

# TRAVEL WORLD SHOWCASE

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## MONSIGNOR CALISE'S TRIP TO CROATIA & SORDEVOLO, ITALY

August 27 – September 6, 2020

11 Days/9 Nights - \$2,499 Land only (based on min. of 25 passengers traveling)

\$2,699 Land only (based on min. of 20 passengers traveling)

Single Supplement \$785

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### TOUR FEATURES

- First class hotel accommodations for 9 nights
- Breakfast daily
- 6 dinners at hotels
- Touring by private air-conditioned coach
- Professional English-speaking Tour Director throughout
- Sightseeing tours as per itinerary
  - Dubrovnik - entrance to Rector's Palace
  - Split - entrance to Diocletian's Palace
  - Treviso - entrance to Church of Saint John the Baptist
  - Venice - entrance to St Mark's Basilica and Doge's Palace
  - Padua - entrance to Scrovegni Chapel & Basilica of St. Anthony
  - Biella
  - Oropa - entrance to Sacro Monte di Oropa and Sanctuary of Oropa
  - Sordevolo - Passion Play
  - Torino - Mole Antonelliana
- Sordevolo Passion Play Tickets - GOLDEN SEATS
- Entrance fees included where indicated
- Arrival and departure transfers
- Luggage handling at hotels (one piece per person in/out)
- Service charges and hotel taxes
- Document holder and luggage tags

**DAY 1 | THU | AUG 27 | DEPART USA** Depart USA on overnight flight to Milan.

**DAY 2 | FRI | AUG 28 | DUBROVNIK** Upon arrival into Dubrovnik, you will be met and transferred to your hotel. The day is at leisure to begin exploring or perhaps stroll along the water's edge. Later, gather for a welcome dinner. (D)

**DAY 3 | SAT | AUG 29 | DUBROVNIK** After breakfast, a walking tour shows you the highlights of Old Dubrovnik. You'll see the Rector's Palace, Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, Sponza Palace, the Dominican Monastery, and Franciscan Monastery with its Pharmacy, one of the oldest in the world. The rest of the day is free to discover more of the city on your own, browse through the shops, or relax and enjoy your superbly scenic surroundings. (B)

**DAY 4 | SUN | AUG 30 | DUBROVNIK | SPLIT** After breakfast at the hotel, travel north along the spectacular Adriatic coast, past old fishing villages and new resorts, to Split. A sightseeing tour features the historic inner city, built around the Roman Emperor Diocletian's Palace, a UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. Then, see the remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle, and the beautiful Cathedral of St. Dujce. Dinner tonight will be at a typical Dalmatian restaurant. (B,D)

**DAY 5 | MON | AUG 31 | SPLIT | TROGIR | OPATIJA** After breakfast, head to Trogir, one of the oldest cities on the Adriatic coast and a center of artistic activities in Croatia. Scholars from around the world gather here to study and paint. Continue travelling along the Adriatic coast, enjoying the beautiful panoramic view at the Adriatic Sea and its surroundings. Arrive in Opatija. Dinner and overnight at the hotel. (B,D)

**DAY 6 | TUE | SEP 1 | OPATIJA | TREVISO** After breakfast, travel to Treviso. Afternoon walking tour starts on Via Carlo Alberto towards Piazza dei Signori City Square and Palazzo dei Trecento, which is the center of the old town. Visit the Church of Saint John the Baptist, built in the 13th century overlooking the Piazza del Duomo, and the Treviso City Hall building (Prefettura). Afternoon is at leisure. You may want to see one of the canals, similar as in Venice, or enjoy a glass of the famous local wine and tiramisù. Check in to the hotel. Dinner and overnight at the hotel. (B,D)

**DAY 7 | WED | SEP 2 | TREVISO** After breakfast, drive to Venice. A walking tour of Venice shows you the highlights: St. Mark's Square, St. Mark's Basilica, the Doge's Palace, Bell Tower, and Bridge of Sighs. Enjoy some free time before we return to Treviso. Overnight. (B)

**DAY 8 | THU | SEP 3 | TREVISO | PADUA | BIELLA** After breakfast, travel to Biella with a stop in Padua. Padua is a city in Northern Italy's Veneto region and is known for the frescoes by Giotto in its Scrovegni Chapel from 1303-05 and the vast 13th-century Basilica of St. Anthony. The basilica, with its Byzantine-style domes and notable artworks, contains the namesake saint's tomb. Continue to Biella. Upon arrival, some free time dinner and overnight. (B,D)



Sordevolo Passion play

**DAY 9 | FRI | SEP 4 | BIELLA | OROPA | SORDEVOLO | BIELLA** After breakfast, travel to Sordevolo via nearby Oropa. We will visit the Sacro Monte di Oropa and Sanctuary of Oropa. Sacro Monte di Oropa is a Roman Catholic devotional complex in the province of Biella, Piedmont, northern Italy. It is one of the nine Sacred Mountains (Santi Monti) of Piedmont and Lombardy and is on the UNESCO World Heritage list. It is a stop-over on the CoEur devotional path. Next to it is the Sanctuary of Oropa, a group of Roman Catholic buildings and structures in Piedmont. In the evening, enjoy the remarkable and impressive Passion Play which is held every five years in Sordevolo from August- September and has a cast of 400 locals and over 29 scenes depicting early Jerusalem. Dinner at a local restaurant. (B,D)

**DAY 10 | SAT | SEP 5 | BIELLA | TORINO | BIELLA** After breakfast at the hotel, you will have a full day excursion to Torino (Turin). Torino is the capital city of Piedmont in northern Italy, known for its refined architecture and cuisine. The Alps rise to the northwest of the city. Stately baroque buildings and old cafes line Torino's boulevards and grand squares such as Piazza Castello and Piazza San Carlo. Nearby is the soaring spire of the Mole Antonelliana, a 19th-century tower housing the interactive National Cinema Museum. The symbol of Torino, this 167m tower with its distinctive aluminum spire appears on the Italian two-cent coin. It was originally intended as a synagogue when construction began in 1862, but was never used as a place of worship. Return to Biella. Farewell dinner. Overnight. (B,D)

**DAY 11 | SUN | SEP 6 | BIELLA | MILAN TO USA** After breakfast, you will be transferred to the Milan airport for your departure flight. (B)

(B) Breakfast - (L) Lunch - (D) Dinner

**Deposit of \$300 per person due at time of sign up**

**Conditions: Prices are per person, land only based on double occupancy. Price is based on current rate of exchange, in case of fluctuation, prices are subject to change.**

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