

## **OVERVIEW**

Experience the best of Italy's history and natural beauty on our Rome and Sorrento coast tour. Start your journey in Rome, where you'll discover ancient landmarks and fascinating historical sites. See the Colosseum, the Pantheon, and the Vatican, and learn about the rich history of the Eternal City. Then, head south to Sorrento, where you'll explore the picturesque town and take in the stunning views of the Bay of Naples. Walk along the charming streets, visit lemon groves, and enjoy local cuisine and wines. With our expert guides, you'll gain a deeper understanding of Italy's culture and history while creating unforgettable memories in two of the country's most captivating destinations. Don't miss this opportunity to discover the best of Rome and Sorrento coast.

## **ACCOMMODATION**

CITY	HOTEL NAME	NO. OF NIGHTS
Rome	Hotel Della Conciliazione	3 Nights
Sorrento Coast	Art Hotel Gran Paradiso	4 Nights

#### **DEPARTURE**

Start Date	End Date	Departure Gateway	Price Per Person
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### **INCLUSIONS**

- 7 Accommodation in listed hotels or similar based on DBL / TWN sharing basis.
- Daily Breakfast
- Round trip airfare in economy class ex Vancouver
- All transfers are as specified in the itinerary.
- Roman Forum, Colosseum, and Palatine hill tour
- Admission to Pompeii Archeological Excavations
- Sorrento Walking tour
- Full-day Amalfi coast tour
- Services of English-speaking Tour Manager all throughout the Tour
- Admissions to attractions and museums as specified in the itinerary
- All local applicable taxes

## **EXCLUSIONS**

- All other meals
- All other sightseeing or Services
- Optional tours
- Gratuities for meals, tourist guides, drivers
- Beverages during the meals
- Visa fee
- Travel Insurance
- Personal expenses such as alcoholic and other beverages, telephone calls, video camera fees at the monuments, and laundry
- Covid Testing RTPCR Fee if applicable
- City Taxes of around EUR 4 EUR 5 per person are to be paid locally at the time of check-in
- Any other services or Items not mentioned above as included

### ADD-On

Day 8 - Capri and Blue Grotto tour including transfers from Hotel (minimum 10 pax) (Minimum 10 Pax): \$110

**Day 4 -** Vatican Museum, Sistine Chapel and Basilica Tour including transfers from Hotel - Minimum 10 Pax (Minimum 10 Pax): **\$150** 

DAY 1

Depart USA/CANADA [-/-/-]

Prepare yourself! You are leaving today for Rome to start your unbelievable Italian Gems journey.

DAY 2

Rome Arrival [-/-/D]

Upon arrival in Rome, claim your bags and proceed toward the arrival hall. Our representative will meet you and assist you with your transfer to the hotel. (Standard check-in time is 3:00 pm). Check-in at the hotel and catch up on your rest.

This evening all participants will gather for dinner in the hotel restaurant where you will become acquainted with your fellow travelers, the coming days can be discussed at leisure with your Tour Guide.

Overnight in Rome

DAY 3

Rome (Colosseum, Palatine Hill and Imperial Forum) [B/-/-]

Enjoy your breakfast this morning. Meet your guide and proceed to explore the Colosseum - Palatine Hill with Baroque Rome. This tour will journey through the ancient and Baroque history of Rome.

Begin with visiting the Colosseum, one of the most iconic landmarks of Rome. The Colosseum is an ancient amphitheater that was used for gladiatorial contests and public spectacles. You will learn about the history of the Colosseum, its construction, and the events that took place here.

Next, you will visit Palatine Hill, which is one of the seven hills of Rome and is considered to be the birthplace of the city. You will explore the ruins of the imperial palaces and hear stories about the emperors who lived here, including Augustus and Tiberius.

After Palatine Hill, the tour will take you to the heart of Baroque Rome. You will visit some of the most beautiful and iconic Baroque monuments in the city, including the Trevi Fountain, the Spanish Steps, and the Piazza Navona. Your guide will provide you with insights into the art, architecture, and history of these monuments.

Finally, the tour will end at the Pantheon, which is one of the best-preserved ancient Roman buildings in the city. Your guide will tell you about the history and architecture of the Pantheon and its significance in Roman history.

The rest of the day is free for leisure.

Overnight in Rome

DAY 4

Rome (Day free at leisure) [B/-/-]

After enjoying your breakfast, you have the day to yourself. You might consider taking a stroll through Rome's Historic Center, a UNESCO World Heritage Site that boasts several famous landmarks, such as the Pantheon, Trevi Fountain, and the Spanish Steps. Alternatively, you could browse the local markets, where you can find a variety of goods ranging from food to souvenirs. The Campo de' Fiori market or the Porta Portese market are excellent places to immerse yourself in the local culture.

As Rome is renowned for its cuisine, be sure to sample some traditional Roman dishes from the numerous restaurants and street vendors available. Some popular options include carbonara, cacio e pepe, and pizza bianca.

If you'd like to make the most of your day, you may also consider pre-booking one of our suggested optional tours.

# Add-on - Vatican Museum, Sistine Chapel, and Basilica Tour including transfers from Hotel (minimum 10 Pax) - USD 150 Per person

Discover the Vatican Museums on this guided tour with skip-the-line guaranteed. Visit St. Peter's Basilica and marvel at the works of Michelangelo and Bernini. Begin your guided walking tour at the Vatican Museums, with their immense collection built by the Popes throughout the centuries, and discover one of the world's most remarkable art collections. See the Pio Clementino Hall, the Laocoon and Apollo Belvedere. Marvel at works by ancient cartographers in the Gallery of Maps and wander the Candelabra Gallery and the Gallery of Tapestries to see Flemish works by pupils of Raphael.

Go inside the Sistine Chapel to see Michelangelo's legendary frescoes. From the Museum, exit directly into St. Peter's Basilica, the most important Christian church in the world, where you will admire, among others, Michelangelo's masterpiece the Pietà and the impressive Baldachin Altar by Bernini. The tour ends in St. Peter's Square, dominated by Michelangelo's imposing Cupola and surrounded by the famous Bernini's double Colonnade.

Overnight in Rome

DAY 5

Rome - Pompeii - Sorrento Coast [B/-/-]

After breakfast, check out and drive down the Autostrada del Sole (Highway of the Sun). Upon arrival in the lost city of Pompeii, meet your personal archaeologist who will guide you through the remarkably well-preserved remains of this once-thriving ancient metropolis. Led by your professional guide, explore the well-preserved structures and evidence of daily life inside this ancient city. Following your exploration of Pompeii, embark on a scenic drive down the serene winding roads of the Italian coast en route to Sorrento. Upon arrival in Sorrento check-in at the hotel. Spend time exploring the center of this coastal gem along the Gulf of Naples.

Overnight in Sorrento Coast

DAY 6

Sorrento (Walking tour) [B/-/-]

After breakfast, enjoy a guided walking tour through the coastal city of Sorrento, a cosmopolitan place full of stylish and typical Italian artisan shops selling local products and wares. The delightful climate attracted Roman aristocrats in ancient times, who came to Sorrento and built magnificent villas. Today Sorrento is a rich and stylish city. Next, take part in two of our Cultural Discovery Series – Visit Alessandro Fiorentiono Collection and learn about wood craftsmanship. Then, learn about the tradition and secrets behind "Limoncello" production. Following the demonstration, enjoy a tasting of this famous Italian liqueur. The afternoon is free to relax and enjoy the Italian way.

Overnight in Sorrento

Enjoy your breakfast in the morning. Enjoy the Amalfi Coast drive which is arguably the world's most beautiful and thrilling sightseeing road. Your guide, along the journey, will give you general information including how to spend your free time for each of the stops programmed: Positano is a true paradise, developed vertically within a tangled overlay of streets, alleys, and shops that expose the colorful Positano fashions well-known all around the world. In the town center is the Parish Church of Santa Maria Assunta which shows up with its large dome, tiled in majolica, and sheltering some precious works like polychrome marble altars. It's nice to get lost in Positano. To fully embrace the beauty of the town it is probably better to walk without a precise destination. You will be able to enjoy the streets, the little shops, the restaurants, the monuments, the churches, and the beaches. Amalfi, a picturesque interlacing of alleys and stairways overlooks the sea with all its extraordinary colors reflecting the enchanting landscape of Amalfi, the town whose name blesses the entire coast.

Dominated by the majestic Cathedral dedicated to Sant'Andrea (St. Andrew), Amalfi proffers innumerable testimonies of its glorious past as the Maritime Republic. Enjoy some free time in Amalfi. You can visit the medieval Cathedral of St. Andrew or simply relax on the beach. Afterward, relax on your return journey to Sorrento.

Overnight in Sorrento Coast

DAY 8

Sorrento - Day free at leisure [B/-/-]

Today is free to explore places on your own in order to get a true sense of where you are. Take time to enjoy a coffee at a cafe or walk along the main streets of the town. The best way to see the town is to walk, where undoubtedly you'll unearth wonderful finds, whether it's the intoxicating aroma of a bakery or handmade leather goods, beautiful music boxes, or fine lace. Discover a quaint park with children chasing each other or have a glass of wine while sitting by the sea. Another great thing to do is to head over to Capri for the day. Visit the Blue Grotto, sit in a cafe on the Piazzetta, Capri's famous square, and make sure to have lunch looking out on the Faraglioni. Book a table at II Geranio, Villa Verde, or Da Luigi and you won't be disappointed.

# Add-on - Capri and Blue Grotto tour including transfers from Hotel (minimum 10 Pax) - USD 110 Per person

Discover the magic of the island of Capri on this day trip from the port of Sorrento. Cut through the water in a jetfoil boat and sail into Marina Grande. Travel across the island in a minibus to the stunning town of Anacapri and the bustling city of Capri. Meet your local guide at the port of Sorrento and boat a comfortable and speedy jetfoil boat to the island of Capri. Begin your tour at the island's main port, Marina Grande, a spacious and air-conditioned vehicle waiting to whisk you away to the Blue Grotto. Drive along scenic winding roads, including the breathtaking Mamma Mia Road before reaching Anacapri. Have some free time to explore this small village with its narrow streets, beautiful gardens, and colorful hillside buildings. Stop for lunch at one of the restaurants in Anacapri where

you can purchase some delicious local cuisine. Next, head to the main town of Capri to visit the fashionable Piazzetta Square in the pulsing center of the island. Take in the vibe of boutique hotels, restaurants, and open-air cafes. Sit back and relax, sip on a cocktail, or even spot someone rich and famous. Spend some free time exploring on your own. Finally, return to the Marina Grande and transfer to the jetfoil boat for the return trip to the port in Sorrento

Overnight in Sorrento Coast

DAY 9

Sorrento - Rome Departure [B/-/-]

Today marks the end of your amazing Italian tour. After breakfast this morning, your tour officially concludes. You will be transferred to the Rome international airport at the designated time for your return flight.

# **Payment Policy**

Deposit: CAD\$ 500 per person [Non-refundable / Non-transferrable]

**Deposit Date:** 30th May 2023 50% Deposit: 2nd Dec 2023 Full Balance: 26th January 2024

(Once the deposit is paid, the travelers can then pay any amount on any date. Travelers to ensure that the payment deadlines are met as above)

## **Insurance Policy**

We encourage everyone who books a VOYAGES HUB TOURS package, regardless of age or tour choice, to obtain a travel protection plan. While you intend to take that once-in-a-lifetime trip, illness, family emergencies, and other factors can derail your best-laid plans.

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# **Cancellation Policy**

- From the date of booking to 145 days before departure: CAD\$500 per person Non-Refundable / Non-transferrable Deposit + interruption insurance cost (if purchased)
- 144-120 days before departure: 50% of the cost per person
- 119- 60 days before departure: 80% of the cost per person
- 59 days or fewer before departure: **No refund is available**.

Note: A person becoming a single as a result of the roommate's cancellation must pay the single supplement



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