

1st day: arrival late in the morning, accommodation in hotel and lunch. During the afternoon, departure to Rapallo to sightseeing "Santuario of Montallegro". The sanctuary is located in the middle of a park, in an astonishing panoramic position, leaned out as a balcony on the enchanting Tigullio Gulf. In order to appreciate natural beauties from above, a comfortable cableway connects, in less than seven minutes, Rapallo with the worship location, offering an unforgettable excursion and possibility to view the enchanting beauties of Rapallo, S. Margherita Ligure and Portofino. On the way back to the hotel, stop at "Santuario di Nostra Signora delle Grazie di Chiavari", along the ancient "Via Aurelia". In a dominant position, vertically on the sea, it hosts Piaggio's frescos and most important Cambiaso's. Stop in Chiavari to visit "Museo Diocesano", which keeps the pectoral cross of Pope Innocent, the 4th, which contains the biggest fragments of Jesus' cross, as well as paintings, sculptures, silverware and fabrics belonging to both officiated churches and no-more-existing religious complex. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight stay.

2nd day: breakfast in hotel. During the morning, meeting with tour guide and departure to "Cinque Terre". First stop in La Spezia, main maritime Italian city and sizeable industrial centre. The sightseeing will be held by ferry, in order to offer an evocative point of view of the enchanting landscape, otherwise impossible. At about 10 am boarding in La Spezia, three-hour stop in Monterosso, the biggest town of Cinque Terre, which still keeps structure and colors of ancient fisherman village. Lunch in a restaurant. During the afternoon, sightseeing of "Santuario di N.S. di Soviore", the most ancient Marian sanctuary of Liguria. For more than one thousand and two hundreds years, an image of Our Lady is worshipped. The image is famous for its miracles and the frequency and number of pilgrim, who have been visiting it. The image is an only-block wooden statue, figuring a sitting Holy Virgin embracing Her dead Son. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight stay.

3rd day: after breakfast, departure to Genoa. Meeting with tour guide to sightsee the city: "San Lorenzo" church; Columbus' house; "Chiesa dell'Annunziata"; "Palazzo Ducale"; old town "carruggi" (narrow streets) up to Expo area to visit the Aquarium, the unique and spectacular construction, the only one in Europe for tank dimensions, which, in the maximum respect of the biological equilibrium, reproduces the Mediterranean and Oceanic habitat. Its 50 tanks host more than 1000 species of fish. Four of them have oceanic dimensions. Lunch in a restaurant. Free time in the afternoon. Dinner and overnight stay in the hotel.

4th day: breakfast in hotel. Meeting with tour guide to sightsee the city of Sanremo, with its Casino, village of Pigna and its "Chiesa di San Michele Arcangelo" and "Santuario della Madonna della Costa", Portosole and the prestigious Ariston Theatre, where every year, for more than fifty years, the most important Italian music festival has its seat. During the afternoon, free visit to Cervo, since years, it has been certified among "the most beautiful village of Italy", and has kept untouched its original characteristics as sea medieval village, protected by 16th Century towers and walls and surrounded by green hills. The old town is accessible only on foot and it has been kept with its centuries-old buildings, and its cobblestone paving alleys, where there are artist and craftwork shops.

Cervo is dominated by a medieval castle, ancient dwelling place of Clavesana marquis. Today it hosts arts exhibition and the resident Ethnographic Museum of the Western Liguria. In the village, old noble palaces open their main entrances on "carruggi", where portals of the Romanic "Oratorio di Santa Caterina" open on parvise of "Corallini"; the baroque "Chiesa di San Giovanni Battista" offers its concave façade as characteristic image of the town. Cervo is well known for the International Festival of Chamber Music, which has been taking place for forty years, and where the main European artists offer concerts on moonlight, to experience it in silence. On return way, short stop to visit "Monastery of Dominican Fathers" in Arma di Taggia, which has been keeping one of the most important picture gallery of Western Liguria, hosting frescos and paintings (kept in a museum) by Brea, by Canavesio and by Parmigiano. Return to hotel, dinner and overnight stay.

5th day: breakfast in hotel. Meeting with tour guide and departure with bus to Dolceacqua to sightsee the ancient medieval village. Dolceacqua rises on the top of a rocky spur, which strategically dominates surrounding valleys and whose history is told through it "Castello Doria", its churches and "Visionarium" with Christmas crèche. Typical food tasting on demand. Free time in the afternoon. Dinner and overnight stay.

6th day: breakfast in hotel. During the morning departure to sightsee Toirano's caves. It is a beautiful complex of caves, opened in 1953, and it boasts some unique calcareous concretions, such as the graveyard of bears and footprints from prehistoric men. At the end of the pathway, inside the caves, it will be possible to visit the Ethnographic Museum, in the old town of Toirano. Lunch in a restaurant. In the afternoon, continuing to Arenzano, to sightsee "Santuario del Gesù Bambino di Praga". Since the beginning of the 17th Century AD, barefoot Carmelites considered the possibility to found a monastery in Arenzano, as support point on the way between Genoa's monasteries and "Deserto di Varazze", but only in 1889, Father Leopoldo Beccaro could accomplish the so-greatly-longed-for dream and he named the new religious house to "Santa Teresa di Gesù". Nowadays the word-wide devotion to "Gesù Bambino di Praga" has, in the sanctuary in Arenzano, its most universal and most vivid centre of spreading. At the end of the visit, return home and end of services.

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LIGURIA TOUR : 6 days / 5 nights

PRICE INCLUDES:

2 overnights in chosen category hotel in Tigullio area, no.1 full board accommodation and no.1 half board accommodation, drinks included (¼ wine and ½ mineral water, per person per meal)
 3 overnights in chosen category hotel in Sanremo/Arma di Taggia area, no.2 full board accommodation and no.1 half board accommodation, drinks included (¼ wine and ½ mineral water, per person per meal)
 Accommodation in double room, with private bathroom
 Half day tour guide for the first, the third, the fourth and the fifth day
 Full day tour guide for the second day
 Sightseeing to Caves of Toirano
 Entry to Visionarium
 Ticket to cableway of Montallegro
 Ferry La Spezia/Monterosso, one way, all stops
 Entry to Genoa's Aquarium (free visit)
 Lunch in a restaurant for the second and sixth day, drinks included (¼ wine and ½ mineral water)

PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDES:

Up and down journey; bus rental for the whole period; wine and drinks and extras; museums' and parks' entry. What not specified in "Price includes"



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