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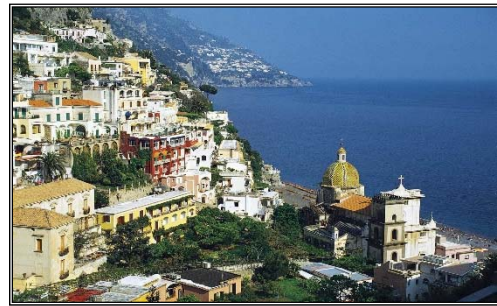
PORTRAIT OF ITALY

From the Amalfi Coast to Venice

April 21-May 6, 2018

16 days for \$5,584* total price from Washington, DC
(\$4,895* air & land inclusive plus \$689* airline taxes and fees)

From the breathtaking Amalfi Coast to eternal Rome, through the gentle Umbrian and Tuscan countryside to timeless Venice, this leisurely tour showcases ancient sites, contemporary life, priceless art, and beautiful natural scenery. You'll stay in unique accommodations in the Tuscan countryside and a medieval village.



ITINERARY IN BRIEF

Days 1-4: April 21-24, 2018
Depart U.S./Naples/Amalfi

Days 5-7: April 25-27, 2018
Rome

Days 8-10: April 28-30, 2018
Orvieto (Umbria)

Days 11-13: May 1-3, 2018
Siena (Tuscany)

Day 14-15: May 4-5, 2018
Venice, Depart Venice for U.S.

Day 16: May 6, 2018
Depart Venice for U.S.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Arrive in Naples and travel to seaside Amalfi. Experience this stunning coast by sea, cruising from your hotel to Amalfi Center. Ascend to mountaintop Ravello to see its spectacular gardens and coastal views. Tour the ruins at Pompeii with a stop in Sorrento along the way.
- Visit Montecassino, whose Abbey is the mother church of the Benedictine order. Arrive in Rome and tour the Colosseum and the temples of the Forum. Visit the Vatican and tour St. Peter's Square and Basilica, and the Sistine Chapel. Enjoy leisure time in the Eternal City to explore on your own.
- Journey north to Orvieto, perched high on a plateau above a vineyard-clad plain. Attend a cooking demonstration followed by dinner at Zeppelin Restaurant. Explore Assisi, where we enter St. Clare Church and the renowned Basilica di San Francesco, a sacred pilgrimage site.
- Visit Siena with its fan-shaped Piazza del Campo public square, and enjoy a guided walking tour. Arrive in splendid Florence and go on a walking tour then visit Galleria dell'Accademia to view Michelangelo's "David," and the revered *Duomo*, with its dome by Brunelleschi. Visit San Gimignano, known for the 13 watchtowers that have left its skyline virtually unchanged since medieval times.
- Travel to Venice, where we take a guided walk through vast St. Mark's Square and surroundings. Enjoy leisure time in this enchanting city.
- Depart early this morning for your connecting flight to the U.S.

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Portrait of Italy, Continued:

***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, Inc., will be in touch with you in August 2017 when the final tour details and tour brochure are available. At that time, you will have two 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 your booking is confirmed, the cancellation penalties as outlined in the brochure will apply. You will then receive a complete confirmation packet.

*Probable Pricing:

\$5,584* total price from Washington, DC. Please call for prices from other cities. Prices are per person based on double occupancy and include airline taxes, surcharges, and fees of \$689*, which are subject to change until final payment is made. Land only price is \$4,195*; airport arrival and departure transfers not included. Single travelers please add \$995*. A 3-day/2-night post-tour "Venice – On Your Own" extension is available for \$345* total price (single supplement is \$295*). Business Class and Premium Economy upgrades on round-trip Trans-Atlantic flights are available on a request basis – please call for details. *Please note: This trip involves considerable walking up hills or stairs, and on uneven or cobblestone streets. You should be in good physical condition to enjoy the tour to its fullest.*

***PLEASE NOTE:** All dates, prices, and itinerary details for 2018 tours are subject to change. Finalized pricing will be made available approximately eight months prior to departure.

Your Tour Price Includes:

- Round-trip air transportation from listed city
- 15 nights' accommodations in Superior First Class and First Class hotels
- 24 meals: 15 breakfasts, 9 dinners
- Extensive sightseeing as described, including all entrance fees
- Services of an Odysseys Unlimited Tour Director
- Private motorcoach transportation throughout your 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, mail, or e-mail your pre-registration form and deposit information to our tour operator, **Odysseys Unlimited, Inc.:**
One Newton Place, 275 Washington Street, Suite 300 Newton, MA 02458 Secure FAX: 617-454-9199
E-mail: customerservice@odysseys-unlimited.com

For questions about the tour, please contact VMFA Member Travel:
Phone: (804) 340-1519 Email: hutch.livingston@vmfa.museum

Enclosed is my/our deposit for \$ _____ (\$500 per person) for _____ person/people. This secures my/our space on the following tour:
Portrait of Italy, April 21-May 6, 2018. Make check payable to Odysseys Unlimited, Inc., or please charge my/our deposit to:

AMEX VISA MasterCard Discover

Card # _____ Expiration Date _____ Security Code _____

Signature _____

I/We understand that I/we will be contacted in August 2017, once the final brochure for the tour is available, and will be given the opportunity to cancel at that time, without penalty. I/We also understand that billing and a complete confirmation packet will follow once I/we convert this preliminary registration into a confirmed booking.

Passport Name _____ Date of Birth _____ Gender _____

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