

Valid Passport Required

Must be valid for 3 months beyond return date



All rates are per person, twin occupancy, and INCLUDE \$TBA in air taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges (subject to change).

Durgan Travel Service *presents...*

9-Days/7-Nights

ADRIATIC COAST OF ITALY Featuring Rimini

With San Marino, Bologna, Modena, Ferrara, Ravenna & Florence

DEPARTURES:

March at \$TBA*

April at \$TBA*

May 1 - 15 & October at \$TBA*

November at \$TBA*

*The above rates are for payment by credit card. See Res Form *(on back)* for discount cash and check rates.

OUR ADRIATIC COAST OF ITALY TOUR ITINERARY:

DAY 1 – BOSTON~ROME~BOLOGNA: Depart Boston's Logan International Airport aboard our transatlantic Alitalia flight to Bologna (via Rome) with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in-flight.

DAY 2 – BOLOGNA~RIMINI: "Benvenuti in Italia!" Arrival at Guglielmo Marconi Airport in Bologna where we will be met by our Tour Escort who will assist with our transfer. Board our private motorcoach for the drive to the beach resort of Rimini on the beautiful Adriatic Coast. Check-in at the Hotel Corallo (or similar) located on the beach in Rimini. The remainder of the day is at leisure to familiarize ourselves with our surroundings. Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (D) Hotel website: www.hotelcorallorimini.com

DAY 3 – REPUBLIC OF SAN MARINO: Breakfast at our hotel. Board our motorcoach for a morning drive to the 3rd smallest country in Europe, officially known as "The Most Serene Republic of San Marino". On our guided tour, we will see the Gothic Palazzo Publico, the colorful Fortress Guards at the Piazza della Liberta, the 14th century Church of San Francesco, the Palazzo dei Valloni, the Neo-Classical Basilica of San Marino and many of San Marino's most historic sites. Our tour ends at the Fortress of Mount Titano, which offers tremendous panoramic views of the surrounding countryside and the Adriatic Sea. Return to our hotel in Rimini for dinner and overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 4 – BOLOGNA: Breakfast at our hotel. Today's excursion takes us to one of Italy's most historic, yet modern centers – Bologna! Bologna, one of the oldest cities in Italy, lies at the foot of the Apennine Mountains and has long been known for its graceful architecture, outstanding universities, and mouth-watering cuisine. Our local guided will acquaint us with the area around the Main Square, including the Church of San Petronio (*with its unfinished façade*), the fantastic Statue of Neptune of Giambolognas, the famous Middle Age towers, Torre Garisenda, Torre Asinelli, and many other important landmarks. Return to our hotel in Rimini for dinner and overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 5 – MODENA: Breakfast at our hotel. Today, we will visit the idyllic town of Modena which is probably most famous as "the home of Ferrari motorcars", but in truth is an historic center which reflects the culture and life of the surrounding area. Our local guide will takes us on an informative walking tour of many of Modena's most historic venues, including the 12th century Romanesque Cathedral (*declared by UNESCO to be among 500 masterpieces worldwide*), the impressive Municipal Palace, the imposing Palazzo Ducale, and much more! As well as the birthplace of Ferrari, Modena also is proud to call itself home to Luciano Pavarotti and Balsamic vinegar! Return to our hotel in Rimini for dinner and overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 6 – FERRARA~RAVENNA: Breakfast at our hotel. Our full-day of sightseeing begins in Ferrara, which is situated on a broad plain north of Rimini. Ferrara still preserves its Renaissance-era atmosphere when it was the seat of the court of the powerful Este family. With our local guide, we will explore Ferrara's twisting, medieval cobblestone streets, visit the magnificent Cathedral with its towering Gothic façade, and – best of all – the Castello Estense, a castle straight out of the storybooks with a moat, drawbridges and towers! Next on our agenda is a visit to the former Byzantine center of Ravenna. The city is particularly renowned for its mosaics, artworks and architecture of the Byzantine period (6th to 8th century AD) of which our guide will introduce to many outstanding examples. Return to our hotel in Rimini for dinner and overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 7 –FLORENCE: Breakfast at our hotel: This morning, our motorcoach will head due west to the city which was the "birthplace of the Italian Renaissance" – Florence! Considered one of the most beautiful cities in Italy – and maybe in the world – Florence is known far-and-wide for its fabulous food, monumental architecture, and overpowering art. Among the many "treasures" of Florence that our guide will introduce us to, will be the world-famous Duomo di Santa Maria del Fiore (*cathedral*) with its Brunelleschi-designed cupola, Giotto's Bell Tower, and the 14th century bronze doors of the Baptistery. Return to our hotel in Rimini for dinner and overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 8 – RIMINI: Breakfast at our hotel. This morning, we will be hosted on a guided walking tour of the town of Rimini, starting with the Arch of Augustus which dates from early roman times. In the historic city center, around the main square – Piazza Cavour – we will see the Palazzo della Podesta, the Palazzo Arengo, the Fish Market and the Fontana della Pigna. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure to explore on our own, shop-and-browse, or simply relax. Dinner at our hotel this evening. Overnight. (BB, D)

DAY 9 – RIMINI~BOLOGNA~ROME~BOSTON: After breakfast and hotel check-out, we will transfer to Guglielmo Marconi Airport in Bologna to board our return flight to Boston(*via Rome*) with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in-flight. (BB)

OUR ADRIATIC COAST OF ITALY TOUR INCLUDES ALL OF THE FOLLOWING:

- * Round trip motorcoach transportation to and from Boston's Logan International Airport. FREE with a minimum of 35 paying passengers. Additional charge with fewer than 35.
- * Round trip regularly scheduled Alitalia flights Boston-Rome-Bologna and return, with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in-flight.
- * Special meet-and-greet service and assistance at Logan Airport by a Durgan Travel Service Representative.
- * All transfers and sightseeing aboard a temperature-controlled motorcoach with an expert driver.
- * Porterage of luggage at the hotel.
- * 7-nights first-class accommodations at the *Hotel Corallo* (or similar) in Rimini, based-on twin occupancy. The single supplement is an additional \$TBA per single. *ONLY 4 singles per trip.* Triples are available at the twin rate.
- * Substantial buffet breakfast (BB) and dinner (D) daily.
- * Comprehensive sightseeing package, as illustrated in the itinerary, including entrance fees where applicable.
- * Full services of a professional, English-speaking Tour Escort who will accompany our group throughout the tour.
- * Expert English-speaking step-on guides where required.
- * All room and meal taxes, and gratuities to bellmen.
- * Complimentary Durgan Travel Service flight bag and complete packet of required documentation.

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

TRAVEL PROTECTION INSURANCE: All persons traveling with **Durgan Travel Service** are automatically enrolled in **Travel Protection Insurance** through **Trip Mate (1-800-888-7292),** *UNLESS* you "opt out" and check-off the "NO" box below on the Reservation Form. Please *ONLY* 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.. This plan is underwritten by: The United States Fire Insurance Company. **This policy is administered by:** Trip Mate, Inc. (In CA, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency), 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO 64114, 1-800-888-7292.

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, *should* be submitted at the time of initial payment, but will be accepted up to 120-days prior to departure. After processing, the request, any additional deviation expenses (car rental, train, hotel, etc.) must be paid, in full, to the Retail Department of Durgan Travel Service at the time of reservation. Download form from **www.durgantravel.com** or contact Durgan Travel at Toll Free 1-800-234-9959 to request a deviation form.

RESPONSIBILITY: Durgan Travel Service 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.

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