

LIGURIA AND TUSCANY

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9  days | 8  nights

MILAN - PORTOFINO - SANTA MARGHERITA LIGURE -
RAPALLO - CINQUE TERRE - FLORENCE - ROME



DAY 1 - SATURDAY

MILAN

Arrival at Milan airport and transfer to the hotel. Free time. At 6:00 PM, meet the tour leader at the reception.

DAY 2 - SUNDAY

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

After breakfast at the hotel, we will dedicate the day to exploring the Gulf of Tigullio. Visit Portofino, renowned for its elegant charm and vibrant-colored buildings overlooking the sea, and Santa Margherita Ligure, famous for its pastel-colored facades and its stunning promenade. In the afternoon, take a boat ride back to Rapallo, a city rich in historical heritage, situated at the heart of the Gulf of Tigullio. Later in the day, transfer to the hotel in La Spezia and enjoy free time.

DAY 3 - MONDAY

LA SPEZIA - CINQUE TERRE - LA SPEZIA

Breakfast at the hotel, and we will continue our journey to the Cinque Terre, traveling by boat or train depending on weather conditions. Over centuries, human ingenuity has shaped this territory by building the famous terraces that make use of the geography of its slopes, creating one of the most beautiful and iconic landscapes of Liguria. The guided tour begins with Manarola, an urban gem with its charming harbor and a cluster of pastel-colored houses. Next is Vernazza, considered one of the most beautiful villages in Italy, preserving its long maritime traditions. Its natural harbor, shaped like an amphitheater extending into the sea, attests to this legacy. Finally, we visit Monterosso,





the westernmost and most populous town of the Cinque Terre. Located in a small natural gulf, it consists of two settlements: the historic center to the east and the more modern, tourist-oriented area to the west. In the afternoon, return to the hotel.

DAY 4 - TUESDAY

LA SPEZIA - FLORENCE

Breakfast and departure to Florence, a city with an atmosphere that invites you to travel back in time. Renowned worldwide as the birthplace of the Renaissance, Florence is the cradle of architecture and art. Enjoy a guided tour of its historic center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, surrounded by churches, monuments, and stunning Renaissance buildings praised by poets throughout history. Highlights include the Baptistery of St. John, dedicated to the city's patron saint, the famous Giotto's Campanile, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, and Brunelleschi's imposing dome—just a few examples of Florence's wonders. After the visit, transfer to the hotel.

OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

The Uffizi Gallery

The Uffizi Gallery, designed in the mid-16th century by Giorgio Vasari, consists of 90 rooms housing some of the most important and famous paintings in the history of art. It features masterpieces by Giotto, Leonardo da Vinci, Michelangelo, and Botticelli, as well as numerous works by Flemish and Dutch painters, all displayed in chronological order. A visit to this museum is truly a journey through time, exploring the evolution of art and its timeless beauty.

DAY 5 - WEDNESDAY

FLORENCE

After breakfast, we will begin our second day in Florence by exploring one of the most authentic areas of the city: Oltrarno, located on the left bank of the Arno River. This district exudes a unique and timeless atmosphere, offering a glimpse into a more genuine Florence, populated mostly by locals. A visit to

the Ponte Vecchio is a must. With its hanging shops and houses, it stands as one of the most famous landmarks in the world. We will also visit the Palazzo Pitti, the last residence of the Medici family and now the largest museum complex in Florence. Enjoy free time before returning to the hotel.

OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

The Accademia Gallery

The Accademia Gallery is one of the most important museums in Florence and the world. Among its most significant works is Michelangelo's unparalleled David, one of the most famous sculptures globally and a universal symbol of the city of Florence.

DAY 6 - THURSDAY

FLORENCE - ROME

Breakfast and departure by train to Rome. Upon arrival, transfer to the hotel and enjoy free time to explore the city at your own pace. In the evening, savor a delightful dinner featuring typical Roman dishes in the charming Trastevere district, known for its lively atmosphere and authentic local cuisine.

DAY 7 - FRIDAY

ROME

Breakfast at the hotel, followed by a panoramic tour of Rome to admire the magnificent monuments of Ancient Rome: the Colosseum, Circus Maximus, Palatine Hill, Baths of Caracalla, and the most iconic Christian basilicas of the city: St. Paul Outside the Walls, St. John Lateran, Santa Maria Maggiore, and St. Peter's Basilica. The tour continues along the Tiber River, offering views of Castel Sant'Angelo and the Ara Pacis. The bus will then pass through the splendid Villa Borghese gardens and the elegant Via Veneto, famous for its connection to Hollywood stars, luxurious bars, and elegant hotels. During the tour, there will be a stop at the Capitoline Hill for a panoramic view of the Roman Forum and the magnificent Piazza Venezia. Another stop will be

made at St. Peter's Square, where you will have the option to continue with a visit to the Vatican Museums. Enjoy free time in the afternoon before returning to the hotel.

OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel

The Vatican Museums, considered one of the most important in the world, and the Sistine Chapel, the site of the Papal Conclave, masterfully painted by Michelangelo Buonarroti. This visit immerses you in the highest expressions of art across all eras, where beauty and faith converge in a unique and unparalleled combination. A must-see experience in Rome.

DAY 8 - SATURDAY

ROME

Breakfast at the hotel and a guided tour, including entry tickets, to the most evocative and imposing monument of antiquity, the Colosseum, one of the Seven Wonders of the World. Next, we will visit the archaeological area of the Roman Forum, a symbol of the Italian capital that showcases the mastery of Roman-era construction techniques during the Roman Empire.

OPTIONAL EXCURSION:

Tivoli and Its Magnificent Villas: Villa Adriana and Villa d'Este

In the afternoon, there is an option for a half-day visit to the city of Tivoli. Stroll through the ruins of Villa Adriana, from the Roman era, featuring temples, theaters, and statues. Then, explore the romantic Renaissance-era Villa d'Este, with its waterfalls, pools, and fountains in the garden—an unforgettable experience. At the end of the tour, we return to Rome.

DAY 9 - SUNDAY

ROME

Breakfast at the hotel and transfer to the airport/train station. End of services.





MARCH:	29
APRIL:	26
MAY:	24
JUNE:	07 - 21
JULY:	05 - 19
AUGUST:	02 - 16 - 30
SEPTEMBER:	13 - 27
OCTOBER:	11 - 25

From **€ 2.146.-**
per person in double occupancy

From **€ 2.131.-**
per person in TRIPLE occupancy

SINGLE supplement: From € 669.-
Half Board supplement: € 415.-

NOVEMBER:	08
DECEMBER:	06
JANUARY 2026:	10
FEBRUARY 2026:	07



PLANNED HOTELS OR SIMILAR

- **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 o similar
- **Florence**
Hotel Grifone/ Hotel Palazzo dal Borgo/ Cellai Boutique Hotel/ FH55 Hotel Mediterraneo/Hotel Albani/ Grand Hotel Adriatico/ NH Firenze/ Smarthotel Derosé or similar
- **Rome**
Hotel Gambrinus/ Hotel Napoleon/ Romanico Palace Luxury Hotel / IH Cicerone/ Palladium Palace/ Best Western Ars Hotel/ Club House Hotel/ NH Villa Carpegna/ Al Manthia Hotel/ DoubleTree by Hilton Rome Monti or similar

THE PRICE INCLUDES:

- 08 nights of accommodation in a double room at the mentioned hotels with breakfast included.
- Transportation by Grand Touring Bus or tourist minibus with WIFI included.
- Private transfers for arrival and departure.
- Assistance of an English-speaking tour guide throughout the entire tour.
- Guided tours with authorized local guides in English: Cinque Terre, Florence, Rome
- Audio guides available throughout the trip.
- Included entry tickets to: Pitti Palace in Florence, Colosseum
- Boat transfer to Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure.
- Boat or train transfer to Cinque Terre.
- Train transfer to Rome.
- Dinner in Rome with typical local dishes.

**IMPORTANT: Portofino and Santa Margherita Ligure – 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 connections or transfers to reach the starting point of the tour
- City tax
- Beverages during meals, unless expressly indicated under "The price includes"
- Luggage handling, tips, and general or personal extras
- Optional excursions
- Assistance and cancellation insurance (optional and upon request)
- Anything not specifically mentioned in the program and in the section "The price includes"

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