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SERVICE!**

**THE DURGAN TRAVELER**  
**2021 FALL VACATION TRAVEL**  
**QUITE SIMPLY THE BEST VALUES IN TRAVEL**

We hope that this newsletter finds you healthy, safe, and excited for your next trip! Durgan Travel recently celebrated 52 years in business, and 26 years at our Stoneham location, so we have a stability you can count on rarely found in the travel industry. We are a full-service travel agency and tour operator and can provide excellent rates on all domestic and international cruise lines as well. Our specialty is highly-inclusive European tours that offer exceptional value to our travelers.

**THE VALUE WE PROVIDE**

All Durgan tours are promoted with round-trip flights included, while most other tour operators promote their trips "land only" with flights extra. When you compare a Durgan tour to the competition, we include daily touring and admissions, four-star hotels, and usually at least two meals daily. Tours feature an expert tour host, who is with you throughout the itinerary, with local step-on guides along the way. Quite simply, we have highest value in the marketplace! With the competition, you will pay from \$50 to \$80 for a half-day optional tour, and \$90 to over \$200 for a full-day tour. Missing dinners cost on average from \$35 to \$50 per person! If you compare a Durgan tour with the competition and add up all the touring, meals, and extras you'll pay for with them, you will realize we have the very best packages!

**2021 FALL TOURS**

Here is our list of fall 2021 tours! If you don't see what you're looking for, contact our retail department- we can advise whether we're expecting to have a future departure, or assist you by booking a tour with one of our select partners. It will be the very best product in the marketplace outside of our own tours! The full promotional flyer and reservation form for any of the trips listed in this Durgan Traveler can be found online under the "Current Tours" tab of our website at [www.durgantravel.com](http://www.durgantravel.com).

**AWARD-WINNING TOURS**

Durgan Travel is one of just 13 international companies who have ever won the Italian Government's "Lo Leonardo Internazionale Award" for our tours to Italy. We also received Alitalia's "Golden Wings Award" in appreciation of the quality of our tours.

**FEATURED TRIP- FLORENCE/VENICE/ROME**

We have our fabulous 9-day/7-night trip to Italy featuring Florence, Venice, and Rome, with tours included in each city, plus visits to Pisa, Lucca, Viareggio, Tivoli, and Vatican City (optional tour)!

**VISIT DURGANTRAVEL.COM**

We invite you to visit our website- especially our tab for "Current Tours" (with our trips subdivided into "Italy," "Europe & Beyond," and "Cruises") to see links to the promotional flyer/reservation form for the tours below. Save our site as a favorite place, because beyond our trips, our "Forms/Information" section contains plenty of helpful travel information including information sheets for most of the countries we visit regularly. If you run a travel group or are interested in starting one, we encourage you to visit the "Group Leader" tab and "Suggested Itineraries" for a wealth of itinerary ideas.

<b>HIGHLY-INCLUSIVE 2021 TOURS</b>			
<b>AIR, HOTEL, MOST MEALS/TOURS, ESCORT, TAXES, MORE</b>			
Northern Italian Lakes	9/9-17	9D7N	\$3599
Lake Como & Switzerland	9/10 -18	10D8N	\$3459
Portuguese Riviera	9/10-18	9D7N	\$2839
Wine Lover's Italy	9/16 - 24	9D7N	\$3799
Aeolian Islands & Sicily	9/17-25	9D7N	\$2849
Costa del Sol	9/17 - 25	9D7N	\$3599
Greece & Greek Isles	9/17 - 27	10D8N	\$4359
Grand Tour of Italy	9/21-10/2	12D10N	\$3869
Sorrento for Repeaters	9/28 - 10/02	9D7N	\$3639
London & Southern England	9/30-10/9	10D8N	\$3919
GT Sicily	9/30 - 10/8	9D7N	\$2689
Grand Tour of Italy	10/5 -16	12D10N	\$3869
Ireland (Best of)	10/7 - 15	9D7N	\$2999
Tuscany w/Cinque Terre	10/7 - 15	9D7N	\$3679
London	10/8-15	8D6N	\$2499
Lake Como & Switzerland	10/8-16	9D7N	\$3149
Extended Grand Tour of Italy	10/8-21	14D12N	\$3999
Captivating Campania	10/9 - 17	9D7N	\$3429
Sorrento/Taormina	10/9 - 18	10D8N	\$3879
Italian/French Riviera	10/10 - 18	9D7N	\$2929
Ireland/Italy	10/13 - 24	12D10N	\$4369
Wine Lover's Portugal	10/14 - 22	9D7N	\$3999
Florence/Rome	10/15 - 23	9D7N	\$3289
Azores/Sao Miguel	10/23 - 30	8D6N	\$2759
Taormina	10/28 - 11/5	9D7N	\$2729
Florence/Venice/Rome	11/4 - 12	9D7N	\$3399
Grand Tour Portugal	11/5 - 13	9D7N	\$3429
Sorrento/Venice/Croatia	11/5 - 15	10D8N	\$4029
Azores/Sao Miguel	11/6 - 13	8D6N	\$2729
Sorrento	11/6 - 14	9D7N	\$2929

**ALTERNATE GATEWAYS AVAILABLE**

On most of our tours, the departure gateway is Boston. If you're not in the Boston area, it is possible to join the group out of an alternative gateway, and we can help with those arrangements. Some of the airlines we work with fly out of New York, Florida, Atlanta, Chicago, or Los Angeles, as examples, meaning you can fly right out of the U.S. to your destination, often arriving at or around the same time as the Boston flight! And snowbirds- even if you're somewhere south for the winter, you can still join your friends and family from a southern gateway!

## **CUSTOM GROUP TOURS**

We are also a **custom group tour operator**. We work with retiree, social, ethnic, religious, and employee groups on travel promotions, as well as companies on business meetings, conventions, and sales incentives programs. We have contracts with several major airlines in order to acquire the very best airfares, and due to our **expertise** and **buying power**, can create the **best tours** at the **best rates**. For our group customers, we have a full selection of tours to choose from and can customize a trip to a group's exact specifications.

If you are associated with a traveling group or would like to put together a group promotion for family, friends, or associates, contact our group department. **We'd love to help you create a successful promotion!** We also work with **religious groups**, be it Israel, the Vatican, or shrines throughout Europe. Tours make ideal fundraisers as well as fostering a great sense of unity. Please share this information with your religious leaders.

## **A FULL-SERVICE TRAVEL AGENCY**

Durgan Travel is a **full-service travel agency**. We have a **retail department** that handles **individual** travel needs: cruises, flights, hotel packages, and other tours. Every day, we receive specials from cruise lines, tour operators, airlines, and resorts. We can book anything from the Sunday travel section, and if we handle your reservations, **you have the peace of mind of working with a company you know and trust**. Bookings made with one of the online travel sites don't include follow-up service – good luck if a problem arises!

## **SAFE TRAVELS**

We take the safety of our travelers very seriously, and our tours have features that will keep you safer than the average tour. We use local bus companies and have local people on the ground, which makes us seem far less "American" and also gives us better insight into what's going on locally with any disturbances or unsafe areas. Our escorts are in constant contact with their headquarters and are on top of any conditions that might arise on a tour.

## **ABOUT THE DURGAN TRAVELER...**

*The Durgan Traveler* is updated constantly and posted on our website at [www.durgantravel.com/DurganTraveler.pdf](http://www.durgantravel.com/DurganTraveler.pdf). If you are not receiving weekly broadcasts from us, or have friends or relatives who might be interested in receiving these, please send any email addresses to us at [info@durgantravel.com](mailto:info@durgantravel.com) to be added to our broadcast list. And please "like" Durgan Travel on Facebook. Thank you for your **referrals** of other travelers as well!

## **CALL TODAY**

**Contact us today!** Arrangements can easily be done over the phone, Internet, and through the mail. Our Stoneham office, which is normally open Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 5:00 PM, is currently closed to visitors as a safety precaution, but we are here to serve you. We look forward to the opportunity to be of service to you, your friends, and traveling companions!

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