

Full Day Tour of Rome

Comprising of a four and a half hour tour with a chartered motor coach and fully qualified guide, followed by the remainder of the day being made available for independent exploration of Rome.

For the past two thousand years, Rome has been one of the most important and influential cities in the Western world. Once the capital of the huge Roman Empire, today it is the capital of Italy and contains the City State of the Vatican, headquarters of the Roman Catholic Church.



On your tour you will visit the Forum, the centre of the City around which ancient Rome developed, in which commerce, business and the administration of justice took place. You will also visit inside the Colosseum. Built around 70 AD, it was the largest

amphitheatre built in the Roman Empire, capable of seating 80,000 spectators. It witnessed many spectacular gladiatorial combats paid for by the Emperors of Rome to appease the local population.

In between these two visits, you will also get to see many other famous sights, such as the Trevi Fountain and the Spanish Steps.



Full Day Tour of The Vatican City.

You will be accompanied by a guide for a half day tour around The Vatican. The remainder of the day will allow for independent exploration of the Vatican in particular allowing you to pay a personal visit to St Peters. You will receive motor coach transfers to and from the Vatican City and your hotel

The Vatican City is a sovereign city-state, almost completely walled within the city of Rome. It is the smallest independent nation in the world and is governed by the Pope, the Holy Father of the Catholic Church.



The most prominent building inside the Vatican City is the Basilica of Saint Peter, dominated by Michelangelo's dome. One of the largest churches in Christianity it covers an area of 6 acres and has a capacity of over 60,000 people. One of the holiest sites of Christendom, it is the burial site of Saint Peter, one of the twelve apostles.

No visit would be complete without an entrance to the Sistine Chapel, which dates back to 1483. In 1508, Pope Julius II commissioned Michelangelo to repaint the ceiling and his fresco, which took four years to complete, is a spectacular achievement of human endeavor.

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The first payment will confirm and hold your reservation.

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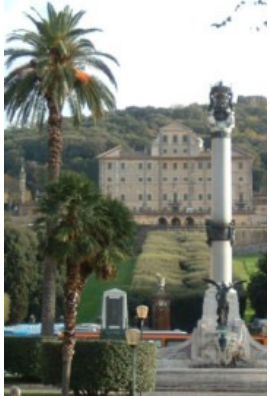
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Full Day Frascati

The beautiful town of Frascati is located less than 15 miles south-east of Rome, on the Alban Hills close to the ancient city of Tusculum. It is a popular destination for Romans who like to escape the City at weekends, and has many fine hotels and restaurants.



En route there will be time to stop in Castel Gandolfo a small town that occupies a height overlooking Lake Albano about 30 km south-east of Rome, on the Alban Hills. It is best known as the summer residence of the Pope. Clement VIII was the first Pope to come to Castel Gandolfo, but it was Pope Urban VIII who rebuilt the old castle in 1626.

Late morning arrival in Frascati and after a time for independent sightseeing enjoy lunch accompanied by a local student guide in one of the many restaurants in the town.

PROJECTED PAYMENTS

November 04	\$ 300
December 09	\$ 300
February 10	\$ 400
March 10	\$ 400
April 14	\$ 400
May 12	\$ 300
August 11	\$ 400
September 08	\$ 400
October 06	\$ 400
November 03	\$ Balance

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PROJECTED ITINERARY

27 Dec	Depart DFW for Rome
28 Dec	Arrive Rome / Hotel Check-in—Marriott Central Park Dinner at "Gladiatore" in central Rome "Rome by Night" panoramic tour of the city
29 Dec	Guided tour of The Colosseum and the Roman Forum Performance in Piazza del Popolo Dinner with strolling musicians at Da Meo Patacca / Da Benito
30 Dec	Trip to Castel Gandolfo & Frascati
31 Dec	Tour Vatican City w/ entrance to Vatican Museum, The Sistine Chapel, and St. Peter's Basilica Flight from Rome to London Hotel Check-in—Cumberland Hotel, London New Year's Even Party and Disco in hotel
01 Jan	London New Year's Day Parade
02 Jan	Guided tour of London Trip to Windsor w/ entrance to Royal Palace Dinner in traditional British Pub
03 Jan	Personal sightseeing and shopping
04 Jan	Depart for Edmond, America

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