

MAGICAL TOUR OF SICILY

from Catania

Self-drive roadtrip 8 days/7 nights

An eight-day tour to discover Sicily, a land where history, traditions, flavours and colours create an amazing combination and are deeply rooted in everyday life. Your tour will start with a visit to the archaeological area of Siracusa and Noto, the heart of Sicilian Baroque, then to the Teatro Antico in Taormina, Palermo city centre, the Cathedral and the Cloister of Monreale, an ancient Norman town. Then you will head towards Erice, to admire the archaeological site of Selinunte, then the Valley of the Temples in Agrigento and the famous mosaics of the Villa Romana del Casale. Finally, you will reach Mount Etna, also called "the good Volcano", and you will walk through the shopping streets of Catania. Typical Sicilian cuisine and amazing local wines will be your travelling companions for the entire duration of the tour.

DAY 1 (Saturday) EASTERN SICILY

Once arrived at Catania airport or the port, reception through our representative in Sicily who will help you to get the rental car. Start driving your way to the hotel and, after registration, you can start exploring this beautiful sicilian city before dinner, you will meet your guide. Welcome cocktail and presentation of the tour. **(D)**

DAY 2 (Sunday) SIRACUSA - NOTO

Half board at the hotel. In the morning you will leave for Siracusa with your rented vehicle and you will meet upon arrival your guide to start the visit the historic centre (Ortigia) with the Temple of Minerva and the Fountain of Arethusa, the Greek Theatre, the Roman Amphitheatre, the Latomie and the Ear of Dionysius. Lunch break. In the afternoon you will visit Noto and take a nice walk in its old town, then you will return to the hotel. **(B) (L) (D)**

DAY 3 (Monday) CATANIA - CEFALÙ

You will leave for Catania where you will take a walk in its city centre and enjoy free time. Snack with a Sicilian rice ball or an ice cream, or granita with brioche (depending on the season). Then you will leave for Cefalù. Lunch and visit of the town. Free time and you leave to reach western Sicily; accomodation in hotel and dinner. **(B) (L) (D)**

DAY 4 (Tuesday) PALERMO - MONREALE

Half board at the hotel. Tour of Palermo city centre, the Cathedral and the Cloister of Monreale. Lunch break. Free time in the city centre. Return to the hotel. **(B) (L) (D)**

DAY 5 (Wednesday) ERICE - SELINUNTE

Breakfast at the hotel, then you will reach Erice to visit the town and Marsala, where you will take a tasting tour of a winery. Lunch break with typical food. In the afternoon you will visit Selinunte, an archaeological site. The you will leave for Agrigento. Overnight in hotel and dinner. **(B) (L) (D)**

DAY 6 (Thursday) AGRIGENTO – PIAZZA ARMERINA

Breakfast at the hotel. You will visit the Valley of the Temples and then Piazza Armerina. Lunch break. You will take a tour of the Villa Romana del Casale and then leave for Eastern Sicily to reach your hotel, where you will have dinner. **(B) (L) (D)**

DAY 7 (Friday) ETNA - TAORMINA

Half board at the hotel. Tour to Mount Etna by coach up to 1900 metres. Possibility to extend the tour (additional cost EUR 65 per person with direct payment) by 4x4 bus and to visit the main craters with a local and qualified guide. Lunch break. Once the tour is over, you will leave for Taormina where you will visit the Ancient Theatre and enjoy free time. Return to the hotel. **(B) (L)**

DAY 8 (Saturday) EASTERN SICILY

Breakfast at the hotel and end of services. **(B)**

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

PRICE PER PERSON IN
DOUBLE OCCUPANCY

from EUR 758.-

Price per day **EUR 95.-**

**Car rental for 8 days from
EUR 150.- for 2-4 persons**

2021 – 2022

DEPARTURES ON REQUEST

APRIL THROUGH NOVEMBER

Upon request, you can choose any other day of the week to start the program. Please send us an E-mail or call us to check your dates for availability. Thus, the order of the excursions /tours can vary depending on it. And if you have a group, we will be very happy to send you a special offer with bus or rental cars.

INCLUDED SERVICES

- 7 nights in hotels of your choice category 3 *** 4 **** and/or 5*****
- 7 breakfasts.
- Full board, typical local menus, meals at the hotel or at restaurants.
- Tour and wine-tasting at a winery
- Guided tours of Siracusa, Taormina, Palermo and Monreale, Selinunte, Valley of the Temples, Piazza Armerina. Mount Etna
- Ecotax in Siracusa, Taormina and Monreale.

NOT INCLUDED

- International or domestic flights.
- 7-days rental car in the category of your choice. We will help you with pleasure selecting the car you want.
- Parking fees at the hotels and visits
- Any tourist tax.
- Anything not specifically mentioned in "the price includes" section.

