



## OVERVIEW

- Private tour of Croatia & Slovenia
- History, Nature beauties, Architecture, Culture & Cuisine, Relaxation
- 12 Days – 11 Nights
- 2 nights in Ljubljana
- 2 nights in Rovinj
- 2 nights in Split
- 2 nights in Hvar
- 2 nights in Dubrovnik
- 1 night in Zagreb
- Our agent at 24/7 disposal throughout your journey if you need assistance
- Licensed local guides & private chauffeurs

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Rovinj - most romantic place in Adriatic
- Plitvice National Park - perfect nature, wooden paths, turquoise lake surface
- Split - 1700 years old Roman emperor's palace in Split
- Trogir - an island city packed with history
- Dubrovnik - city walls, old town in jewel of Mediterranean

## SEPTEMBER 9, ZAGREB AIRPORT - LJUBLJANA HOTEL

Once you arrive at Zagreb airport, your driver will be waiting for you, holding a signboard with your name on it, ready to take you to your hotel in Ljubljana. The drive takes around 2 hours. Once there, check in at Hotel Best Western Premier Slon 4\*. The rest of the day is at your leisure to get ready for the tour. Overnight in Ljubljana. Hotel Best Western Premier Slon 4\*.

## SEPTEMBER 10, LJUBLJANA & BLED SIGHTSEEING

In the morning, meet your guide in the hotel lobby to start a sightseeing tour of Ljubljana, a hidden gem in Europe often likened to Prague for its stunning architecture. Your local guide will lead you on a walking tour through the charming city center, where you'll discover Ljubljana's unique character and beauty. After the tour, you'll be transferred to Bled, a picturesque town nestled along the shores of a beautiful lake in the Julian Alps. In Bled, enjoy a relaxing day optional sampling the famous local dessert, Kremeschnitte. Your sightseeing experience will feature a scenic Pletna boat trip to Blejski otok, the small island where you can make a wish at the church bell. You'll also visit Bled Castle, offering breathtaking views, a fascinating history museum, an old printing shop, a castle wine cellar, and an herbal gallery. After some leisure time in Bled, return to Ljubljana for a free evening to explore at your own pace. Overnight Ljubljana: Hotel Best Western Premier Slon 4\*. Meals: Breakfast

## SEPTEMBER 11, LJUBLJANA – POSTOJNA CAVE – ROVINJ & ROVINJ SIGHTSEEING TOUR

After breakfast and check out, meet your driver in lobby of your hotel. He will take you to Rovinj. On the way there you will make a visit to the world-famous Postojna Cave, impressive karst phenomenon and the habitat of the olm, rare *Proteus anguinus*. The tour takes approximately two hours, partly on an electric train and partly on foot. After the sightseeing, we suggest the lunch before departure for Rovinj. Upon your arrival, check in to the hotel and relax. In the afternoon, meet your guide for a sightseeing tour of Rovinj. The capital of romance in the Adriatic! Since then it undertook the transformation from the small fishing village to the tobacco industry capital of Croatia, to the postcard city that is traveller resort, this city with the stunning views in front of St. Euphemia's church as well as an artistic neighbourhood has continuously been at the epicenter of best destinations in Croatia. After the tour, enjoy evening at leisure. Overnight in Rovinj. Hotel Angelo D Oro 4\*. Meals: Breakfast.



## SEPTEMBER 12, ROVINJ – MOTOVUN – MONDO LUNCH-GROŽNJAN - ROVINJ

This day is reserved for a full-day tour, starting with a visit to Motovun, a charming hilltop town surrounded by vineyards. After exploring Motovun, enjoy lunch in restaurant “Mondo” located just in front of the city gate, also presented in NO Reservations episode by Anthony Bourdain. After lunch, you'll continue to Grožnjan, a small town where time seems to stand still. After exploring Grožnjan, you will return to Rovinj, where the rest of the day is at your leisure. Overnight in Rovinj. Hotel Angelo D Oro 4\*. Meals: Breakfast, Mondo lunch



## SEPTEMBER 13, ROVINJ – NATIONAL PARK PLITVICE – SPLIT

After breakfast and check-out, your driver will take you to Plitvice Lakes National Park, Croatia's oldest and most beautiful national park, established in 1949. Here, you'll explore one of nature's wonders, strolling through sixteen interconnected lakes, breathtaking waterfalls, and caves. This self-guided tour includes a scenic boat ride on one of the lakes, as well as a walk along wooden pathways that hover just above the turquoise waters. After your tour and an optional lunch at one of the local restaurants, your driver will take you to Split, the 1,700-year-old capital of the Dalmatia region. The rest of the day is at your leisure. We recommend enjoying a drink at Vidilica, a scenic viewpoint offering panoramic views of Split and the surrounding area, followed by dinner at one of the restaurants along the West coast of the city harbor, where you can take in stunning views of the city. Overnight in Split. Hotel Marul 4\*/ Piazza Heritage 4\*. Meals: Breakfast.



## SEPTEMBER 14, SPLIT AND TROGIR SIGHTSEEING & SIKULI WINERY

In the morning, meet your guide in the hotel lobby for the tour of Split and Trogir. Split is one of the living and breathing monuments both to how people lived in the past and to different styles and influences carved into its narrow streets, Roman temples and Christian churches. Outside the palace, the story of Split continues as it spreads from its center, the Palace, to beautiful vistas on the hill of Marjan, to the old town, waterfront promenade RIVA, and its beaches. Trogir is a small island town around 30 km from Split. In the past, the town was a bitter enemy of Split, with wars being waged for the land between the two famous cities. After the Trogir tour, enjoy wine and food pairing experience in Kaštela with one of the local families. You probably know all about the cultivar Crljenak-Zinfandel. DNA fingerprinting revealed that it is



genetically equivalent to the “Primitivo” variety traditionally grown in Puglia (the "heel" of Italy), where it was introduced in the 18th century, as well as to the Croatian grapes “Crljenak Kaštelanski.” The grape found its way to the United States in the mid-19th century and became known by variations of the name "Zinfandel", a name of uncertain origin. Now you can visit the place where Zinfandel “was born.” Wine and food pairing takes place in a vineyard with magnificent views. The dishes are made of the freshest ingredients found at the market that day, and the menu shall be at the chef's inspiration. After the tour, the driver will take you back to Split. Overnight in Split. Hotel Marul 4\*/ Piazza Heritage 4\*. Meals: Breakfast, Sikuli wine & food tasting



### **SEPTEMBER 15, SPLIT - HVAR - HVAR ISLAND DISCOVERY TOUR**

This day you will have arranged transfer from hotel to port where you will embark public catamaran from Split to Hvar. Upon arrival, your guide will meet and greet you for the start of the island discovery tour. You will discover the spectacular surroundings of Hvar island. A key element of Hvar's attraction is its natural beauty, and the Hvar Island Discovery tour combines these historic man-made settlements with some of the most unspoiled natural beauty in Europe while also sampling the fruits of that natural goodness. Hvar is known as the lavender island, and the tour starts with a journey through the famous lavender fields of Hvar and the history of this aromatic plant. The scenery is breathtaking and punctuated by visits to the towns above, with cultural interest limited to the famous Hektorovic Tvrdalj fortress, complete with stunning fishpond and stone inscriptions, and to the UNESCO field, for this is a tour also to celebrate Hvar's nature. During the tour, you will have a traditional meal in a family-owned tavern in one of the abandoned villages in inland Hvar. There, you will be able to soak up the island's culinary history. The rest of the day is at your leisure. Overnight in Hvar. Hotel Park 4\*. Meals: Breakfast, Authentic Hvar lunch



### **SEPTEMBER 16, HVAR DAY AT LEISURE**

Enjoy a day at leisure! Take this opportunity to relax and explore the town and surrounding area at your own pace, using the insights you've gathered so far. Whether you choose to wander the historic streets, visit local attractions, or simply relax at a café, the day is yours to enjoy. Overnight in Hvar. Hotel Park 4\*. Meals: Breakfast.



## SEPTEMBER 17, HVAR – SPLIT – DUBROVNIK

Today, after breakfast and checkout, you will embark on a public catamaran from Hvar to Split, where your driver will be waiting for you to take you to Dubrovnik for an afternoon of leisure. Overnight in Dubrovnik. Hotel Porto 4\*. Meals: Breakfast

## SEPTEMBER 18, DUBROVNIK SIGHTSEEING TOUR

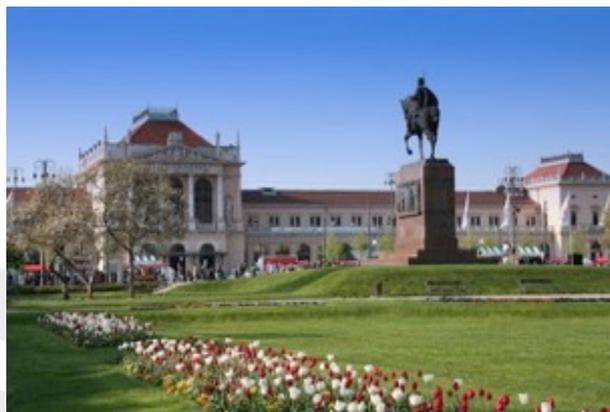
After breakfast, this day is reserved for Discover Dubrovnik - an ultimate tour for visitors who wish to take in all the main sights and explore the architecture and history of this famous city. Accompanied by our experienced guide, Dubrovnik's golden age story will unfold before your eyes. The route takes you around the Old Town via Onofrio's Fountain and up Prijeko Street to the Old Port - the key to Dubrovnik's trading and maritime success. Ships from Dubrovnik were known throughout the Mediterranean, and galleons from the Republic could be found in navies across Europe and beyond. These ships were built and loaded in the legendary Arsenal, which is another stop on the tour. Once in the Old Port, your guide will relate the stories of the famous Quarantine and the nearby fortresses of St. Luke and St. John, as well as legends about the Church of St Blaise, the Cathedral, the Rector's Palace, Sponza Palace, and Orlando's Column. The tour lasts two hours, and during that time, you will be entertained and informed and leave with a true understanding of Dubrovnik's multi-layered past. The rest of the day is at your leisure. We suggest having a combination of relaxing on Banje beach and a light lunch in one of the restaurants, such as Restaurant Nautika, and then taking the cable car to Srđ Hill overlooking Dubrovnik for an amazing sunset. Overnight in Dubrovnik. Hotel Porto 4\*. Meals: Breakfast

## SEPTEMBER 19, DUBROVNIK HOTEL – DUBROVNIK AIRPORT – ZAGREB AIRPORT – ZAGREB HOTEL – ZAGREB SIGHTSEEING

Today a driver will pick you up and take you to Dubrovnik airport to board your direct flight to Zagreb **(PLEASE BE ADVISED THAT THIS FLIGHT IS NOT INCLUDED IN TOTAL COST)** Upon arrival to Zagreb, another driver will pick you up and take you to your hotel. In the afternoon around 5.00 pm, meet your guide in the hotel lobby for a Zagreb sightseeing tour, exploring the capital of Croatia. Your tour starts at Ban Jelačić Square, named after the 19th-century viceroy. From there, you will visit two historic districts, Kaptol and Gradec, the foundations from which modern-day Zagreb developed. On Kaptol, you'll learn about Croatia's largest cathedral and its Catholic Church and visit the picturesque Dolac farmer's market. After crossing the street that now connects the two hills, which has become one of Zagreb's most charming



pedestrian paths, you'll arrive at Gradec, known as the Upper Town. You'll enter through the medieval Stone Gate, and within the old walled city, you'll see Croatia's Parliament and Government buildings. Along the way, you'll also visit St. Mark's Church, famous for its colorful roof, the baroque St. Catherine's Church, and the 16th-century Lotrščak Tower. There is an option to ride the Zagreb Funicular, originally built in 1890, which is known as the shortest funicular ride in Europe. Overnight in Zagreb. Hotel Dubrovnik 4\*Meals: Breakfast



### **SEPTEMBER 20, ZAGREB ONWARD**

Your driver will be waiting for you in the lobby of the hotel, ready to take you to the airport, to board your flight home. Meals: Breakfast

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## **THE PACKAGE INCLUDES (Per itinerary):**

- ZAGREB AIRPORT – LJUBLJANA HOTEL PRIVATE TRANSFER 2 hours
- FULL DAY LJUBLJANA & BLEED PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH TRANSFERS AND ENGLISH SPEAKING GUIDE 8 hours
- PLETNA BOAT & BLEED CASTLE ENTRANCE FEE
- LJUBLJANA – POSTOJNA CAVE – ROVINJ PRIVATE TRANSFER 5-6 hours
- POSTOJNA CAVE ENTRANCE FEE
- ROVINJ PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE 1 - 1.5 hour
- MOTOVUN & GROŽNJAN PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOURS WITH ENGLISH SPEAKING GUIDE AND TRANSFERS 8 hours
- MONDO RESTAURANT LUNCH
- ROVINJ – PLITVICE NATIONAL PARK – SPLIT PRIVATE TRANSFER 6-8 hours
- NATIONAL PARK PLITVICE SELF-TOUR ENTRANCE FEE 4 hours
- SPLIT & TROGIR PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH LICENSED ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE AND TRANSFERS 5 hours
- SIKULI WINE & FOOD PAIRING 2 hours
- SPLIT HOTEL – SPLIT PORT PRIVATE TRANSFER 10 minutes
- SPLIT – HVAR PUBLIC CATAMARAN SERVICE 1 hour
- HVAR ISLAND DISCOVERY PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH TRANSFERS AND ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE 5-6 hours
- AUTHENTIC HVAR LUNCH
- HVAR – SPLIT PUBLIC CATAMARAN TICKETS – 1 hour
- SPLIT - DUBROVNIK PRIVATE TRANSFER 3,5 hours
- DUBROVNIK HOTEL – PILE GATE ONE WAY PRIVATE TRANSFER 10 minutes
- DUBROVNIK PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH LICENSED ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE 2 hours
- DUBROVNIK HOTEL – DUBROVNIK AIRPORT PRIVATE TRANSFER 30 minutes
- ZAGREB AIRPORT – ZAGREB HOTEL PRIVATE TRANSFER 30 minutes
- ZAGREB PRIVATE SIGHTSEEING TOUR WITH LICENSED ENGLISH-SPEAKING GUIDE 2 hours
- ZAGREB HOTEL – ZAGREB AIRPORT PRIVATE TRANSFER 30 minutes

- This tour package is considered to be moderate difficulty for handicapped and or limited mobility travelers; special attention to be exercised while visiting National Park and embarking public catamaran
- You will have different drivers and guides from destination to destination
- Combination of luxury sedans (3 + 1 seats) & minivans (7 or 8 + 1 seats) would be used for transportation
- Service providers will be communicating and providing services in English language

**Accommodation, bed and breakfast basis:**

- 2 NIGHTS IN 3xDELUXE DOUBLE ROOM, HOTEL BEST WESTERN PREMIER SLON 4\* IN LJUBLJANA  
<https://www.hotelslon.com/rooms/1/deluxe-double-room-3/>
- 2 NIGHTS IN 3xCOMFORT DOUBLE ROOM-SEA VIEW, HOTEL ANGELO D ORO 4\* IN ROVINJ  
<https://www.angelodoro.com/en/hotel-rooms-rovinj/>
- 2 NIGHTS IN 2xCLASSIC DOUBLE ROOM, HOTEL MARUL 4\* IN SPLIT  
<https://www.hotelmarul.hr/product/classic-room/>
- 2 NIGHTS IN 1xDELUXE DOUBLE ROOM – CITY VIEW, HOTEL PIAZZA HERITAGE 4\* IN SPLIT  
<https://www.hotelmarul.hr/product/classic-room/>
- 2 NIGHTS IN 2xSTANDARD DOUBLE BED SUITE – STREET VIEW and 1xDELUXE DOUBLE BED SUITE-SEA VIEW & BALCONY, HOTEL PARK 4\* IN HVAR  
<https://hotelparkhvar.com/en/objects/list>
- 2 NIGHTS IN 3xSUPERIOR DOUBLE ROOM - BALCONY, HOTEL PORTO 4\* IN DUBROVNIK  
<https://www.hotelporto.hr/superior-double-room-with-balcony>
- 1 NIGHT IN 3xSTANDARD DOUBLE ROOM, HOTEL DUBROVNIK 4\* IN ZAGREB  
<https://www.hotel-dubrovnik.hr/rooms-and-suites/king-size-hotel-zagreb/>

**Meals: all of the meals included are listed at the end of the description for each day**

**Besides breakfast remaining meals which are included in the price:**

- Mondo lunch
- Sikuli wine & food pairing
- Authentic Hvar lunch

***- OUR AGENT AT 24/7 DISPOSAL THROUGHOUT YOUR JOURNEY IF YOU NEED ASSISTANCE***