

ATHENS TO DUBROVNIK

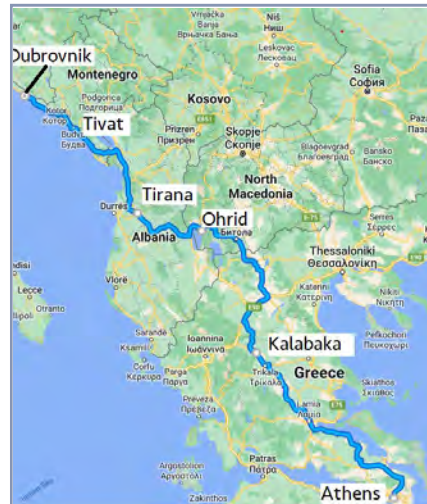
Escorted Motorcoach Tour (K804)

10 days / 9 nights: 2 nights in Athens, 1 night in Kalabaka, 1 night in Ohrid,
2 nights in Tirana, 1 night in Tivat & 2 nights in Dubrovnik

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Athens - Stanley or Titania (or similar) Kalabaka - Grand Meteora (or similar) Ohrid - Granit (or similar) Tirana - Colosseio or similar) Tivat - Palma or similar) Dubrovnik - Valamar Larcoma or similar)	Breakfast daily 5 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees where indicated Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person

Dates	Twin	Single
May 22 -31	\$2,758	\$3,613
June 12 - 21	\$2,758	\$3,613
June 26 - July 5	\$2,758	\$3,613
September 11 - 20	\$2,758	\$3,613
Sept. 25 - Oct. 4	\$2,758	\$3,613
October 16 - 25	\$2,758	\$3,613



Day by Day Itinerary

- Day 1** - On arrival in Athens Transfer to your hotel. The balance of the day is free. Meet your fellow travelers tonight at a **Welcome Taverna dinner in the Plaka beside the Acropolis. (D)**
- Day 2** - See the highlights of Athens, graceful temples, centuries-old monasteries and Byzantine churches. This cosmopolitan and bustling capital city is set amid reminders of a long and glorious past. Visit the **Acropolis**, the Parthenon, the Erechtheion with the Porch of the Maidens, the **Temple of Athena Nike** and other historic sites. Below the Acropolis lies the ancient Agora and the Theaters of Dionysus and Herodotus Atticus. The afternoon and evening are at leisure. **(B)**
- Day 3** - Your first stop this morning is **Delphi**, where the famous **Oracle** once foretold the destiny of men. The Temple of Apollo in which the Oracle functioned was built in the 6th century B.C. Also see the Sacred Way, The Stadium and the Castilian Fountain, where pilgrims cleansed themselves in preparation for consulting the Oracle. Visit the **Archeological Museum of Delphi** which contains an impressive collection of artifacts from the site, including the beautiful **"Bronze Charioteer"**. Continue to **Kalabaka** for overnight an dinner. **(B,D)**
- Day 4** - After breakfast admire the fantastic landscapes of **Meteora**, known as "the rocks that fell from the sky", where monks built their rock-top monasteries far away from civilization. Out of the 13 large and 20 small monasteries and hermit's cells only four are now active. The most important is **Megalo of Great Meteoro** with its tall and intricate dome, twelve sides and fine frescoes. Continue across the border to North Macedonia and on to **Ohrid. (B,D)**
- Day 5** - The lakeside resort of **Ohrid** is an important cultural and spiritual center, classified as **UNESCO World Heritage site**. Start Morning sightseeing with a walk through cobblestone streets of old town. Visit the **Cathedral of St. Sofia**, containing some magnificent frescoes for the 10th century. In early afternoon travel to **Tirana, capital of Albania. (B,D)**
- Day 6** - On this morning sightseeing tour, see **Sheshi Skenderbej (Skanderbeg Square)**, the Mosque of Ethem Bey, the **Clock Tower** and the statue of G.K.Skanderbeg, Albania's national hero; the Palace of culture and the **National History Museum** with a mosaic on its facade portraying Albanian history. The afternoon is free to continue exploring on your own, shop or simply relax. **(B)**
- Day 7** - After breakfast leave Tirana towards the town of **Shkodra**, nowadays a major cultural center. Shkodra was the center of Illyrian tribe Labeat and was taken by the Romans in the year 168 B.C..You will have view of the **Rozafa Castle**, magnificently situated on a rocky outcrop of limestone high above the city, before we **cross the border to Montenegro** and drive via Bar and Budva to Tivat. Dinner upon arrival. **(B,D)**
- Day 8** - After breakfast, your journey takes you to Dubrovnik. On the way, you will see **Kotor Bay**, the only South European fjord and stop for orientation tour of old town Kotor, an UNESCO Heritage site. Continue to Dubrovnik. **(B,D)**
- Day 9** - After breakfast, walking tour of **Old Dubrovnik**. Visit the Rector's Palace and see the Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, the Dominican Monastery with its Pharmacy, one of the oldest in the world. The afternoon is at leisure. **(B)**
- Day 10** - After breakfast transfer to the Dubrovnik airport for your flight home. Extra nights are available if you wish to extend your stay in Europe. **(B)**

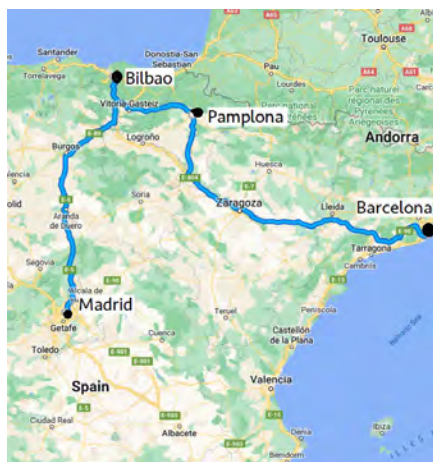
ELEGANCE, CULTURE & RECONQUISTA IN SPAIN

Escorted Motorcoach Tour(K100)

9 days / 8 nights: 3 nights in Madrid, 2 nights in Bilbao, 1 night in Pamplona & 2 nights in Barcelona

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Madrid – Catalonia Goya F (or similar) Bilbao – Catalonia Gran Vía Bilbao F (or similar) Pamplona – Maisonnave F (or similar) Barcelona – Catalonia Gracia F (or similar)	Breakfast daily 1 Welcome reception 1 “pintxos” tasting 2 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees where indicated Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person		
Dates	Twin	Single
April 22 - 30	\$3,099	\$4,134
May 27 - June 4	\$2,895	\$3,930
July 8 - 16	\$2,775	\$3,810
Sept. 23 - Oct. 1	\$2,775	\$3,810
Oct. 18 - Nov. 5	\$2,695	\$3,730



Day 1, Arrive in Madrid, Saturday

You will be met and transferred to your hotel. The day is at leisure to begin exploring. Later, join your fellow travelers and your tour director for a welcome reception. **(WR)**

Day 2, in Madrid, Sunday

We begin with a guided half-day city tour of **Madrid**. Our drive takes us through the Gran Vía and the Paseo de Castellana, past the Plaza de España, Plaza de Oriente, Plaza Mayor, Puerta del Sol, Atocha Station, the fountain of Neptune, Cibeles fountain, the Bullring, the Santiago Bernabeu stadium, and many more. The afternoon is at leisure. **(B)**

Day 3, in Madrid: Excursion to Toledo, Monday

We visit **Toledo**, a city with a wealth of monuments. It is known as the “city of the three cultures” because Christians, Arabs and Jews lived there together for centuries. During our guided tour we visit the Santo Tome Church and the Synagogue of Santa María. From Toledo, we return to Madrid. The afternoon is at leisure **(B)**

Day 4, to Bilbao, Tuesday

We depart for Bilbao. On the way, we stop in **Burgos**. Tour with local guide including visit of the Cathedral. There is time for lunch on your own. From there, we continue to Bilbao where we have a tasting of local tapas called pintxos. **(B, D)**

Day 5, in Bilbao, Wednesday

On our visit to Bilbao, we see the vibrant old town with many shops, squares, and typical Basque tavernas. We enter the **Guggenheim Museum**, an architectural masterpiece designed by Frank Gehry. The collection includes large-scale and site-specific art by such contemporary artists as Jeff Koons. The remainder of the day is free. **(B)**

Day 6, to Pamplona, Thursday

After breakfast, we depart for **San Sebastian**. En route, we visit Getaria, a charming Basque coastal village. Upon arrival in San Sebastian, we see the Maria Cristina Hotel. It is here, at the Kursaal, that the film festival takes place. We also see La Concha beach, a afternoon we arrive in Pamplona. Dinner is served later that night. **(B, D)**

Day 7, to Barcelona, Friday

After breakfast, we have a half-day guided sightseeing tour of **Pamplona** featuring the Ciudadela, the City Walls, parks, and gardens. We will hear about the ‘Running of the Bulls’ race, part of the San Fermin festival. From Pamplona, we continue to **Zaragoza** for lunch afternoon, we arrive in Barcelona and the rest of the day is at leisure. **(B)**

Day 8, in Barcelona, Saturday

Our guided half-day sightseeing tour includes Barcelona’s most important artistic sights: Gaudi’s Batlló, Casa Milá, the **Cathedral Sagrada Família**, and Guell Park, declared an artistic monument and mankind’s heritage by UNESCO. In the afternoon you are free to explore more fellow travelers and your tour director for the farewell dinner. **(B, D)**

Day 9, depart Barcelona, Sunday

Transfer to Barcelona airport after breakfast. **(B)**

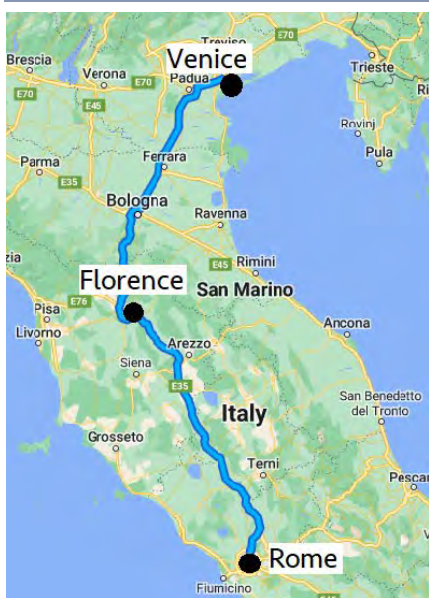
ITALIAN TRIO

Escorted Motorcoach Tour(K100)

8 days / 7 nights: 2 nights in Venice, 2 nights in Florence, 3 nights in Rome

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Venice – NH Santa Lucia (or similar)	Breakfast daily 1 lunch	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director.
Florence – Hotel Club (or similar)	4 dinners				Local guides and entrance fees where indicated
Rome – Starhotels Metropole (or similar)					Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person		
Dates	Twin	Single
May 21 -28	\$3,345	\$3,985
July 2 - 9	\$2,890	\$3,530
August 20 - 27	\$2,790	\$3,430
October 1 - 8	\$3,348	\$3,988
October 15 - 22	\$3,345	\$3,985



Day 1, arrive Venice, Sunday

Arriving at Venice's airport, 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)

Day 2, in Venice, Monday

We begin 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, visiting 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)

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, Baptistry, and Duomo. Then on to Florence for dinner and a free evening. (B, D)

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 Baptistry with Ghiberti's splendid bronze "Gates of Paradise." Visit the Academy of Fine Arts, where Michelangelo's David is displayed. The tour ends at the Piazzale Michelangelo with a spectacular view over Florence. The remainder of the day is yours to savor the Renaissance splendor of the Tuscan capital your own way. (B)

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 & visit the impressive Basilica of St. Francis. Continue to Rome for dinner and an evening at leisure. (B, D)

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 visit the Coliseum, ancient Palatine Hill overlooking Circus Maximus and the Imperial Palace, and the Roman Forum. (B, L)

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 Limoncello, some refreshing gelato, or a hearty dish of pasta. Tonight, a festive farewell dinner with your fellow travelers is the perfect way to celebrate your glimpse of Italy. (B, D)

Day 8, depart Rome, Sunday

One last breakfast in Italy before you are transferred to Rome's airport. Your homebound flight arrives the same day. (B)

DISCOVERIES VITICULTURE & FAITH IN PORTUGAL

Escorted Motorcoach Tour (K140)

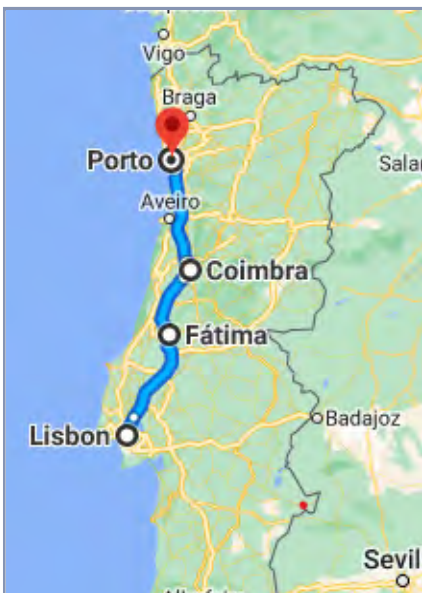
8 days / 7 nights: 3 nights in Lisbon, 1 night in Fatima, 1 night in Coimbra, 2 nights in Porto

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Lisbon Real Palacio (or similar) Fatima Auera (or similar) Coimbra Villa Gale Coimbra (or similar) Porto Eurostars Das Artes or similar	Breakfast daily 1 lunches 2 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary - Cherry liquor tasting in Obidos Wine tasting in the Douro Valley Porto boat ride, six bridges and local wine tasting	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees where indicated Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person		
Dates	Twin	Single
April 15 - 22	\$2,220	\$2,910
May 20 - 27	\$2,262	\$2,952
July 1 - 8	\$2,262	\$2,952
September 16 - 23	\$2,262	\$2,952
October 21 - 28	\$2,262	\$2,952

Day by Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Arrive to Lisbon. You will be met and transferred to your hotel. The day is at leisure to begin exploring on your own. Later, gather with your tour director and your fellow travelers for a welcome reception. (WR)
- Day 2:** This morning we stroll through Baixa, Lisbon's historic heart and commercial center. We then drive to Belem to view Belem Tower and the Discovery Monument. The Vasco de Gama tomb in the Jeronimos Monastery is next on our journey. After our tour, enjoy beautiful streets of Lisbon on own. The evening is at leisure. (B)
Optional tour: Dinner with Fado show
- Day 3:** This morning we depart on a half-day private sightseeing tour to Sintra, Cascais, Estoril, and Cabo da Roca. Sintra boasts a historic Centre that is listed as a UNESCO World Heritage site. After our visit to the Sintra National Palace, we continue to Cabo da Roca, the westernmost cape in Continental Europe. Thereafter, we travel to Cascais, a picturesque fishing town with some quirky museums, beautiful gardens, and a lively fish market. Then we're off to Estoril, a former fishing town turned cosmopolitan destination for well-heeled travelers. We return to Lisbon early in the afternoon. Rest of the day at leisure. (B)
- Day 4:** Our first destination is Obidos, a charming village of white houses on a hill, surrounded by fourteenth century's walls. Here we stop for a tasting of cherry liquor. We proceed to Nazare after the tasting. Nazare is a popular tourist attraction and picturesque village located on the Atlantic coast. Our next stop is the Monastery of Batalha, a Dominican Convent. We finish the day in Fatima, a Catholic pilgrimage destination and home to sacred sites and religious artifacts. (B)
- Day 5:** In the morning, we travel to Tomar for a half-day sightseeing tour and visit the Luso-Hebrew Museum. We then proceed towards Buçaco to visit the famous Buçaco Forest and for an outside view of Buçaco Palace. In Coimbra, our half-day sightseeing tour includes a visit to the University and Library. (B)
- Day 6:** We continue to Aveiro and Costa Nova for an orientation tour and then travel through the Douro Valley, classified by UNESCO as a World Heritage Site. Traditionally, the wines from this region were transported down-river in flat-bottomed boats called "rabelos". The wine was stored in barrels in cellars of the Vila Nova de Gaia, just across the river from Porto. After our lunch with wine tasting in the Douro Valley, we continue to Porto. (B, L)
- Day 7:** During our half-day sightseeing tour of Porto, we visit the Palacio de Bolsa (the stock exchange palace) and end our tour in one of the famous wine cellars where we have another tasting. After this, we continue with a boat excursion, one of the most spectacular experiences in the city. Our afternoon is free, at leisure. In the evening gather with your fellow travelers and your tour director for our farewell dinner. (B, FR)
- Day 8:** Breakfast followed by our transfer to the airport. (B)



NATURAL WONDERS OF ICELAND

Escorted Motorcoach Tour (K402)

8 days / 7 nights: 2 nights in Reykjavik, 1 night in Selfoss, 1 night in Vik,
1 night in Breiddalsvik, 1 night in Akureyri, and 1 night in Reykholt

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Oslo - Clarion Hotel The Hub/Thon Opera (or similar) Lillehammer - Scandic Lillehammer (or similar) Molde - Scandic Alexandra Molde (or similar) Nordfjord - Loenfjord or similar Bergen - Zander K or similar	Breakfast daily Welcome redeption 1 lunch 4 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees where indicated Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person		
Dates	Twin	Single
July 15 - 22	\$3,290	\$4,280
July 22 - 29	\$3,290	\$4,280
August 5 - 12	\$2,359	\$2,909
September 3 - 10	\$2,359	\$2,909

Day by Day Itinerary

Day 1, Saturday, arrival in Reykjavik

Upon arrival you will be transferred to your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure. Meet your fellow travelers tonight at Welcome reception. Overnight. (WR)

Day 2, Sunday, Reykjavik through the South Iceland to Selfoss

The day begins with a visit to the Thingvellir National Park - a unique place in the world, being included in the UNESCO heritage. View the European and American tectonic plates, enjoy the impressive nature and the history. We continue to Gullfoss (Golden Waterfall), and at the Great Geysir one of the most important natural attractions of Iceland. We enjoy the lunch at the Fridheimar tomato farm. Overnight (B,L,D)

Day 3, Monday, Selfoss to Hvalsollur and Vik

Today we visit the Lava Center in Hvalsollur - an interactive, high-tech exhibition. We continue to the beautiful Skogarfoss and Seljalandsfoss waterfalls. After we visit the black sand beach of Reynisfjara volcanic origin and the impressive rock formations where numerous arctic birds make their nests. Dinner and overnight. (B,D)

Day 4, Tuesday, Vik to Jokulsarlon and Breiddalsvik

Today we are traveling to the East of the island. On the way we will see the magnificent Fjadrargljufur canyon, stop at the Skaftafell visitor center in the Vatnajökull National Park - the largest national park in Iceland and the second largest in Europe. Afternoon we will take boat ride to the Jokulsárlón Lagoon - where clear water is invaded by blue-white icebergs, detached from Vatnajökull glacier. We continue to fish port of Hofn, the capital of Southeast Iceland, and in the evening, we will arrive at the hotel in Eastfjords area. (B,D)

Day 5, Wednesday, Breiddalsvik to Akureyri

Departure to Myvatn, and if the weather permits, we will stop at the Krafla caldera with the Leirhnjúkur volcano. Today we will see the unique landscape of the Hverir geothermal area, the place where you will feel connected to the power of the planet with a red-orange landscape like on Mars! On the way we stop at Dimmuborgir lava formations, Namaskard thermal spring, Skutustadagigar pseudocraters, Godafoss waterfall, Hverfell mountain. (B) Day 6, Thursday, Akureyri to Reykholt

After breakfast we depart to Dalvík/Hjalteyri for the Whale Watching. After, continue to Grabrok volcano, where you can have a short hike to the top of the Grabrok crater, from where you will admire a panorama view of the Borgarfjörður area. Continue to your hotel for dinner and overnight. (B,D)

Day 7, Friday, Reykholt to Reykjavik

Today we will explore the West of Iceland. Deildartunguhver - the largest hot spring in Europe and two of the most spectacular waterfalls: Hraunfossar (Lava waterfall) and Barnafos (Children's waterfall). We will stop in the picturesque town of Borgarnes. In the afternoon we arrive back to Reykjavik and enjoy the city tour where we can admire the National Cathedral, the emblematic Hallgrímskirkja church, the City Hall, the Parliament building, the Hofdi house, the fish port and Perlan View, for a panorama of Reykjavik and its surroundings. Overnight. (B)

Day 8, Saturday, departure Reykjavik

After breakfast, check out from the hotel and you will be transfer to Blue Lagoon, a unique place in the world and the biggest tourist attraction in Iceland! Afternoon transfer to the airport. (B)



NATURAL WONDERS OF NORWAY

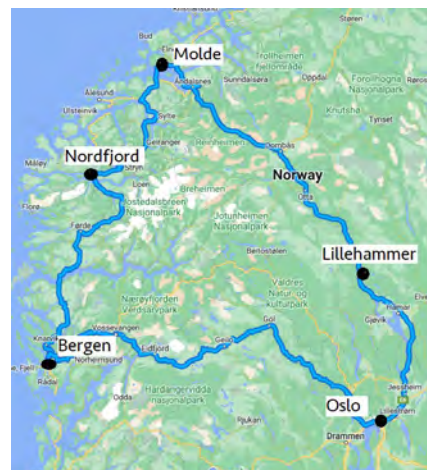
Escorted Motorcoach Tour (K401)

8 days / 7 nights: 1 night in Oslo, 1 night in Lillehammer, 1 night in Molde,
1 nights in Nordfjord, 2 night in Bergen & 1 night in Oslo

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Oslo - Clarion Hotel The Hub/Thon Opera (or similar) Lillehammer - Scandic Lillehammer (or similar) Molde - Scandic Alexandra Molde (or similar) Nordfjord - Loenfjord or similar Bergen - Zander K or similar	Breakfast daily 2 dinners Welcome reception	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	Arrival and departure transfer	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees where indicated Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person

Dates	Twin	Single
June 18 - 25	\$2,359	\$2,909
July 9 - 16	\$2,359	\$2,909
August 13 - 20	\$2,359	\$2,909
September 3 - 10	\$2,359	\$2,909



Day by Day Itinerary

Day 1, Sunday, arrival in Oslo

Upon arrival you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The balance of the day is free. Meet your fellow travelers tonight at Welcome reception. Overnight. (WR)

Day 2, Monday, Oslo to Lillehammer

This morning we begin our tour of the Norwegian capital, passing through the central area with the Cathedral, Parliament, main street Karl Johan, **University and Royal Palace** with a walk in the impressive **Vigeland park** with its more than two hundred incredible sculptures. Afterwards, drive to **Lillehammer**, site of the Winter Olympic Games in 1994. The clean air, varied landscapes, cultural events, museums with different themes such as the Art Museum, the Automobile Museum, and the Olympic Museum, make Lillehammer a city of culture, exhibitions, and festivals. Explore the old center with its wooden houses dating back to the 19th century and the main pedestrian street, Storgata. (B, D)

Day 3, Tuesday, Lillehammer, Molde/Kristiansund

Breakfast at hotel. Today drive through **Peer Cynt Road** with a stop for walking to see different views for this wonderful national park. Then continue via Romsdal Valley part of the Golden Route then, highly appreciated by climbing enthusiasts. We cross by **ferry** from Solnes to Afarnes and quick stop in Kristiansund. We continue the tour as we admire the fantastic piece of engineering which is "The Atlantic Road" from Kårvåg to Vevang, stopping Bud, before arriving the hotel. (B)

Day 4, Wednesday, Molde/Kristiansund, Nordfjord

After breakfast, we board a ferry to Vestnes and enjoy the scenic ride; winding along the narrow slopes of the mountain, bordered by stone railings, the **Trollstigen** -Trolls Road opened in 1936. The journey continues through the alpine landscape with **glacial lakes, and glaciers**. We will cross the Norddalsfjord from Linge to Eidsdal, after which we follow the Eagle's Road, an incredible winding sequence that will give us spectacular views of the **Geirangerfjord**, often described as the most beautiful fjord in all of Norway. We continue to the **Nordfjord** for dinner and overnight. (B, D)

Day 5, Thursday, Nordfjord to Bergen

Today our journey will take us to the **Fjærland** area where we admire the most spectacular the Jostedalsglacier, namely the Boyabreen by Fjærland. We continue towards the longest and deepest fjord in Norway, the second largest in the world, **Sognefjord**, the King's Fjord. We'll cross this majestic stretch of water from Mannheller to Fodness, from where we'll head to Flam, passing through the **Lærdal Tunnel**, one of the longest tunnels in the world at 15 miles long. Arriving in **Bergen**, one of the most beautiful port cities in Norway. (B)

Day 6, Friday, Bergen

The morning tour the city of Bergen, traveling back in time through the narrow, dark, and mysterious streets of Bryggen, the former **Hanseatic historic harbor district**. We will visit the Fish Market with its lively picturesque atmosphere, one of the most visited open-air markets in Norway. Afternoon at leisure, time for individual sightseeing and shopping. (B)

Day 7, Saturday, Bergen via Hardangerfjord to Oslo

We head today to Sognefjord, the "king" of western Norway's fjords and Hardangerfjord is the "queen". We will make a short stop at **Steinsdalsfossen**, one of the most spectacular waterfalls in Norway. We will continue our journey and visit the **Voringsfossen** Waterfall, the highest in Norway. On towards Geilo, crossing the Hardangervidda Plateau, the largest high-altitude plateau in Europe. Hardangervidda is Norway's largest national park known for its incredibly beautiful landscapes, but also for its herds of wild reindeer. **Early evening arrival in Oslo.** (B)

Day 8, Sunday, departure Oslo

After breakfast we will transfer you to Oslo airport. (B)

SCENIC POLAND

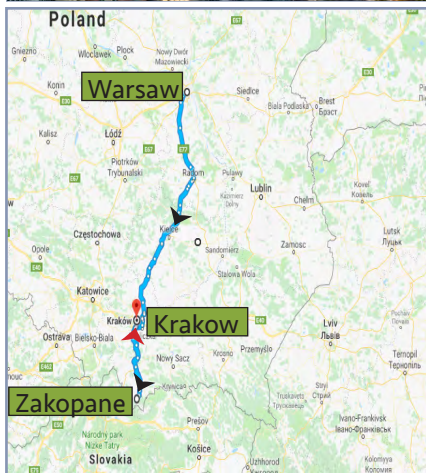
"The Magic of Poland"

Escorted Motorcoach Tour

7 days / 6 nights: 2 night in Warsaw, 1 night in Zakopane, 3 nights in Krakow

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Warsaw Novotel Centrum (or similar) Zakopane Mercure Kasprowy (or similar) Krakow Novotel Krakow City West (or similar)	Breakfast daily 3 lunches 3 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary, including entrance fees. Chopin concert on Day 2.	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	No transfers included in this tour.	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees. Tax & service charge.

Land Rates 2023 US\$ per Person		
Dates	Twin	Single
May 6 - 12	\$1,153	\$1,429
June 10 - 16	\$1,153	\$1,429
July 15 - 21	\$1,153	\$1,429
August 19 - 25	\$1,153	\$1,429
September 9 - 15	\$1,153	\$1,429
October 7 - 13	\$1,153	\$1,429
Pre & post tour hotel nightly rate: Warsaw: from \$84/person sharing, \$156 single. Krakow: from \$76/person sharing, \$142 single.		



Day by Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** Upon arrival in Warsaw, transfer to the hotel. Meet your tour guide and fellow travelers at 6pm in the lobby. **Drive along the Royal Route** with its historical monuments and residences. Stop at Castle Square for a short walk through Old Town, then join us for a welcome dinner at a local restaurant. Overnight in Warsaw. **(D)**
- Day 2:** After breakfast, a **half day guided city tour** shows you the major sights of Warsaw. In the evening, Chopin recital with a glass of sparkling wine. Overnight in Warsaw. **(B,L)**
- Day 3:** After breakfast, departure to Zakopane. Drive to Czestochowa to visit the Jasna Gora Monastery to see the Black Madonna Shrine and treasury. Jasna Gora is a religious and spiritual center. Lunch at a local restaurant. In the evening, **we arrive in Zakopane**, beautifully situated at the foot of the Tatra Mountains. At the beginning of the 20th century, it became the favorite place of artists and musicians. Overnight in Zakopane. **(B,L)**
- Day 4:** Buffet breakfast at the hotel. In the morning, **sightseeing in Zakopane**. You will visit the Jaszczurowka Chapel, great example of the local wooden architecture. Take the cable car to the top of Gubalowka Mountain to admire the view. In the afternoon, rafting trip on the Dunajec river in Pieniny National Park. **Continue to Krakow for dinner** at a local restaurant in Krakow's Old Town Market Square. Overnight in Krakow. **(B,L)**
- Day 5:** After breakfast a **guided city tour of Krakow**. The former royal city on the Vistula river is situated at the foot of the Wawel Hill. Later, drive to Old Town and visit the main Market Square and Cloth Hall, built before 1349. After lunch, **we drive to Auschwitz-Birkenau** for a memorial tour of the former Nazi Concentration Camp. The camp was set up in 1940 for prisoners from Poland, but from 1941 on, the Nazis imprisoned people there from all countries occupied by the Third Reich. You will see an exhibition entitled "Man Did This To Man" in the huts once used to house inmates. Overnight in Krakow. **(B,L)**
- Day 6:** After breakfast, free time to explore Krakow on your own. In the afternoon, visit the **Wieliczka Salt Mine** to see the unique underground world of salt lakes, galleries and chapels. Admire the statues carved in salt by many generations of Polish miners. You will also see up to 20 excavated chambers on 3 levels and the Salt Works Museum. Dinner with folklore show at a local restaurant in Wieliczka. Overnight in Krakow. **(B,D)**
- Day 7:** After breakfast end of your escorted tour. Transfer to the airport. **(B)**



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Escorted Motorcoach Tour

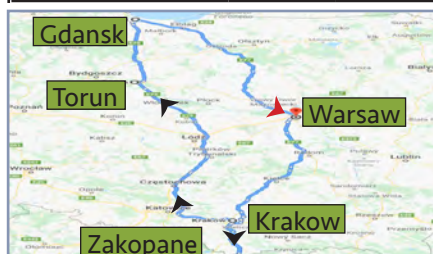
11 days / 10 nights: 2 nights in Warsaw, 1 night in Zakopane, 3 nights in Krakow, 1 night in Torun
2 nights in Gdansk, 1 night in Warsaw

Accommodation	Meals	Tours	Transportation	Transfer	Also includes
Warsaw Novotel Centrum (or similar) Zakopane Mercure Kasprowy (or similar) Krakow Novotel Krakow City West (or similar) Torun Mercure Torun (or similar) Gdansk Mercure Gdansk (or similar)	Breakfast daily in each city. 7 lunches 3 dinners	Extensive sightseeing as per itinerary, including entry fees. Chopin Concert Rafting trip <small>*subject to confirmation on the spot, service based on weather conditions and water level</small>	Private air-conditioned motorcoach or minivan (depending on size of group).	No arrival or departure transfers included in this tour.	English speaking tour director. Local guides and entrance fees. Tax & service charge.

Land Rates US\$ per Person 2023

Dates	Twin	Single
May 6-16	\$1,780	\$2,259
June 10-20	\$1,780	\$2,259
July 1-25	\$1,780	\$2,259
August 19-29	\$1,780	\$2,259
September 9-19	\$1,780	\$2,259
October 7-17	\$1,780	\$2,259

Pre & post tour hotel nightly rate:
Warsaw: from \$80/person sharing,
\$150 single



Day by Day Itinerary

- Day 1:** At 6:00pm, meet your guide and the rest of the group in the hotel lobby. Drive along the renovated **Royal Route** with its historical monuments and residences. Stop at Castle Square for a short walk through Old Town, and then join us for welcome dinner. **(D)**
- Day 2:** This morning, we introduce you to the **highlights of Warsaw**. After lunch, drive to the former Warsaw Ghetto. Later, you will hear a **Chopin piano recital**. **(B,L)**
- Day 3:** After breakfast, we depart for Zakopane – one of the most popular vacation resorts in the Tatra Mountains. En route, we stop in Czestochowa to visit some sights. Lunch will be served at a local restaurant. In the evening **we arrive in Zakopane** beautifully situated at the foot of the Tatra Mountains, in the valley between Gubalowka and Giewont. **(B,L)**
- Day 4:** In the morning, you will have a sightseeing tour of Zakopane. After lunch on your own we continue on to Krakow. En route take a spectacular **rafting trip*** on the Dunajec River in Pieniny National Park. Tonight's dinner will be served upon arrival at your hotel. **(B,D)**
- Day 5:** The morning sightseeing tour will feature Wawel, the Royal Castle, home to three dynasties of Poland's monarchs. You will also visit the Wawel Cathedral. Following Wawel, we **drive to Old Town** with its restored Main Square. After lunch, we drive to Auschwitz to visit the Martyrdom Museum of the former Nazi concentration camp. **(B,L)**
- Day 6:** After breakfast, you have time to **explore more of Krakow** on your own. Afternoon we will invite you for coffee and cake at the famous Krakow cafeteria. We then drive to the Wieliczka Salt Mine. After dinner with a folkloric show, we drive back to Krakow. **(B,D)**
- Day 7:** After breakfast, we leave for Torun. On the way, we will stop in Lowicz, a typical Mazovian town famous for folk art. You will be invited for a home-hosted lunch by a local family. We continue to Torun, where the balance of the day is at leisure. **(B,L)**
- Day 8:** In the morning, **we see the highlights of Torun**. Its Old Town has been included in UNESCO's list for its 13th century Town Hall, superb churches and historic streets, pre-serving Torun's past glory. Lunch will be served at a local restaurant in Torun. This afternoon, we drive to Gdansk. There, we take a brief walk through the town's Old Town. **(B,L)**
- Day 9:** Today, **we tour Gdansk in depth**. We continue to Malbork for lunch and visit the Teutonic Knights Castle. After coming back Gdansk the balance of the day is free. **(B,L)**
- Day 10:** After breakfast we drive to Gdynia. We will also visit Oliwa Cathedral famous for one-of-a-kind pipe organ. Lunch will be served at a local restaurant. In the afternoon we drive for Warsaw, where you will have a farewell dinner. **(B,L)**
- Day 11:** Breakfast at the hotel. This is the end of your tour. **(B)**



Private Transfer Rates

Rates in \$USD

1-2 people	\$66/car
3-5 people	\$131/car
6-12 people	\$148/minibus

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