Choi Concert Tour to Tuscany

Travel Date 5th - 9th June 2023 Tour Length 5 days / 4 nights



Tuscany Concert and Visits Destination Guide

Tuscany is a fantastic, picturesque and musically friendly location steeped in centuries of Italian history. The Spa Town of Montecatini Terme is a lovely location in which many ensembles will base their group, as it provides good access to the romantic Florence or the mediaeval towns of Lucca and Pisa all of which provide super insights into Italy's rich historical past.

For music groups, performances can take place in some of the region's most soughtafter venues. Sacred Choirs will find an abundance of church venues ranging from the impressive Chiesa di San Michele in the centre of Lucca to the Chiesa Santa Maria dei Ricci located in the busy streets of Florence that is host to numerous intimate performances throughout the year.





What's Included

- 3 x concert arrangements including publicity and advertising (please note that concert requests will be made after your booking with us)
- ATOL protected return flights from London Heathrow to Pisa with British Airways including 1 x piece of hold luggage per person. OUT: 08.40, arriving at 11.55. IN: 20.20, arriving at 21.40. Flights subject to price and availability at the time of booking
- Airport taxes and air passenger duty at current rates
- Coach use in resort including return airport transfers with a half day stop in Pisa, a day in Sienna and San Gimignano, a day in Lucca as well as return coach transfers for all your concerts
- Accommodation for 4 nights' bed and breakfast at the Hotel Miro in Montecatini Terme (holding space until the 28th October) on a twin room basis
- Evening meal at your hotel in Montecatini Terme on your arrival night (drinks are NOT included)
- Halsbury representative in resort to assist you with the logistical arrangements throughout your tour
- Comprehensive travel and medical insurance
- Itinerary planning service
- Detailed final itinerary pack with relevant maps and visit confirmations
- Access to VAMOOS our easy to use travel app

Sample Itinerary

PLEASE NOTE THAT THIS IS A SAMPLE ITINERARY FOR ILLUSTRATIVE PURPOSES ONLY AND IS NOT YOUR CONFIRMED ITINERARY. ALL PERFORMANCE VENUES WILL BE SUITABLE FOR YOUR ENSEMBLE AND REPERTOIRE AND SUBJECT TO AVAILABILITY AFTER YOU HAVE BOOKED YOUR TOUR

Day 1

- Morning or afternoon flight from UK to Pisa. Itinerary will be dependent on flight times
- Transfer from airport to the hotel for check in
- Free time for local familiarisation of Montecatini Terme (on foot- own arrangements)
- Evening meal at your hotel (included)

Day 2

- Breakfast at the accommodation

- Following breakfast, get the train to Florence (train ticket NOT included supplement cost) for a day in this historical city. Key sites of interest include the Duomo, the Galleria Dell'Accademia that houses Michelangelo's 'David' and the Boboli Gardens that provide stunning views over the city. These are not included supplements apply to all visits and excursions not listed in the "What's included" section of the quotation
- Performances can take place in Chiesa Santa Maria dei Ricci or Piazza della Santissima Annunziata depending on the ensemble
- Time for evening meal (own arrangements)
- Get the train back to Montecatini Terme from Florence (not included supplements apply)
- Return to your accommodation

Day 3

- Breakfast at the accommodation
- Depart for Siena in the south of Tuscany home of the Palio di Siena the traditional horse race held in the main square. In the afternoon transfer to the nearby San Gimignano for a performance
- Time for evening meal (own arrangements)
- Return to Montecatini Terme

Day 4

- Breakfast at your hotel
- Spend the morning in Montecatini Terme before taking the funicular (not included supplements apply) to Montecatini-Alto for stunning views. Grab some lunch here (own arrangements)
- Free afternoon
- Time for an early evening meal (own arrangements)
- Coach to pick up from your hotel to take your to your venue for an evening concert
- Return to accommodation by coach

Day 5

- Following breakfast, check out. Meet coach and depart for Pisa
- Half day in Pisa before flight back to the UK. Itinerary will be dependent on flight times

We provide a full itinerary planning service and will pre-book any visits you wish to make. (see destination guide for suggestions)

Please note, whilst we will do everything we can to secure your preferred venues, in the event of bad weather an alternative indoor venue will NOT always be offered

Please see your destination guide (above) for suggested excursions and costs.



Supplements / Discounts

- Entry fees for visits and excursions are not included unless otherwise stated. Please see your destination guide attached for suggested excursions and costs
- Single rooms supplement £15.00 per night
- Tourist Bed Tax
- Damage/Behaviour Deposit some accommodation centres will request a refundable deposit to be paid <u>in cash</u> upon arrival. This will be refunded to you at the end of the stay, as long as no incidents have taken place
- Group Seat Supplement in order to guarantee that your group will be seated together with low cost airlines such as EasyJet and Ryanair there is a £10 supplement per person. Please enquire to check if this applies to your particular tour
- Public Transport Tickets
- Smaller or larger groups If your group size is not covered by the above quotation, please contact us for a revised quote
- Transfers to & from UK Airport please enquire for price, or contact your local coach provider

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» Your Quote

• Quote Valid Until: 30/09/2022

Currency Promise, and flight prices included in this quote, cannot be guaranteed after this date.

- The price per person for a 5 day tour with 4 nights bed and breakfast accommodation at the Hotel Miro in Montecatini Terme (holding space until 28th October 2022) is:
- £692 per person based on 28 paying passengers
 £739 per person based on 24 paying passengers
 £806 per person based on 20 paying passengers



Based on ACTUAL flights including hold luggage

Italian Tourist Tax: €1.40 per person per night to be paid direct to the hotel

1st Deposit: £200 per paying passenger, to be paid at time of booking 2nd Deposit: To make up to 50% of the tour price - to be paid 6 weeks after initial booking

Final Balance: 10 weeks prior to departure