



## Venice, Florence and Rome - 8 Days (#16294)

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### Trip Highlights

Venice " Florence " Assisi " Rome

### Detailed Itinerary

#### Day 01

#### Day 1, Arrive Venice, Sunday

Arriving at Venice's airport where you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure until you gather for a Welcome Dinner with your Tour Director and traveling companions. (D)

**Meal:** Dinner

#### Day 02

#### Day 2, In Venice, Monday



Arriving at Venice's airport where you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The rest of the day is at leisure until you gather for a Welcome Dinner with your Tour Director and traveling companions. (D) We began exploring Venice with a boat ride to Murano Island, famous for its artistic glassware. Visit a glassblowing factory, where you will watch a demonstration of traditional Venetian glassblowing by master craftsmen. Then, on to St. Mark's Square, for the walking tour, viewing the St. Mark's Basilica and the Doge's Palace, and enjoying views of the Bell Tower and Bridge of Sighs. The balance of the day is at leisure to enjoy Venice at your own pace, shop, or join an optional gondola ride. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast and Dinner

### Day 03

#### Day 3, Venice to Ferrara, Pisa and Florence, Tuesday

Drive to Ferrara, a Renaissance gem in the Emilia-Romagna region, standing on the banks of the Po River. After an orientation tour, continue to Pisa where you'll view the famous Piazza del Miracoli with its Leaning Tower, Baptistery, and Duomo. Then on to Florence for the night. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 04

#### Day 4, in Florence, Wednesday

This morning begins with a city tour of the majestic Piazza del Duomo to see the Cathedral crowned by Brunelleschi's awe-inspiring Dome, Giotto's Bell Tower, and the Baptistery with Ghiberti's splendid bronze "Gates of Paradise." Walk across the famous old bridge- "Ponte Vecchio". The remainder of the day is yours to savour the Renaissance splendour of the Tuscan capital your own way. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast

### Day 05

#### Day 5, Florence to Assisi and Rome, Thursday

Travel through the stunning panorama of Tuscany with its iconic landscapes as you make your way to Assisi, the hometown of St. Francis. Take a walking tour to see the main square and visit the impressive Basilica of St. Francis. Continue to Rome. An evening at leisure. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast



## Day 06

### Day 6, In Rome, Friday

A full-day sightseeing tour shows you all the highlights of the incomparable Eternal City. Visit the Vatican Museums with moving Sistine Chapel and grand St. Peter's Basilica. Then on to view the Colosseum, ancient Palatine Hill overlooking Circus Maximus and the Imperial Palace, and the Roman Forum. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast

## Day 07

### Day 7, In Rome, Saturday

Your day is free in spectacular Rome! Your Tour Director will have suggestions on how to spend your time. You might want to visit some of the chic shops, galleries, and museums; do some more sightseeing on your own or relax in a sidewalk cafe with a glass of fine Italian wine, a cold Limon cello, some refreshing gelato, or a hearty dish of pasta. Tonight, a festive farewell dinner with your fellow travellers is the perfect way to celebrate your glimpse of Italy. Farewell dinner. (B, D)

**Meal:** Breakfast and Dinner

## Day 08

### Day 8, Depart Rome, Sunday

One last breakfast in Italy before you are transferred to Rome's airport. (B)

**Meal:** Breakfast

## Inclusions

- Arrival transfer Venice airport to hotel on day 01
- Accommodation in first class hotels
- Service charges and hotel taxes
- Luggage handling (1 pc per person)
- Buffet breakfast daily
- 2 dinners (coffee or tea included)
- Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach



- “ Professional English-Speaking Tour Director throughout
- “ Licensed Local Guides
- “ Entrance fees included as mentioned in the notes.
- “ Complimentary whispers with sightseeing tours
- “ Departure transfer hotel to Rome airport on day 08

#### Sightseeing Tours Included:

- “ Venice
- “ Florence
- “ Assisi
- “ Rome

## Exclusions

- International airfares
- Optional activities
- Other meals, drinks, tips and other personal expenses or services not specified on the program
- Travel insurance
- Gratuities
- Voluntary tips for guides or drivers
- Travel and medical insurance
- Any items not mentioned as included

## Note

#### Hotels:

- “ Venice: NH Santa Lucia (F) or similar
- “ Florence: Grand Hotel Adriatico (F) or similar
- “ Rome: Starhotels Metropole (F) or similar

#### One time Entrance fees included for the below places:

- Venice - Glassblowing Factory
- Assisi - Basilica of St. Francis
- Rome - Vatican Museums, St. Peter's Basilica and Sistine Chapel



## Program Touring / Guide

Escorted Experience

## Fixed Departure

24 Nov, 2024

First Class Hotels

AUD 3,440 P P twin share

AUD 4,972 P P single

AVAILABLE

