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HEART OF EUROPE Circle Tour BY IMAGE TOURS



September 14-28, 2015 \$3990

EARLY BOOKING DISCOUNT

SAVE \$600 per Couple - \$300 per person when booked by December 10, 2014 (Image Tours \$200 and Goodwin Tours \$100)

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\$3990 if deposit of \$250 is made prior to December 10, 2014

This tour cost includes the following:

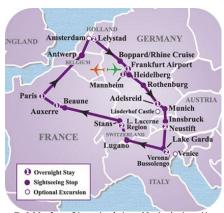
- ★ 15-Day Heart of Europe Circle Tour.
- ★ Bus transportation from Quincy to St. Louis Airport and back upon return.
- ★ Round trip air U.S. to Frankfurt, Germany.
- ★ Dennis and Karen Goodwin will accompany group.

Prices are per person, double occupancy.

Single rooms may be available at an additional \$864 supplemental rate.

Travel protection insurance is an additional \$199 per person, payable with deposit.

Deposits and final payments are to be made payable to Goodwin Tours.



- **DAY 2 Arrive at Frankfurt Rhein-Main Airport**. Meet your tour manager and transfer (1½ hr) to your hotel in **Schriesheim**, near Heidelberg. In the afternoon, visit the old town of **Heidelberg** (½ hr each way). Tonight, enjoy a welcome dinner. (<u>Dinner</u>)
- **DAY 3** Scenic travel ($2\frac{1}{2}$ hrs) to the beautifully-preserved, medieval, walled town of **Rothenburg**. After a generous visit in Rothenburg, follow the Romantic Road ($1\frac{1}{2}$ hr) to one of the charming, old-world villages. Continue to **Adelsried** ($1\frac{1}{2}$ hr) for overnight. (<u>Breakfast</u>, <u>Dinner</u>)
- **DAY 4** Short ride (1 hr) to the Bavarian capital of **Munich** for sightseeing and free time. Continue across the German-Austrian border to the Imperial City of **Innsbruck** (2 hrs). Free time for independent sightseeing in Innsbruck. A short distance from Innsbruck lies the Tyrolean village where you will spend the next two nights in a chalet-style hotel. (Breakfast, Dinner)
- **DAY 5** Free day to explore on your own. Or, join the optional, full-day <u>'Bavarian Palace'</u> excursion during which includes a guided tour of the extravagant Linderhof Palace and access to the elaborate gardens. Try a local restaurant for your independent dinner or join the optional <u>'Tyrolean Show & Dinner'</u> for an evening of authentic Austrian folklore, music and dancing. (<u>Breakfast</u>)
- **DAY 6** Short distance to the Italian border. Cross the spectacular Brenner Pass through the "Dolomites" (1½ hr). After the customary morning break, continue to subtropical **Lake Garda** (2 hrs). An extended stop affords ample opportunity to stroll along the lakefront, browse the quaint markets and enjoy an Italian ice cream (gelato). Continue to legendary **Verona** (1¼ hr) of Romeo & Juliet fame. Independent dinner in Verona, you may experience an authentic Italian meal before transferring to your hotel in nearby **Bussolengo**. (Breakfast)
- **DAY 7** Spend a leisurely day in **Verona** or on beautiful Lake Garda. Or, join the full day optional excursion to '<u>Venice'</u>, famous for its canals and bridges, colorful gondoliers, magnificent St. Mark's Square, and engaging outdoor vendors. **Spend the night in Bussolengo**. (<u>Breakfast</u>)
- **DAY 8** Travel through northern Italy (2½ hrs). After a border stop, cross into Switzerland (1 hr). Check out **Lugano**, the "Rio of the Old Continent". Motor through William Tell country (2 hrs) with a short stop in Altdorf. Then, continue (1 hr) to the **Lake Lucerne Region** for a two-night stay. Your hotel resides in one of the scenic villages in the Lake Lucerne Region. (<u>Breakfast</u>, <u>Dinner</u>)
- DAY 9 Short ride (½ hr) to the mountain resort of Stans this morning, with the opportunity to take an optional <u>'Swiss Mountain'</u> funicular ride. On to Lucerne for afternoon sightseeing to see the Old Town Wall and famous Lion Monument. Also, visit the Swiss Transport Museum or relax on one of the lovely lakeshore promenades. Before returning to your Lake Lucerne Region hotel, your tour manager will offer you an optional, <u>'Swiss Lake Boat Ride'</u> (Breakfast, Dinner)
- **DAY 10** Follow the Swiss Autobahn to Basel, where Switzerland, Germany, and France meet and the Rhine River becomes navigable. Make a lunch stop in Besancon, with its charming historic centre and imposing hilltop citadel. Proceed to **Auxerre** for dinner and overnight. (Breakfast, Dinner)
- **DAY 11** By midmorning, you will reach, Paris, 'La Ville Lumiere' (The City of Light). Your tour manager will direct you to the location of the principal sights and stores, such as Notre Dame Cathedral, Eiffel Tower, the Opera, the famous Galleries Lafayette department store, and the even more famous Arc de Triomphe. The remainder of the day is yours to explore **Paris** with opportunities for two optional excursions, namely 'Seine River Cruise' and 'Paris Evening.' (Breakfast)
- **DAY 12** Head North to Belgium (1½ hr). After the customary mid-morning break, continue to **Antwerp** (2 hrs), capital of the Belgian Region called "Flanders". In the afternoon, motor across the Dutch border and the reclaimed land (2½ hrs) to the Polder town of **Lelystad** for a two-night stay. (<u>Breakfast</u>, <u>Dinner</u>)
- **DAY 13** Day of leisure to explore **Holland**. Or, join the optional 'Grand Holland' excursion beginning with a drive through Holland's countryside (1 hr) and a stop at a picturesque Dutch village. Continue to **Amsterdam** (1 hr) for

free time and a boat ride through the canals. Return to your **Lelystad** hotel (1½ hr) in time for dinner. (<u>Breakfast</u>, Dinner)

DAY 14 - Travel across the German border (2½ hrs). Take a break, before continuing through the Rhine River Valley (2 hrs) to Boppard. Board a **Rhine** steamer for an upstream cruise on the legendary river. After disembarkation, proceed to the Rhine wine village of **Ruedesheim** where you will have your 'Farewell Dinner'. (<u>Breakfast</u>, <u>Dinner</u>)

DAY 15 – Your journey of Europe's scenic, cultural, and historic highlights has come full circle. Transfer to the Frankfort Rhein-Main Airport for your return flight to the U.S.A. (Breakfast)



Eiffel Tower Paris



Innsbruck Austria



Antwerp Belgium



Lake Lucerne Switzerland

We hope you can join us on this trip of a lifetime!

Please call if you have any questions or would like to sign up for this tour.

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