world's only mosque featuring six minarets, and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city's ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Visit remarkable Hagia Sophia, first erected by Emperor Constantine in AD 325 as a Greek Orthodox Christian basilica, later converted to an Ottoman imperial mosque and now a museum, a storied sanctuary nominated by many historians to be the 8th Wonder of the World. Gaze at the sculptural minarets towering above the dome and learn they were added in 1453 after Istanbul's conquest. You'll enjoy an approximately one-hour stroll through the spectacular Grand Bazaar, Turkey's oldest and largest covered marketplace, and find a staggering wealth of merchandise in its more than 4,000 shops, a delightful end to your illuminating excursion.

- Take in several landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
- Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles.
- See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople's heyday.
- View breathtaking Hagia Sophia, which many historians consider the 8th Wonder of the World.
- Look up at Hagia Sophia's soaring minarets, added in the 15th century after the Ottoman conquest.
- Discover an astonishing amount of merchandise available at over 4,000 shops of the Grand Bazaar.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately just over 2 ½ hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be some steps to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Guests who utilize a wheelchair but who are not able to climb the steps may wait outside the mosque. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary in order to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30 pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. On Mondays, the Hagia Sophia Museum will be replaced with the Chora Museum. On Sundays, the Grand Bazaar is replaced with a visit to the Spice Market.



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IST-005 DOLMABAHCE AND TEA AT THE CIRAGAN

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Discover Istanbul's beauty, culture and history during scenic visits to the magnificent Dolmabahçe Palace and arresting Çiragan Palace, now the deluxe Kempinski Hotel. Applaud the glorious Dolmabahçe Palace, built between 1843 and 1856 by the chief architect of Sultan Abdülmecid, Garabet Balyan, who created an intriguing blend of several European styles. During your guided walking tour, you'll find the palace's extraordinary décor is still largely intact. Marvel at ornate wood parquet floors, fine silk and wool carpets, paintings by renowned artists of the day, brilliant crystal chandeliers, candelabras, fireplaces and a wide array of handmade objects. After viewing the Sultan's exquisite alabaster bathroom, see a lovely ballroom that showcases a 4 ½-ton chandelier hanging from its 117-foot-high dome. In the palace's harem section, you'll observe the bedrooms of the Sultan, his mother, his harem and servants. At the Çiragan Palace, now the sought-after Kempinski Hotel, you'll take tea in the hotel's inviting palace section, which features alluring views of the glittering Bosphorus, and imagine the opulent life of past royalty in these superb residences.

- Consider the privileged life of a Sultan as you tour two spectacular Istanbul palaces.
- Explore the mid-19th-century Dolmabahçe Palace, a blend of several European architectural styles.
- Admire Dolmabahçe Palace's paintings, silk carpets, parquet floors and 4 ½-ton crystal chandelier.
- See the bedchambers of the sultan and his ornately carved alabaster bathroom.
- Savor tea in the breathtaking Çiragan Palace, now the acclaimed Kempinski Hotel, which overlooks the cobalt Bosphorus.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes a considerable amount of walking. There will be a staircase to negotiate. The tour is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns or guests who utilize a wheelchair. This tour must be pre-booked at least 48 hours in advance. It cannot operate on Mondays or Thursdays as the Dolmabahçe Palace is closed.

IST-010 PANORAMIC ISTANBUL

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

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As you journey through this splendid city, you will see the best of both continents, beginning with a motorcoach ride from the pier, across the bridge spanning the lovely Bosphorus, and into Asia. Your guide will point out Dolmabahçe Palace, a 19th-century Neo-Classical palace sitting gracefully on the European shore. Heading back across to Europe, you'll pass the ancient city walls and arrive at the Byzantine Hippodrome that once seated 100,000, and from there your guide will give you explanations about the history of Blue Mosque and St. Sophia Museum from outside. Final stop will be at the Grand Bazaar, the legendary covered market, the largest in the world, where you can take a slice of Istanbul home with you.

- Cross the first suspension bridge built across the glittering Bosphorus, which divides Europe from Asia.
- Marvel at the myriad architectural influences found in the city's churches, synagogues, mosques and houses.
- Take in landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
- Discover an astonishing amount of merchandise available at over 4,000 shops in the Grand Bazaar.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately 1 hour of walking plus any additional walking at the guests' discretion during free time. It is available to wheelchair guests who are able to make their way on and off the coach. Comfortable, flat walking shoes are strongly recommended. When Grand Bazaar is closed (on Sundays), the visit will be replaced by Spice Market and the tour duration will be shortened by 30 min. The order of the sites visited may change to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul.

IST-016 BEYLERBEYI PALACE & ASIAN ISTANBUL

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$156.00



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Spend time in Asian Istanbul, surveying a massive palace and a stirring modern mosque, then enjoying a relaxing seaside tea. Settle in for a drive across the world's fifth-longest suspension bridge to the Asian side of the city, and arrive at the opulent Beylerbeyi palace. You'll discover that the 19th-century royal residence, built by Sultan Abdul Aziz, contains 26 rooms and several large halls and was designed for use as a summer palace and guest house for foreign dignitaries visiting the Ottoman Empire. View an elaborately decorated reception hall, which features a twisting staircase surrounded by splendid examples of Islamic art and style. Notice the Egyptian hasir, or reed mats, on the floors and examine the solid marble pool and fountain. After your interior tour, admire the royal stables and terraced gardens, which offer sweeping views of the cobalt Bosphorus. On the shores of the glittering Marmara Sea, find the contemporary Sakirin Mosque, a feast of circular design and futuristic arches, and the Salacak neighborhood, where you'll savor tea and marvel at enticing views of Istanbul's historic Old Town as you review your precious memories of Asian Istanbul's delights.

- Journey to the Asian side of Istanbul across the world's fifth-longest suspension bridge.
- Tour the luxurious 19th-century Beylerbeyi Palace, a 26-room royal residence designed by a sultan.
- Take in the palace's elaborate decoration, impressive Islamic artwork, royal stables and panoramic Bosphorus vistas.
- View the modern Sakirin Mosque, featuring numerous arches and circular design.
- Relish delicious tea and absorbing views of Istanbul's Old Town and the Marmara Sea.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour involves extensive walking and standing. There will be steps negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair and is not recommended for guests with mobility concerns. The duration of the excursion may be affected by dense traffic congestion. The order of sites viewed or visited may vary.



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IST-019 OTTOMAN WONDERS WITH VISIT TO SPICE MARKET

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Rejoice in the stunning architecture and enticing aromas of Istanbul on this alluring tour of the Blue Mosque and Topkapi Palace, both included as jewels of Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation, and roam a fragrant market. Travel to the early 17th-century Blue Mosque, the world's only mosque featuring six minarets, and whose colorful moniker derives from the 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles that adorn the interior. Nearby, you'll notice the remains of the city's ancient hippodrome, once a popular circus for entertainment and sporting events, especially chariot racing, during the glory days of Constantinople. Atop the hill where the Acropolis of Byzantium once stood, discover the walled Topkapi Palace, official residence of Ottoman sultans for nearly 400 years. Marvel at its mosques, expansive harem and elaborate pavilions, where rich collections of French, Japanese and Chinese porcelain are on display. You'll visit the sprawling and exotically fragranced Spice Market, constructed in 1664 as part of an imperial mosque complex, and experience the sights, sounds and smells of its seemingly endless supply of spices, dried fruits and locally made merchandise such as jewelry and pottery. You'll long remember your immersion into Istanbul's bewitching wonders.

- Admire key landmarks included in Istanbul's UNESCO World Heritage site designation.
- Visit the 17th-century Blue Mosque, which features six minarets and an interior showcasing 21,000 blue-green Iznik tiles.
- See the remains of the hippodrome, popular for sporting events during Constantinople's heyday.
- Explore gorgeous Topkapi Palace, the long-time residence of Ottoman sultans.
- Survey Topkapi Palace's extensive harem, impressive fountains and ornate pavilions.
- Wander the bustling Spice Market, which brims with spices, dried fruits and myriad locally produced products.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Dress appropriately for a mosque visit; men should wear long trousers and women should cover their hair, arms and knees.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately three hours of moderate walking/standing, plus any additional walking at the guest's discretion during free time. There will be steps to negotiate. The tour is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, are able to make their own way on and off the coach and have an able-bodied companion to assist them. Wheelchairs are not permitted in the Blue Mosque and guests who utilize a wheelchair must wait outside in the garden. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to carefully evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The Topkapi Palace is closed on Tuesdays, so a visit to Beylerbeyi Palace will be substituted. The Blue Mosque will be closed to all visitors until after 2:30 pm on Fridays. Morning tours will have an exterior visit only. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul.

IST-GL1 OLD NEIGHBORHOODS OF ISTANBUL

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$156.00 GL

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Explore three distinctly different neighborhoods on the Asian side of the Bosphorus, each enchanting in its own way. A drive through the Eurasia Tunnel will bring you to the Kuzguncuk district, which has long been admired for its history of peaceful coexistence. Jews, Greeks, Armenians and Turks live there in harmony side by side, and you will notice a mosque, church and synagogue right next to each other. Later, you will pass the Kuleli Military High School where Kemal Atatürk, the founder and first president of the Republic of Turkey, studied. It is on the way to Cengelkoy, another area known for its civility. There, in the shade of a 700-year-old plane tree, you will enjoy a beverage and the serenity. The fishing village of Kanlica is known first and foremost for its firm, creamy yoghurt made with castor sugar. You will enjoy a cup of the yoghurt in the village now synonymous with it.

- Travel from Europe to Asia on a five-minute drive through the Eurasia Tunnel.
- Observe a harmonious neighborhood where different ethnicities live side by side.
- Admire the serenity of Cengelkoy, another well-known highly civil neighborhood.
- Sample a style of Turkish yoghurt in a town synonymous with it.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about two hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.

IST-GL2 OTTOMAN INNS OF ISTANBUL

Duration: 4.00 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00 Retail Price: CA\$156.00 GL

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Travel through some of the most atmospheric districts in Istanbul, exploring the historical inns where visiting merchants from around the world once stayed. On the way, you will pass the Sirkeci train station, where passengers first boarded the Orient Express in 1883. Upon reaching the nearby Sultanhamam district, you will browse several Ottoman inns as the guide describes how the trade system worked and how it has changed in modern times. You will then walk across the Galata Bridge that spans the Golden Horn and explore a district where Greeks and Jews primarily lived during the Ottoman period. A subway ride follows along a route that was part of an underground railway system that was constructed in the late 1870s. Upon arriving in the Beyoglu district, you will meander down Istiklal Street, which features stunning 19th-century neoclassical and art nouveau architecture. As you will see, the inns here are also impressive.

- Wander through historical Ottoman inns where foreign and local merchants stayed.
- Learn how the trade system worked during the Ottoman period and how it has changed.
- Ride the subway along a route that was constructed nearly 150 years ago.
- See the extraordinary neoclassical and art nouveau architecture in the Beyoglu district.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes about 2½ hours of walking and standing with some inclines and cobblestone surfaces to negotiate. It is not available to wheelchair guests and may not be suitable for those with mobility concerns, who should evaluate their stamina and ability before joining the tour.



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IST-009 CRUISE ON THE BOSPHORUS

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$0.00

Retail Price: CA\$169.00



Date: May 13, 2022 01:45 PM

Blend an exploration of a renowned private Turkish museum with a scenic Bosphorus cruise for an especially enjoyable and illuminating tour. Take a leisurely drive through Istanbul to the marvelous Sadberk Hanim Museum, which is the first private museum in Turkey and is attractively housed in a restored waterfront villa. You'll examine an impressive collection of Ottoman art and furnishings, beguiling Anatolian antiquities and captivating Islamic art. After your museum visit, board a boat for a cruise along the picturesque Bosphorus, which snakes through Istanbul, dividing its European and Asian portions. Along the strait's heavily populated shores, view spectacular vistas of seaside mansions, mosques, palaces and the imposing Rumelihisari, or Bogazkesen Castle, a 15th-century medieval fortress. Gliding along with sea breezes wafting around you, revel in the idyllic charm of this seagoing excursion filled with postcard-perfect sights.

- Visit the inviting Sadberk Hanim Museum, a private museum located in a restored seaside villa.
- Survey the museum's intriguing displays of Ottoman, Anatolian and Islamic art and antiquities.
- Cruise the glittering Bosphorus, sighting mosques, palaces and mansions on the European and Asian sides.
- Sail past the Rumelihisari, a stately 15th-century medieval fortress.
- Wear casual, weather-appropriate clothing and comfortable walking shoes.
- Bring a hat, sunglasses and sunscreen.

This tour includes approximately one hour of walking. There will be a staircase to negotiate. The tour is not available to guests who utilize a wheelchair. Guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina. The order of the sites viewed or visited may vary to avoid the crowds. Please expect dense traffic conditions in Istanbul. The Sadberk Hanim Museum is closed on Wednesdays and will be replaced with a visit to the Spice Market instead.

IST-013 ISTANBUL BY NIGHT

Duration: 3.50 Hrs Tour Price: CA\$104.00



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Enjoy a panoramic drive through the most historical areas of Istanbul at night, when the city will be illuminated and absolutely mesmerizing. To reach the Old Town, you will cross Galata Bridge, which spans the Golden Horn, a waterway named for the shimmering golden color it takes on as the sun sets. You will then pass the so-called new mosque, which was constructed in the 17th century, on the way to expansive Sultanahmet Square. As you will see firsthand, the square offers extraordinary views of the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia, a former cathedral that was converted into a museum. Both iconic buildings will radiate in the up-lighting, which casts bold shadows that make features such as the soaring minarets look even more dramatic. Upon reaching the Kumkapi quarter, you will settle in at an atmospheric restaurant for a traditional dinner. Chances are, seafood will be on the menu as Kumkapi is renowned for it.

- Drive through Istanbul in the evening, when it will be dramatically illuminated.
- Behold both the Blue Mosque and the Hagia Sophia from Sultanahmet Square.
- Dine on Turkish cuisine at a seafood restaurant in the bustling Kumkapi quarter.
- Dress in weather-appropriate clothing. • Wear flat comfortable walking shoes.

This tour includes a moderate amount of walking mainly at the guest's discretion. It is available to guests who utilize a collapsible wheelchair, can both make their way on and off the coach and have a companion to assist them. Those guests with mobility concerns are cautioned to evaluate their personal level of ability and stamina.



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General Information

What is Included?

Transportation:

Licensed and insured late model, coaches, vehicles, watercraft, and other modes of transportation are utilized.

Meals and Refreshments:

Included when indicated in the tour description.

Guides:

Licensed, English-speaking, local guides accompany all tours, where available.

Entrance Fees:

Tours include all required admission fees, where applicable.

What Should I Wear?

When taking a shore excursion, comfortable walking shoes, sunglasses, a hat and sunscreen are suggested. You may consider bringing an umbrella, raincoat, sweater, or jacket. And don't forget your camera!

Cancellations and refunds

- In order to ensure quality guides and sufficient transportation, we must provide the tour operator with passenger counts at least 36 hours in advance. Therefore no refunds will be given within 36 hours of the tour.
- Tours operate rain or shine.
- Tours require minimum participation levels to operate so please sign up as early as possible. Tours may be cancelled if minimum participation levels are not met.

Prices, Itineraries and General Information

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