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7 DAY TOUR FROM ROME TO VENICE AREA

Tour: 6350

Your dream of visiting the shining cities of Italy with budget travel in mind can easily come true. With seven days to see the sights from Rome to Venice—including Pisa, Verona, and Florence—your guided Italy tour is waiting. Majestic Rome, with its historical sites beyond compare, is your first discovery on this affordable Italy vacation. From St. Peter's Square at the heart of the Vatican to the Colosseum, you'll see why this "eternal city" is a must-see on every travel bucket list. From Rome, your escorted Italy tour takes you to Pisa and Florence through a gentle landscape of exquisite vineyards, olive groves, and the rolling hills of Tuscany. In Pisa, visit the Square of Miracles and see the famed leaning tower before heading to Florence—"Cradle of the Renaissance." Take a guided walking tour of Florence to soak up the world-famous squares and palazzos of the ornate city, including the Duomo and the Baptistery's bronze door ("Gate of Paradise"). Off to Venice, stop in Verona—the setting for Shakespeare's fabled tragedy of Romeo & Juliet. See the ancient Roman Arena, which today is the home of the summer Opera Festival. From Verona, continue to romantic Venice, the city of unparalleled beauty. Take a boat to St. Mark's square and gaze upon the canals with their gondolas and

bridges. You can visit an original glassblowing workshop, discover the “calli” (narrow alleyways of Venice) and admire the exquisite palaces at your leisure for the perfect end to your inspiring Italy tour.

All This. Included.

The world is within reach with everything you need for perfectly affordable touring. Cosmos includes hand-selected accommodations, guided sightseeing, and seamless transportation between destinations—with value-minded travel lovers in mind. Explore with expert Cosmos Tour Directors and Local Guides, complimentary headsets, and private, first-class, air-conditioned motorcoach with free Wi-Fi, as well as a canal boat in Venice. Enhance your free time to explore like a local with your CosmosGO mobile app!

Your Tour Includes:

- Guided sightseeing in Rome, featuring St. Peter’s Square
- Scenic mini-train to Piazza dei Miracoli, site of the Leaning Tower of Pisa
- Guided sightseeing in Florence
- Visit to Verona
- Venice boat ride to St. Mark’s Square, featuring glass-blowing workshop

Special departures:

Departure December 30 includes New Year’s festive dinner in Rome.



DAYS



COUNTRY

 COUNTRIES

Italy

 MEALS

Breakfast	6	Dinner	1
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Day  Day

Itinerary

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1 ARRIVE IN ROME, ITALY

Check into your hotel. The rest of the day is free for you to explore this ancient capital with the help of the CosmosGO app. This evening, meet your Tour Director and travel companions.

2 ROME

Steeped in history, the “Eternal City” is vibrantly alive and exciting, and absolutely unique! Start the included introduction to Rome’s landmarks from St. Peter’s Square with a Local Guide. Enjoy a drive along the iconic landmarks of the city: the Tiber River, the Caius Cestius Pyramid, the Aurelian Walls, and the Caracalla Baths. Complete the experience with a walk back in time from the Circus Maximus to the Arch of Constantine and to the fascinating Colosseum, symbol of the Roman Empire.*

* For operational reasons, changes to the Rome program cannot be excluded.

 Breakfast

While we include select excursions on your trip, you may wish to explore other options to enhance your free time. Below is a selection of excursions that may be available for purchase on your tour.

Vatican Museums & Sistine Chapel

A tour through the Vatican Museums, including the magnificent Gallery of Tapestries, leading to the Sistine Chapel, where you can admire masterpieces by some of the...

3h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



Treasures of Rome and Dinner

Enjoy a tour of Rome and relax over a 3-course dinner with dessert, local wine, and authentic Roman atmosphere!

4h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



3 ROME-PISA-FLORENCE

Vistas of rolling hills, cypress trees, terraced vineyards, olive groves, and charming villages form the backdrop as you journey into the heart of Tuscany. Stop in Pisa to enjoy a mini-train ride to the Square of Miracles and see the legendary Leaning Tower. Then, head east to magnificent Florence, "Cradle of the Renaissance." Everything tastes better in Tuscany! See for yourself with an optional culinary experience in the Tuscan countryside to indulge in authentic traditional dishes—with wine, of course! Today's Distance: 284 mi/ 457 km

 Breakfast

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Tuscan Dinner

Enjoy a wonderful dinner in the delightful Tuscan countryside, featuring authentic traditional dishes using the finest local ingredients.

3h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



4 FLORENCE

Today, discover the wonders of Florence, starting with a guided walking tour, featuring some of the city's greatest attractions. See the unique Duomo with Giotto's Gothic Bell Tower, the Baptistry's ornate bronze door known as the "Gate of Paradise" and the world-famous Signoria Square.

 Breakfast

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Florence Taste & Tales

Step back in time on this captivating tour through Florence's historic streets and taste authentic Florentine specialties and wine.

2h 0m

Price Range: \$



Accademia Gallery Tour: Michelangelo's David with Expert Local Guide

Visit the renowned Accademia Gallery with an expert local guide and discover Michelangelo's David, one of the greatest masterpieces of the Renaissance, along with...

3h 0m

Price Range: \$\$



5 FLORENCE-VERONA-VENICE AREA

Travel north and cross the Po River to Verona, setting for Shakespeare's Romeo & Juliet. Marvel at the ancient Roman Arena, built for gladiator fights but now still used as a popular venue for festivals and concerts; shop in Via Mazzini, or just wander the cobblestone streets of the city center. Continue to the Venice area. Do you believe in magic? An optional evening boat ride on Giudecca Canal, dinner in a local restaurant, and St. Mark's square at night will remove all doubt!

Today's Distance: 245 mi/ 395 km

 Breakfast

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Venetian Dinner

The magic of Venice comes to life as you enjoy an unforgettable evening at one of the city's most celebrated local restaurants.

5h 30m

Price Range: \$\$



Magic of Verona

Discover Verona by coach and by foot on this guided introduction to the city forever tied to ancient Rome and Shakespeare's "Romeo & Juliet".

3h 0m

Price Range: \$



6 VENICE AREA

Venice is a place of unmatched beauty and a feast of fantastic sights. View the delightful crisscrossing canals, the gondolas, arched bridges, palaces, and piazzas. Your included orientation features a boat ride to St. Mark's Square and a visit to a Venetian glassblowing workshop. You'll have time to explore at leisure on your own or join one of our wonderful optional excursions. Otherwise, just relax, sipping a cappuccino or the typical Venetian drink called "spritz" at one of the many bars or cafés.

 Breakfast  Dinner

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Venetian Lagoon Cruise with Burano Visit

Experience the Venetian lagoon from the water as you cruise along the lagoon to charming Burano Island for free time to explore on your own.

3h 0m

Price Range: \$



Gondola

When in Rome, do as the Romans -- and when in Venice, head right for the gondolas! Hop aboard a traditional gondola for a ride through the magical Venetian canals

0h 30m

Price Range: \$\$



7 VENICE AREA

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.



Notes



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Tour Director

Hand-Picked

Hotels



After a day of traveling, you want to relax at a comfortable, clean, and attractive hotel. We select hotels with the best guestrooms (always with a private bathroom), service, and food for the money.

ROME

Grand Fleming Hotel

P.Za M.Leone Spoleto, 20 Roma Italy



First-Class



WiFi

Modern hotel offering popular amenities and comforts, restaurant and bar is located 40 km from FCO Airport; staff is multilingual.

Hotel Amenities

- Restaurant On-Site
 - Business Center
 - Gift Shop
 - Luggage Storage
 - Parking/Valet
- Bar/Lounge
 - Concierge Desk
 - Laundry Available
 - Elevator
 - Currency Exchange

Room Features

- Room Service
 - In-Room Safe
 - Air Conditioning
 - Desk
 - Television
 - Cable/Satellite
 - Phone
 - Non-Smoking Rooms
- Mini-Bar
 - Alarm Clock
 - Wake-Up Calls
 - Hair Dryer
 - Window Opens
 - Internet Access
 - Disabled Access / Rooms

American Palace Eur

Via Laurentina, 554 Rome Italy

 Moderate First-Class

 WiFi

Hotel American Palace Eur is situated in the southern area of Rome near the EUR business district and is extremely well connected thanks to its vicinity to the subway station Laurentina which make both city center and airports easy to access. All 196 guest rooms have bathrooms en-suite and are furnished in a modern style with carpet or wooden floor. Every room is equipped with minibar, safe, heating, a/c, digital tv, direct line telephone, hairdryer, desk and courtesy set. The hotel offers on-site bar, restaurant and a free 24-hour gym.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Fitness Room

- Restaurant On-Site
- Business Center
- Laundry Available
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet
- Bar/Lounge
- Concierge Desk
- ATM
- Elevator

Room Features

- Room Service
- In-Room Safe
- Climate Control
- Wake-Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone
- Non-Smoking Rooms
- Mini-Bar
- Air Conditioning
- Pay Movies
- Desk
- Television
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Disabled Access / Rooms

FLORENCE

Wyndham Garden Florence

Via Luigi Gori, 10 Florence Italy

 Superior Tourist-Class

 WiFi

The Wyndham Garden Florence has 92 air-conditioned rooms, furnished with a flat-screen TV with satellite channels, safety deposit box, desk, coffeemaker and a minibar. Ensuite bathrooms are equipped with bath or shower, free toiletries and hairdryer. The hotel offers a fitness center, free private parking, a shared lounge, a restaurant with great options and a continental, Italian or American breakfast available each morning at the property.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Restaurant On-Site
- Fitness Room
- Bar/Lounge

- Business Center
- Laundry Available
- Elevator
- Concierge Desk
- Luggage Storage
- Currency Exchange

Room Features

- Room Service
- In-Room Safe
- Climate Control
- Coffee Maker
- Hair Dryer
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Air Conditioning (Seasonal)
- Mini-Bar
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Desk
- Television
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone

VENICE AREA

Poppi

Via Romea ,80 Venezia-Gambarare Mira Italy

 Superior Tourist-Class

 WiFi

Situated on the Riviera del Brenta and founded in 1965,the hotel is still family run. hotel Poppi offers 100 rooms and a renowned restaurant.

Hotel Amenities

- Free WiFi
- Bar/Lounge
- Concierge Desk
- Ice Machine
- Elevator
- Restaurant On-Site
- Business Center
- Laundry Available
- Luggage Storage
- Parking/Valet

Room Features

- Room Service
- In-Room Safe
- Air Conditioning
- Iron/Ironing Board
- Desk
- Television
- Cable/Satellite
- Internet Access
- Disabled Access / Rooms
- Mini-Bar
- Alarm Clock
- Climate Control
- Wake-Up Calls
- Hair Dryer
- Window Opens
- Complimentary Toiletries
- Phone
- Non-Smoking Rooms