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Northern Italy's Highlights & Cinque Terre

10 Day Tour from Milan to Milan

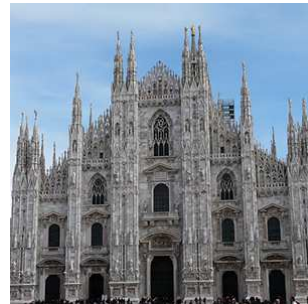
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Vacation Overview

This is the perfect vacation for travelers who want to learn more about the culture, food, and traditions of Northern Italy. You'll spend two nights in Milan, Parma, Rapallo, and Turin, and an overnight in Lucca. You'll enjoy guided sightseeing in Milan, Parma, and Turin, and an orientation of Lucca, a quaint medieval town with ramparts.

This Northern Italy & Cinque Terre guided tour offers much more! Globus has arranged out-of-the-ordinary experiences, so you can truly enjoy some of Italy's gastronomic delights. You'll partake in a balsamic vinegar tasting near Modena, a parmesan cheese tasting in Busseto, a risotto lunch at a rice factory in Vercelli, and a wine tasting in Gabiano. Stop in Maranello, the birthplace of the Ferrari car, and visit the Ferrari Museum.

A tour highlight is Cinque Terre, the name given to five medieval villages on the sea. The area is noted for its natural beauty with terraces built into the rocky cliffs that drop down into the sea. Delight in the unique charm of the area and take in the breathtaking views. Words cannot describe the magic and spectacular scenery—you must witness it in person. You're sure to arrive back home from this escorted tour of Northern Italy and Cinque Terre tour with lots of photos and stories—an unforgettable and unique vacation experience!



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Four Ways Globus Eliminates the Hassles

VIP Access

Skip the lines and get special treatment at the must-see attractions.

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We've done the work to find just the right hotels in just the right locations.

Tour Directors

Take your heads out of the guidebook and let expert guides make every destination fascinating.

Transportation

Leave the navigating to us – and just sit back and enjoy the ride. Learn how Globus is [reducing transportation-related energy use](#) and greenhouse gas emissions.


Itinerary

Day 1 ARRIVE IN MILAN, ITALY

Welcome to Milan! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and traveling companions and leave the hotel for a special welcome dinner with wine at Calafuria Unione restaurant.



 Dinner

Day 2 **MILAN–BUSSETO–PARMA**

In the morning, enjoy a walking tour with a Local Guide. Start with a visit to the SFORZESCO CASTLE GROUNDS and MUSEUM. Then, visit PIAZZA DUOMO with its magnificent gothic cathedral, the glass-domed GALLERIA, and admire the famous La Scala Opera House. Stop at Busseto to see Giuseppe Verdi's birthplace, and on your way to Parma, world-famous for its ham and parmesan cheese, stop for  a PARMESAN CHEESE TASTING at a local caseificio. Later, for food lovers, an optional excursion is available.

 Breakfast

Day 3 **PARMA. EXCURSION TO MODENA & MARANELLO**

Your guided sightseeing will focus on the Romanesque cathedral, the bell tower, and the octagonal baptistry, made of pink Verona marble. Next,  enjoy a BALSAMIC VINEGAR TASTING near Modena, and learn all about this typical Italian product. Continue to nearby Maranello, birthplace of the Ferrari automobile, for  an exciting visit to the FERRARI MUSEUM. Balance of the day at leisure.

 Breakfast

Day 4 **PARMA–LUCCA**

In Lucca, enjoy a walk through this quaint medieval town with its ramparts, and spend time in its pretty center. To enhance your stay, an optional dinner outing to an agriturismo is available to try out Tuscan specialties.

 Breakfast

Day 5 **LUCCA–CINQUE TERRE–RAPALLO**

A scenic day! Drive to La Spezia on the Mediterranean Coast for your exciting excursion to CINQUE TERRE, a UNESCO World Heritage Site, including a BOAT RIDE (weather permitting) with a Local Guide. The name dates back to the 15th century and is derived from five medieval little villages standing on stony spurs along five miles of the rocky coastline: Riomaggiore, Manarola, Corniglia, Vernazza, and Monterosso. From here, enjoy a TRAIN RIDE to the beautiful seaside resort of Rapallo.


 Breakfast

Day 6 **RAPALLO. EXCURSION TO PORTOFINO**

Today's highlight is a BOAT CRUISE to nearby Portofino, a small fishing village with brightly colored houses that became home to the "rich and famous." Later, back in Rapallo, time to relax and to browse through the attractive little shops.

 Breakfast

Day 7 **RAPALLO–GABIANO–TURIN**

Enter the Langhe area and drive through the vineyards to Gabiano, where  a WINE TASTING, followed by lunch, awaits you at Castello di Gabiano before continuing to Turin, capital of Piedmont and birthplace of the Fiat automobile. This evening you may wish to try out one of Turin's restaurants.


 Breakfast  Lunch

Day 8 **TURIN**

During your sightseeing with a Local Guide, admire the amazing 548-foot-high Mole Antonelliana, symbol of Turin, and walk through the historic center to visit the CATHEDRAL that houses the Holy Shroud.

 Breakfast

Day 9 TURIN-VERCELLI-MILAN

Stop in Vercelli  to visit an original RICE FACTORY, and enjoy a risotto lunch before returning to Milan. This evening, a special farewell dinner awaits you at a local restaurant to celebrate the success of your Italian vacation.

 Breakfast  Lunch  Dinner

Day 10 MILAN

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning.

 Breakfast

Vacation Highlights**MILAN**

Special welcome and farewell dinners at a local restaurant; guided walking tour, visit the Sforzesco Castle grounds and museum, and admire Duomo Square and the Galleria

BUSSETO

See the birthplace of Verdi; [LF] parmesan cheese tasting at a local caseificio

PARMA

Guided sightseeing

MODENA

[LF] Balsamic vinegar tasting

MARANELLO

[LF] Visit the Ferrari Museum

LUCCA

Orientation

CINQUE TERRE

By boat (weather permitting) with a Local Guide and by train

RAPALLO

Boat cruise to Portofino

GABIANO

[LF] Wine tasting and lunch

TURIN

Guided sightseeing, admire the Mole Antonelliana, walk through the historic center, and visit the cathedral that houses the Holy Shroud

VERCELLI

[LF] Visit a rice factory and enjoy a risotto lunch

Headsets throughout the tour.

Meals

Full buffet breakfast daily; 2 special lunches with wine in Gabiano and Vercelli; 2 three-course dinners with wine: special welcome and farewell dinners in Milan

Hotels

Milan



MGallery La Gare Milano Centrale

First-Class

A luxurious, 141-room hotel directly in the heart of the city. Free Wi-Fi access is available in all guestrooms and public areas of the hotel and the hotel boasts two restaurants, one of which has fantastic panoramic views, two bars and a roof garden. For relaxation there is a spa area with gym, sauna and Turkish bath.

Parma



Starhotels Du Parc

Superior First-Class

Contemporary 8-story hotel in the Liberty style; located in the heart of Parma, adjacent to the Parco Ducale; multilingual staff.

Lucca



Grand Hotel Guinigi

First-Class

Modern hotel located near the historic center, offers tasteful decor, meeting facilities, restaurant & bar; staff is multilingual.

Rapallo

Grand Hotel Bristol

First-Class

Dating back to 1908, this elegant 83-room property is characterized by its Liberty-style façade and sits on a hillside overlooking the Italian Riviera surrounded by fragrant plants. An exclusive rooftop restaurant offers al fresco dining on its terrace and the seasonal outdoor pool area with sun deck and bar offers stunning views of Portofino's Promontory. Other facilities include a Retro American bar and a wellness area with fitness room, Finnish Sauna, Turkish bath and Jacuzzi. Free Wi-Fi access is available in the lobby; access in the rooms is subject to a fee (payable locally).

Turin



Starhotels Majestic

First-Class

Modern Hotel in traditional 5-story building in corner location across from central train station & bus terminal.

Excursions

Parma

Lucca

Rapallo

Turin

Parma

Parma



Almost Local: Parma Food Tour

You'll really feel like this city won't have no more secrets for you.

Price Range: \$\$



Montechiarugolo Castle and Light Dinner

Enjoy the visit of the Montechiarugolo Castle followed by a light dinner at a local restaurant.

Price Range: \$\$

Lucca

Lucca



Tuscan Dinner

Enjoy a wonderful dinner with regional dishes prepared using the finest local ingredients.

Price Range: \$\$

Rapallo

Rapallo



Excursion to Genoa

Experience a half day excursion to Genoa.

Price Range: \$

Turin

Turin



Taste of Piedmont

Taste some of the local specialties in a typical area restaurant.

Price Range: \$\$



Turin: The Royal, Industrial and Olympic City

Your guided tour of Turin shows off all its beauties from the Royal Palace to the modern complex of the Lingotto area.

Price Range: \$\$

Dates and Prices

Find the vacation dates that work for you, click "Reserve Now" for a vacation quote. You'll be able to select the number of people traveling, add Travel Protection, and also get an air-inclusive vacation price. You'll find we offer competitive and hassle-free air-inclusive vacations where you receive free airport transfers and flights coordinated with vacation dates.

The price listed does not include your airfare, taxes or fees. Once you click "Reserve Now", you will be able to receive an air quote and a final vacation quote.

Departure Details	Tour Start Date	Return Date	Land/Cruise Price Only
	5/18/2018	5/27/2018	\$2,639.00
	5/25/2018	6/3/2018	\$2,659.00
	6/1/2018	6/10/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	6/8/2018	6/17/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	6/15/2018	6/24/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	6/22/2018	7/1/2018	\$2,659.00
	6/29/2018	7/8/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	7/6/2018	7/15/2018	\$2,639.00
Popular Departure	7/20/2018	7/29/2018	\$2,609.00
Popular Departure	8/3/2018	8/12/2018	\$2,609.00
Popular Departure	8/17/2018	8/26/2018	\$2,639.00
	8/31/2018	9/9/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	9/7/2018	9/16/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	9/14/2018	9/23/2018	\$2,659.00
Popular Departure	9/21/2018	9/30/2018	\$2,639.00
Popular Departure	9/28/2018	10/7/2018	\$2,639.00
Popular Departure	10/5/2018	10/14/2018	\$2,609.00

Popular Departure - due to itinerary and time of year, this departure historically sells out quickly. Early booking is encouraged.

Prices are per person, based on double room occupancy.

Single room supplement:

\$466

Triple room reduction per person:

\$87

Extra nights per person in Milan:

in single room \$143-\$351, in twin \$92-\$182, in triple \$87-\$169

Travel Terms & Conditions

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Important Notes

- Vacation departures, itineraries and prices are subject to change.
- A non-refundable, non-transferable deposit is required for Globus to reserve space for you. View [Terms & Conditions](#) for limited exceptions.
- The following charges are not included in the land vacation price unless otherwise noted: airfare to and from the start of your vacation; Intra-vacation air unless specified in the itinerary; airline baggage fees including checked and/or excess baggage fees; Federal inspection fees for the Federal U.S. Customs and Immigrations; International Air Transportation tax; agricultural tax; other per person taxes imposed by government entities; airport taxes and fees including the September 11th Security fee up to \$11.20 per person, passenger facility charges up to \$18 per person, Federal domestic flight segment fees up to \$4.00 per segment, and U.S. and International arrival and departure and other government-imposed added by the airline and applicable at time of booking; port taxes; passports; visas (except on Cuba programs) and vaccinations; tips to your Tour or Cruise Director, Globus Group Leader in Cuba, Local Host, driver, Local Guides, and/or ship's crew; gratuities on ferries, trains, and cruise ships; laundry; telephone; minibar; alcohol, beverages, and food outside of the contracted Globus menu as presented at a hotel or restaurant or onboard your vessel (these extra items will be billed to you before leaving the hotel, ship, or restaurant); airport transfers on non-qualifying flights; optional excursions; additional activities and excursions purchased online; portage at airports and train stations; Travel Protection; and all other items of a personal nature.

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For air departure dates within 331 days, you'll be offered a choice of carriers and flight schedules as well as price points to choose from when selecting your flights. Your schedule will be provided to you at the time of booking (schedules are subject to change by carriers). Globus offers 2 air options: Flex Air and Instant Purchase Air. Flex Air allows flexibility if you want to make changes to your vacation schedule. Instant Purchase Air may offer additional airline options but has more restrictions. Some vacations may only offer one Air type option. Guaranteed air-inclusive prices: air is only available to passengers traveling from the United States and only available when booked in conjunction with a land vacation. An additional \$300 per person non-refundable air deposit is required for Flex Air booked in conjunction with any land vacation (i.e. air-inclusive vacation). Air can only be booked by Globus in conjunction with a vacation package. Instant Purchase Air requires air payment in full at time of booking (i.e. air-inclusive vacation) plus non-refundable per person service fee (\$30 for North/Central America, \$50 for Europe/Middle East and \$80 for all other destinations). Once booked, Instant Purchase Air is non-refundable, and non-changeable. Some vacations may only offer one Air type option. However, once your airfare is confirmed and Globus has received your full air and land deposit, your air-inclusive vacation price is guaranteed.

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Air-inclusive vacations include government-imposed taxes and fees applicable at the time of booking and will be shown as a Total Amount. Additional airline fees for baggage may apply. At the time of booking your air-inclusive vacation online, carrier Websites will be provided to check baggage fees, or you can visit www.iflybags.com for up-to-date baggage pricing/restrictions. For return travel from some countries, international travelers are required to pay entry and/or exit fees at the airport. These fees will be collected by the local government and are payable by the traveler at time of travel. Your confirmation booking information will contain information about these fees.

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