

ROME, SORRENTO & CAPRI

TOUR 6310—9 days from Rome to Rome
TOUR 6315—16 days from Rome to Rome including Sicily

Priced From **\$1,669** US



ST. PETER'S SQUARE, ROME



1 = Overnights
2 = Start City
3 = End City

YOUR PACKAGE INCLUDES

Individual headsets

SIGHTSEEING: Visits to Sorrento, Mount Vesuvius, Capri, Amalfi

■ Inside visits and special features are shown in UPPERCASE in the tour description including admission charges where applicable

GUIDES: Local Guides for city sightseeing in Rome, Pompeii archaeological site, Naples; professional Tour Director while touring

SCENIC HIGHLIGHTS: Bay of Naples, Amalfitan Coast

TRANSPORTATION: Touring by private, first-class, air-conditioned motorcoach; boat transfer to Capri

HOTELS: Listed below or equivalent. Rooms with private bath or shower, hotel taxes, portorage, tips and service charges

ROME NH Villa Carpegna (F), **CAPRI** San Michele (ST) at Anacapri or La Residenza (F), **NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA** Central Park (ST) at Massalubrense, **ROME** Holiday Inn Parco dei Medici (F); **SICILY EXTENSION: TAORMINA AREA** Albatros (ST) at Letojanni or Kennedy (ST) at Sant'Alessio, **AGRIGENTO** Kore (F) or Della Valle (ST), **PALERMO** Politeama (F) or Ibis Styles (ST)

MEALS: Buffet breakfasts (B) daily; 3 dinners (D)

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

NOTE: Some tours may operate with overnights in Sorrento on Days 4 and 5, followed by two nights in Capri on Days 6 and 7

Day 1, Fri. ARRIVE IN ROME, ITALY. Check into your hotel. The rest of the day is free for you to start exploring this great city. Tonight, meet your Tour Director and fellow travellers.

Days 2 & 3, Sat. & Sun. ROME. Two days to get well acquainted with Rome. Included sightseeing with a Local Guide starts with St. Peter's Square and Basilica. Other highlights are the iconic Colosseum, the largest amphitheatre ever built; the Roman Forum; Piazza Venezia, and Campidoglio. An optional visit is available to the Vatican Museums and Sistine Chapel, world famous for Michelangelo's impressive fresco of *The Last Judgment*. (B daily)

Day 4, Mon. ROME-VESUVIUS-POMPEII-NAPLES-CAPRI. Drive up one of Europe's greatest active volcanoes—Vesuvius! Take a walk to the top to view its crater. Then, to POMPEII, where time stopped in 79 AD when the Vesuvius eruption totally buried the city. On the included guided visit, see the remains of luxurious villas, temples, theatre, and forum. Embark on the FERRY to Capri to spend two nights on this charming island. (B,D)

Day 5, Tue. CAPRI. This legendary island is surrounded by a rocky coastline—and the crashing sea has formed remarkable caves. The town, with its pretty *piazzetta*, maze

of streets, fashionable boutiques, and cozy restaurants, is a mecca for the jet set. An optional island tour is available. (B,D)

Day 6, Wed. CAPRI-NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA. EXCURSION TO AMALFITAN COAST. Take the FERRY to Sorrento. Few places in the world match the very special charm of Sorrento. This picturesque resort overlooking the Bay of Naples boasts a marvellous climate, beautiful views, trendy shops and boutiques, interesting museums, and a vibrant nightlife. Don't miss out on the included excursion along the breathtakingly beautiful AMALFITAN COAST. (B,D)

Day 7, Thu. NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA. Enjoy a day at leisure in Sorrento, situated on a plateau high above the waters of the Bay of Naples and with truly spectacular views as far as towering Vesuvius. Sorrento's terraces, adorned with flowers, jut from winding streets and alleys above a small harbour. Streets are filled with shops, cheerful bars, and cafés. (B)

Day 8, Fri. NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA-ROME. Drive back to Rome to enjoy most of the afternoon and evening at leisure. (B)

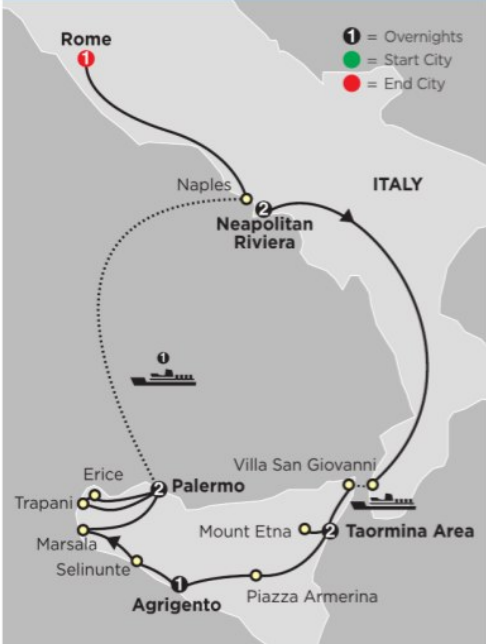
Day 9, Sat. ROME. Your holiday ends with breakfast this morning. (B)



CAPRI

ADD SICILY TO YOUR HOLIDAY

TOUR 6315—16 days



Days 1 to 6 Like Tour 6310.

Days 7 & 8, Thu. & Fri. NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA. Two full days to enjoy Sorrento set on a plateau high above the waters of the Bay of Naples and with truly spectacular views as far as towering Vesuvius. Sorrento's terraces, adorned with flowers, jut from winding streets and alleys above a small harbour. Streets are filled with shops, cheerful bars, and cafés. Day 7 (B), Day 8 (B,D)

Day 9, Sat. NEAPOLITAN RIVIERA-VILLA SAN GIOVANNI-FERRY CROSSING-TAORMINA AREA. Today, by way of the autostrada, travel through the wild and mountainous scenery of Italy's most southern regions before boarding the FERRY for the 45-minute crossing to Sicily. Only a few more miles to the Taormina area, where you stay for two nights. (B,D)

Day 10, Sun. TAORMINA AREA. EXCURSION TO MOUNT ETNA. Magnificently situated on a 700-foot plateau overlooking the Ionian Sea, the heart of Taormina is Piazza Nove Aprile, a paved square with unrivalled views of the sea and Mount Etna. Enjoy a visit to the heights of MOUNT ETNA and the option of a jeep or cable-car ride for a better view of Europe's largest active volcano. (B)

Day 11, Mon. TAORMINA AREA-PIAZZA ARMERINA-AGRIGENTO. Today, drive westwards to Piazza Armerina, a maze of steep streets positively overflowing with the colourful atmosphere of Sicilian life. At nearby Casale, visit the ROMAN VILLA, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and famous for its mosaics, including the whimsical "Bikini Girls". Next on the agenda is Agrigento's Valley of the Temples, one of Italy's archaeological jewels. Visit the DORIC TEMPLE OF CONCORD, one of the finest examples of Greek civilisation existing today, and the hilltop TEMPLE OF JUNO LACINIA. Spend the night in Agrigento. (B,D)

Day 12, Tue. AGRIGENTO-SELINUNTE-MARSALA-PALERMO. Leave for Selinunte,

one of the most striking and interesting sites in Sicily. At the apex of its power before 409 BC, the city exceeded 30,000 people, excluding slaves. Here, you will see the remains of the ACROPOLIS with its temples and fortifications. On the western coast of Sicily, stop in *Marsala*, known for its celebrated Marsala wine. Here, you will visit a local SALT MILL and learn how this local product is extracted and refined. Then, head to Palermo, capital of Sicily. (B)

Day 13, Wed. PALERMO. EXCURSION TO TRAPANI & ERICE. Two Sicilian treats are on the agenda today. First, visit enchanting Trapani with a Local Guide, set on a harbour that was once at the heart of a powerful trading network stretching from Carthage to Venice. The city centre stretches along the port and was built in primarily baroque style. Next is the medieval hilltop town of Erice, reached by cable car. Situated about 2,500 feet above sea level, it immediately impresses with its defensive walls and castle affording breathtaking views over the Trapani Gulf and Egadi Island and on clear days, all the way to the African coast. Return to Palermo. (B)

Day 14, Thu. PALERMO (EMBARKATION)-OVERNIGHT FERRY CROSSING TO NAPLES. A full day to enjoy this busy and colourful city full of interesting squares and marketplaces, churches, and *palazzos* in every style—from Moorish to baroque. On the included guided tour, learn more about this city and visit the magnificent CAPPELLA PALATINA. Evening embarkation for the overnight ferry from Palermo to Naples. (B)

Day 15, Fri. NAPLES (DISEMBARKATION)-ROME. Get to know Naples with a Local Guide. You'll discover a multifaced city, elegant and decadent at the same time, lively, fascinating, and colourful. Later, return to Rome, the "Eternal City."

Day 16, Sat. ROME. Your holiday ends with breakfast this morning. (B)



MARSALA



SORRENTO LEMONS

TOURS 6310 & 6315 DATES & PRICES

US\$

		Tour 6310				Tour 6315						Tour 6310				Tour 6315				
Departure Number	Start Rome	End Rome	Land Only	End Rome Only	Land Only	Departure Number	Start Rome	End Rome	Land Only	End Rome Only	Land Only	Departure Number	Start Rome	End Rome	Land Only	End Rome Only	Land Only			
0330	Fri	30 Mar	07 Apr	1739	14 Apr	2469	0601	Fri	01 Jun	09 Jun	1869	16 Jun	2639	0824	Fri	24 Aug	01 Sep	1869	08 Sep	2639
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0525	Fri	25 May	02 Jun	1869	09 Jun	2639	0817	Fri	17 Aug	25 Aug	1869	01 Sep	2639							

Prices are per person, based on double room occupancy. Single room supplement: 6310 \$400; 6315 \$830; guaranteed shares: see page 5; no triple room reduction. Departure 0330 Easter departure.

Extra nights per person in Rome: pre tour: in single room \$126-\$230, in twin / in triple \$83-\$128 post tour: in single room \$124-\$144, in twin / in triple \$76-\$92