

NORTHERN ITALY'S HIGHLIGHTS & CINQUE TERRE

10 DAYS

WITH GLOBUS THE DETAILS ARE DONE

You'll always visit the key sites and enjoy more inclusions; inside visits and special features are shown in UPPERCASE in the tour description, including admission charges where applicable. For standard inclusions, see page 8.

TRIP SCALE Leisurely On the Go

LF LOCAL FAVOURITES

Globus has created special experiences that will bring you behind the scenes, spotlight the unique stories of your journey, and bring to life the local flavour of your destination. Just look for the LF icon to see what we've included for you.

ALL THIS IS INCLUDED

■ SIGHTSEEING AND MORE

MILAN Special welcome and farewell dinners at a local restaurant; guided walking tour, visit the Sforzesco Castle grounds and museum, and admire Duomo Square and the Galleria

BUSSETO See the birthplace of Verdi; LF parmesan cheese tasting at a local *caseificio*

PARMA Guided sightseeing

MODENA LF Balsamic vinegar tasting

MARANELLO LF Visit the Ferrari Museum

LUCCA Orientation

CINQUE TERRE By boat (weather permitting) with a Local Guide and by train

RAPALLO Boat cruise to Portofino

GABIANO LF Wine tasting and lunch

TURIN Guided sightseeing, admire the Mole Antonelliana, walk through the historic centre, and visit the cathedral that houses the Holy Shroud

VERCELLI LF Visit a rice factory and enjoy a *risotto* lunch

■ **HOTELS** MILAN MGallery LaGare Milano Centrale (SF), PARMA Starhotels du Parc (SF), LUCCA Grand Hotel Guinigi (F), RAPALLO Grand Hotel Bristol (F), TURIN Starhotels Majestic (F)

■ **MEALS** Full buffet breakfast (B) daily; 2 special lunches (L) with wine in Gabiano and Vercelli; 2 three-course dinners (D) with wine: special welcome and farewell dinners in Milan

■ **TRANSPORTATION** Motorcoach; boat and train ride at Cinque Terre; boat ride to Portofino

■ **HEADSETS** Throughout the tour

■ **FREE WI-FI**  available on your motorcoach and in most hotel lobbies

CUSTOMISE YOUR HOLIDAY

■ **EXTRA NIGHTS** in Milan, Lake Maggiore

■ **ADD LAKE MAGGIORE TO YOUR HOLIDAY** (Tour LVE) with Monograms (part of the Globus family of brands)

■ **MyACCOUNT** Personalise your tour ahead of time with additional excursions. Visit our website for details and conditions.



PORTOFINO

DAY 1 ARRIVE IN MILAN, ITALY. (Fri.)

Welcome to Milan! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travelling companions and leave the hotel for a special welcome dinner at *Calafuria Unione* restaurant. (D)

DAY 2 MILAN-BUSSETO-PARMA. (Sat.)

In the morning, enjoy a walking tour with a Local Guide. Start with a visit to the SFORZESCO CASTLE GROUNDS and MUSEUM. Then, visit PIAZZA DUOMO with its magnificent gothic cathedral, the glass-domed GALLERIA, and admire the famous La Scala Opera House. Stop at Busseto to see Giuseppe Verdi's birthplace, and on your way to Parma, world-famous for its ham and parmesan cheese, stop for LF a PARMESAN CHEESE TASTING at a local *caseificio*. Later, for food lovers, an optional excursion to an original ham factory is available. (B)

DAY 3 PARMA. EXCURSION TO MODENA & MARANELLO. (Sun.)

Your guided sightseeing will focus on the Romanesque cathedral, the bell tower, and the octagonal baptistry, made of pink Verona marble. Next, LF enjoy a BALSAMIC VINEGAR TASTING near Modena, and learn all about this typical Italian product. Continue to nearby Maranello, birthplace of the Ferrari automobile, for LF an exciting visit to the FERRARI MUSEUM. Balance of the day at leisure. (B)

DAY 4 PARMA-LUCCA. (Mon.)

In Lucca, enjoy a walk through this quaint medieval town with its ramparts, and spend time in its pretty centre. To enhance your stay, an optional dinner outing to an *agriturismo* is available to try out Tuscan specialties. (B)

DAY 5 LUCCA-CINQUE TERRE-RAPALLO. (Tue.)

A scenic day! Drive to La Spezia on the Mediterranean Coast for your exciting excursion to CINQUE TERRE, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, including a BOAT RIDE (weather permitting) with a Local Guide. The name dates back to the 15th century and is derived from five medieval little villages standing on stony spurs along five miles of the rocky coastline: Riomaggiore, Manarola, Corniglia, Vernazza, and Monterosso. From here, enjoy a TRAIN RIDE to the beautiful seaside resort of Rapallo. (B)

DAY 6 RAPALLO. EXCURSION TO PORTOFINO. (Wed.)

Today's highlight is a BOAT CRUISE to nearby Portofino, a small fishing village with brightly coloured houses that became home to the "rich and famous." Later, back in Rapallo, time to relax and to browse through the attractive little shops. (B)



LF LOCAL FAVOURITE VISIT THE FERRARI MUSEUM IN MARANELLO.



LOCAL FAVOURITE VISIT A LOCAL CASEIFICIO TO LEARN HOW PARMESAN IS PRODUCED AND TO TASTE THIS WORLD-FAMOUS CHEESE.



DAY 7 RAPALLO-GABIANO-TURIN. (Thu.)

Enter the Langhe area and drive through the vineyards to Gabiano, where **LF** a WINE TASTING, followed by lunch, awaits you at *Castello di Gabiano* before continuing to Turin, capital of Piedmont and birthplace of the Fiat automobile. This evening you may wish to try out one of Turin's restaurants. (B,L)

DAY 8 TURIN. (Fri.)

During your sightseeing with a Local Guide, admire the amazing 548-foot-high Mole Antonelliana, symbol of Turin, and walk through the historic centre to visit the CATHEDRAL that houses the Holy Shroud. (B)

DAY 9 TURIN-VERCELLI-MILAN. (Sat.)

Stop in Vercelli **LF** to visit an original RICE FACTORY, and enjoy a risotto lunch before returning to Milan. This evening, a special farewell dinner awaits you at a local restaurant to celebrate the success of your Italian holiday. (B,L,D)

DAY 10 MILAN. (Sun.)

Your holiday ends with breakfast this morning. (B)



LOCAL FAVOURITE PASS THROUGH PEACEFUL VINEYARDS TO CASTELLO DI GABIANO, WHICH DATES BACK TO 1124, AND ENJOY A TASTING OF THEIR EXCELLENT WINES, FOLLOWED BY LUNCH.

ADD LAKE MAGGIORE WITH MONOGRAMS® TOUR LVE 13 DAYS



PRICED FROM \$892^{us}

This Monograms portion of your holiday includes transfer from Milan to Stresa on Lake Maggiore, 3 overnights, guided sightseeing, and services of an expert Local Host.

DAY 10 MILAN-LAKE MAGGIORE. (Sun.)

Transfer to your hotel in Stresa on Lake Maggiore. Your Local Host can help you make the most of your stay. (B)

DAY 11 LAKE MAGGIORE. (Mon.)

Morning guided sightseeing includes a boat ride to ISOLA BELLA for a visit to its opulent PALACE and GARDENS. (B)

DAY 12 LAKE MAGGIORE. (Tue.)

Your Local Host will have many suggestions for your day at leisure. (B)

DAY 13 LAKE MAGGIORE. (Wed.)

Your holiday ends with breakfast this morning (the nearest airport is Milan Malpensa). (B)

Your hotel is the Grand Hotel Bristol (SF) at Stresa; rooms include lake view.

TOURS LV AND LVE DATES & PRICES

PRICED FROM \$2,609^{us}

LV: 10 days from Milan to Milan

LVE: 13 days from Milan to Lake Maggiore

Departure Number	Start Milan	TOUR LV			TOUR LVE		Departure Number	Start Milan	TOUR LV			TOUR LVE	
		End Milan	Land Only	End Land	End Land	End Land			End Land	End Land	End Land		
0420	Fri	20 Apr	29 Apr	2609	02 May	3501	0706	Fri	06 Jul	15 Jul	2639	18 Jul	3531
0427	Fri	27 Apr	06 May	2639	09 May	3531	0720	Fri	20 Jul	29 Jul	2609	01 Aug	3501
0504	Fri	04 May	13 May	2639	16 May	3531	0803	Fri	03 Aug	12 Aug	2609	15 Aug	3501
0511	Fri	11 May	20 May	2639	23 May	3531	0817	Fri	17 Aug	26 Aug	2639	29 Aug	3531
0518	Fri	18 May	27 May	2639	30 May	3531	0831	Fri	31 Aug	09 Sep	2659	12 Sep	3551
0525	Fri	25 May	03 Jun	2659	06 Jun	3551	0907	Fri	07 Sep	16 Sep	2659	19 Sep	3551
0601	Fri	01 Jun	10 Jun	2659	13 Jun	3551	0914	Fri	14 Sep	23 Sep	2659	26 Sep	3551
0608	Fri	08 Jun	17 Jun	2659	20 Jun	3551	0921	Fri	21 Sep	30 Sep	2639	03 Oct	3531
0615	Fri	15 Jun	24 Jun	2659	27 Jun	3551	0928	Fri	28 Sep	07 Oct	2639	10 Oct	3531
0622	Fri	22 Jun	01 Jul	2659	04 Jul	3551	1005	Fri	05 Oct	14 Oct	2609	-----	-----
0629	Fri	29 Jun	08 Jul	2659	11 Jul	3551							

Gratuities per person for Tour Director and Driver: \$90

Prices are per person, based on double room occupancy.

Single room supplement: LV \$466; LVE \$649

Triple room reduction per person: LV \$87; LVE \$147

Extra nights per person in Milan:
in single room \$143-\$351, in twin \$92-\$182, in triple \$87-\$169

Extension LVE:
Extra nights per person in Lake Maggiore:
in single room \$204, in twin \$143, in triple \$116