

10D7N I ♥ AMAZING ITALY

Tour code: ITA10L

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- **MEALS PLAN :**
7 BREAKFASTS, 7 DINNERS
- **SPECIAL MEALS :**
SQUID INK SPAGHETTI, SEAFOOD PLATTER,
ITALIAN PIZZA+PASTA,PARMA HAM TASTING,
HOTEL DINNER, CHINESE MEAL, etc.....
- **4★ HOTEL THROUGHOUT**
- **ATTRACTIONS HIGHLIGHTS:**
MILAN – SFORZA CASTLE, MILAN CATHEDRAL,
GALLERIA VITTORIO EMANUELE II, LA SCALA
OPERA HOUSE, PIAZZA DELLA SCALA

VENICE – PRIVATE WATER TAXI (INCLUDED), ST.
MARK'S SQUARE, ST. MARK'S BASILICA, DOGE'S
PALACE, BRIDGE OF SIGHS, GLASS BLOWING
FACTORY

PARMA – PARMA HAM TASTING

PISA – LEANING TOWER, DUOMO, BAPTISTERY,
SQUARE OF MIRACLE

TUSCANY – THE MALL OUTLET

ASSISI – ST FRANCIS BASILICA, PIAZZA DEL COMUNE

ROME – COLOSSEUM, TREVI FOUNTAIN, ROMAN
FORUM

NAPLES & POMPEII – POMPEII ARCHAEOLOGICAL
SITES (ENTRANCE INCLUDED), MT. VESUVIUS



DAY 1

SINGAPORE → MILAN

Assemble at the airport and set off to the global capital of fashion and design - **Milan**.

DAY 2

MILAN (MEALS ON BOARD / CHINESE D)

Kick start the morning with the first stop at **Sforza Castle**, a majestic fortress where Milan's noble lords used to live in. Later, drop by the lofty **Milan Cathedral** for great shots of the Gothic exterior façade and orientate yourself at **Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II** before assembling at **Piazza della Scala**. Afterwards, enjoy a photostop at the lavish **La Scala Opera House** and spend the remaining afternoon free at leisure to explore this vibrant metropolis on your own.

DAY 3

MILAN – VENICE (B / SQUID INK SPAGHETTI D)

This morning, take a private water taxi to the heart of romantic Venice and begin your tour at **St. Mark's Square** with an interesting outlook at the

famous cathedral **St. Mark's Basilica** – known as 'church of gold' due to its opulent design and gold ground mosaics. Thereafter, swing by two of Venice's main landmarks, the **Doge's Palace** and the **Bridge of Sighs**, for some stunning pictures and visit a **glass blowing factory** to learn more about the art of Murano glassmaking, an elite trade unique to the island.

DAY 4

VENICE – PARMA – LA SPEZIA

(B / SEAFOOD PLATTER D)

After breakfast, head to Parma and visit a local **Prosciutto (Parma Ham) Shop**. Learn about the art of Parma Ham Making which aims to cure a leg of pork with pure sea salt in order to keep the meat as sweet-tasting and supple as possible. Have a chance to savor and compare the various stages of ham that are aged differently. Afterwards you may consider joining an **optional visit to Cinque Terre**, a UNESCO World Heritage Site where five perilously-perched villages are strung along a short stretch of cliffs above the Gulf of Poets. Explore the old footpaths that lead through olive groves, vineyards and orchards between the villages of **Riomaggiore, Manarola, Corniglia, Vernazza & Monterosso** via the regional train.

DAY 5

LA SPEZIA – PISA – TUSCANY

(B / ITALIAN 3 COURSE D)

This morning, travel to **Pisa** and visit the **Square of Miracles**, site of the famous trio. Witness medieval masterpieces from the Renaissance period in the **Piazza Del Duomo** including Italy's iconic **Leaning Tower of Pisa** and the **Baptistry**. In the afternoon, you may wish to join an optional tour to Florence, the birthplace of Renaissance Art. Admire Filippo Brunelleschi's dome design at the Duomo as well as Lorenzo Ghiberti's bronze doors design at The Baptistry and cross the Ponte Vecchio archbridge glittered with jewelers, art dealers and souvenir sellers.

*(FAMOUS FLORENTINE STEAK & WINE D, Top Up €25 p.p)

DAY 6

TUSCANY – ASSISI (B / LOCAL D)

Begin this morning with some shopping time at **The Mall Outlet** where you can find almost all of the luxury brands that you can think of and enjoy savings of 30%-70%. Later, revel in a scenic drive to the fame walled city of **Assisi**, an idyllic well-preserved medieval town with an aura of mystical serenity and Italy's second most popular pilgrimage destination

after the Vatican. View the **St Francis Basilica**, which holds the crypt of St Francis, covered with fascinating frescoes by Giotto that depicts the life of the said beloved saint. Stroll down the narrow but picturesque streets of **Piazza del Comune**, the old town centre which houses many spellbinding ancient religious structures.

DAY 7

ASSISI – ROME (B / ITALIAN PIZZA & PASTA D)

After breakfast, drive towards the capital of Italy- **Rome** and be awed by the magnificent sight of the **Colosseum**, largest amphitheatre ever built withholding a capacity of up to 80,000. View the **Roman Forum** - heart of ancient Rome comprising of archaic buildings and shrines including the ancient former royal residence. Afterwards, marvel at the city's largest Baroque fountain masterpiece **Trevi Fountain**. Enjoy the rest of the afternoon free at leisure.

DAY 8

ROME – POMPEII – NAPLES – ROME

(B / HOTEL D)

Today, travel to **Pompeii** to visit this famous UNESCO-listed archaeological site. Learn about the chronology of how Pompeii became buried in volcanic ash and pumice in the eruption of Mount Vesuvius in AD 79. Thereafter, transfer to the historical city of **Naples**. Afterwards, you may visit the ancient street "**Via Toledo**" - one of the most bustling shopping streets in the City of Naples or join an **optional outing to the "Designer Outlet La Reggia"**.

DAY 9

ROME → SINGAPORE (B / MEALS ON BOARD)

Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure till it is time to transfer to the airport for your flight home.

DAY 10

SINGAPORE

We hope you enjoyed your vacation with **Hong Thai Travel** and we look forward to seeing you again for your next trip.

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Remarks:

- Tips for Driver/ Tour Manager/Local Guide
€80 p.p (Based on 10D7N)
- Sequence of itinerary is subject to change without prior notice.
- Due to seasonal / weather subjective conditions of itinerary, we reserve the right to arrange alternative attraction / transport should state be unavailable.

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