

PRESENTS

NORTHERN ITALY

FROM THE ALPS TO THE ADRIATIC

May 7-20, 2016

14 days for \$5,499 total price from Washington, DC
(\$4,795 air & land inclusive plus \$704 airline taxes and departure fees)

This leisurely exploration of Italy's varied northern regions, from the romantic Lake District and dramatic Cinque Terre to beloved Tuscany and canal-laced Venice, offers a refreshing perspective on a well-known land. In the company of our congenial small group, we celebrate the Italian penchant for hospitality, good food and good living.



ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Days 1-4: May 7-10, 2016
Depart U.S./Stresa

Days 5-7: May 11-13, 2016
Milan/Santa Margherita/Cinque Terre/Portofino

Days 8-11: May 14-17, 2016
Tuscany/Florence

Days 12-14: May 18-20, 2016
Venice/Depart for U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Begin your trip in the international resort town of Stresa offering beautiful scenery. Cruise to the nearby artists' colony of Isola Bella, the beautiful Borromean island in the middle of Lake Maggiore. Discover the lovely lakeside town of Orta San Giulio.
- See the immense *Duomo* in Milan, one of the world's largest churches. Travel south to the Italian Riviera where we enjoy time in Santa Margherita, with its lovely palm-lined esplanade overlooking a picturesque harbor. Board a boat in Portovenere to take in the rugged coastline revealing the five towns of Cinque Terre with stops in two of the towns: Monterosso and Vernazza. Continue on to Portofino, a former fishing village where palatial yachts now crowd the port.
- Stop in the atmospheric medieval town of Lucca for a walking tour. Explore the wonders that Florence has to offer as a living monument to the Renaissance. Sightseeing here includes the Galleria dell'Accademia to view Michelangelo's sublime "David" and the famous *Duomo*. Highlights of our Tuscan retreat include a tour of the walled city of Siena, the hill town of San Gimignano, and a winery visit in Chianti for a tour and tasting.
- Conclude your visit to Italy's northern regions in romantic Venice. Visit the area surrounding vast St. Mark's Square, deemed "Europe's most magnificent drawing room" by Napoleon Bonaparte. Bid "*arrivederci*" to Italy and your fellow travelers at a farewell dinner the last evening in this magical setting.

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PLEASE NOTE: At this time, elements of the tour are still being finalized. Your deposit will be fully refundable until all details, including pricing, are complete. Our tour operator, Odysseys Unlimited, will be in touch with you in October 2015 when the final tour details and tour brochure is available. At that time, you will have 2 weeks to decide whether you would like to convert your preliminary registration to a confirmed booking or to cancel and receive a full refund. Once confirmed, the cancellation penalties as outlined in the brochure will apply. You will then receive a confirmation packet plus information regarding the purchase of optional trip insurance and travel protection.

Tour Prices

\$5,499 air & land inclusive from Washington, DC. Please call for prices from other cities. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, fuel surcharges, and departure fees of \$704, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land Only price is \$4,195; arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$895. A 3-day/2-night "On Your Own" post-tour extension in Venice is available for \$395 total price (single supplement is \$295). Business Class upgrade on international flight is available on a request basis – please call for details.

PLEASE NOTE: At this time, all dates, prices and itinerary details for 2016 tours are subject to change. You will be contacted with these details as soon as they become available.

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from the U.S.
- 12 nights' accommodations in Superior First Class and First Class hotels
- 22 meals: 12 breakfasts, 2 lunches, 8 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing and entrance fees for all included features
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout the trip
- Gratuities for local guides, dining room servers, airport and hotel porters, and all drivers
- Luggage handling for one bag per person

PRE-REGISTRATION FORM

Please FAX or email your pre-registration form and deposit information to our Tour Operator, **Odysseys Unlimited**:
Secure FAX: 617-454-9199 E-mail to Ainsley Wolfe: awolfe@odysseys-unlimited.com

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$_____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person/people. This secures our space on the following tour: **Northern Italy, May 7-20, 2016**. Please charge my deposit to:

AMEX

VISA

MasterCard

Discover

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Security code _____

Signature _____

I understand that I will be contacted in October 2015, once the final brochure for the tour is available, and will be given the opportunity to cancel at that time, without penalty. I also understand that billing and a complete confirmation packet, including information about optional trip insurance and travel protection, will follow once I convert this preliminary registration into a confirmed booking.

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Street Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

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