

### **DAY 1 DEPARTURE / AIRPORT, Philippines**

Check-in Airline, enjoy inflight amenities and entertainment onboard.

### **DAY 2 ARRIVAL BUDAPEST, Hungary (L/D)**

Welcome to Budapest, the capital city of Hungary! Meet and assist by your Tour Manager then your private coach will take you for sightseeing in the most cosmopolitan metropolis of Eastern Europe. Drive in Buda and Pest, the twin towns of the Hungarian capital linked by many spectacular bridges across Danube. See the Citadel on Mount Gellert, the ornate Parliament, and visit Hero Square. From the Fisherman's Bastion, enjoy a panoramic view of the sprawling city, home to more than 1/5 of the Hungarian population. Admire the 14<sup>th</sup> century Matthias Coronation Church. Dinner in a local restaurant. As the day ends, continue to hotel for check-in and overnight.

### **DAY 3 SZEGED / BUDAPEST, Hungary (B/L/D)**

Breakfast inside hotel then board our coach as we head towards Szeged. Szeged is the third biggest city in Hungary. It is the lowest elevation city in the country and is known as the "City of Sunshine", because it has the highest number of sunny days throughout the year. During the city tour we will see Mora Museum, Szeged National Theater, Szeged Water Tower, Csanad Cathedral, and Klauzai Square. Have lunch and spend free time to explore around. In the evening, we shall travel back to Budapest. Romance will be in the air as you join an evening cruise along the Danube River pass Budapest's crown jewel its parliament brilliantly lit at night. Enjoy dinner with local dances onboard. In the evening, back to hotel for overnight

### **DAY 4 BELGRADE, Serbia (B/L/D)**

After breakfast in the hotel, departure for Belgrade. Upon arrival, lunch will be in local restaurant then proceed for city tour in Belgrade. Belgrade has most of the trappings of an evolving magnet for hip travelers: a riverfront medieval fortress, historic shop-lined avenues, and former industrial zones that have become a lure for creative types. We will visit Republic Square, National Museum, Knez Mihajlova Ulica or Prince Michael Street, Kalemegdan, Tašmeđan and Flower House then spend some free time for shopping at Kinezmajlova Street. Dinner then continue to hotel for check-in.

### **DAY 5 SARAJEVO, Bosnia & Herzegovina (B/L/D)**

Breakfast inside hotel then check-out and we will proceed for Sarajevo for city tour. During the tour; Fire of Freedom, Old Library, Kursunlu Medrese, Catholic Churches, Bazaar, Begova Mosque, Sebil, Orthodox Church, and Fatih Mosque will be visited. Lunch will be in traditional restaurant with best view of Sarajevo from the hill. Free time for shopping and to explore around until dinner then transfer to hotel for check-in and overnight.

### **DAY 6 MOSTAR / MEDJUGORJE, Bosnia & Herzegovina (B/L/D)**

Breakfast inside hotel then check-out and we will travel first to Mostar. Here we will see the remains of the Turkish quarter and the reconstruction efforts on the 16th century stone bridge, today inscribed on World Heritage List by UNESCO. Have lunch then we will continue to Medugorje. Have city tour then experience climbing the apparition hill. Free time for private devotion and meditation then we transfer to hotel for check-in, dinner, and overnight.

### **DAY 7 MALI STON / DUBROVNIK, Croatia (B/L/D)**

Breakfast inside hotel then check-out and we will head to Dubrovnik. Along the way we still stop at Mali Ston. Experience Oyster tasting and a glass of house wine. Continue towards Dubrovnik, then upon arrival, exploring will start with the walking tour of the city which is on the UNESCO's List of Cultural Heritage. This ancient town, surrounded by ramparts and fortresses is a treasure trove of architectural and cultural master pieces, scrupulously preserved over the centuries. Here you will have Game of Thrones tour around the walled city, a pleasant walk that will take you to the Franciscan Monastery with its 14<sup>th</sup> century pharmacy, which is still operating today, and see other places of interest. Free time for shopping in Dubrovnik until we gather again for dinner in a restaurant with view of Adriatic Sea. Afterwards proceed to hotel.

### **DAY 8 PERAST / KOTOR / BUDVA, Montenegro/ TIRANA, Albania (B/L/D)**

Breakfast inside hotel then depart for neighboring country of Montenegro. Firstly head to Kotor which is surrounded by high mountains reflected in the blue waters, a fjord-shape Bay of Kotor is one of the most spectacular landscapes on the Mediterranean. Drive along the bay past Risan and picturesque Perast, a home-town of many captains. Take a photo of man-made islet of Our Lady of the Rocks (Gospa od Skrpjela). Enjoy city tour of Kotor with its beautiful Romanesque Cathedral of St. Triphun, surrounded by walls and fortresses included on the UNESCO World Heritage List. Our lunch will be with best view of Adriatic Sea. Afterwards, we drive to Budva which is known as Mosaic of Balkans. With most beautiful beaches, islands, and one of the oldest towns, Budva is welcoming to its every guest. Visit the Budva Old Town, Amphitheater, Catholic and Orthodox Churches then have some time on your own to enjoy rest of Budva until our dinner. As the day ends, we will proceed to Tirana the capital city of Albania for overnight.

### **DAY 9 TIRANA, Albania / OHRID, Macedonia (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel then have city tour in Tirana. During the city tour the following landmarks will be seen: Iskender Bey Square, Ethem Bey Mosque, Opera Building, and Ministries Buildings, then Teatri Kombëtar which is the State Theater. Lunch in local restaurant then proceed to Ohrid. Upon arrival in Ohrid, city walking tour visiting Cinar Square, Ottoman Homes and Mosques, Ohrid Lake, Amphitheater, Aya Sofija Church, and The statue of Ciril and Methodius which was constructed in honor of these two brothers who were Byzantine Christian theologians and Christian missionaries. Experience Boat Tour on Ohrid Lake where half of it belongs to Macedonia-the rest half to Albania. Amphitheatre or Ancient theatre of Ohrid of the Hellenistic period is located in Ohrid, Republic of Macedonia. During Roman times, the theater was also used for gladiator fights. Kuloglu Mosque or Nişancı Mehmed Kuloglu is 18<sup>th</sup> c mosque in Ohrid which's style accompanies the same like the one present in the mosques made during the Ottoman empire in the Balkans. In the evening check-in hotel.

### **DAY 10 SKOPJE, Macedonia (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel and check out then departure for Skopje. Upon arrival, tour in Skopje to visit Square of Macedonia, Stone Bridge, Statue of Alexander, Castle Of Skopje, Mustafa Pasha Mosque, Murat Pasha Mosque, Yahya Pasha Mosque , House of Mother Theresa , Ristik's Palace. Mother Terasa Monumental Home, is dedicated to the humanitarian and Nobel Peace Prize laureate Mother Teresa and is located in her hometown Skopje, in Macedonia, where she lived from 1910 to 1928. The memorial house was built on the popular Macedonia Street in the Center municipality, on the very location of the once Sacred Heart of Jesus Roman Catholic Church, where Mother Teresa was baptized. Lunch will be in local restaurant then visit Matka Canyon and Vrelo Cave, located on the right bank of the Trska River, Vrelo Cave was listed as one of the top 77 natural sites in the world in the New 7 Wonders of Nature project. Dinner will be in Matka Canyon then proceed to hotel.

### **DAY 11 SOFIA, Bulgaria (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel then depart for Sofia then lunch will be in local restaurant. After lunch Sofia Brief introduction: The city enjoys a status of one of the most important Balkan cities. Situated in the west of the country, bellow Vitosha Mountain. Sofia landmarks reflect more than 2, 000 years of history, including Greek, Roman, Ottoman and Soviet occupation. Start a city tour during which the following landmarks will be visited: Alexander Nevski Cathedral, Holy Synod, Statue of Tsar Alexander II, National Theatre Ivan Vazov , Banya Bashi Mosque, Museum of Socialist Art, Vitosha Boulevard, Sofia Court House, Slaveikov Square, Statue of Slaveikovs, will be visited. Upon seeing what the essence of Sofia is, spend free time for shopping then dinner in local restaurant. Afterwards, proceed to hotel for overnight.

### **DAY 12 ROZOVA DOLINA / VELIKO TARNOVO, Bulgaria (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel then depart for Rozova Dolina. Then visit The Rose Valley, a region in Bulgaria located just south of the Balkan Mountains and the eastern part of the lower Sredna Gora chain to the south. Lunch in local restaurant and continue to Veliko Tarnovo, free walking in perfect nature until dinner in local restaurant. Continue to hotel for overnight.

### **Day 13 BUCHAREST, Romania (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel then departure for Bucharest, capital of Romania. Proceed for tour visiting, Palace of Parliament, Calea Victoriei street, CEC building, Triumphal Arc, Revolution Square, and Stavropoleos Church will be seen. After city tour, free time then dinner will be in local restaurant. Evening continue to hotel.

### **DAY 14 SINAIA / BRAN / BRASOV, Romania (B/L/D)**

Breakfast in the hotel then depart to Sinaia. Upon arrival city tour in Sinaia to visit Peles Castle, Sinaia Monastery, Babele. After city tour late lunch at traditional Sinaia taverna then continue to Bran and visit Bran Castle. Free time in local market and Bran village. In the evening, back to Bucharest. Dinner will be in local restaurant and as the day ends, back to hotel.

### **DAY 15 BUCHAREST, Romania / DEPARTURE (B/L)**

Breakfast in the hotel then visit Herastrau Park. Herăstrău Park is a large park on the northern side of Bucharest, Romania. Lunch in local restaurant. After that, free time for shopping then continue to airport to catch flight back home.

### **DAY 16 ARRIVAL / AIRPORT, Philippines** Home sweet home ☺

**INCLUSIONS:**

- Roundtrip Economy Class Air Ticket
- Airline Taxes
- Hotel Accommodation on twin sharing based on local 4\* and 5\* categories
- All meals as indicated (B – Buffet Breakfast, L – Lunch, & D – Dinner)
- Professional Tour Director all through-out
- Tours & Sightseeing with English Speaking Local Guides
- Transportation on modern air-conditioned coach
- 1Pc (0.33LT) daily bottled water on coach
- Entrance fees to mentioned sights
- Pre-Departure Orientation
- Travel Kit
- 1Pc Hotel Porterage
- City and Border Taxes
- Souvenirs

**EXCLUSIONS / OTHER FEES:**

- Beverages during meals other than water
- Mandatory Tips to Tour Director, Local Guides, and Driver at €10.00 per pax per day
- Schengen Visa
- Travel Insurance
- Others which are not mentioned in the inclusions

**BOOKING CONDITIONS:**

- Non Refundable / Non Transferable deposit of USD 500.00 pp upon booking
- Full Cancellation will be applied to any cancellation made 3 weeks before departure
- If the group fall below 20, your Travel Agent has the right to cancel or reschedule the tour or supplement fee may apply
- **MINIMUM OF 20 PASSENGERS TO RUN THIS PROGRAM**

**REQUIRED VISA:**

- Multiple Entry Schengen Visa
- Deposit is required to secure Visa Letters from Operator
- Kindly refer to respective Embassy for complete list of Visa Requirements and Forms

**CONDITIONS OF RESPONSIBILITY:**

We, our employees, sub –agents shall be responsible only for making arrangements as your travel agent. It shall not be responsible and liable for any accident, loss, injury, and damage to property in connection with any accommodation, transportation or other services resulting directly or indirectly from any occurrence or defects of vehicles, breakdown of equipment, acts of God, strikes, civil disturbances, theft, delay or cancellation or change in the itinerary. Baggage is at owner’s risk throughout the trip. The company shall not held liable in any form on any health problem/s that may occur during the trip brought about by pre-existing illness/es, disclosed or undisclosed by the passenger to us. We reserves the right to terminate servicing any participant who in its opinion is prejudicing the harmony of the tour group, a burden to the group or for any reason by his/ her conduct hinders the successful operation of the tour. Payment of reservation fee/ total tour cost shall constitute to all the provisions in the tour booking, payment and cancellation policies and conditions of responsibilities stated herein.

**THERE IS NO REFUND FOR ANY UNUSED SERVICES**  
**ITINERARY MAY SUBJECT TO CHANGE OR REARRANGE DEPENDS ON ACTUAL GROUND SITUATION**



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