



Janet's Italy Tour in Tuscany Region April 13 – 23, 2020

Milan, Cremona, Bologna, Florence, Siena, Pisa, Lucca, San Gimignano, Perugia

Day 01 Tuesday, Apr 14th Milan - Cremona (D)

Air arrangements to be made, departure from Boston on Monday, April 13th. Arrive at Milano Malpensa airport (April 14) and meet with your English speaking tour guide. Transfer to visit "**Az. Ag. Facchi**" a Buffalo farm where you'll taste some of their processed cheese. If time allows, you might also visit the "**Società Agricola Garbelli**" a farm that grows rice. After the visit we travel to Cremona for a walking tour of the town with a city tour guide. Cremona was the home town of the famous violin maker "Stradivari". Overnight at "**Continental Hotel**". Dinner at "**Locanda Toriani**" restaurant.



Day 02 Wednesday, Apr 15th Cremona - Bologna (BLD)

After breakfast start your day of technical visit with a cheese factory "**Cà de Stefani**" where they are specialized in making the famous Grana Padano and Provolone cheese. Next you will visit "**Agriturismo Montebaducco**", lunch included. This is a very particular and unique farm as they raise and milk 1,000 donkey. The milk is used for making body lotions. If time allows you could possibly visit "**Ferrari Museum**". Transfer to Bologna and check in "**AEmilia Hotel**" for overnight. Dinner at "**Osteria Broccaindosso**"



Day 03 Thursday, Apr 16th Bologna - Florence (B-D)

After breakfast visit a **fruit farm**. After the visit we travel to "**Fico**", a unique village where you'll have choices of many different food shops and restaurant for lunch on your own. In the afternoon enjoy a guided tour of the facility and an explanation of their operation and they will show you how they make the famous "mortadella" (Bologna). Transfer to Florence, for overnight at the "**Star Hotel Michelangelo**" Dinner at the "**Trattoria Armando**" restaurant.

Day 04 Friday, Apr 17th Florence - Siena - Florence (B-L)

After breakfast transfer to visit the "**Frantoio di Santa Tea**" that is one of the oldest if not the oldest oil mill in Italy, and you'll have the chance to try their different type of virgin olive oils. Next we travel to **Siena** for your walking **guided tour** of this medieval town famous for his "**Palio**" That is a horse race done on the main square of the town. Lunch in the city at "**La Finestra**" restaurant. In the afternoon you'll visit a **canteen** for wine tasting. Overnight at the "**Star Hotel Michelangelo**". Dinner on your own.



Day 05 Saturday, Apr 18th Florence (B-D)

After breakfast meet with your **city tour** guide for a walking tour of beautiful Florence. Some free time in the afternoon to do your own exploring. Dinner at the “**Trattoria Baldini**” restaurant few minutes from the hotel. Overnight at the “**Star Hotel Michelangelo**”.



Day 06 Sunday, Apr 19th Florence - Pisa – Lucca - Florence (B-D)

After breakfast the day will be dedicated for leisure starting with the visit of the town of **Pisa** famous his **Leaning Tower** and “**Campo dei Miracoli**” (the main square with the cathedral and the baptistery). Lunch in Pisa or Lucca on your own. In the afternoon you'll have the possibility to do a **guided city tour of Lucca**. This midlevel town is known for his surrounding walls that allows you to bike or walk on it all around it. Dinner at the “**Trattoria i 3 Gobbi**” restaurant. Overnight at the Star Hotel Michelangelo”



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Day 07 Monday, Apr 20th Florence (B-L)

After breakfast we'll go to the **food market** in the center of Florence for your **cooking class** which will be prepared for your lunch of the day. Rest of the **afternoon will be free** for shopping and do your own exploring. Dinner on your own arrangement. Overnight at the “**Star Hotel Michelangelo**”.



Day 08 Tuesday, Apr 21st Florence - San Gimignano - Florence (B-L)

After breakfast transfer with private bus to visit a **Limousine farm** and after visit the “**Enopolio**” in Poggibonsi with wine tasting. Lunch in Poggibonsi organized by the “**Consorzio Agrario di Siena**” where you'll try the Chianina meat. In the afternoon visit the town of **San Gimignano**, with time to explore this beautiful little medieval town known as the Town fine Towers. Overnight at the “**Star Hotel Michelangelo**”.



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Day 09 Apr 22nd Wed Florence - Perugia (B-L-D)

After breakfast transfer to Perugia and visit the Chianina farm “**Fattoria Luchetti**”, where you'll see all of the chain of the process of their meat. Beside the farm they have a butchery and an Agriturismo where you'll have lunch and taste there meat. In the afternoon you'll stop to visit a vineyard, “**Lungarotti**” with wine tasting. Dinner at “**Il Bacio**” restaurant. Overnight in Perugia at the “**San Gallo Palace Hotel**”.



Day 10 Thursday, April 23rd Perugia – Rome (B)

After breakfast transfer to the Leonardo da Vinci airport in time for your flight back. Air arrangements to be forwarded to you upon confirmation with airline.

Tour Includes:

- Round trip airfare Boston to Milan return Rome to Boston
- Transportation in private modern luxury coach (size of coach according to size of group).
- English-speaking tour escort throughout the tour.
- 9 nights Hotel accommodation (4*) on Twin/Share basis, incl. daily breakfast.
- All meals as stated: 5 lunches, 6 dinners.
- Vineyard visit with wine tasting.
- City sightseeing as stated in the program, with English speaking city guide of Cremona, Siena, Florence and Lucca.
- Entrance to the Ferrari Museum.
- Cooking Class.
- City entrances
- All technical visits

Tour does not include:

- Travel arrangements to Logan Airport in Boston
- Porterage service at airport or at hotels
- Extra beverages with meals and meals not specified in itinerary.
- Expenditure of a personal nature and Gratuities for driver and tour guide.
- Personal Travel Insurance

Price Per Person:

Double Occupancy \$3650/pp Single Supplement \$500

Due to the exchange between the Euro and US dollar, and escalating jet fuel surcharges, there may be a fare adjustment at time of final payment. You will be notified promptly.

CANCELLATION POLICY:

We reserve the right to cancel if minimum passengers (20) are not booked, or to assess a surcharge with the group's approval. If our agency cancels the trip, your deposit is fully refundable. If you cancel after deposit and prior to final payment, \$100.00 pp is non-refundable. No refund after final payment. Therefore, we strongly urge you to purchase cancellation insurance for your protection and needs to be purchased at time of deposit to cover any pre-existing health issues.

Cost of insurance per person:

Age 35 – 59 \$202 60 – 69 \$273 70 – 74 \$357 75 – 79 \$437 80 – 84 \$596 85+ \$797

I have read the terms, conditions and cancellation policies.

Sign: _____

CONDITIONS & RESPONSIBILITY

TO MAKE RESERVATIONS: A deposit of \$500.00 per person is due with Reservation Form by Aug. 20, 2019. The final payment notification will be forwarded upon receipt of deposit (normally 90 days prior to departure). You will be notified prior to that date to reconfirm the final payment in the event there is an increase due to any fluctuation in the Euro vs US Dollar or a fuel surcharge by the airline.

SPACE IS LIMITED - Send your Reservation and Deposit Soon!

RESERVATION FORM – ITALY

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Please print the full name as it appears on your passport. Include copy of current passport with reservation.

FULL NAME _____ BIRTHDATE ___/___/___

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HOME ADDRESS: _____

CITY: _____ STATE: _____ ZIP: _____

PHONE: _____ E-MAIL _____

Type of Room: _____ Single _____ Double

If not rooming with spouse, whom are you rooming with _____

Please find deposit for (____) per person in the amount of \$_____.

I want to purchase cancellation insurance. _____ Yes _____ No _____

If you wish to purchase insurance, include separate check for insurance made payable to Janet's Ag Tours. Purchase of cancellation insurance should be made within fifteen days of deposit to cover pre-existing health issues.

____ Check Enclosed for deposit of \$500/person including copy of passport. Check made **payable to Janet's Ag Tours**
Mail to Janet Spear, 14 Eugley Hill Road, Nobleboro, ME 04555

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