



SICILY 8 Days

Includes

2 nights in HB (dinners at hotel – no beverages) at 4 star hotel in Palermo

1 night in BB at 4 star hotel in Palermo

1 night in HB (dinners at hotel – no beverages) at 4 star hotel in Agrigento

1 night in HB (dinners at hotel – no beverages) at 4 star hotel in Catania

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1 night in BB at 4 star hotel in Taormina

Porterage at hotels

Four Dinners at hotels

Motor coach (30 seats or 54 seats accordingly to the number of passengers) at disposal as per quoted itinerary.

Transfer: first day and last day: only in & out

English speaking tour escort at disposal from 2nd till 7th day included.

English speaking assistant for transfer in & out English speaking local guides in Palermo & Monreale (half day),

Agrigento (visit Valley of the Temples, Siracusa (half day)

Excursion on Mount Etna

Shuttle bus from central Taormina parking to Taormina city entrance

DAY 1 : Palermo

Arrive at Palermo airport. Transfer to your hotel. Dinner. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 2 : Palermo- Monreale- (Erice)-Palermo

Buffet breakfast at your hotel. In the morning, departure to Monreale and enjoy the visit of the Cathedral famous for its mosaics as well as the Benedictine cloister. In the morning visit keeps on with the Sicilian Capital which includes the Palatine Chapel in the Royal Palace, Palermo's Cathedral as well as a panoramic city tour. Lunch on your own. Afternoon at leisure or possibility to participate to an optional excursion (to be paid locally. Will be operated with a minimum of participants) to Erice, small medieval village in the Trapani's province. Dinner. Overnight at your hotel.

DAY 3 : Palermo – Segesta – Marsala - Selinunte - Agrigento

Buffet breakfast at your hotel. Departure to Segesta to visit the Doric temple surrounded by a splendid landscape. Continue to Marsala and enjoy a panoramic visit of this small city famous for its wine. Continue to Selinunte. Lunch at your own. In the afternoon free visit at leisure to the archaeological area. After the visit, depart to Agrigento. Dinner. Overnight at hotel.



DAY 4 : Agrigento – Piazza Armerina- Catania

Buffet breakfast at your hotel and experience the visit of the Valley of the Temples where we will be able to admire the best preserved temples in the whole Magna Grecia. Depart to Piazza Armerina, Lunch at your own and visit the Villa romana del Casale famous for its more than 3500 sqm meters of well-preserved mosaics. Departure to Catania and enjoy a panoramic visit of the second biggest city in Sicily. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 5: Catania - Noto – Siracusa–Catania

Buffet breakfast at your hotel. Departure to Noto to admire the Cathedral which has been renovated after many years. Continue to Syracuse. Lunch at your own. After lunch enjoy a guided tour of this venerable city highlights the Archaeological Park, Greek Theater, Latomia del Paradiso and Cave of Dionisius' Ear. Back to Catania. Dinner. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 6: Catania– Etna-Taormina area

Buffet breakfast at hotel and meteorological conditions permitting, excursion to Mount Etna, the highest active volcano in Europe (3345 mt).The bus will bring you up to the "Rifugio Sapienza" 1800 m. Visit of the extinguished Craters of Mounts Silvestri. Wonderful variety of fauna and flora and moony landscapes can be seen on the way. The special ambient created during the centuries under nature, culture and history is inimitable all over the world. Lunch at your own. Continuation to Taormina: pretty and romantic town on the Mount Tauro (204 MT). Spare time to visit (by your own) the famous Greek Theatre with a splendid view of the Mount Etna and the Ionian Sea or to do shopping and to stroll through the picturesque lanes of the city centre. Overnight at hotel.

DAY 7: Taormina area – Messina– Cefalù – Palermo

Buffet breakfast at hotel and depart to Messina for a panoramic visit of the city including some beautiful views on the Straight which separates Sicily from the mainland. Continue to Cefalù. Lunch at your own. Cefalù is a splendid fishermen's village and seaside resort. Visit of the huge Norman Cathedral, founded in 1131 by Roger II and of the Medieval Lavatory. Time at leisure to stroll through the narrow lanes of the historic centre full of shops and restaurants. Continue to Palermo. Overnight to the hotel.

DAY 8 : Palermo

Breakfast at hotel. Transfer to Palermo airport. End of our services



DOES NOT INCLUDE

- Lunch
- Flights
- Full board
- Beverages during dinners (supplements) 16 EURO p.p.
- Entrance fees (see supplements) 80 EURO
- Porterage at airport
- Tips and personas extras
- Free of charge
- City taxes: some municipalities could apply a city tax (to be paid on the spot directly to the hotel)
- Everything which is not clearly specified under "rate includes"

QUOTED HOTELS (OR SIMILAR)

Palermo: Hotel Palazzo Sitano**** (Standard Rooms)

Agrigento: Hotel Della Valle**** (Standard Rooms)

Catania: Hotel Excelsior**** (Standard Rooms)

Taormina Area (Taormina/Giardini Naxos): Hotel Giardini Hilton**** (Standard Rooms)