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9 DAYS / 7 NIGHTS

GIARDINI NAXOS, SICILY

**SEPTEMBER 28 –
OCTOBER 6, 2019**

\$2349* for payment by credit card

\$2299* for payment by cash/check

* Rates are per person, twin occupancy, and INCLUDE \$450 in air taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges (*subject to change*).
Subject to 2019 air confirmation.

VALID PASSPORT REQUIRED

Must be valid for six months beyond return date.



ABOUT THE NAXOS BEACH SICILIA HOTEL: With its stunning coastal location, this 4-star hotel is an ideal place to take advantage of Sicily's mild autumn (for these dates in 2018, the days were sunny and in the mid-to-upper 70's and low 80's each day, and that is typical). The facility offers extensive event spaces, varied sports facilities – including four swimming pools – and a private beach. Hotel Naxos Beach Sicilia's popular bars and restaurants, serving authentic Sicilian cuisine made from fresh local produce, alongside its wealth of tailored services and refined, peaceful rooms ensure that guests experience a unique taste of "la vera Sicilia." (It is possible to purchase an "open bar" package which is good from 9:30 pm – 11:30 pm nightly for roughly \$35) The modern building is located on the Bay of Naxos, just 6 kilometers from Taormina, and is the ideal destination for a vacation. Indoor and outdoor wellness and sport areas include 4 swimming pools (including 1 Olympic pool), two multifunctional areas for tennis courts and five-a-side football pitches, group sailing, windsurfing and canoeing, archery, swimming, water gym, aerobics and step lessons, fitness centre with trainer, beauty center, and excursions center. The building has a news agent, tobacconist, boutique, laundry, and diving center, and close to the hotel are facilities for water skiing, parasailing, horse riding, water scooters, pedal boats, and golf. There is a free shuttle service to/from Taormina. Hotel website: <https://www.gruppouna.it/en/unahotels/unahotels-naxos-beach-sicilia>

OUR 9-DAY/7-NIGHT GIARDINI NAXOS ITINERARY:

DAY 1 – BOSTON~INTERMEDIATE CITY~CATANIA: Depart Boston's Logan Airport on our transatlantic flight to Catania (*via intermediate city*) with meal and beverage service, and stereo headsets available, while in flight.

DAY 2 – CATANIA~GIARDINI NAXOS: Upon arrival in Catania, we will be met by our tour guide who will assist with our transfer to Giardini Naxos and the Hotel Naxos Beach (or similar). After time to freshen up we will enjoy a welcome cocktail and dinner at the hotel. Wine and mineral water are included with all meals at the hotel! Overnight. (D)

DAY 3 – TAORMINA~FORZA D'AGRO~SAVOCA: After breakfast, a local expert will conduct a half-day sightseeing tour of Taormina, including visits to all of the major attractions and a complete orientation tour of the city. The unquestioned highlight of the tour will be a visit to the Greek and Roman Theater, situated on the slope of Monte Tauro. From here, we will experience a breathtaking view of the Sicilian landscape, especially Mt. Etna in the distance. Lunch in a local restaurant. Continue on to visit nearby Savoca and Forza d'Agro to see the locations used in the filming of *The Godfather* movies including the wedding church and Bar Vitelli. Return to your hotel for dinner and overnight. (B, L, D)

DAY 4 – DAY AT LEISURE: After breakfast, the day is completely at leisure to enjoy the resort, the surrounding area, or engage in your own sightseeing. Please note, for the three days of leisure here, we have included a "Club Card" which gives you access to the hotel's facilities including the pools, and "Beach Service" which gives you access to the beach. Lunch and dinner, which again include wine and mineral water with them, are also included at the hotel. (B, L, D)

DAY 5 – CATANIA~MT. ETNA~WINERY VISIT: This morning, we will enjoy a half-day tour of beautiful Catania, including the Chapel of St. Agatha inside Catania Cathedral and the open air market. At noontime, we will partake of a typical vintner's lunch including a wine tasting. This afternoon's excursion will take us halfway up Mt. Etna, the largest volcano in all of Europe. This active volcano affords a fascinating sightseeing tour. The topography and flora will change dramatically as we ascend the mountain for a spectacular view of Taormina and surrounding Sicily. Return to Giardini Naxos for dinner and overnight at our hotel. (B, L, D)

DAY 6 – DAY AT LEISURE: After breakfast, the day is completely at leisure to enjoy the resort, the surrounding area, or engage in your own sightseeing. Utilize your "Club Card" which gives you access to the hotel's facilities including the pools, and "Beach Service" which gives you access to the beach. Lunch and dinner, which again include wine and mineral water with them, are also included at the hotel. (B, L, D)

DAY 7 – SIRACUSA: After breakfast, we will have a full-day tour of the Siracusa Geological Zone where we will visit the Greek Theater, the Roman Amphitheater, which date back to a time when Siracusa was the biggest, wealthiest city in all of Europe. Enjoy a pizza lunch in Siracusa. Continuing on to the Medieval City, we will see the beautiful architecture of the Baroque Period, constructed at a time of much wealth and prosperity. We will also see the colorful harbor and the Church of the Weeping Madonna. Return to Giardini Naxos for dinner and overnight. (B, L, D)

DAY 8 – DAY AT LEISURE: After breakfast, the day is completely at leisure to enjoy the resort, the surrounding area, or engage in your own sightseeing. Take advantage of your included "Club Card" which gives you access to the hotel's facilities including the pools, and "Beach Service" which gives you access to the beach. Lunch and dinner, which again include wine and mineral water with them, are also included at the hotel. (B, L, D)

DAY 9 – CATANIA~INTERMEDIATE CITY~BOSTON: After breakfast and hotel check-out, we will transfer to the Catania Airport to board our return flight to Boston (*via intermediate city*). Meal and beverage service is available while in flight. (B)

OUR 9-DAY/7-NIGHT GIARDINI NAXOS TOUR INCLUDES ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- ❖ Special meet-and-greet service and assistance at Logan Airport by a Durgan Travel Representative.
- ❖ Round-trip flights Boston-intermediate city-Catania and return with meal and beverage service aloft. The identity of the carrier, which may include the carrier's code-share partner, will be assigned and disclosed at a later date.
- ❖ 7-nights' accommodations at the hotels described in the itinerary, based on twin occupancy. The single supplement is an additional \$468 per single. *Limited availability- may be unavailable or subject to surcharge.* Triples are available at the twin rate.
- ❖ Comprehensive sightseeing package as described in the itinerary, including entrance fees where applicable.
- ❖ Expert English-speaking guides as required and professional Tour Escort, who will accompany our group throughout the tour.
- ❖ All transfers and sightseeing aboard our private, deluxe, temperature-controlled motorcoach.
- ❖ Porterage of luggage at the hotels.
- ❖ All meal and room taxes (for included meals), and gratuities to bellmen. A per-night city tax may have to be paid directly to the hotel.
- ❖ Breakfast (B), lunch (L) and dinner (D) daily.
- ❖ Welcome cocktail our first night in Giardini Naxos.
- ❖ Complimentary Durgan Travel Service travel accessory and complete packet of required travel documents.

A \$400 DEPOSIT IS DUE UPON RECEIPT OF FLYER. THE BALANCE IS DUE 75 DAYS PRIOR TO DEPARTURE.



TRIP DEVIATIONS: Any request for tour deviation will be subject to availability at the time of booking. The maximum extension permitted is 10 - 14 days, depending on the airline. A deviation form, along with the surcharge fee of \$150 to change the air (additional \$100 for land arrangements), must be submitted at the time of initial payment, but will be accepted up to 90 days prior to departure. After processing the request, any additional deviation expenses (car rental, train, hotel, etc.) must be paid, in full, to Durgan Travel at the time of reservation. Download form at <http://www.durgantravel.com/forms/Deviation.pdf> or contact Durgan Travel at (800) 234-9959 to request a deviation form.

TRAVEL PROTECTION INSURANCE: We encourage the purchase of the travel protection plan. Trip insurance protects against the unexpected! No one signs up for a trip thinking they are going to have to cancel or have an accident or illness and have to return home early. Do you have children or elderly parents? Trip Mate will get you home if something life threatening happens to an immediate family member, or, will refund you for canceling in advance of departure and or for missed portions of your trip for the same reason or for illness or accident. Trip Mate's travel protection plan covers all of these possibilities. Optional trip insurance is a small price to pay for the peace of mind knowing you and your tour arrangements are insured against the unexpected. We will pay your insurance premium out of your initial deposit and add the cost of your insurance plan to your final bill so that you do not have to pay this additional expense now!

All persons traveling with Durgan Travel are automatically enrolled in Travel Protection Insurance through Trip Mate (1-800-888-7292) if they checked off the "YES" box on the Reservation Form. Please call Trip Mate if you have questions about your insurance or your eligibility. The plan covers trip cancellation or pre- or post-trip interruption, and tour operator/cruise line/airline bankruptcy up to the cost of the trip and travel delay up to \$750 (max. \$150 per day). Emergency evacuation is covered up to \$50,000. Accident or Sickness Medical Expense is covered up to \$25,000. Lost or stolen baggage/personal effects are covered up to \$2500. Baggage delay (24 hours or more) up to \$250 reimbursement, and death or dismemberment benefit \$25,000 max.

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RESPONSIBILITY: Durgan Travel and their agents, in accepting bookings for this tour, clearly stipulate that they are not liable for faults or defaults of other companies and persons that may be used in the carrying-out of the tour services, also for accidents, baggage losses, delays, or cancellations, strikes, political unrest, riots, and acts of God and war, and changes in schedules. In the event it becomes necessary or advisable, for the comfort or well-being of the passengers, or for any reason whatsoever, to alter the itinerary or arrangements, such alterations may be made without penalty to the operator. Additional expenses, if any, shall be borne by the passengers. The right is reserved to withdraw the tour due to insufficient participation or for any reason whatsoever; also, to decline to accept or to retain any person as members of the tour. The airlines and bus lines concerned are not to be held responsible for any acts, omissions, or events during the time the passengers are not onboard. The pass contract in use by the airlines or bus companies concerned constitutes the sole contract between the company and purchase of this tour and/or passengers. The issuance and acceptance of receipt tickets and/or tour membership coupons, along with making the initial deposit, shall be deemed to be consent to and acceptance of the foregoing terms and conditions. Durgan Travel is not responsible for any disruption or cancellation of services due to erroneous identification information provided to Durgan Travel by clients.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL NAMES ARE FILLED IN AS THEY APPEAR ON PASSPORTS. The Transportation Security Administration (TSA) requires the following information: You are responsible for filling out this form correctly and completely, and failure to do so will result in the denial of boarding at the airport and/or financial penalties (upwards of \$125). You are responsible for any expenses, inconveniences, or loss of trip stemming from providing incomplete or incorrect information. Additionally, airlines are refusing to do "name changes" if information is not provided properly in the first place, resulting in the passenger losing their seat. Any missing or outdated information **MUST** be provided to Durgan Travel no later than 75 days prior to departure. Plan to renew your passport in time to submit all pertinent information by 75 days prior to departure. Your passport must be good for a minimum of six (6) months after your return date.

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Rates are per person, double occupancy, and INCLUDE \$450 in air taxes, fees & fuel surcharges.

Single, add \$468 (Single rooms subject to availability at time of booking) Twin Triple

We offer **Trip Mate Travel Protection** to insure your trip (see policy inclusions on previous page). Please choose **YES** or **NO** below:

YES, insure my trip with Trip Mate Travel Protection! Insurance will be added to the package at \$199 premium per person twin/\$239 single and will be prepaid from my deposit. (See *policy inclusions on Page 3.*) **The insurance premium is non-refundable and non-transferrable.**

NO, I do not wish to include the premium for **Trip Mate Travel Protection Insurance**. I realize that I am **NOT** covered by **Travel Protection Insurance**.

Please find enclosed a deposit of \$400 per person for ___ person(s) due as soon as possible, as space is limited and available on a first come, first served basis. Make your check payable to **DURGAN TRAVEL SERVICE**. I/we understand that the balance is due 75 days prior to tour departure and that full refunds, minus a \$25.00 service fee and the cost of insurance, will be returned to passengers if cancellation is given up to 90 days prior to tour departure date. Between 89 – 76 days prior to departure, the full deposit is non-refundable. Between 75 – 60 days prior to departure, 25% of the total tour price is forfeited. Between 59 – 45 days prior to departure, 50% of the total tour price is forfeited. Between 44 – 36 days prior to departure, 75% of the total tour price is forfeited. Within 35 days of departure – no refund.

PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY & COMPLETELY

Please remit a photocopy of the photo page of your passport with your reservation form for purposes of clarity.

Name (as it appears on passport): _____ M F

Passport #: _____ Place of Issue: _____ Citizenship: _____ Exp. Date: ___/___/20__

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Best Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK Alt. Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK

Date of birth: ___/___/___ City & State of birth: _____ E-mail: _____

In Case of Emergency, Notify: _____ Phone # _____

Roommate #1: Name (as it appears on passport): _____ M F

Passport #: _____ Place of Issue: _____ Citizenship: _____ Exp. Date: ___/___/20__

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Best Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK Alt. Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK

Date of birth: ___/___/___ City & State of birth: _____ E-mail: _____

Roommate #2: Name (as it appears on passport): _____ M F

Passport #: _____ Place of Issue: _____ Citizenship: _____ Exp. Date: ___/___/20__

Address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ ZIP: _____

Best Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK Alt. Phone #: _____ HOME CELL WORK

Date of birth: ___/___/___ City & State of birth: _____ E-mail: _____

Credit Card #: (if depositing on card): _____ VISA MC DIS Exp. Date: _____

Name (as it appears on credit card): _____ Signature: _____

****Please Note: Payment by cash or check is discounted.****

I have read and understand the policies listed on this flyer. Prices on this flyer were effective on the date listed below. At the time you purchase your tour, prices may be higher because of an increase in carrier charges. Any rate changes would be advised at time of final billing. I understand that the airline tickets or air tours I am purchasing are subject to supplemental price increases after the date of purchase due to additional charges imposed by a supplier or government. I acknowledge that I may be charged additional sums by Durgan Travel to offset increased fees, fuel surcharges, taxes, fluctuation in foreign exchange markets or any combination thereof. I hereby consent to any post-purchase price increases and authorize Durgan Travel to charge my credit card for such additional amounts. Additionally, I have provided all information as accurately as possible and with the understanding that I may be subject to a cancellation or change penalties of at least \$125 if they are incorrect.

Signature: _____ Date: _____