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Passport  
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Must be valid for 3 mos. 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*

# **NORTHERN ITALY LAKES TOUR**

***Featuring Innsbruck, Austria; Verona,  
Padua, Venice and Milan, Italy***

**AVAILABLE DEPARTURES:**

**March and November<sup>at \$TBA\*</sup>**

**September<sup>at \$TBA\*</sup>**

**April, Early May & October<sup>at \$TBA\*</sup>**

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

Join your fellow travelers on a scenic vacation in the **Lakes Region of Northern Italy**, including visits to **Innsbruck, Austria** and **Milan, Italy**. Our 9-day/7-night tour will include round trip flights, round trip transfers to and from the hotel and airport in Italy, **3 meals daily**, as well as **daily sightseeing**. Our home away from home is the 4-star **Hotel Oasi** (or similar), a lovely property adjacent to enchanting **Lake Garda** in **Riva del Garda**. All rooms have telephone, color satellite TV, mini-bar, safe box, private bath, and balcony. The **Hotel Oasi's** amenities include: a stylish restaurant featuring local and international cuisine, a wellness center, swimming pool, and whirlpool/Jacuzzi. So bring your swimsuits and your camera for a trip with breathtaking scenery you will never forget!

### **OUR 9-DAY/7-NIGHT NORTHERN ITALY LAKES TOUR ITINERARY IS AS FOLLOWS:**

**DAY 1 – BOSTON~ROME~MILAN:** Depart Boston's Logan International Airport on our transatlantic flight to **Milan** (*via an intermediate stop*) with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in-flight.

**DAY 2 – MILAN~RIVA DEL GARDA:** Upon arrival in **Milan**, we will be met by our Tour Escort who will assist with our transfer. Board our motorcoach for transfer to the **4-star Hotel Oasi** (or similar) in **Riva del Garda**, near the beach and the center of town. The remainder of the day is at leisure to familiarize ourselves with the area prior to our dinner at the hotel this evening. (D) *The Hotel Oasi website is: [www.oasi-hotel.it](http://www.oasi-hotel.it)*

**DAY 3 – LAKE GARDA~SIRMIONE~GARDONE:** Breakfast at our hotel. We will be off for a tour of **Lake Garda** today, which consists of both a bus tour and a boat tour. Of all the great lakes of Northern Italy, Lake Garda is the greatest! It is an oasis of Northern Italian light and color. Next, we will enjoy a relaxing cruise on Lake Garda beginning in **Sirmione**, (*often referred to as "the brightest jewel in Garda"*) and ending in **Gardone**, one of the most elegant towns on the lake! Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 4 – INNSBRUCK & THE DOLOMITES:** Breakfast at our hotel. Today, an excursion to **Innsbruck, Austria** is on our agenda. Through the **Adige Valley**, the **Isarco Valley**, and the spectacular **Brenner Pass**, we reach Innsbruck, an important historical and commercial center of Austria. There will be a visit to the historic section, including the **Imperial Palace**. Time permitting, there will be some free time for shopping before we begin our tour of the **Dolomites**. We reach **Bolzano** by motorway and drive through the **Ega Valley**, arriving at **Lake Carezza**, then through the **Fazza Valley** and the **Gardena Valley**, with a short visit to **Ortisei**. Dinner and overnight at our hotel in Riva del Garda. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 5 – MILAN:** Breakfast at our hotel. We will depart on an excursion west to **Milan** where we will enjoy a wonderful, narrated panoramic tour of the city including visits to **The Duomo**, which is the largest Gothic cathedral in Italy and the **Church of Santa Maria Delle Grazie**, the 15<sup>th</sup> century Renaissance church which houses Leonardo Da Vinci's masterpiece – "**The Last Supper**". After lunch, we will have plenty of free time for shopping and independent sightseeing. Late in the afternoon, we will return to our hotel for dinner. Overnight. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 6 - RIVA DEL GARDA AREA:** Breakfast at our hotel. This morning, we will have a guided-walking tour of the quiet little town of Malcesine, nestled between the slopes of Monte Baldo and the shores of Lake Garda. The highlight of the tour is a visit to the 13<sup>th</sup> century turreted **Castello Scaligeri**. The famous German poet, **Goethe**, was imprisoned here for spying in 1786. It also contains a small natural history museum, **Museo A. Pariani**, in one of the castle's towers. **And it's Market Day!** We will also visit one of the wonderful local markets (*in either Limone, Riva del Garda, or Malcesine*) where we can shop-and-browse to our hearts content. We will then proceed to **Riva del Garda**, one of the best known of the lake's resorts, for lunch with a wine tasting. The remainder of the afternoon is at leisure. Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 7 - VENICE:** Breakfast at our hotel. Today, we are off to **Venice!** Venice is a "must see" when visiting Italy. This fantastic metropolis was built on 118 small islands, with countless canals and bridges. We will tour along the **Grand Canal** to **St. Mark's Square**, the heart of Venice. There will be free time to enjoy the unusual beauty of this city. Mid to late afternoon return to the hotel for dinner and overnight. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 8 – VERONA & PADUA:** Breakfast at our hotel. We will depart today for **Verona**, the setting for Shakespeare's "Romeo and Juliet". We will be taken on a sightseeing tour of the **Church of San Zeno**, **Piazza Bra** and **The Arena**, **Piazza delle Erbe** (with its marketplace), **Piazza dei Signori**, the **Tombs of the Della Scala Family**, and the **House of Juliet**. Our next and last stop today will be to the ancient university city of **Padua**, the seat of its famous university founded in 1222. Dinner and overnight at our hotel. (BB, L, D)

**DAY 9 – MILAN~ROME~BOSTON:** Breakfast and hotel check-out. Transfer to Malpensa Airport in **Milan** for our return flight to Boston (*via an intermediate stop*), with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in flight. (BB)

**OUR NORTHERN ITALY LAKES 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.
- \* Special meet-and-greet service and assistance at Logan Airport by a Durgan Travel Service Representative.
- \* Round trip regularly scheduled flights Boston-Intermediate Stop-Milan and return, with full meal and beverage service, as well as stereo headsets, available while in flight.
- \* 7-nights in Riva del Garda at the 4-star *Hotel Oasi* (or similar) based-on twin occupancy. The single supplement is an additional \$TBA per single. *Limited availability – may be unavailable or subject to surcharge.* Triples are available at the twin rate. Portage of luggage at the hotel.
- \* Substantial buffet breakfast (BB) daily with hot and cold drinks, bread, jam, salami, cheese, cereal and fruit salad. Lunch (L) is either at the hotel, a box lunch when on tour, or our special lunch in Riva del Garda with wine tasting. Dinner (D), with a choice of menu, is three courses daily. *(All meals are included on the tour!!)*
- \* All transfers and sightseeing aboard a temperature-controlled motorcoach with expert driver.
- \* Sightseeing, as illustrated in the itinerary, including entrance fees and expert guides where applicable.
- \* Full services of a local, English-speaking Tour Escort who will accompany our group throughout the tour.
- \* All room and meal taxes, and gratuities to bellmen.
- \* Complimentary Durgan Travel Service flight bag and complete packet of required travel documents.

**A DEPOSIT OF \$TBA 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)** if they checked off the "YES" box 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](http://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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