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08 NIGHTS / 09 DAYS

France - Belgium - Switzerland - Italy - Germany - The Vatican



# Jetwing Holidays



## **BEST OF EUROPE TOUR 2020**

## **TRAVELLING DURATION & DISTANCE BY COACH**

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FROM	ТО	DISTANCE/km	TIME /hours	
PARIS AIRPORT	PARIS	30	45 min.	
PARIS	BRUSSELS	350	4.5 hours	
BRUSSELS	COLOGNE	230	2.5 hours	
COLOGNE	RHINE VALLEY	180	2.5 hours	
RHINE VALLEY	FRANKFURT	120	2.0 hours	
FRANKFURT	TITISEE	310	4.2 hours	
TITSEE	ENGELBERG	170	2.0 hours	
ENGELBERG	LUCERNE	37	1.0 hour	
ENGELBERG	VENICE	500	6.0 hours	
VENICE	VICENZA	80	1.0 hour	
VICENZA	PISA	330	3.5 hours	
PISA	ROME	350	3.5 hours	
ROME	ROME AIRPORT	30	45 min.	



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## YOUR TOUR SUMMARY

Tour Dates : 07<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> April, 2020

Type of tour : Group

Flight Details: Qatar Airways (applicable only for option 2 from Colombo Sri Lanka)

QR	669	07 APRIL	COLOMBO	DOHA	0315	0555
QR	039	07 APRIL	DOHA	PARIS	0740	1340
QR	114	15 APRIL	ROME	DOHA	2240	0510+1
QR	654	16 APRIL	DOHA	COLOMBO	0740	1520

## DAY 01 - (7TH APRIL, 2020 - TUESDAY); EN ROUTE / PARIS

Arrival at Paris CDG Airport

Our English-speaking assistant will guide the group to the coach

Transfer to Paris hotel

Depart Paris hotel and transfer by coach to a restaurant. If time permits you will be able to explore the city with the Tour manager and transfer by coach to Paris cruise pier.

Then enjoy one-hour Seine river cruise in Paris

Enjoy a local dinner at a restaurant Drive by coach back to the hotel in Paris for overnight accommodation

## DAY 02 - (8<sup>th</sup> APRIL, 2020 - WEDNESDAY); PARIS

Enjoy a Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Meet English-speaking guide for panoramic full day sightseeing in Paris

During the tour we will visit the Eiffel Tower - Level 2 (Tickets Included in Package)

Lunch at a restaurant in Paris

After lunch continue with the guided sightseeing tour of Paris

Visit to the Louver Museum in the evening (\*\*Please note that the Louver Museum can be closed on special occasions without prior notice and in any such occasion we will compensate with a guided visit to another site\*\*)

After the city tour you can enjoy a local dinner at a restaurant

After dinner drive by coach back to Paris hotel for overnight accommodation







Capital of France, **Paris**, is a major European city and a global centre for art, fashion, gastronomy and culture. Discover Paris's history and inspiring architecture as you are guided past a myriad of architectural and historical gems, the Champs Elysées, Arc de Triumph, Notre Dame Cathedral, Louvre Museum, Saint Germain des Prés, Invalides, and the Eiffel Tower. You will also see most of these sights as you cruise through the river Seine for one hour during your Bateau Parisean cruise Enjoy a visit to one of the most famous monuments of Paris: The Eiffel Tower (second level only), which was built by Gustave Eiffel for the 1889 World's Fair.

## DAY 03 (9TH APRIL, 2020 - THURSDAY); PARIS / BRUSSELS/ COLOGNE

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Drive from Paris to Brussels by coach (350KM - 4.5 hours)

Enjoy a local lunch at Brussels restaurant

Meet English-speaking guide for panoramic two-hour sightseeing of Brussels

Depart Brussels and continue to Cologne by coach

Arrive at hotel for check-in

## Dinner & Overnight accommodation at the hotel



**Brussels** is a major centre for international politics. Here, discover the world famous Grand Place, the heart of mediaeval Brussels with its splendid old guild houses. Marvel at the magnificent St. Michael's Cathedral with its twin bell towers. See the Royal Residence, Royal Square, and the Belgian Houses of Parliament, the Chinese Pavilion and the Japanese Tower.



## DAY 04 (10TH APRIL, 2020 - FRIDAY); COLOGNE / RHINE VALLEY / FRANKFURT

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Free time to explore Cologne and to visit the Cathedral (We will not be able to enter into the cathedral due to Good Friday mass)

Depart Cologne and continue to Boppard by coach (136KM – 2 hours)

Lunch onboard - Rhine cruise from Boppard to St. Goar

Drive from St. Goar to Frankfurt (120 KM- 1.8 hours)

Time to explore the city with the Tour manager

Arrive at hotel for check-in

Dinner & Overnight accommodation in Frankfurt

**Frankfurt** is a city of contrasts. Wealthy bankers, students and granola drop-outs coexist in a city that has some of the highest, most avant-garde skyscrapers of Europe next to well maintained old buildings. The Romer Square (Romberg Plaza) is the most beautiful square of Frankfurt. You will have free time to explore this city on your own and for a fabulous shopping experience.



#### Day 05 (11<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2020 - SATURDAY); FRANKFURT / RHINE FALLS/ ENGELBERG

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Depart Frankfurt and continue to Titisee by coach (310KM - 4.5 hours)

Enjoy a three course local lunch at Titisee restaurant

After lunch see a cuckoo clock making demonstration and then free time for shopping

Depart Titisee and drive by coach to Rhine Falls Stop to view the Rhine Falls

Depart Rhine Falls and drive to Engelberg hotel by coach

Arrive at hotel for dinner & overnight accommodation

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Located in a pristine alpine valley surrounded by majestic mountains, the town of **Engelberg** is beautiful whether blanketed by winter snows or surrounded by verdant vegetation in summer. We'll take the cable car to reach the summit, which is more than 3,000 metres above sea level. Enjoy the spectacular sight of the glacier's deep crevasses and gigantic ice boulders from the Rotair, the revolving gondola lift that allows you an unrestricted 360-degree view of the magnificent landscape. At the top of Mount Titlis, a dramatic alpine panorama awaits you. Enjoy magnificent views of the Alps from the restaurants or the sun terrace. Visit the shimmering 350-metre-long Ice Grotto or take a ride with the IceFlyer, which brings you almost face to face with the crevasses. Hop on to the Fun Lift for sledging or even engage in a snowball fight.

## DAY 06 (12<sup>TH</sup> APRIL, 2020 - SUNDAY); ENGELBERG/LUCERNE/ENGELBERG

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Transfer group to Engelberg Cable Car station Round-trip cable car tickets to the summit of Mount Titlis.

Enjoy lunch at Panorama restaurant on Mt Titlis

Drive from Engelberg to Lucerne by coach.

Explore the city of Lucerne with the Tour manager

Drive from Lucerne back to Engelberg hotel

Indian menu dinner at the hotel

Overnight accommodation in Engelberg



## DAY 07 (13TH APRIL, 2020 - MONDAY); ENGELBERG / VENICE / PADOVA

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Drive from Engelberg to Venice (500 KM - 6 Hours)

Enjoy a three-course local lunch at a restaurant en-route and continue to Venice

Arrive in Tronchetto

Transfer by ferry to San Marco



Meet English-speaking guide for two-hour walking tour

Sightseeing of Venice - Thirty-minute Gondola ride included

Return boat transfer to Tronchetto

Depart Tronchetto and transfer by coach to Padova hotel

Check-in at the hotel for dinner and overnight accommodation in Padova

**Venice,** the capital of northern Italy's Veneto region, is built on more than 100 small islands in a lagoon in the Adriatic Sea. It has no roads, just canals – including the Grand Canal thoroughfare – lined with Renaissance and Gothic palaces. The central square, Piazza San Marco, contains St. Mark's Basilica, which is tiled with Byzantine mosaics, and the Campanile bell tower offering views of the city's red roofs.



## DAY 08 (14TH APRIL, 2020 - TUESDAY); VICENZA / PISA / ROME

Enjoy a Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Depart Padua and drive to Pisa by coach (330KM – 3.5 hours)

Arrive at the Pisa restaurant for lunch

After lunch you have free time to explore Pisa

**The Leaning Tower of Pisa** or simply the Tower of Pisa is the campanile, or freestanding bell tower, of the cathedral of the Italian city of Pisa, known worldwide for its nearly four-degree lean, the result of an unstable foundation

Drive from Pisa to Rome by coach

Three course local dinner at a restaurant in Rome

Check-in at the hotel for overnight accommodation

**Rome** is a city with nearly 3000 years of globally influential art, architecture and culture on display. During your sightseeing tour of Rome, you will see some of these beautiful creations which include The Roman and Imperial Forums, Circus Maximus (chariot racing stadium) and the National Monument to Victor Emmanuel II ('Wedding Cake'). Piazza Navona. Spanish Steps and the Trevi Fountain (where you could make a wish). Enjoy inside visits to the most famous Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica.



## DAY 09 (15TH APRIL, 2020 - WEDNESDAY); ROME SIGHTEEING / ROME AIRPORT

Buffet breakfast at the hotel

Meet English speaking guide for half day morning sightseeing of Rome.

Entrance to Vatican Museum and Sistine Chapel

Visit to St Peter's Basilica

**The Vatican Museums** (Italian: Musei Vaticani; Latin: Musea Vaticana) are Christian art museums located within the city boundaries of the Vatican City. They display works from the immense collection amassed by popes throughout the centuries including several of the most renowned Roman sculptures and most important masterpieces of Renaissance art in the world. The museums contain roughly 70,000 works, of which 20,000 are on display and currently employ 640 people who work in 40 different administrative, scholarly, and restoration departments.

**The Sistine Chapel** is a chapel in the Apostolic Palace, the official residence of the pope, in Vatican City. Originally known as the Cappella Magna, the chapel takes its name from Pope Sixtus IV, who restored it between 1477 and 1480.

(\*\*Please note that the Vatican Museum and the Sistine Chapel can be closed for emergencies without prior notice and in any such occasion we will compensate with a guided visit to another site\*\*)

**The Papal Basilica** of St. Peter in the Vatican, or simply St. Peter's Basilica, is an Italian Renaissance church in Vatican City, the papal enclave within the city of Rome Depart Rome and transfer to Rome FCO airport by coach

Afternoon walking tour of Rome with Trevi Fountain and Colosseum (outside view)

Depart Rome and transfer to Rome FCO airport by coach

Coach ends services on arrival Arrive at Rome airport for check-in Departure flight from Rome





## **TERMS AND CONDITIONS**

## **TOUR RATES**

## **Option 1 - GROUND ARRANGEMENTS ONLY**

Passenger to organize their own flights and airport transfer services and join the tour group in Paris and then depart from Rome

Per person sharing DBL or TPL room		AUD 2,990.00	
Per child sharing with parents Age 2 – 11	AUD 2	2,400.00	
Per infant sharing with parents Age 0 – 2	AUD	450.00	
Single room supplement (10 nights)	AUD	635.00	
Schengen Visa fee if applicable per person	AUD	150.00	

## **Option 2 - TOTAL PACKAGE – AIR FARE AND GROUND ARRANGEMENTS**

Passenger joins the tour group in Colombo Sri Lanka and the costs includes flights between Sri Lanka and Europe (Arrival in Paris and Departure from Rome)

Per person sharing DBL or TPL room	AUD 3	3,590.00
Per child sharing with parents Age 2 – 11	AUD 3	3,000.00
Per infant sharing with parents Age 0 – 2	AUD	635.00
Single room supplement (10 nights)	AUD	635.00
Schengen Visa fee if applicable per person	AUD	150.00

## **Option 3 - TOTAL PACKAGE – AIR FARE AND GROUND ARRANGEMENTS**

The price includes airfare from Australian capital city with the option to transit via Colombo Sri Lanka or directly into Europe and join the tour group (Arrival in Paris and Departure from Rome)

Per person sharing DBL or TPL room		AUD 5,200.00	
Per child sharing with parents Age 2 – 11	AUD 4	1,400.00	
Per infant sharing with parents Age 0 – 2	AUD	845.00	
Single room supplement (10 nights)		635.00	
Schengen Visa fee if applicable per person	AUD	150.00	

**Note** :- The rates quoted above are subject to change depends on exchange rate fluctuations and or changes with airfares. Special early payment discounts may be offered for those who settle payments via EFT and this is subject to exchange rates at the time of payment.



## INCLUSIONS

- Return Air ticket on Economy class
- Accommodation in 3- and 4-star hotels
- Daily continental breakfast
- Lunch and dinner at restaurants and hotels (mostly local menu meals and a few Indian/ Asian meals)
- Mandatory Travel insurance (Up to 60 years of age)
- Tips for guides/ restaurants etc...
- 55-seater A/C Coach
- English speaking guide for tours on programme
- Entrance fees to certain specified attractions as specified in the programme
- Visa Assistance

## EXCLUSIONS

- Schengen Visa fee for certain passport holders (approximately AUD 150.00 p/p)
- Personal expenses laundry, telephone, etc
- Porterage at hotels
- Beverages with meals
- Transportation to/from the Bandaranayke International Airport
- Anything not mentioned in the inclusions
- Travel insurance for passengers above 60 years and or with special medical conditions

## **IMPORTANT NOTES**

- This is a group tour based on Minimum 25 passengers traveling together. Until final confirmation of the departure given "15 day before departure", Jetwing holds the right to cancel any departure if the number doesn't reach the Minimum Group Strength.
- Until final confirmation given 15 days before departure, Jetwing holds the right to cancel any departure due to any unpreventable circumstances.
- After the final confirmation given, if there will be a cancellation due to natural disasters, or similar circumstances that are beyond our control, Jetwing holds the right to cancel any departure.
- In case of such cancellation, the advance payment made by you will be fully refunded, given that you have obtained your visa for this tour.
- > In case of a visa rejection a sum of AUD 250 will be deducted from the advance
- > The price quoted above will be subject to availability
- > Rates are as per current tariffs and can be subject to change without prior notice.
- All rates are calculated as per current rates of Exchange and will be subject to change in case of any increase.
- The travel insurance issued through us can only be issued if the traveler is a Sri Lankan resident (Sri Lankan Passport holder)



#### HOW CAN I BOOK THIS TOUR?

#### **BOOKING CONDITIONS:**

- Please complete the **online booking form** (click the link) and submit asap that will trigger the booking process for our consultant to conduct your needs analysis and provide an accurate quotation to meet your unique circumstances and travel needs.
- An advance payment of AUD 1,500/- per person is required at the time of registration in order to confirm your booking (this is for the payment towards hotels and airlines to secure the booking)

#### PAYMENT MODE:

- Cheque to be drawn in favor of "SOBI Trading & Consulting Pty Ltd"
- Credit cards (a surcharge of 1.8% applies for master and visa cards and 2.8% for AMEX cards)
- Online credit card payments (3% surcharge)
- Bank EFT transfers:-

NAME OF THE BENEFICIARY	SOBI Trading & Consulting Pty Ltd
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BSB NO	083-231
ACCOUNT NO	83-442-4758
BENEFICIARY'S BANK	National Australia Bank
SWIFT CODE	NATAAU3303M

#### **DEVIATIONS:**

- The above quote is based on a Group fare; therefore, you will be required to travel IN/OUT together as a Group.
- Deviations are not permitted as per airline policies on discounted group fares.
- We do not recommend deviations, strictly due to visas being obtained based on group travel information



## CANCELLATION POLICY:

In the event you cancel your tour, following voluntary amounts will be applicable:

- 120 90 Days prior to departure No charge (In case of any visa rejections, visa fees and the cancelation fees AUD 300 will be applicable)
- 90 60 Days prior to departure AUD 500 (In case of any visa rejections, visa fees and the cancelation fees LKR 36,000 will be applicable)
- 60 45 Days prior to departure AUD 1,000/- (In case of any visa rejections, visa fees and the cancelation fees AUD 300 will be applicable)
- 45 30 Days prior to departure AUD 1500/- (In case of any visa rejections, visa fees and the cancelation fees AUD 300 will be applicable)
- > 30 Days prior to departure Non-refundable

## GENERAL INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW:

- Most rooms and washrooms in European hotels are small
- Breakfast would be continental buffet type offering a variety of breads, jams, milk, cereals, eggs, etc.
- European meal type (three course)
- > Tea / coffee making facilities are not available in the rooms
- > There are specific driving regulations in Europe as stated below:
- Touring coaches are at the disposal of the group every day indicated for the services stipulated in the itinerary but the use of these is limited to a 13-hour period per day
- The driver may only drive for a maximum of 9 hours within the total 13 hours at disposal and after a 4.0 hours drive, must have a break of 45 minutes
- > Driving durations may vary based on weather conditions, traffic and road conditions
- In most cities coach Parking is allocated in specific locations. Hence passengers will have to walk from the bus parking area to tour starting points and restaurants.
- > This tour is not suitable for wheelchair passengers or anyone with difficulty in walking.

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