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LUXURY TRAVEL IN ITALY



VENICE AND BEYOND

type **ITINERARY**

destination **VENICE
VERONA
LAKE GARDA**

focus on **ART & CULTURE**

A fascinating holiday for discerning travelers who want to experience both the best of the marvelous and enchanting Venice and its Venetian Lagoon and of Veneto, a region of outstanding history and arts, natural beauty and gastronomic excellent traditions.

Your private local guide will escort you through all the well known sites and masterpieces in **Venice** but also in the hidden and beautiful places districts for an unforgettable and unique Venetian experience.

Enjoy a remarkable and pleasant day in a private cruise to exploring the three main islands of the Lagoon and have awesome dinners in the finest restaurants of the city.

During a full-day stop in **Padua**, visit the city center and take your time in admiring the amazing Scrovegni Chapel, a masterpiece impressively frescoed by the great artist Giotto, in

the first years of XIV century.

Join a marvelous luxury hotel in **Verona** and love a guided visit to the most interesting spots, such as the well-preserved medieval neighborhoods and Renaissance gardens. Experience a special exclusive evening at the Arena, enjoying a classical opera.

Along the shore of **Lake Garda**, relax by the hotel pool, stroll in the amazing gardens or cruise by private boat on the lake. End your days experiencing excellent restaurants along the lake's edge.



HIGHLIGHTS

- Accommodation in high-class 5 stars hotels and luxury villas
- Chauffeured private luxury car, including transfers from/to airport
- Transfers by private luxury boat in Venice
- Full-day cruise by private boat to the main islands
- Visit to a mask's atelier and workshop
- Visit to an artisanal glass factory and workshop
- Private concert in an ancient noble Palace
- Private guided exclusive tour to Venetian Villas of Palladio and lunch in a Villa
- Wineries visit and Amarone wine tastings in ancient estates in Valpolicella
- Private guided sightseeing city tour of Venice, Padua and Verona and UNESCO World Heritage Sites
- Visits to the main museums and sites





CREATE YOUR MASK

During your stay in Venice, immerse yourself in an authentic Venetian experience: a private visit to a **historic mask's Atelier**, with a brief history lesson about how masks are made and the role they played in the Venetian history.

Then, even with no experience at all, you will test your manual and artistic ability in one of the most **exclusive workshop**, creating your own original Venetian mask, starting from the XVII century original models, in an unusual and pleasant laboratory in the atelier.



CREATE YOUR GLASS

During your half-day in the small island of Murano you will learn much about the age-old tradition of **glass blowing** and the importance of glass production industry for Venice.

Enjoy an off-the-beaten-path experience with an exclusive visit to an artisanal glass factory - under the guidance of the owner himself - and have a pleasant afternoon creating your own glass **art masterpiece**, starting from the little typical glasses "murrine".

PALLADIAN VILLAS ITINERARY

The Venetian Villas are elegant country houses built around the XVII century, where gentlemen from Venice used to retire to spend their holidays, hosting their friends or prominent figures related to the world of culture, art and music.

Undisputed protagonist of the period - known as the "Most Serene Republic of Venice" - was the architect Andrea Palladio: he built many of the villas scattered throughout the Veneto region - protected by UNESCO as World Heritage Sites - inspiring a distinct architectural style known as *Palladian*.

Enjoy a full day itinerary in the country area surrounding Verona, visiting some of these gorgeous Venetian villas and their marvelous Italian gardens.

At last enjoy a guided visit to an amazing villa and wine estate property - one of the most renowned in Valpolicella area - and live the exclusive experience of an Amarone wine tasting and private lunch with the owner himself.

TAILOR-MADE EXPERIENCE A BOAT TOUR ON LAKE GARDA

Experience and have pleasant time during an extraordinary full-day private luxury cruise on the lake with an awesome new RIVA speedboat of about 8-10 mt.

Starting from your hotel's pier, the itinerary will foresee stops for private guided visit in Sirmione, the small Garda island, Torre S. Marco and S. Vigilio.

Enjoy a delightful fish lunch in one of the nice restaurant on the lake shore. The boat is at your disposal, so take your time for visits and stops, whenever you want!



EXPERIENCES

Following are some achievable experiences you can live during your stay: unforgettable moments that will make your holiday unique!

SECRET VENICE

Private walking guided tour to Venice: discover and appreciate the marvelous and unique city center from the St. Mark's area to the Clock's Tower

Visit with a "secret itinerary" to the beautiful Doge's Palace and its galleries

PRIVATE BOAT

Full-day cruise by private boat: a marvelous experience through the three main islands in the Venetian Lagoon: Murano, Burano and Torcello

Exclusive visit to a glass factory and private workshop in Murano

GIOTTO'S MASTERPIECE

Visit the Padua city center and the magnificent Scrovegni Chapel, that contains a masterpiece of picture frescoed by Giotto at the beginning of XIV century. The fresco cycle focuses on the life of the Virgin Mary and celebrates her role in human salvation



SOME OF OUR PREFERRED ACCOMODATIONS

