



## ITALY

# ITALY RAIL TOUR FROM VENICE TO ROME (TOUR CODE: 12390)

### STARTS AND ENDS

Venice to  
Rome

### TRAVEL PERIODS

01 May 25 - 09 Oct 25

### EXPERIENCE

Escorted  
Food & Wine  
Cultural  
Rail

### TRAVEL STYLE

Rail Escorted Tours

Travel by train from Venice to Rome without worrying about your luggage! Enjoy your journey through Italy with the guidance of a Professional Tour Director.

## Highlights

- **Worry-free luggage** service (door-to-door) and a **Professional Tour Director** for the entire duration of the Journey!
- Climb onboard a **traditional Venice gondola** for an unique excursion.
- Be enchanted by the beauty of Tuscany and visit its enchanting medieval towns: **San Gimignano, Siena and the amazing Chianti hills!**
- Reach the enchanting **Isle of Capri** and admire the Coral Grotto, Natural arch, Faraglioni and many more incredible attractions!
- Enjoy a scenic ride along the Amalfi coast and some free time in **Amalfi and Positano**.
- Enjoy a **farewell dinner in the charming Trastevere**, a bohemian neighbourhood just across the Tiber River, celebrated as a vibrant haven for artists and creatives.

Starting in the romantic city of Venice meet your tour director and enjoy a guided walking tour of city with a Gondola ride through the canals. This tour explores the classic Italian Highlights from the art & architecture of Florence to the sun kissed landscapes of the Amalfitan Coast. Visit the isle of Capri in the Gulf of Naples and enjoy a cruise along the spectacular Amalfi coast. Finishing your tour in Rome but not before visiting the Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel.



- ✓ ENTIRE Cooling-Off Period
- ✓ ENTIRE Change of Mind
- ✓ ENTIRE On Ground Support
- ✓ ENTIRE AUD Prices
- ✓ ENTIRE Industry Accredited
- ✓ ENTIRE Australian Owned

## INCLUSIONS

- 1 night in Venice at Hotel Principe - 4\* or similar
- 3 nights in Florence at Hotel San Gallo - 4\* or similar
- 3 nights in Sorrento Coast at Giosue' a Mare Hotel - 4\*
- 2 nights in Rome at the Guardian Hotel - 4\*
- High-speed train ticket first class
- Return Transfer from Naples train station to Sorrento
- Daily continental buffet breakfasts
- Bistecca dinner in Florence
- Farewell dinner in Rome
- Walking tour and Gondola ride in Venice
- Guided walking tour in Florence
- Pisa, San Gimignano, Siena & Chianti excursion
- Guided visit of Pompeii excavations
- Cruise along the Amalfi Coast from Sorrento
- Regular excursion to Capri with transfers included
- Walking tour of Baroque Rome
- Skip the line tickets Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel
- Professional English speaking Tour Director for the entire duration of the tour
- Worry-free luggage service door to door (1 piece per passenger)

## ITINERARY

Day **1**

### Venice

Upon arrival, make your way to your hotel and check in.

In the afternoon, head out on a **walking tour to discover Venice**. Combining must-see sites and hidden corners, your guide takes you to the heart of the city in just two hours; giving you a broad overview of the history, culture and character of the Floating City. During the tour visit a glass factory, where you will see a glass master performing with the glass blowing technique and the sculpture technique and learn about this ancient art.

At the conclusion of your tour, your local insider will leave you in the expert hands of a professional gondolier. Climb onboard a traditional **Venice gondola** for a half-hour excursion through the city's canals. Sit back and enjoy exploring the city as it was meant to be seen – from the water!

Overnight stay in Venice at **Hotel Hotel Principe** - or Similar.





VENICE AT SUNSET

Day **2**

## Venice Florence

After breakfast, board the high-speed train to Florence.

Arriving at your destination accompanied with your Tour Manager you will take a short walk to the hotel and find your luggage already delivered to your room. Enjoy some time at leisure.

Enjoy a walking tour exploring the beauties of the City by night. We will begin at Piazzale Michelangelo with its amazing views over the city, followed by, the city's Roman origins a 15th century palace, the Ponte Vecchio bridge, the famous Uffizi Gallery courtyard then on to the amazing Brunelleschi's Dome which overlooks the Baptistery's golden "Gates of Paradise".

Afterward relax and enjoy an exclusive and traditional dinner in the heart of Florence with a typical Florentine style T-bone steak.

Overnight stay in Florence at **Hotel San Gallo** or Similar.

Breakfast, Dinner



PANORAMIC VIEW OF FLORENCE

Day **2**

## Florence Siena Florence

After breakfast, embark on a full day tour to Siena, San Gimignano with a lunch and wine tasting in the Chianti region.

Discover the beautiful art city of **Siena**, famous for the Palio of Siena, a competition of horses of medieval origin that takes place each year in the shell-shaped Piazza del Campo. The Cathedral of Siena is a masterpiece of Italian Romanesque-Gothic art, along with La Torre del Mangia, which dominates the city center.

After the walking tour, enjoy free time to explore the city at your own pace and visit "le botteghe," shops selling typical products. On the way to the Chianti region, admire the unique Tuscan landscapes. Fall in love with marvelous postcard views of gentle hills, cypresses, olive trees, vineyards, and typical stone houses. Enjoy a **typical lunch at a Tuscan family-owned wine estate**, where you will have time to relax and savour a wine tasting.

After lunch, you will reach **San Gimignano**, a Tuscan town famous for its medieval towers—72 at its time of splendor; today, it has only 14. You will have free time to explore the main street, filled with shops selling excellent local products before returning to Florence.

Overnight stay in Florence at **Hotel San Gallo** or Similar.

Breakfast, Lunch



After breakfast, enjoy a day at Leisure to visit Florence at your own pace.

Overnight stay in Florence at **Hotel San Gallo** or Similar.

Breakfast





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Day **5**

Florence Naples Sorrento

You'll start your journey early in the morning and board your high-speed train to Naples.

After 3 hours ride, you'll reach Naples and then transfer to Sorrento stopping also at **the excavations of Pompeii** to visit the dramatic history of the once Roman city destroyed and buried by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius in 79 AD.

After our fully guided tour board our coach and proceed to Sorrento to check-in and where you'll find your luggage already in your room at the Hotel.

Overnight stay in the Sorrento Coast at **Giosue' a Mare Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



POMPEII'S EXCAVATIONS

Day **6**

Sorrento Capri Sorrento

After breakfast, enjoy a full day excursion to **Capri**.

Transfer to the harbour of Sorrento and reach the enchanting Isle of Capri, favorite vacation spot of the Emperor Tiberius. Upon arrival at the port of Marina Grande begin your trip around the Island seeing: the "Scugnizzo" Welcoming Statue, Tiberius' leap, the Coral Grotto, White Grotto, Natural arch, Villa Malaparte, Faraglioni, the Bay of Marina Piccola, Siren's rock, Green Grotto, Punta Carena lighthouse, and if sea and weather conditions permit, also the famous Blue Grotto (The visit inside the sea cave by row boat is not included and must be purchased at the entrance to the Blue Grotto).

After returning to Marina Grande a minibus will take you up to reach the glamorous La Piazzetta to enjoy the elegant atmosphere and you'll have time to delve into the Island on your own. Free time for Lunch.

Return to Sorrento and the remaining of the day is at leisure.

Overnight stay in the Sorrento Coast at **Giosue' a Mare Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast



Day **7**

## Sorrento Amalfi Sorrento

Today enjoy a **full day cruise and tour down the Amalfi Coast** from Sorrento.

Enjoy a scenic ride along the coast line and spend some free time exploring the Ancient Maritime Republic of Amalfi and Positano, the pearl of the Coast. Pick-up from the hotel to Sorrento in the morning and transfer to the Port of Sorrento, meeting with the skipper to go. Positano is the pearl of the Amalfi Coast. Free time to visit the famous boutiques or having lunch near Marina Grande.

You'll return to Sorrento in the late afternoon.

Overnight stay in the Sorrento Coast at **Giosue' a Mare Hotel** or similar.

Breakfast





Day **8**

## Sorrento Naples Rome

After Breakfast, depart by private transfer to reach Naples where you will board the high-speed train to Rome.

Upon arrival, enjoy a panoramic hop on hop off tour and admire the Colosseum and Roman Forum from the outside. Continue with the walking tour "Highlights of Rome" to discover Baroque Rome and admire Piazza Navona, the Trevi Fountain, and the Pantheon, an ancient pagan temple transformed into a church.

Transfer back to your hotel for check-in, where your bags will be waiting for you.

Overnight stay in Rome at the **Guardian Hotel** or Similar.

Breakfast



Day **9**

## Rome

After breakfast, today is at your leisure.



In the evening, you will be a transfer to a farewell dinner in the renowned **Trastevere**, a bohemian neighborhood located across the Tiber River, known as a haven for artists and creatives. This area serves as a meeting point for both Romans and visitors to experience "una serata romana."

Following the dinner, you will be a transfer back to your hotel for the night.

Overnight stay in Rome at the **Guardian Hotel** or Similar.

Breakfast, Dinner



## Day 10 Rome

After breakfast at hotel, end of our services.

Breakfast





# OPTIONAL EXTRAS

## Arrival transfer in Venice with assistant

Arrival transfer from Venice airport to Venice Hotel with Assistant (1- 3 passengers)

The price is subject to a supplement in the event of a late arrival.

Prices are dynamic based on travel dates. Please proceed to [Book Now](#) or [Contact Us](#) for details.

## Departure transfer in Rome

Departure transfer from Rome hotel to FCO airport (1- 3 passengers).

The price is subject to a supplement in the event of a early/late departure.

Prices are dynamic based on travel dates. Please proceed to [Book Now](#) or [Contact Us](#) for details.

# ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

OFFICIAL LANGUAGE	LOCAL CURRENCY
Italian	EURO

- Please note that the order of some of the tours and experiences may vary in order without affecting the tour or experience.
- Guaranteed Departures with a minimum of 2 participants booked.

## Excluded

- International airfares and taxes
- Domestic airfares and taxes, unless otherwise specified in our holiday package
- Visa expenses, processing and issuance fees
- Meals other than as specified in our holiday package
- Travel Insurance or expenses of a personal nature (mini-bar, phone call, laundry, etc.),
- Tips or gratuities to guides, drivers, porters, hotel, restaurant or boat staff, etc.
- Or any other travel expense that has not been included in our holiday package