

# BEST OF EUROPE - 2024 12 NIGHTS & 13 DAYS



#### Eiffel Tower

# Highlights

- Value-for-Money holiday which you will cherish for a lifetime
- Visit 8 countries in 13 days: France, Belgium, The Netherlands, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Italy and Vatican City
- All Important attractions and sightseeing included. Eiffel Tower 3rd level, Full day at Disneyland® Paris, Excursion to Mt. Titlis, Jungfraujoch with scenic Interlaken, Vatican City with Sistine Chapel and many more
- Guided tour in Paris, Florence, Rome & Vatican Museum
- Exciting Cruises River Seine cruise in Paris, Canal cruise in Amsterdam, Lake cruise in Lucerne and Private boat to Venice Island, Gondola ride in Venice.
- Services of a Professional & Knowledgeable Tour Manager accompanying you throughout the tour
- Accommodation in superior 4-star hotels
- Daily Continental buffet breakfast.
- Delicious unlimited variety of Jain, veg and nonveg Indian cuisine along with options for local cuisine meals included as per itinerary.
- Daily mineral water bottle (500ml)
- Driver tips included



#### Day 1

#### Arrive into Paris - the City of Romance, Lights and Glamour.

Welcome! Today, we embark on our journey to Paris, a city celebrated for its high fashion, world-famous museums, awe-inspiring landmarks, and captivating cabarets. Upon arrival, you'll be warmly welcomed by our Tour Manager, who will guide you to your hotel and provide assistance with the check-in process.

#### **Overnight in Paris. (Dinner)**



#### Day 2

Guided city tour of Paris. Visit to Eiffel tower 3rd (Top) Level. Enjoy a romantic cruise on River Seine.

Today, we embark on a guided city tour of Paris, where you'll have the opportunity to admire some of the most iconic Parisian landmarks. Our itinerary includes stops at renowned places like Place Vendôme, Place de l'Opéra Garnier, Musée d'Orsay, Place de la

Concorde, the world-famous Champs Elysées, the majestic Arc de Triomphe, Alexander Bridge, Les Invalides, and many others.

Following this, we'll visit the iconic Eiffel Tower, reaching its impressive 3rd level for a breathtaking panoramic view of the city. The Eiffel Tower, with its distinctive tapering cast iron peak, not only symbolizes Paris but also stands as an emblem of all of France.

In the latter part of the day, we'll indulge in a romantic cruise along the Seine River, considered one of the world's most picturesque journeys. Along the way, you'll be treated to vistas of exquisite monuments such as Notre Dame, the Eiffel Tower, the Louvre, the Orsay Museum, and many more. Gliding beneath one bridge to another, you'll have the privilege of witnessing the finest landmarks nestled in the heart of bustling Paris.

(IMP NOTE - Please note that access to the Eiffel Tower's 3rd level is contingent on its operational status. If it happens to be closed during our visit, we will make the necessary adjustments and proceed to explore the 2nd level instead. Your experience will still be enriched by the fantastic views and the charm of the Eiffel Tower.) Overnight in Paris. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)





#### Day 3

Indulge in a day of excitement at Disneyland® Paris, where you have the choice of exploring either Disney® Parks or Walt Disney Studios® Park.

Today promises a day filled with excitement at this beloved amusement park—a perfect destination to unwind and relish a variety of thrilling rides and cinematic experiences with your loved ones. You have the option to choose between Disney Parks, where you can watch fairy tales come to life across five captivating realms brimming with classic attractions, dazzling shows, and lively street parades featuring beloved Disney Characters. Alternatively, you can explore the Walt Disney Studios Park and be

awestruck by impressive stunt performances, witness the magic of film production, and behold the real-life sets used in blockbuster movies. **Overnight in Paris. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 



Keukenhof Gardens till 12<sup>th</sup> May

Madurodam from 13<sup>th</sup> May

#### Day 4

Onto Brussels. Visit Grand Place and Manneken Pis statue. Visit Keukenhof Gardens (till 12th May) Or Visit the miniature park – Madurodam. (from 13th May)

Today, our journey takes us to Brussels, known as the headquarters of the European Union and the capital of Belgium. Upon arriving in Brussels, our first stop is at the Grand Place, which is widely regarded as one of Europe's most beautiful squares. Here, you'll encounter the medieval Town Hall and the renowned Manneken Pis statue. As we continue our exploration, you'll catch a glimpse of St. Michael's Church.

Following our time in Brussels, we'll relax in our coach as we travel to the charming city of Lisse. Here, we'll have the incredible opportunity to visit the renowned Keukenhof Gardens, open until May 12<sup>th</sup>. Prepare to be mesmerized by the vast displays of tulips, daffodils, and hyacinths, creating a breathtaking array of colors.

Starting from May 13<sup>th</sup>, our itinerary will take us to Madurodam, a captivating miniature park. Here, you'll witness meticulously crafted 1:25 scale model replicas of famous Dutch landmarks, historical cities, and significant developments. As you stroll through Madurodam, you'll feel like



a giant amidst these intricate models, which include palaces, canals, windmills, harbors, airports, and other iconic Dutch attractions.

Overnight in Netherlands. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)



Day 5

Onto Amsterdam. Free time at Dam Square. Explore Amsterdam with Canal Cruise. Drive to Germany.

Check out and proceed to the Dutch capital Amsterdam and have free time at the Dam Square, a historic and bustling public square, is located at the heart of Amsterdam, the capital city of the Netherlands. This iconic square is surrounded by a rich tapestry of Amsterdam's culture, history, and modern energy. Following that, embark on a

**Amsterdam Canal Cruise** vibrant legacy of the city, characterized by its 1,000 bridges and charming old houses. Afterward, continue your picturesque journey towards your hotel in the Frankfurt area and complete the check-in process.

**Overnight in Germany. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 



Falls

Day 6



# Visit Mercedes Benz Museum. Travel to the Heart of the Black Forest. See the largest Waterfall in Switzerland - The Rhine Falls.

Check out, relax in your coach as today's day will be a charming experience for any car enthusiast. We will be visiting the Mercedes Benz Museum which covers history of the Mercedes-Benz brand and the brands associated with it till date. (On Monday's when the museum is closed, you will be taken on a boat ride at the Rhine Falls) Later continue your drive



to the heart of the Black Forest, known for its dense, evergreen forests and picturesque villages. You will be enthralled at the scenic beauty of the quaint villages in the heart of Black Witness Forest region. а demonstration of how cuckoo clocks are made. Sit back and enjoy the scenic drive towards Switzerland. Visit Schaffhausen, where you see the magnificent Rhine Falls - Europe's biggest and most spectacular falls. Incase of museum being closed, we will be opting for a thrilling

Mercedes Benz Museum

experience at Rhine Falls with a boat ride. Witness the magnificent falls as we sail upclose to the falls. Later drive to

#### your hotel. Overnight in Central Switzerland. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)



Cogwheel Train to Jungfrau

#### Day 7

The tour's crowning jewel: An enchanting alpine adventure to the summit of Europe, the breathtaking Jungfraujoch, paired with the picturesque beauty of Interlaken.



Prepare yourself for an unforgettable and magical alpine journey to Jungfraujoch, also known as "The Top of Europe" — undoubtedly one of the highlights of your tour. Our adventure begins as we head to the Grindelwald Terminal. From there, the state-of-the-art 3S-Bahn Eiger Express whisks you away to the Eigergletscher station in a mere 15 minutes. Here, you'll step onto a cogwheel train that will transport you to the highest railway station in Europe, nestled at an awe-inspiring altitude of 11,333 feet.

Upon arrival, you'll find yourself in a realm of eternal ice and snow, where natural beauty knows no bounds. Explore the enchanting Ice Palace, where skilled artists craft their masterpieces from ice. Ascend to the Sphinx observatory deck, perched high above, and prepare to be captivated by a panoramic view that stretches across the Aletsch Glacier, the longest glacier in the Alps. This is a journey into a world of unparalleled natural splendor that you will remember for a lifetime.

Later we proceed to Interlaken - a picturesque Swiss town nestled between two stunning lakes, offering breathtaking mountain views and serving as a gateway to numerous alpine adventures.

# Overnight in Central Switzerland. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner).



ROTAIR to Mt Titlis

#### Day 8

# Visit Mt. Titlis- enjoy Cable car rides including the world's firstrotating cable car, the Rotair – to the top of Mt. Titlis at 3,020 metres. Orientation tour of Lucerne. Scenic Lake Lucerne Cruise.

Today, Our journey continues to Lucerne, where you'll be treated to breathtaking scenery and a once-in-a-lifetime experience. We'll embark on an exhilarating trip to the summit of Mt. Titlis, reaching an elevation of 3,020 meters by way of various cable cars, including the Rotair, renowned as the world's first revolving cable car. At this lofty vantage point, prepare to be awestruck by a breathtaking, unobstructed 360-degree panorama. You'll take in stunning views of the snow-capped peaks, deep crevasses, and pristine white snowfields, adorned with massive ice boulders, visible from every angle. Don't forget to include a visit to the "Cliff Walk," Europe's highest suspension bridge, perched along the cliffs of Mt. Titlis.



Later in the day, we'll proceed with an orientation tour of Lucerne, celebrated as one of Switzerland's most enchanting cities. You'll have the opportunity to visit the iconic Lion Monument and admire the charm of the Kapell Brucke, a covered wooden bridge. It's a day filled with cultural exploration and awe-inspiring natural beauty. Enjoy a scenic cruise on the lake of Lucerne.

**Overnight in Central Switzerland. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 



Swarovski Kristallwelten Wattens

Venetian

Gondola Ride

#### Dav 9

# Visit Swarovski Crystal Museum – the dazzling world of crystals. Visit Innsbruck – The Tyrolean capital of picturesque Austria.

Today after breakfast, we proceed to Wattens, where you'll have the opportunity to explore the Swarovski World of Crystals and be enchanted by the exquisite crystalline artworks on display.

Following this captivating visit, we'll continue on to Innsbruck, a city of extraordinary beauty. During our orientation tour, you'll have the chance to admire the iconic Golden Roof, known for its fire-gilded copper

tiles, which serves as a defining landmark of Innsbruck.

Stroll along the charming cobblestone paths of Maria Theresien Strasse, where you can choose to relax at one of the many outdoor cafes. As you do so, you'll be treated to magnificent baroque architecture and the chance to immerse yourself in the rich culture of medieval Europe. With the splendid Alps as a backdrop, the setting is nothing short of a picture-postcard perfect.

**Overnight in Innsbruck / Seefeld. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 



# Day 10

Welcome to Venice, Italy, the captivating floating city. Immerse vourself in the enchanting experience of a gondola ride through its picturesque waterways. Check out from your hotel and embark on a journey to Venice, Italy, a adorned beautiful city with monuments and famed for its serpentine canals—a place that has inspired poetry and passion throughout the ages.

Upon arrival at the pier in Venice, we'll board a private boat. Sail over the Giudecca Canal as we sail towards our destination. St. Mark's Square, the heart of Venice.

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exquisite example of Byzantine architecture. Witness the renowned Bell Tower and Clock Tower, the latter adorned with the dominant sign of the Zodiac and the current phase of the moon.

As we explore further, you'll catch sight of the iconic Bridge of Sighs, a magnificent structure crafted from white limestone. It spans the Rio di Palazzo, connecting the old prisons with the interrogation rooms at the Doge's Palace.

To truly embrace the enchantment of Venice, we'll treat you to a romantic gondola ride in a flat-bottomed Venetian rowing boat. Glide through the city's canals, surrounded by the



stunning backdrop of baroque buildings—an experience that encapsulates the essence of this captivating city. Following our adventures, we'll return to the pier and proceed to check in at your hotel.

# **Overnight in Padova/Bologna. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)**



# **Day 11**

# Guided walking city tour of Florence. View the remarkable and famous Leaning Tower of Pisa.

This morning, after checking out from your hotel, we'll embark on a journey to Florence, often referred to as the cradle of the Renaissance. Accompanied by an English-speaking local guide, you'll immerse yourself in the rich culture of this historic city.

During your exploration, you'll have the opportunity to admire several iconic landmarks, including the Duomo, which stands as the city's most recognizable symbol. Gaze upon the Campanile and the

Basilica Di Santa Croce

Baptistery, the latter renowned for its Gates of Paradise.

As we continue our journey through Florence, you'll encounter the vibrant Piazza Della Signoria—a veritable open-air museum adorned with Renaissance sculptures. This bustling square is bordered by historic cafes and dominated by the magnificent Palazzo Vecchio. We'll also take in the renowned Ponte Vecchio, a bridge that spans the River Arno.

Our next destination will be Piazzale Michelangelo, offering a breathtaking panoramic view of the city and its surroundings.

Following this captivating experience, we'll proceed towards Pisa. Upon arrival, you'll be treated to a view of the Square of Miracles, home to the astounding Leaning Tower of Pisa—a sight that never fails to leave a lasting impression.

**Overnight in Tuscany region. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 





Vatican Museum with Sistine Chapel

#### **Dav 12**

# All roads lead to Rome - the eternal city. Visit the world's smallest country - the Vatican **City and St. Peter's Basilica**

Today, it's time to check out and make our way to the eternal city of Rome. Prepare for a guided city tour of Rome, led by an expert English-speaking local guide. Our first stop is the Vatican City, the world's smallest country. (Please note that shorts or sleeveless vests are not allowed in the Vatican.)

Upon entering the Vatican Museum, you'll have the privilege of encountering renowned



of classical sculptures and masterpieces Renaissance art. The tour also includes a visit to the famous Sistine Chapel, celebrated for its "The Last Judgement," masterpiece, and recognized as the place where the Pope is elected. The divinely beautiful St. Peter's Basilica will leave you mesmerized with the works of Michelangelo and Bernini.

Our journey continues as we drive to view the magnificent Colosseum, an immense amphitheater that remains impressively well-preserved. Next on

our itinerary is a visit to the stunning Trevi Fountain. Legend has it that tossing a coin over your shoulder into the fountain ensures your return to Rome. We'll proceed to view the majestic Victor Emmanuel Monument, explore the Roman Forum, and discover several more remarkable sights that enrich the cultural tapestry of this extraordinary city. **Overnight in Rome. (Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner)** 

**Dav 13** Fly back home

# Victor Emmanuel Monument

As your memorable holiday comes to a close, today marks the day to return home. Bid farewell to the wonderful new friends you've made during this tour. It's time to check out and



make your way to the airport, carrying with you the pleasant memories of your European journey—a treasure you'll cherish for a lifetime. Safe travels! **(Breakfast)** 

Land Tour Package Cost Rs. 2,59,000/- Per Adult on Twin Sharing Basis

Child Fare 2 Yrs - 12 Yrs Rs. 2,02,000/- Per Child with Bed (Foldable)

Child Fare upto 2 Yrs Rs. 1,72,000/- Per Infant without extra bed

Payment Policy For Group Departure: INR 49,000 Per Person Booking Amount (Visa and Hotel Reservations) (Non Refundable). Balance – 30 Days Prior To The Departure

Cancellation For Group Departure: Less Than 15 Days - 100% Cancellation Charges

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# **INCLUSION: SIGHTSEEING AND EXCURSIONS:**

- 1) Visa charges
- 2) Overseas Travel Insurance
- 3) 5% GST
- 4) 5% TCS

# FRANCE:

Paris:

- City tour with a local guide
- Visit to the 3<sup>rd</sup> level of the Eiffel Tower
- Full day excitement and thrill at Disneyland® Paris
- Enjoy romantic cruise on River Seine

# **BELGIUM:**

**Brussels**:

• Orientation tour of Brussels

# **NETHERLANDS:**

# <u>Amsterdam:</u>

- Entrance to Keukenhof (till 12<sup>th</sup> May)
- Entrance to Madurodam (from 13<sup>th</sup> May)



• Amsterdam Canal Cruise

# **GERMANY:**

# <u>Stuttgart:</u>

• Entrance to Mercedes Benz Museum

Titisee:

- Drive to the heart of the Black Forest
- Witness a demonstration of Cuckoo Clocks

# **SWITZERLAND:**

# Schaffhausen:

• The magnificent Rhine Falls at Schaffhausen

Interlaken:

- Excursion to Jungfraujoch Top of Europe
- Visit scenic Interlaken

# **Engelberg:**

- Witness breath-taking mountain peaks and glaciers at Mt. Titlis
- Ride in the world's first revolving cable car
- Walk on the Highest suspension bridge in Europe Titlis Cliff Walk

# Lucerne:

- Orientation tour of Lucerne
- Lake Lucerne Cruise

# AUSTRIA:

# **Innsbruck:**

• See the Maria Theresien Strasse and the Golden Roof

Wattens:

• Visit the Swarovski Crystal Museum and shop

# ITALY:

# Venice:

- St. Mark's square by Private boat
- Enjoy a classic Venetian Gondola ride

# Florence:

• Guided walking city tour with a local English-speaking guide.

# <u>Pisa:</u>

- Visit Square of Miracles
- Photo-stop at the Leaning Tower

# Rome:

- Guided City tour with a local English speaking guide
- Visit to Trevi Fountain

# VATICAN CITY:

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- Visit the Vatican Museum see sculptures and masterpieces of Renaissance art
- Visit to the awe-inspiring Sistine Chapel
- Visit the magnificent St. Peter's Basilica

# Accommodation:

• 03 nights accommodation in B&B / Millennium CDG Airport / Hilton or similar hotel in Paris



- 01 night accommodation in Novotel / NH / Intercity or similar hotel in Netherland
- 01 night accommodation in Rilano / NH / Best Western or similar hotel Germany
- 03 nights accommodation in Radisson / Ramada / Movenpick or similar hotel in Central Switzerland
- 01 night accommodation in Alpenkonig / Alphotel or similar hotel Innsbruck / Seefeld
- 01 night accommodation in Four Points by Sheraton / Unaway / Capital or similar hotel in Padova
- 01 night accommodation in B&B / Park / A Point or similar hotel in Tuscany
- 01 night accommodation in SHG / Hampton by Hilton / Marriott or similar hotel in Rome

# Meals

- Daily Continental Buffet Breakfast.
- 11 Indian Jain/Vegetarian/Non-Vegetarian/Local Lunches.
- 12 Indian Jain/Vegetarian/Non-Vegetarian Dinners.
- Daily Mineral Water Bottle (500ml)

(Packed lunch will be served on the day you visit Disneyland Paris)

# **Driver Tips:**

Tips to coach drivers for the duration of the tour is included.

# What your tour price does not include:

- The cost of the Airfare
- Any expenses of personal nature such as Porterage, Laundry, and Alcohol, Food or Drink not in the regular menus provided by us, mini bar and telephone calls
- Any extra meals not included in the itinerary. Meals are pre set and a choice of menu is not available
- Cost of excursions, city sightseeing, entrance fees and local guides availed of by the passengers, other than that mentioned in 'What your tour price includes'
- GST, TCS and other taxes as applicable
- Anything which is not specified in the Itinerary

Instruction for Arrival & Departure Coach Transfers:

# BEST OF EUROPE (12 NIGHTS & 13 DAYS):

**Paris (CDG Airport) Arrival** Transfer: Flight landing time should be **between 08 AM – 02 PM. Rome (FCO Airport) Departure** Transfer: The coach **will drop at FCO Airport by 1100 AM**.

# **IMP Notes for Transfers:**

- Please note that there may be waiting up to 02 Hours (Post reaching in arrival hall) for arrival transfers.
- If flight timings are before / after the suggested timing, you have to arrange your private transfers on a direct payment basis. We will not reimburse any cost for private transfers.

# NOTES:

• A person below 12 years of age on the entire tour will be considered a child



- As a 3rd person in a triple room, most hotels use rollaway beds and room size may be the same as the double room
- Tours will operate subject to all Government regulations
- All Local taxes, entrances and services are calculated as on 1st October 2021, any increase in local taxes, entry tickets and other services has to be borne and paid by the traveler/agent.
- All transfers and extensive sightseeing with entrance fees (as specified in the itinerary) will be done in an air-conditioned coach
- On reaching Eiffel Tower, if there is a very long queue, we will be taking you to the Montparnasse tower
- It is suggested to carry One check in bag and one hand bag per person only, due to limited boot space in the coach
- Services of our Tour Manager or local representatives, while on tour
- On some occasions, you may have to join another group in case your group does not have adequate members
- A local representative or your coach driver may only be there to assist you during your initial part of the tour
- Land surcharges applicable on certain departure dates which will be notified
- If certain sightseeing/excursions are closed, then alternate sight- seeing will be arranged.
- Kindly note that on certain departure dates the tour routing could change. In some tours, there is also a possibility that the tour could operate in reverse itinerary. However, you will not miss any sightseeing or excursions that are mentioned in the itinerary unless its closed due to a holiday. Your Tour Manager will notify you the same
- In case of inordinate delays and strict driving laws, packed dinner may be provided on that day
- Please check with your Sales representative for final details
- In case of any increase in any taxes in Europe, there would be a change in price which will be justified
- We reserve the right to claim from the passengers, any additional expenses incurred due to delay or changes in the schedule of trains, flights, coach, cruise or other services
- We reserve the right to change any itinerary for operational reasons and reasons beyond the control of us due to Force Majeure related to weather conditions, strike, etc. Force Majeure related to weather conditions, strike, etc.
- We shall not accept any liability or responsibility for any damages, loss, injury, accident, death, delay, breakdown or irregularity, which may occur during the tour, due to weather conditions, strikes, war, quarantine and or any other cause whatsoever and all such loss or expenses must be borne by the passenger
- Tours are operated subject to Reserve Bank of India / Government of India regulations
- Tour cost is payable in EURO out of your BTQ entitlement of the passengers