

# Grand Tour of Italy

October 4<sup>th</sup>-15<sup>th</sup>, 2025



Embark on a captivating journey through Italy, starting in Milan with its magnificent Duomo and luxury shopping. Relax by the serene waters of Lake Como, then explore Tuscany's rolling vineyards and charming hill towns. Immerse yourself in Florence's Renaissance art and architecture, visiting the Uffizi Gallery and Michelangelo's David. In Rome, experience the grandeur of the Colosseum, Vatican City, and the Sistine Chapel. Conclude your trip on the stunning Amalfi Coast, enjoying picturesque villages, crystal-clear waters, and delicious local cuisine. This Italian adventure blends history, culture, and natural beauty for an unforgettable experience.

## Highlights:

- Lake Como Cruise
- Milan & Florence Duomo's
- Colosseum & Vatican Tours
- Pompeii Excavations & Mt Vesuvius
- Wine, Olive Oil & Cheese Tasting in Tuscany
- Pasta Making Class
- Limoncello Class in Sorrento

## Hotels:

Hotel Una Galles – Milan (Three nights)  
Hotel Una Vittoria – Florence (Two Nights)  
Hotel Villa Pamphili – Rome (Two Nights)  
Hotel Central Wellness – Sorrento (Three Nights)

## Inclusions:

- Fully Escorted Tour,
- Gratuities (driver, guides, included meals)
- Luggage Handling
- Seventeen Meals (10 Breakfasts, 5 Dinners, 2 Lunches)

**\$4,695 Per Person Double (plus air)**

**\$5,895 Per Person Single (plus air)**

Travel Protection available.

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## Day One – October 4th, 2025 – Depart.

Depart on your overseas flight to beautiful Milan Italy.

## Day Two – October 5<sup>th</sup>, 2025 – Arrival and Exploration of Milan – Hotel Una Gallas

Your adventure commences upon your arrival in Milan, Italy, a city celebrated for its fashion, art, and cultural richness. Transfer to your hotel for a three-night stay, where you'll settle in and relax after your journey. With the afternoon free to explore, you can wander through the lively streets, take a leisurely stroll in the city center, or opt for a tranquil retreat at your hotel, preparing for the exciting experiences ahead. Tonight, join us for a delightful welcome dinner reception where you can mingle with fellow travelers and begin forging unforgettable memories together. **(Lunch & Dinner)**



## Day Three – October 6th, 2025 – Trip to Lake Como – Hotel Una Gallas

Today, embark on an enchanting day trip to Lake Como and immerse yourself in the breathtaking beauty of its lakefront promenade. Here, you'll be captivated by panoramic views of sparkling waters and lush hillsides. Set off on a leisurely boat cruise across Lake Como to the picturesque town of Bellagio, often hailed as the "Pearl of Lake Como." Wander through its narrow cobblestone streets, adorned with charming cafes, artisan shops, and historical landmarks, as well as waterfront restaurants. In the afternoon, continue your exploration with a visit to the historic town of Varenna. Explore its medieval alleys, discover the serene gardens of Villa Monastero, or simply unwind by the lakeside and soak in the peaceful ambiance. Let Lake Como weave its magic as you indulge in a day filled with scenic wonders and cultural treasures. **(Breakfast)**



## Day Four – October 7th, 2025 – Milan – Hotel Una Gallas

Immerse yourself in the rich history and vibrant culture of Milan with a guided city tour that begins at the magnificent Piazza del Duomo, home to the iconic Milan Cathedral (Duomo di Milano). Marvel at the intricate Gothic architecture of this centuries-old masterpiece as you delve into its fascinating history and significance. Next, journey into the historic Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II, one of the world's oldest shopping malls, renowned for its stunning glass ceiling and elegant arcades. Traverse its halls and absorb the atmosphere of luxury and tradition. Continue your exploration to La Scala Theater, among the globe's most prestigious opera houses. Admire its neoclassical facade and uncover the illustrious tales of its past, guided by intriguing anecdotes from your knowledgeable guide. Throughout the tour, you'll be captivated by Milan's cultural heritage, enriched with captivating stories and insights. In the evening, treat yourself to a delightful dinner featuring authentic Italian cuisine, where you can savor the flavors of Lombardy. Afterward, choose to experience Milan's vibrant nightlife or relax at your hotel, reflecting on the day's adventures and anticipating more discoveries in this captivating city. **(Breakfast & Dinner)**



Hotel Una Vittoria



## Day Five – October 8th, 2025 – Florence – Hotel Una Vittoria

Embark on your exploration of Florence with a visit to the awe-inspiring Florence Cathedral (Duomo), a true masterpiece of Renaissance architecture. Admire its intricate marble facades and the magnificent dome crafted by Brunelleschi, a symbol of Florence's artistic prowess and engineering ingenuity. Next, journey to the Accademia Gallery, where you'll stand face-to-face with Michelangelo's iconic sculpture, "David." Marvel at the impeccable craftsmanship and monumental scale of this renowned masterpiece, a testament to the brilliance of the Renaissance era. Throughout your tour, immerse yourself in Florence's artistic and architectural splendor. Discover historic palaces, ornate churches, lively piazzas, and picturesque alleyways



that reveal the city's rich history and vibrant culture. Cap off your day with a delightful dinner at a traditional Florentine trattoria, where you'll indulge in the flavors of Tuscany. Savor regional dishes made with fresh, local ingredients, accompanied by fine wines that complement the culinary experience. **(Breakfast & Dinner)**



### **Day Six – October 9th, 2025 – Chianti Wine Tour – Hotel Una Vittoria**

Today, embark on a journey to the picturesque Chianti region, celebrated for its rolling hills, lush vineyards, and exquisite wines. Begin your day with a visit to a local farm, where you'll delve into the art of wine production and olive oil making. Follow a knowledgeable guide through the vineyards, explore the winery, and descend into the cellar, where barrels age the region's finest vintages. Relish in a delightful wine and cheese reception amidst the serene surroundings. As the day unfolds, immerse yourself in panoramic views of sun-kissed vineyards and ancient villages, each nestled in the embrace of the Tuscan landscape. **(Breakfast & Lunch)**



### **Day Seven – October 10th, 2025 – Rome City Tour – Hotel Villa Pamphili**

Embark on a journey to the eternal city of Rome, where millennia of history and culture await your exploration. Begin your guided Rome city tour with iconic landmarks such as the Colosseum, a testament to ancient Roman engineering and grandeur. Marvel at the monumental amphitheater that once hosted gladiatorial contests and spectacles. Continue your tour to the Spanish Steps, a beloved meeting place adorned with elegant staircases and surrounded by boutiques and cafes. Nearby, discover the Trevi Fountain, a masterpiece of Baroque artistry where tradition invites you to toss a coin and make a wish in its shimmering waters. During your free time, roam Rome's historic streets, where every corner reveals a new tale from the city's storied past. Indulge in a leisurely dinner at a local trattoria, savoring authentic Roman cuisine infused with flavors passed down through generations. **(Breakfast)**



### **Day Eight – October 11th, 2025 – Vatican City – Hotel Villa Pamphili**

Venture into the heart of the Vatican City, the spiritual and cultural center of the Catholic Church, on a guided tour of its most iconic attractions. Marvel at masterpieces by renowned artists such as Michelangelo, Raphael, and Leonardo da Vinci as you wander through the museum's labyrinthine galleries and halls. Continue to the awe-inspiring Sistine Chapel, where you'll gaze up at Michelangelo's magnificent frescoes that adorn the ceiling and walls. Afterward, explore the grandeur of St. Peter's Basilica, the largest church in the world and a masterpiece of Renaissance architecture. Conclude your tour with a leisurely stroll through St. Peter's Square. **(Breakfast)**



### **Day Nine – October 12th, 2025 – Amalfi Coast – Hotel Central Wellness**

Today immerse yourself in the local culture with a tour of a fragrant lemon orchard. Learn about the cultivation of lemons and their significance to the region. Follow this with a hands-on limoncello-making class, where you'll uncover the secrets of this famous Italian liqueur. Then, join a pasta-making class to create authentic Italian pasta from scratch and finish the experience with a delightful wine tasting session featuring local wines. **(Breakfast & Dinner)**



### **Day Ten – October 13th, 2025 – Sorrento – Hotel Central Wellness**

Spend your day exploring the charming coastal town of Sorrento, where colorful buildings cascade down the cliffside and narrow streets beckon with hidden treasures waiting to be discovered. Take a leisurely stroll along the scenic waterfront promenade, lined with cafes, gelaterias, and boutique shops, or relax on one of the pristine beaches that dot the coastline. Alternatively, embark on an optional excursion to the nearby island of Capri, famed for its stunning natural beauty and glamorous atmosphere. Whether you choose to explore Sorrento or venture further afield, your day on the Amalfi Coast promises to be filled with unforgettable experiences and breathtaking vistas. In the evening, enjoy a seaside dinner at a local restaurant, savoring fresh seafood and regional specialties while taking in panoramic views of the Mediterranean Sea. **(Breakfast)**



### **Day Eleven – October 14th, 2025 – Pompeii & Mt. Vesuvius – Hotel Central Wellness**

Embark on an unforgettable journey to the ancient city of Pompeii and the legendary volcano of Mount Vesuvius on a guided excursion from Sorrento. Departing in the morning, you'll travel to Pompeii, where you'll step back in time to the year 79 AD when the city was buried beneath a blanket of volcanic ash and pumice following the catastrophic eruption of Mount Vesuvius. For those that wish, ascend the slopes of the volcano on a thrilling hike, soaking in panoramic views of the surrounding landscape as your guide shares stories of Vesuvius's violent past and its impact on the region. Reach the summit, where you'll be rewarded with breathtaking vistas of Naples, the Sorrentine Peninsula, and the shimmering waters of the Tyrrhenian Sea. This evening we will all enjoy our farewell dinner in true Italian style!. **(Breakfast & Dinner)**



### **Day Twelve – October 15th, 2025 – Home**

Bid farewell to Italy and enjoy the memories of this *Grand Italian Tour* on your way home. **(Breakfast)**