

# EASY NORTHERN LAKES AND LIGURIA

MAE-LAG-LIG-MIL - 0706

7  days | 6  nights

MILAN - STRESA - BORROMEAN ISLANDS - MILAN - PORTOFINO -  
SANTA MARGHERITA LIGURE - RAPALLO - LA SPEZIA





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## DAY 1 - WEDNESDAY

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### MILAN

At 6:00 PM, meet the tour leader at the reception.

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## DAY 2 - THURSDAY

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### MILAN

Breakfast at the hotel and a guided tour of Milan, a city renowned for its immense historical, artistic, and architectural heritage. Milan is also famous as Italy's fashion capital, a hub of industry, and a nerve center of the Italian economy. A walk through Milan must include its iconic landmarks: Piazza del Duomo, one of Italy's largest and most breathtaking squares, with the imposing Gothic-style Cathedral; Teatro alla Scala, a cultural symbol of Milan and one of the world's most prestigious theaters for history, architecture, and performances; and the Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II. Free time and return to the hote.

#### OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

##### **Milan's Navigli District**

Explore the Navigli district, one of Milan's most picturesque areas, renowned for its vibrant nightlife and numerous bars and restaurants along the canals. Enjoy an evening aperitivo during "happy hour" after a brief stroll to discover the history of this charming neighborhood.

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## DAY 3 - FRIDAY

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### MILAN - LAKE MAGGIORE: STRESA AND BORROMEAN ISLANDS - MILAN

Breakfast at the hotel and departure for Stresa, a splendid tourist destination on Lake Maggiore. This charming village is set in a unique landscape offering stunning views of the Alps and Lake Maggiore, home to the famous Borromean Islands. Next is





an excursion to the Borromean Islands, including Isola Bella with its monumental palace, Isola dei Pescatori (Fishermen's Island) with its picturesque charm, and Isola Madre, known for its botanical gardens filled with rare plants. Lunch will be on Isola dei Pescatori, featuring local cuisine. Return to Stresa for some free time, then back to the hotel in the afternoon.

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#### DAY 4 - SATURDAY

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### MILAN

Breakfast at the hotel and free time.

#### OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

##### **Lake Como – Como, Villa Carlotta, and Bellagio**

Visit the city of Como, a beloved destination in northern Italy, with its Duomo, Broletto (medieval town hall), Terragni Palace, ancient alleys, and remnants of medieval walls. Continue to Tremezzo to visit Villa Carlotta, overlooking the lake and surrounded by magnificent gardens. A boat ride will take you to Bellagio, one of the most enchanting towns on Lake Como, where you can enjoy free time to explore its charming corners. Return to the hotel in the afternoon.

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#### DAY 5 - SUNDAY

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### MILAN - PORTOFINO - SANTA MARGHERITA LIGURE - RAPALLO - LA SPEZIA

After breakfast, the day is dedicated to exploring the Gulf of Tigullio. Discover Portofino, with its elegant harmony and brightly colored buildings overlooking the sea, and Santa Margherita Ligure, known for its pastel-colored facades and stunning promenade. In the afternoon, take a boat to Rapallo, a historic town in the heart of the Gulf of Tigullio. Later, transfer to the hotel in La Spezia for free time.

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#### DAY 6 - MONDAY

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### LA SPEZIA

Breakfast at the hotel and free time.

#### OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

##### **Cinque Terre**

Weather permitting, take a boat or train to the Cinque Terre. Over centuries, humans have shaped this unique landscape with terraces along the slopes, creating one of Liguria's most beautiful and iconic panoramas. Explore Manarola, a true urban gem with its charming harbor and pastel-colored houses; Vernazza, one of Italy's most beautiful villages, with its amphitheater-like harbor extending toward the sea; and Monterosso, the largest and westernmost of the Cinque Terre villages, featuring a picturesque natural bay. Return to the hotel in the afternoon.

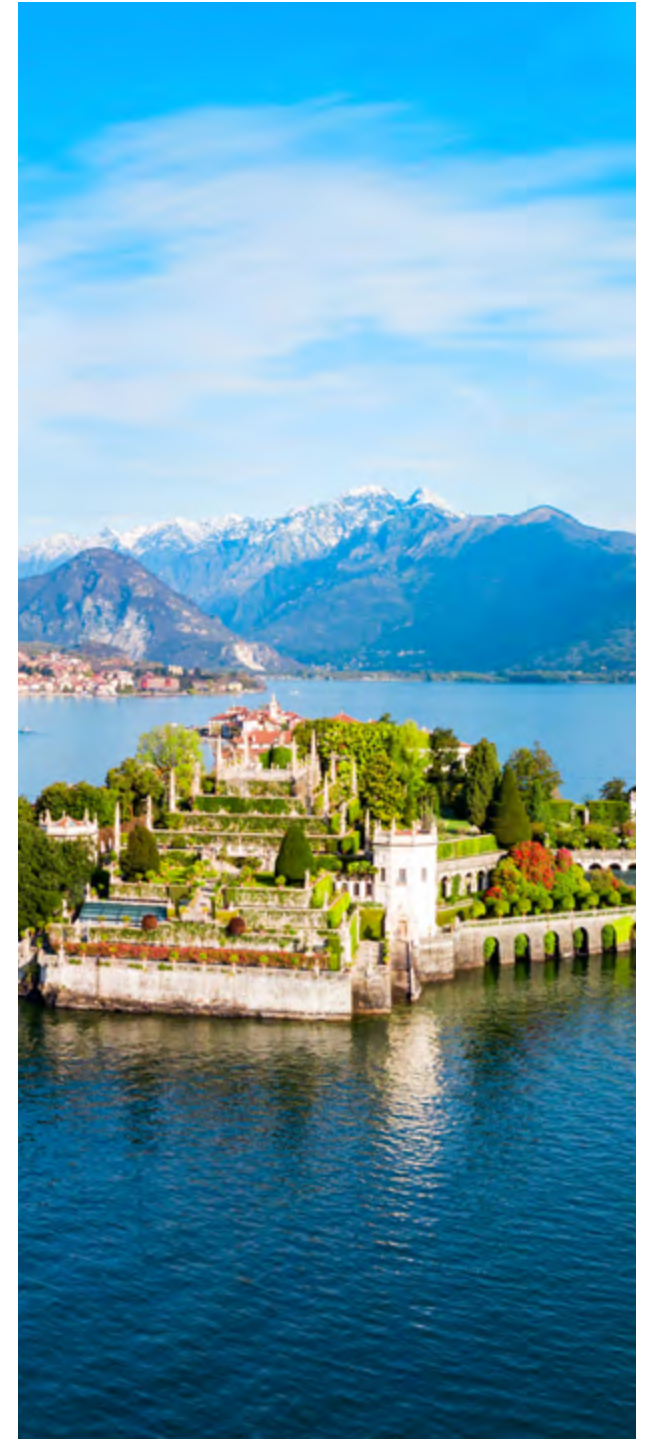
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#### DAY 7 - TUESDAY

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### LA SPEZIA

Breakfast at the hotel. End of services.



MARCH:	26
APRIL:	23
MAY:	07 - 21
JUNE:	04 - 18
JULY:	02 - 16 - 30
AUGUST:	13 - 27
SEPTEMBER:	10 - 24
OCTOBER:	08 - 22

From **€ 1,392.-**  
per person in DOUBLE occupancy

From **€ 1,377.-**  
per person in TRIPLE occupancy

SINGLE supplement: From €566.-  
Half Board supplement: €297.-



## HOTELS OR SIMILAR

- **Milan**  
Milan - Best Western Antares Concorde / Starhotel Ritz / Starhotel E.c.h.o / WorldHotel Casati 18 / Windsor Hotel / Milan Marriott / Antares Hotel Rubens / Best Western City / Unahotels Scandinavia / Unahotels Mediterraneo / NH Nhow or similar
- **La Spezia**  
CDH Hotel La Spezia / Hotel Firenze e Continentale / The Poet Hotel/ Hotel Ghironi / NH La Spezia or similar.

## THE PRICE INCLUDES:

- 6 nights accommodation in a double room at the mentioned hotels with breakfast included
- Transport by Gran Turismo bus or tourist minibus with WIFI included
- English-speaking tour guide assistance throughout the itinerary
- Guided tours with a licensed local guide in English: Milan - Borromean

### Islands

- Audioguides available throughout the trip
  - Entrance tickets: Milan Duomo - Borromean Islands
  - Boat transfer to the Borromean Islands
  - Lunch at Isola dei Pescatori with typical local dishes – beverages included
  - Boat transfer to Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure
- \*IMPORTANT: Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure, Lake Maggiore - In case of adverse weather conditions, the excursion may be canceled without prior notice, or the itinerary may be subject to changes without prior notice.*

## THE PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE:

- Flights to/from Italy
- Any internal connection or transfer to reach the starting point of the tour
- Private arrival and departure transfers
- City tax
- Drinks during meals, except where explicitly stated in "The price

### includes"

- Porters, tips, and general personal extras
- Optional excursions
- Assistance and cancellation insurance (optional and upon request)
- Everything not specifically stated in the program and under the "The price includes" section

NOTE: FOR PRE-TOUR AND POST-TOUR NIGHT RATES OR EXTRA NIGHTS IN SPECIFIC CITIES, PLEASE REFER TO THE GENERAL CONDITIONS AT THE END OF THIS DOCUMENT.