

Inclusions

- Roundtrip Air from JFK on Delta/Air France including taxes, fees, surcharges, checked luggage
- Deluxe 4-star accommodations
- All transfers and ground transportation to activities
- Comprehensive sightseeing, admission fees, and excursions as indicated in itinerary
- 14 meals: 8 breakfasts (B) and 6 Dinners (D)
- Professional Italian tour director
- Luggage handling at hotels
- Gratuities for guides & drivers
- Audio headsets



Trip Details

Reservation/Information:
Retel Bronson (718) 585-1195
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\$500 Non-refundable deposit due immediately
\$2,000 payment due March 31
Final payment due on May 15

Cancellation Penalty Applies

Monthly payments accepted

Checks/Money Orders Payable to:
Retel Tours/ PO Box 442/Bronx NY
10451

Credit Cards accepted (processing fee applies)

Passports must be valid through
Nov 2026 with 2 blank pages.

A visa may be required for travel to
Europe in 2025, further details to be
announced soon but cost is
expected to be around \$10/pp
which can be easily paid for online.

Vaccines are not required.

Optional Tour

Tour of Pompeii: \$60/pp based
on a minimum of 10 travelers
participating. Requires walking
in warm weather, in some cases
uphill.

Hotels

2 nights in Venice
Hotel Monaco & Grand Canal
Located right at St. Mark's Square
in the heart of the city

1 night in Tuscany
Hotel Precise House Montaperti
Surrounded by rolling hills, 20
minutes from Siena

2 nights in Rome
Hotel AC Clodio Roma
Near the Vatican in a quiet area of
Rome

3 nights in Sorrento
Grand Hotel Vesuvio Sorrento
Hotel boasts panoramic water
views with its elevated position in
the cliffs on the Amalfi Coast

Retel Tours Presents

Escape to Italy

July 15 - 24, 2025

The Grand Canal | St. Mark's Square | Murano & Burano |
Florence | Siena | Tuscany | The Vatican | The Colosseum |
The Roman Forum | Trevi Fountain | The Spanish Steps |
Pompeii | Sorrento | Positano | Capri



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Escape to Italy

\$6,250

Per person price based on double occupancy.
Single supplement \$1325

Day 1 - Tues July 15 - Depart JFK

Late night departure on Delta/Air France.

Day 2 - Wed July 16- Arrive in Venice

After a layover in Paris, arrive in Venice in the early evening. Transfer to our hotel via boat and join for a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 3 - Thur July 17- Venice

Embark on a half-day tour of Venice, exploring the stunning exterior of St. Mark's Basilica, famous for its intricate mosaics, and the grand Doge's Palace, a masterpiece of Gothic architecture. In the afternoon, we'll set off on a boat trip to explore the two most famous islands in the Venice archipelago. First, we'll visit Murano, the island renowned for its centuries-old glass-making tradition and Burano, known for its brightly colored houses and delicate lace-making, a true gem of the Venetian Lagoon. Soak in the atmosphere of Venice during free time tonight where you can enjoy dinner on your own at one of the many charming restaurants within walking distance of our hotel. (B)

Day 4 - Fri July 18 - Florence

Depart for the enchanting city of Florence. A guided tour will immerse us in the rich history and stunning architecture of this Renaissance gem.

We'll see the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore, renowned for its striking facade of pink, green, and white marble. Marvel at the grandeur of Brunelleschi's Dome, an engineering masterpiece, admire the towering elegance of Giotto's Campanile, explore the Baptistery of St. John, famed for its bronze doors, including the magnificent Ghiberti's Gates of Paradise, and its intricate artwork by Michelangelo. After free time for lunch, drive through the picturesque Chianti region and arrive in the medieval town of Siena, famous for its well-preserved historic center. Check in at our hotel which offers views of the hills surrounding us. (B,D)

Day 5- Sat July 19 - Tuscany/Rome

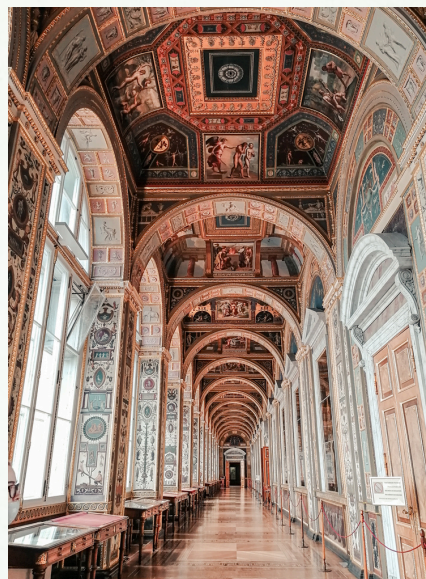
After breakfast we will depart for Rome. Upon arrival, visit the world-renowned Vatican City, a tiny independent state that is home to some of the most iconic art and architecture in the world. Take a guided tour of the Vatican Museums, a treasure trove of classical and Renaissance masterpieces. As you walk through the grand galleries, you'll encounter works by Raphael, Leonardo da Vinci, and Caravaggio. The highlight of the museum tour will be a visit to the Sistine Chapel, where you'll stand in awe beneath Michelangelo's breathtaking frescoes, including the iconic Creation of Adam, significant to both art and religion. Continue to St. Peter's Basilica, the largest and most important church in Christendom. As you enter, you'll be mesmerized by the grandeur of the interior, where you'll see Michelangelo's Pietà and other incredible works of art, where the awe-inspiring dome designed by Michelangelo rises above. (B,D)

Day 6- Sun July 20 - Rome

Embark on a guided tour of Ancient Rome, taking a leap through the centuries and set off to discover one of the most famous monuments of the city, the Flavian Amphitheatre, better known as the Colosseum. Continue this journey through Ancient Rome with the discovery of the Roman Forum, the center of political and religious life during Antiquity. After some free time for lunch, keep on discovering the many wonders of this city, including the Spanish Steps, Piazza Navona, and the Trevi Fountain. Tonight is on a free basis for you to explore Rome on your own for dinner. (B)

Day 7- Mon July 21 - Rome/Pompeii/ Sorrento

Leave Rome for the Amalfi coast with a stop in Pompeii along the way. Free time for lunch and those who are interested may join an optional tour to Pompeii - those who skip this optional tour will enjoy more free time. where you will have the chance to join an optional guided tour of its archaeological site. Arrive in Sorrento in time for dinner. (B,D)



Day 8 - Tues July 22 - Amalfi Coast

Discover the beauty of Italy's most iconic coastline - and, arguably, one of the most beautiful in the world - with a full-day tour of the Amalfi Coast. As we wind our way through the lush hillsides and charming coastal towns, at every turn we'll enjoy breathtaking views of the crystal-clear Mediterranean Sea, dramatic cliffs, and colorful villages perched above the shore, including Positano. (B,D)



Day 9- Wed July 23 - Capri

Board a ferry as we embark on an excursion to the enchanting nearby island of Capri, a Mediterranean paradise known for its dramatic cliffs, crystal-clear waters, and lush landscapes. In addition to touring Capri, we'll also explore Anacapri, where we'll walk the quaint streets and enjoy the tranquility of this quieter area. A minibus will be at our disposal today as we move around the island. The final night of our tour will be celebrated at a farewell dinner. (B,D)

Day 10- Wed Thur July 24- Return

Enjoy our final breakfast and take the one hour ride to the Naples airport. Our flight departs early afternoon. After a layover in Paris, we'll return to JFK this evening. (B)