

# travel

on a spiritual journey & strengthen your

faith

Join us in celebrating your faith on our spiritual guided travel journeys. For decades travelers of many denominations have enjoyed diving deep into the roots of their faith while seeing the world, and now you can too. With our extensive experience, you can relax and know you are in good hands as you connect with like-minded people and walk together in the footsteps of the forefathers of your faith.





### More Expertise in

# Faith Touring

Come together with other like-minded travelers and walk in the footsteps of the forefathers of your faith. Along the way, your spirit will be lifted and your soul enlightened. Take in the stories of your faith as they come to life in the very places history was made.

Together, let's join in the celebration of the past and strengthen your beliefs.



Visit the ancient Pool of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the paralytic.



Tour the spectacular Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica.







Walk the Via Dolorosa - the path Jesus took on his way to crucifixion.



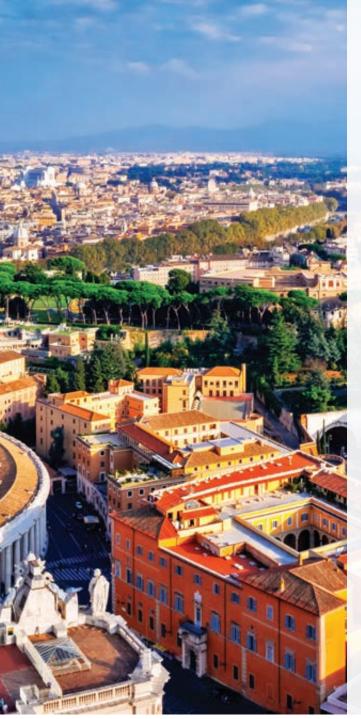
### Collette Gives You More Value in Every Way...

#### More Peace of Mind

Every moment of your travel experience is important to us. Whether it's helping you select a destination, **taking you to and from the airport**, offering the security of our unrivalled **Travel Protection** plan or **24-7 support**, we are there for you every step of the way.

#### More Expertise

Backed by nearly a century of experience, Collette (a family-owned and award winning leader in travel) is proud to show you the world. Our passionate tour design team travels the globe, **creating new experiences** and staying ahead of the latest travel trends. Plus, with a professional **Tour Manager** at your service and **local guides** by your side you'll never miss a thing.



### Collette gives you

This is what sets us apart. Traveling with us comes with benefits that take the guided travel experience to another level. Our inclusive tours offer you more **value** for your money while also ensuring that each element adheres to our exacting standards. With a focus on service and quality, we give you more of what makes travel special.

#### What's included:

- A professionally planned itinerary
- The services of a professional Tour Manager
- Expert local guides with religious knowledge
- Strategically located hotels
- Masses included daily on most pilgrimage tours
- Breakfast daily & many dinners
- Comfortable on-tour transportation
- Sightseeing & admission fees
- Hotel-to-hotel baggage handling

#### More On Tour

Our commitment to exceeding expectations begins with including more iconic must-see's and cultural inclusions that deliver a deeper experience. And that's just the beginning. We also include more **meals** in **local** restaurants and more **menu** choices. Add in carefully selected accommodations and the stage is set for a truly amazing journey.

#### More Flexibility

Every traveler is different. From **pre and post nights** in the world's greatest cities to tour **extensions** to built-in free time in your destination, you can make every trip your own. With more customization choices and optional **excursions**, every moment feels like your own personal adventure.







part tour guide, part friend, part concierge



#### **OUR MISSION:**

Through local community volunteering and support, we make an impact in the places where we work; and with the support of our legacy programs in countries like Kenya, Australia, Fiji, Cambodia and Peru, we make a difference in the places where we travel. Our only goal is to give children everywhere - regardless of circumstance - the opportunity to accomplish their dreams.



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# Shrines of Italy

Find inspiration in the heart of the Roman Catholic world

#### Start Early

Add an extra day in Rome.

Spend more time in the home of the Catholic Church.

Call for details.

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Travel on an inspirational journey to some of the most fascinating religious sites and relics in the world.

**Day 2: Rome, Italy - Tour Begins** Your tour opens in Rome. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a special welcome dinner at a popular local restaurant featuring regional delicacies and fine Italian wines. (D)

Day 3: Rome - Assisi Travel north to Assisi. Join a local expert for a fascinating tour of Assisi. Begin at the Church of St. Clare, dedicated to St. Clare, the founder of the Order of Poor Clares, who followed the teachings of St. Francis by living a life of poverty and humility. Kneel before the crucifix from which Jesus spoke to St. Francis, asking him to rebuild his church. Pause to reflect at the Chapel of the Porziuncola, the rose bush, and the cave where the saint prayed. Then we make our way to the huge 13th-century Basilica of St. Francis where you can see many of St. Francis' possessions and a series of frescoes depicting his life. Celebrate Mass before setting out for St. Mary of the Angels Basilica, where St. Francis spent most of his life. (B, D)

Day 4: Assisi - Optional Florence Excursion Enjoy a full day at leisure to

independently explore historic Assisi. Or, if you prefer, join a full day optional excursion to Florence, the "Renaissance City," where a local expert provides a leisurely paced walking tour featuring the Piazza del Duomo, the Cathedral of Santa Maria del Fiore — one of the largest in the Christian world. You also view the Palazzo Vecchio, the Ponte Vecchio, and visit the Church of Santa Croce. Enjoy several hours at leisure in Florence before returning to Assisi. (B)

Day 5: Assisi - Loreto - San Giovanni Rotondo Travel across the Apennine Mountains toward the Adriatic Coast to the Marian Shrine of Loreto. Discover the Holy House of Nazareth and the beautiful Madonna of Loreto where more than 50 popes have made a pilgrimage. You will celebrate Mass before continuing your journey to San Giovanni Rotondo, home of Padre Pio. (B, D)

Day 6: San Giovanni Rotondo - Monte Sant' Angelo - San Giovanni Rotondo Begin your day with a special visit to Monte Sant' Angelo. Take in the breathtaking views of the Gargano Peninsula and explore one of the most celebrated shrines of early Christianity - the Grotto of St. Michael the Archangel. Many popes and saints have knelt and prayed at this grotto, seeking the protection of Saint Michael. Later, return to San Giovanni Rotondo and celebrate Mass in the sanctuary of Padre Pio. This is followed by a tour of the sanctuary, including the old church and the crucifix from which he received the stigmata in 1918, as well as Padre Pio's tomb. Then, visit the new church dedicated in 2004 to Saint Pio of Pietrelcina. You will also see the confessional where Padre Pio spent many hours directing pilgrims on their journey toward God. (B, D)



Day 7: San Giovanni Rotondo - Abbey of Santissima Trinita - Campania Journey through the picturesque landscape of the regions of Apulia and Campania to Cava de Tirreni. Be introduced to the Benedictine Abbey of Santissima Trinita, founded in the 11th century by a local saint. After a guided visit to the abbey, you will have the option of celebrating Mass. (B, D)

Day 8: Campania - Madonna del Rosario - Abbey of Montecassino - Rome Continue your travels to the town of Pompeii where you will visit the Madonna del Rosario Sanctuary, one of the most famous shrines of Christianity. Later, travel to Montecassino to discover the renowned abbey founded by St. Benedict in the 6th century A.D. This sacred place houses the relics of St. Benedict and his sister, Saint Scholastica. Montecassino also became famous during the battles that took place here during World War II, when the abbey was bombed and destroyed. Your day ends in Rome. (B)

**Day 9: Rome - Papal Audience - Vatican Museum** This morning, attend the weekly papal audience at Vatican City to receive the blessing given







by His Holiness, Pope Francis. Later, visit the Vatican Museum where you will view such historical treasures as the Sistine Chapel and Michelangelo's restored mural of the Last Judgment. Then it's on to the breathtaking St. Peter's Basilica, built on the site where St. Peter was martyred. Known as the grandest of the world's churches, St. Peter's is unsurpassed in beauty. (B)

Day 10: Rome - Christian Rome City Tour Begin your day at the Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls: the remains of St. Paul are located under its main altar.

You'll celebrate Mass here before making your way to the catacombs, where early Christians fearing persecution hid and buried their dead. Continue on to visit the other major Roman basilicas, St. Mary Major and St. John in Lateran, former residences of the popes prior to their return to Rome in 1377. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner celebrating the end of a memorable pilgrimage to Italy. (B, D)

Day 11: Rome - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close today in Rome. (B)



Dates & Prices			
January - April 2017 January 24 February 21 February 28 March 7, 21 March 28 April 4, 18, 24, 25 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2018 Departures prior to this date will vary. Please co		October 10, 17, 24 October 31 November 7, 14 November 28 December 5 January 23 February 20 March 6, 13, 20 March 27 April 3, 10, 17, 24	\$2249 \$2199 \$2199 \$2149 \$2099 \$1999 \$1499 \$2149 \$2149
May 2017 – April 2018 May 16 June 13 September 12, 19, 26	<b>Double</b> \$2249 \$2249 \$2249	Single Room Supplement Triple Room Reduction Rates are land only, per person.	(+) \$350 - \$500 (-) \$30 Call about additional dates.

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Admire the Holy House of Nazareth in the Madonna of Loreto Basilica.
- Visit the Benedictine Abbey of Santissima Trinita, founded in the 11th century.
- Spend time at the renowned Abbey of Montecassino, founded by St. Benedict in the 6th century.
- In Pompeii, visit the Madonna del Rosario Sanctuary.
- Stroll through the catacombs where early Christians hid and buried their dead.
- Attend the weekly papal audience at Vatican City when his Holiness is present.

#### **Must-See Inclusions**

- Tour Assisi and its 13th-century basilica to see St. Francis' possessions and frescos depicting his life.
- Explore one of the world's most celebrated shrines the Grotto of Michael the Archangel.
- Behold the unsurpassed beauty of the Sistine Chapel and St. Peter's Basilica.
- Visit three of Rome's major basilicas: St. Mary Major, St. John in Lateran, and St. Paul Outside the Walls.
- · Stay in San Giovanni Rotondo and pray in the church dedicated to Padre Pio.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 15 meals included: 9 breakfasts 6 dinners
- Dine at a popular local restaurant featuring regional delicacies and fine Italian wines.
- Enjoy regional wines with every included dinner.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 1 Overnight Flight Day 2 Columbus Hotel, Rome

Grand Hotel Dei Congressi Assisi, Assisi Days 3, 4 Days 5, 6 Hotel Parco delle Rose, San Giovanni Rotondo Day 7 Hotel Scapolatiello. Cava de Tirreni

Days 8 - 10 Columbus Hotel, Rome

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### Tour Activity Level 1 2 3 4 5







#### **Personalize Your Journey**

Purchase air and receive private home to airport sedan service and airport transfers.

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On Tour Options: Visit gocollette.com to learn more.

This trip requires a passport



# Israel: Pilgrimage to the Holy Land

Seek out spiritual renewal on this epic journey

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Travel to the Holy Land on an inspirational journey that visits some of the most ancient sites in the world.

Day 2: Tel Aviv, Israel - Tour Begins Your tour begins in Tel Aviv, a bustling city brimming with culture and history, situated on the Israeli Mediterranean coastline. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 3: Tel Aviv - Jaffa - Caesarea - Acre - Nazareth - Cana - Tiberias Journey to the ancient port city of Jaffa for a leisurely stroll through the winding alleys of the historic area. Celebrate Mass at St. Peter's Church. Travel to the walled city and Roman ruins of Caesarea. It was here that St. Peter



converted the first pagan, Centurion Cornelius, to become a Christian, and where St. Paul was imprisoned for two years. Next, **stop in Acre**, an ancient crusader city and UNESCO World Heritage site. In Nazareth, visit the Church of the Annunciation. Your day continues with a visit to Cana, the site of Our Lord's first miracle, at a wedding feast where you can renew your marriage vows. Arrive in Tiberias for a 2-night stay. (B, D)

Day 4: Tiberias - Sea of Galilee - Tabgha - Capernaum - Tiberias This morning enjoy a special treat when you take a boat ride on the Sea of Galilee where many of the apostles were fishermen and where Our Lord preached. Travel to nearby Tabgha and visit the Church of the Multiplication of the Loaves and the Fishes, built to commemorate the miraculous feeding of five thousand. Stop at the Mount of Beatitudes for a stunning view of the Sea of Galilee. Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Beatitudes. Continue to the Church of the Primacy of St. Peter where Our Lord appeared to the apostles after His resurrection. In Capernaum, visit the church built over the ruins of St. Peter's house. Get a taste of the local flavor when you enjoy lunch at a communal settlement known as a kibbutz. Finally, visit Yardenit, the Jordan River baptismal site. (B, L, D)

Day 5: Tiberias - Mount Tabor - Bethlehem - Jerusalem Travel to Mount Tabor,



the site of the Transfiguration. **Proceed to Bethlehem** and enjoy a stop at Shepherds' Field, where the angels appeared on the first Christmas night. **Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Nativity**, built on the birth site of Our Lord. Later, arrive in one of the holiest cities in the world, Jerusalem. (B, D)

Day 6: Jerusalem, the Old City Your visit to Jerusalem begins with a visit to the Church of the Pater Noster, built on the traditional site where Jesus taught His disciples the Lord's Prayer; its name refers to the "Our Father" prayer. Next, visit the Mount of Olives and the site where Our Lord wept over the city, now known as Dominus Flevit. Afterwards, visit the Church of All Nations, built over the rock on which Our Lord







prayed the night before He was crucified. Continue to the Garden of Gethsemane, the site of Christ's betrayal by Judas. Travel to Caiaphas' Palace – known today as St. Peter in Gallicantu – where St. Peter once denied Our Lord in one of its courts. This afternoon. travel to Ein Karem to visit the Church of St. John the Baptist, built over the Grotto of his birthplace, and celebrate Mass. (B, D)

Day 7: Ierusalem Today you are free to explore the city on your own. Perhaps vou'll choose to take an optional excursion to the Dead Sea to discover where the Dead Sea Scrolls were found; visit Masada; stop at AHAVA Visitors Center; and perhaps even float on the salty waters of the Dead Sea. Later today, gather with your fellow travelers to celebrate Mass. (B, D)

Day 8: Jerusalem - Western Wall Enter the old city through St. Stephen's Gate where St. Stephen, the first Christian martyr. was stoned to death. Continue to the Church of St. Anne, marking the place where the parents of the Blessed Mother lived. Visit the nearby Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the paralytic, and see the Ecce Homo Arch, the site where Pontius Pilate presented Our Lord to the crowds. Celebrate Mass at the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, the site of His crucifixion, burial and resurrection.

Walk through the Muslim, Christian and Jewish guarters to the Western Wall of the Temple. Then, follow the Via Dolorosa, the Way of the Cross, walked by Our Lord on the way to His crucifixion. Next, visit the Church of the Dormition (commemorating Our Lady's Assumption) and the nearby Hall of the Last Supper. In Jerusalem, enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers to celebrate the end of this unforgettable and holy experience.

Day 9: Jerusalem - Tour Ends (B)

# Extend Your Tour

**EXPLORE MORE. Extend your tour** with 4 nights in Jordan. Set out to explore the wonders of Jordan, including the stone-carved city of Petra. Call for details.

#### **Dates & Prices** Double October 4 \$2549 February - April 2017 February 8 \$2099 October 23, 30 \$2249 March 1 \$2099 November 1, 8 \$2249 March 22 \$2199 February 7, 28 \$2249 \$2249 March 21 \$2249 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2018 tour departures. Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time (+) \$700 - \$850 Single Room Supplement of reservation. Triple Room Reduction (-) \$30 May 2017 - April 2018 Double Rates are land only, per person. Call about additional dates May 17 \$2199 September 6, 11 \$2249

#### Israel: Pilgrimage to the Holy Land 9 Days from \$2199

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Visit the Church of All Nations, built over the rock on which Our Lord prayed the night before he was crucified.
- Celebrate daily Mass at several significant religious sites.
- Visit the Pools of Bethesda where Jesus healed the paralytic.
- Travel to Mount Tabor, the site of the transfiguration.
- Stop at Shepherds' Field where the angels appeared Christmas night.
- See the Ecce Homo Arch, where Pontius Pilate presented Our Lord.

#### **Must-See Inclusions**

- · Visit the ancient cities of Nazareth & Bethlehem.
- Follow the Via Dolorosa, walked by Our Lord on the way to
- · Stop at the Garden of Gethsemane, the site of Christ's betrayal by Judas.
- Visit Yardenit, the Jordan River baptismal site.
- Stroll through the winding alleys of historic Jaffa.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 15 meals included: 7 breakfasts 1 lunch 7 dinners
- Get a taste of the local flavor when you enjoy lunch at a kibbutz.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 2 Kfar Maccabiah Hotel, Ramat Gan, Tel Aviv Days 3, 4 Leonardo Tiberias Hotel, Tiberias Davs 5 - 8 Leonardo Jerusalem Hotel, Jerusalem

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#### Tour Activity Level 1 2 3 4 5









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This trip requires a passport. Our passengers will depart from Tel Aviv airport and all of our transfers will depart from Jerusalem for Tel Aviv airport. Due to flight schedules, you may require a very early morning departure from the hotel on the last day (Day 9). Travel distance from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion airport is approximately 1.5 hours (depending upon traffic conditions). Due to security checks, it is recommended that you arrive at Ben Gurion airport 3 hours prior to departure



## St. Patrick's Ireland

See the Emerald Isle through the eyes of its patron saint

#### Start Early

Add an extra day in Dublin.
Enjoy more time in this lively capital known as the "fair city."

Call for details.

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Discover the most revered sites of the Emerald Isle. Visit Dublin, Westport, Galway and Belfast as you experience Ireland's natural beauty, rich history and religious heritage.

Day 2: Dublin, Ireland - Tour Begins
Arrive in the "Fair City" of Dublin, Ireland's historic
capital city. Begin your tour with a visit to Ireland's oldest
pub — The Brazen Head. Join your fellow travelers for
a fun-filled welcome dinner and toast the start to an
incredible journey. (D)

Day 3: Dublin Celebrate Mass this morning. Then, join your local guide for a sightseeing tour of Dublin, featuring a tour of St. Patrick's Cathedral, the spiritual heart of the city. See O'Connell Street, Grafton Street and the city's magnificent rows of stately Georgian town homes. Afterwards, enter the scholarly grounds of

Trinity College to view the *Book of Kells*, one of medieval Ireland's religious masterpieces. Spend the remainder of the day at leisure; relax or explore the cultural and spiritual offerings of delightful Dublin on your own. (B)

Day 4: Dublin - Kilbeggan - Clonmacnoise - Westport Embark on a cross-country journey pausing along the way in Irish whiskey territory. The ancient towns of Tullamore and Kilbeggan have long been associated with the whiskey industry. Dive into the art of whiskey-making and enjoy a tasting of the final product during a visit to one of these historic distilleries. Continue to the stirring ruins of Clonmacnoise, once one of Ireland's most prominent monastic settlements. Tour the abandoned monastery and learn about the great Celtic Christian tradition of the Irish. Finally, settle into your hotel to begin a relaxing 3-night stay in the charming coastal town of Westport. (B, D)

Day 5: Westport - Knock Shrine - Galway - Westport Today you have a chance to worship at the Marian Shrine of Knock. Here, on August 21, 1879, fifteen witnesses saw an apparition of the Blessed Virgin with Saint John and Saint Joseph. The revered site of this vision is visited by 1.5 million pilgrims each year. Pope Saint John Paul II worshipped at the Shrine in 1979 to mark the centenary of the



vision. After this moving experience we travel to Galway, the "City of Tribes." Following a brief tour, enjoy some time at leisure to peruse Galway's historic streets and local shops. (B)

Day 6: Westport - Croagh Patrick - Kylemore Abbey - Westport Spend time this morning at Croagh Patrick, St. Patrick's holy mountain. It is on this mountain's iconic summit that St. Patrick fasted for forty days in the 5th century. Next, we set off for Kylemore Abbey, a stunning Benedictine monastery founded in 1920 by nuns fleeing Belgium during World War I. Explore the Abbey and its historic Victorian Walled Garden, restored by the Benedictine community. Return





to Westport for an evening at leisure. Perhaps you'll choose to enjoy live music at one of the many historic pubs in town. (B)

Day 7: Westport - Tobernalt -Belleek - Belfast Leave Westport behind for Tobernalt Holy Well, one of Ireland's truly hidden gems. At this serene spot, enjoy time to pray and reflect. During Penal times, this was a place of refuge for Ireland's Catholic community to celebrate Mass. Travel to Belleek Pottery, known internationally for its highly decorative Parian china. Tour the factory and learn how these original pieces are made using traditional methods passed down from generation to generation. Later, arrive in Belfast, Northern Ireland's largest city. (B, D)

Day 8: Belfast Start your day with a guided tour of Belfast. Learn about the city's struggles as you pass through several distinctive neighborhoods. See "Samson" and "Goliath." the massive cranes at the shipyard that built the legendary *Titanic*. This evening, celebrate a Vigil Mass at St. Peter's Cathedral in Belfast. (B)

Day 9: Belfast - Downpatrick -Armagh - Dublin Depart Belfast for "Saint Patrick's country." Your first stop is

at the medieval Down Cathedral, the burial place of St. Patrick. A place of meditation and worship, this building has become a symbol of the Irish people's deep connection to the past. Then, explore St. Patrick Centre in Downpatrick, detailing the life and history of Ireland's patron saint. A privately guided tour of St. Patrick's first church in Ireland at Saul reveals the story of his death on March 17th. Continue on to the county town of Armagh, seat of the Archbishop of both the Roman Catholic Church and the Church of Ireland. This evening, gather with your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner. (B, D)

Day 10: Dublin - Tour Ends Head home with many incredible memories. (B)



Dates & Prices			
March – April 2017 March 19, 26 April 2, 23	<b>Double</b> \$1849 \$1899	September 30 October 14 October 21	\$1949 \$1949 \$1899
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May 2017 – April 2018 May 6 June 10, 24	<b>Double</b> \$1949 \$1949	Single Room Supplement Triple Room Reduction	(+) \$350 - \$400 (-) \$30
July 15 September 2, 16, 23	\$2049 \$1949	Rates are land only, per person.	Call about additional dates

#### St. Patrick's Ireland 10 Days from \$1849

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Experience Mass at the Marian Shrine of Knock.
- Reflect at the Tobernalt Holy Well, a place of refuge for Catholics during Penal times.
- · Visit Downpatrick and its famous Cathedral, the burial place of St. Patrick.
- Take a privately guided tour of St. Patrick's first church in Ireland at Saul

#### Must-See Inclusions

- . Enjoy a guided tour of Dublin featuring a visit to St. Patrick's Cathedral.
- · Explore the stirring ruins of Clonmacnoise.
- Spend time at Croagh Patrick, St. Patrick's holy mountain.
- Tour Kylemore Abbey, the stunning Benedictine monastery.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 12 meals included: 8 breakfasts 4 dinners
- Enjoy a special dinner at The Brazen Head, Ireland's oldest pub.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 1 Days 2, 3 Overnight Flight

Dunboyne Castle Hotel, Dublin Days 4 - 6 Wyatt Hotel, Westport

Days 7, 8 Stormont Hotel, Belfast Dunboyne Castle Hotel, Dublin

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#### **Tour Activity Level**







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# St. Patrick's Ireland

the heart and soul

of Ireland

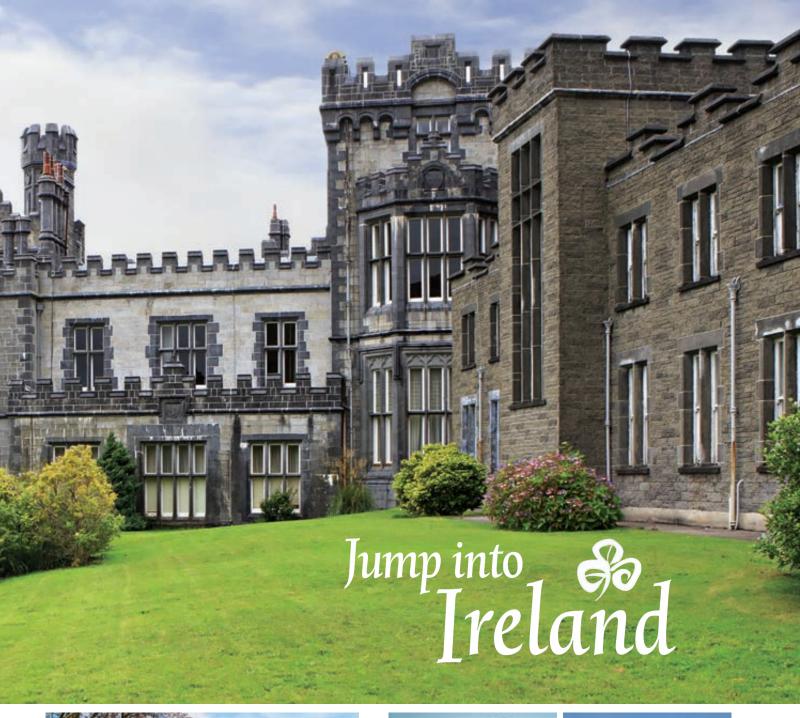
Take a faith-based journey that blends the story of St. Patrick, Ireland's patron saint, and the culture of Ireland with some of its most revered pilgrimage sites. Every experience along the way will bring you closer to the heart and soul of Ireland.

Worship at the Marian Shrine of Knock

Tour breathtaking Kylemore Abbey, a beautiful sanctuary for Benedictine nuns for nearly a century.

#### Marian Shrine of Knock

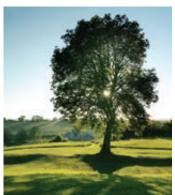
On a late August evening in 1879, Saint Joseph, Saint John and the Blessed Virgin Mary appeared at the south gable of the church at Knock in County Mayo, Ireland. From that day forward the church has been a celebrated site, drawing pilgrims from all over Ireland. Fifteen witnesses, both young and old, confirmed the vision as did an ecclesiastical commission of inquiry. The witnesses stood in the torrential rain for two hours reciting the Rosary. Before them, these revered figures shimmered, remaining unaffected by the weather. Some believe they were delivering a message of reassurance during a time of great social change in Ireland. Perhaps the message is different for each visitor. Now is your time to join the growing list of pilgrims who have discovered the moving story of Knock Shrine.





St. Patrick Centre

Explore St. Patrick Centre in Downpatrick, detailing the life and history of Ireland's patron saint.





#### Armagh

Discover the county town of Armagh, seat of the Archbishop of both the Roman Catholic Church and the Church of Ireland.



## Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes with Barcelona

Find inspiration at Spain and Portugal's most revered sites

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Travel overnight to Portugal, one of Europe's most hospitable countries. Here you can enjoy a superb climate, historic sites and beautiful scenery.

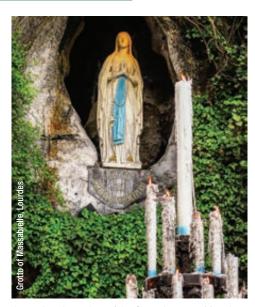
**Day 2: Fatima, Portugal - Tour Begins** Your tour begins in Fatima, Portugal's world-famous religious center. (D)



Day 3: Fatima - Aljustrel - Santarem - Fatima You may celebrate Mass before traveling to the original town of Fatima and the parish church where the children Francisco, Jacinta and Lucia were baptized. Continue on to Aljustrel, where the children lived, and view the site of the fifth apparition in Valinhos. In Santarem, visit the Shrine of the Most Holy Miracle. At the Church of St. Stephen, see the relic of the miraculous Host, considered among the most important Eucharistic miracles. Later, return to Fatima to enjoy free time for personal worship and to explore the basilica and its grounds. (B, D)

Day 4: Fatima - Burgos, Spain Ease your way into the local culture as your Tour Manager teaches you a few key phrases of the native language. Attend a morning mass before travelling east to Burgos, known as the cradle of the Castile region. Situated on the Pilgrim's Road, Burgos stands on the banks of the Rio Arlanzon with the slender, elegant spires of its famous cathedral rising into the sky. Mass is available this evening. (B, D)

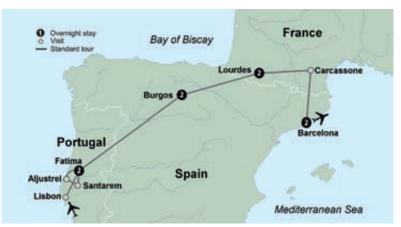
Day 5: Burgos Join a local expert on a leisurely paced walking tour of Burgos' beautiful medieval town center. Spend time at the Cathedral of Burgos, a masterpiece of Spanish Gothic architecture and a UNESCO World Heritage site. The cathedral, the third largest church in Spain, offers such masterpieces as the filigree work in the spires of the towers; the starry dome; the choir; the sarcophagi and the golden staircase. Next, visit the 12th-century Monastery of Santa María Real de las Huelgas. Founded as a Royal Pantheon and a spiritual retreat for society ladies and royalty, the complex consists of the church, monastery and



the enclosed premises of the Cistercian nuns. Mass is available this evening.  $(B,\,D)$ 

Day 6: Burgos - Lourdes, France Today you travel northeast through the Pyrenees Mountains to Lourdes. This is where the Virgin Mary appeared in the Grotto of Massabielle to the poor shepherd girl, Bernadette, a total of 18 times between February 11 and July 16, 1858. This little market town has been a world-renowned pilgrimage site ever since. Tonight you may wish to partake in a candlelight procession. (B, D)

Day 7: Lourdes After morning mass, enjoy a walking tour of Lourdes, visiting the places associated with the life of St. Bernadette: the "Boly







Mill" (site of the birthplace of St. Bernadette), the "Cachot," and the parish church housing the baptismal font of St. Bernadette. Later, at leisure, explore the town's rich historical and natural heritage and be immersed in the atmosphere that reigned during the apparitions and the spirit of brotherhood that is still present today. (B, L, D)

Day 8: Lourdes - Carcassone -Barcelona, Spain Celebrate mass before your journey through southern France's Pyrenees to historic Carcassone. You will feel as though you have gone back in time as you independently explore this well-preserved medieval city. Later, cross back into Spain and travel to Barcelona, one of Europe's most fascinating cities. (B)

Day 9: Barcelona Celebrate mass at La Sagrada Familia (crypt), followed by a visit to the elaborate, expansive basilica.

Once completed, Gaudi's masterpiece will have 18 towers: 12 dedicated to the apostles, four to the evangelists, one to Jesus and another to Mary. Later, get to know more of the city's treasures including views of Antonio Gaudi's Mila House (UNESCO), the Columbus Monument and Parc de Montjuic. The afternoon is at leisure for independent exploration or an optional excursion to the quaint mountain village of Montserrat. This evening, gather with your fellow travelers for a dinner celebrating the end of a memorable

#### Day 10: Barcelona - Tour Ends

Return home eager to share vivid memories of a spectacularly beautiful land with an old. rich and diverse cultural heritage. (B)

#### **Extend Your Tour**

Add an extra day in Barcelona.

Relax after your tour and explore this exciting city. Call for details.



Enjoy being in Fatima on the 100th anniversary, May 13, 2017, of the glorious day that Mary appeared to the three shepherd children.

	Dates 8	& Prices	
March - April 2017 March 12, 19 April 2, 23 April 21 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 201 Departures prior to this date will vary. Please of reservation.		September 3, 10, 17, 24 October 1, 8 October 10 October 15, 22, 29 November 5, 12 December 3 February 25	\$1949 \$1949 \$2149 \$1949 \$1749 \$1649
<b>May 2017 – April 2018</b> April 30	<b>Double</b> \$1949	March 4, 18 April 8, 15, 22, 29	\$1749 \$1849
May 14, 21  May 10  June 11, 18  July 9  August 6	\$1949 \$2249 \$1949 \$1949 \$1949	Single Room Supplement Triple Room Reduction Rates are land only, per person.	(+) \$350 - \$400 (-) \$30 Call about additional dates.

#### Pilgrimage to Fatima & Lourdes with Barcelona 10 Days from \$1649

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- · Worship in the most revered basilicas of Fatima and Lourdes.
- · Visit the Shrine of the Most Holy Miracle in Santarem.
- See the 12th-century Monastery of Santa Maria Real de las Huelgas.
- View the site of the fifth apparition in Valinhos.
- . Enjoy a walking tour of Lourdes, visiting sites associated with St. Bernadette.

#### Must-See Inclusions

- Spend time at the magnificent Cathedral of Burgos.
- · Visit Gaudi's masterpiece "La Sagrada Familia" and celebrate mass
- Travel back in time in the amazing medieval city of Carcassone.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 16 meals included: 8 breakfasts 1 lunch 7 dinners
- Gather for a memorable farewell dinner in Barcelona.
- Enjoy regional wine with every included dinner.

#### **Accommodations**

Overnight Flight Day 1 Day 2,3 Hotel de Fatima, Fatima Days 4, 5 Hotel Almirante Bonifaz, Burgos

Days 6, 7 Hotel Alba, Hotel Mediterranée or Hotel Beau Site, Lourdes

Evenia Rossello Hotel, Barcelona Days 8, 9 On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### Tour Activity Level 1 2 3 4 5









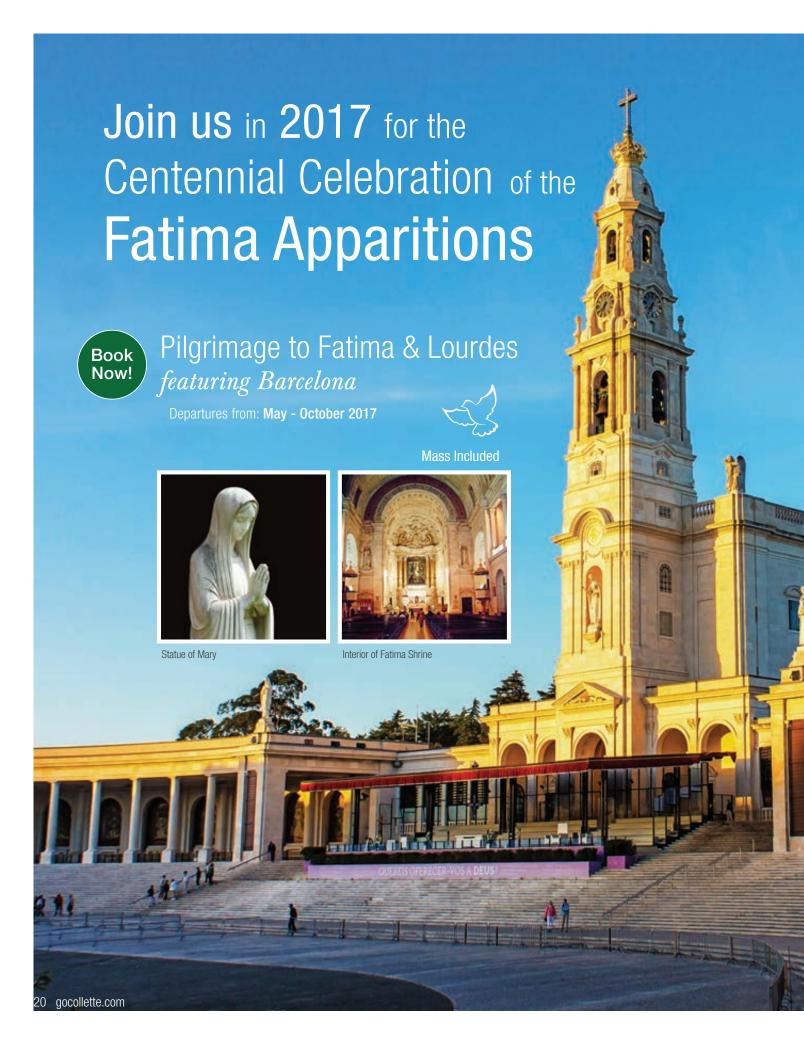
#### **Personalize Your Journey**

Purchase air and receive private home to airport sedan service and airport transfers.

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On Tour Options: Visit gocollette.com to learn more.

This trip requires a passport. Our air passengers will arrive into Lisbon, Portugal airport. All of our transfers will depart from Lisbon airport for Fatima. Travel time from Lisbon to Fatima is approximately 90 minutes. On some dates, this tour operates in reverse.













2017 marks the 100th anniversary of the Our Lady of Fatima Apparitions. This historic centennial celebration is in honor of the glorious day of May 13, 1917, the day Mary appeared to the three shepherd children at Fatima. She appeared to the children on the 13th day of six consecutive months, May - October, 1917.

While the world was at war, a figure appeared before Lucia, Francisco and Jacinta and said, "I am the Angel of Peace." On that same day, 70,000 people came to witness the apparition following a promise by Our Lady that would confirm the children's story. The crowd saw the sun make three circles and zig-zag across the sky. From that time onward, people have been coming to Fatima to pray and feel closer to Mary's message of hope.



#### Aljustrel

Visit Aljustrel, the little village where the children lived, to see what life was like during the time of the apparitions.





# Pilgrimage to Poland

Set out on journey featuring the most inspiring and poignant sites of Poland

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Embark on an inspirational journey through Poland and discover this country's deep history and religious wonders.

**Day 2: Warsaw, Poland - Tour Begins**You will come to know the city of Warsaw with its blend of Old World charm and deep history. Tonight, get to know your fellow travelers during a welcome dinner. (D)

**Day 3: Warsaw** Embrace the moving history of Warsaw, a city reborn after WWII, as you embark on a



locally guided tour. Your journey through this capital city includes a stop at what remains of the Warsaw Ghetto.

Pause to celebrate mass at 3/9 Zytnia Street Church, home to the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy, where Saint Faustina entered the convent. The remainder of the day is free to take in the side streets and quaint cafés in the Old Town, explore a museum or simply relax. (B)

#### Day 4: Warsaw - Niepokalanów -

Czestochowa Journey to Niepokalanów to discover one of the largest Franciscan monasteries in the world (founded by Saint Maximillian Kolbe). Continue south to Czestochowa, the spiritual capital of Poland. Begin your visit by celebrating mass. Then, journey inside the Jasna Góra Monastery to get up close to the famous Black Madonna. Pope Saint John Paul II visited this miraculous image many times during his papacy. (B, D)

#### Day 5: Czestochowa - Wadowice -

Krakow Get a glimpse into the formative years of the beloved Pope Saint John Paul II with a visit to Wadowice, the town where he was born and raised. Step into the past when you see the church where he was baptized. In 1992, the pope gave the church the status of Basilica Minor. Continue to Krakow and explore the city on a tour with a local expert that includes a visit to the Market Square. Pause for a prayer at St. Mary's Church...be amazed by its famous wooden altarpiece created by Wit Stwosz (Veit Stoss), one of the best sculptors of the Middle Ages. You will also see the impressive Wawel Castle, the former residence of Polish kings. (B, D)

Day 6: Krakow - Auschwitz - Krakow
Today you embark on a poignant journey through

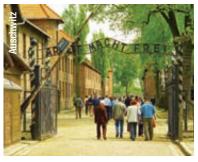
**history as you travel to Auschwitz.** A local expert guides you through the former concentration camp where you will learn firsthand about the terrors — as well as the resilience — of the human spirit that occurred within those walls. Return to Krakow to visit the Shrine



of Divine Mercy where the tomb of Saint Faustina is located. Spend time in worship and contemplation on the site of the monastery of the Congregation of the Sisters of Our Lady of Mercy where Saint Faustina lived and died. (B)

**Day 7: Krakow - Zakopane - Krakow**Travel to Zakopane, Poland's most popular resort. With its stunning scenery, it is the perfect place to get up close to nature. The area has countless nature trails where Pope Saint John Paul II would spend time strolling







along in prayer and reflection.

Make a stop to see the charming wooden Jaszczurówka Chapel and sanctuary dedicated to Our Lady of Fatima, built in thanksgiving after Pope Saint John Paul II's life was saved in 1981. The remainder of your afternoon is at leisure. Tonight, enjoy a folklore show and dinner at a traditional Polish restaurant. (B, D)

Day 8: Krakow - Warsaw Your journey through Poland comes full circle with your return to Warsaw. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner celebrating a fantastic journey. (B, D)

Day 9: Warsaw - Tour Ends

Your journey comes to a close. Depart with new perspectives, a strengthened faith and treasured memories. (B)



Dates & Prices			
February – April 2017 February 6 March 13	<b>Double</b> \$1399 \$1449	August 21 September 4 October 9	\$1649 \$1649 \$1649
April 3 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2 Departures prior to this date will vary. Plea of reservation.		November 6 December 4 February 5 March 12	\$1599 \$1549 \$1549 \$1599
<b>May 2017 – April 2018</b> May 15 June 19 July 17	<b>Double</b> \$1649 \$1649 \$1649	April 9 Single Room Supplement Triple Room Reduction	\$1649 (+) <b>\$400</b> N/A
		Rates are land only, per person. Call a	about additional dates

#### Pilgrimage to Poland 9 Days from \$1549

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Celebrate mass in Warsaw and in Czestochowa, the spiritual capital of Poland.
- · Visit the Jasna Góra Monastery to witness the world famous Black Madonna.
- Peek into the young life of the beloved Pope Saint John Paul II in Wadowice.
- See the charming wooden Jaszczurówka Chapel and sanctuary dedicated to Our Lady of Fatima.
- · Visit the Shrine of Divine Mercy where the tomb of Saint Faustina is located.

#### Must-See Inclusions

- Make a stop at what remains of the Warsaw Ghetto.
- Discover one of the largest Franciscan monasteries in the world.
- Explore the poignant history of Auschwitz.
- Travel to Zakopane, where Pope Saint John Paul II spent time in reflection.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 12 meals included: 7 breakfasts 5 dinners
- Enjoy a folklore show and dinner at a traditional Polish restaurant.

#### **Accommodations**

Overnight Flight Days 2, 3 Day 4 Days 5 Day 8

Hampton by Hilton, Warsaw Mercure, Czestochowa Holiday Inn, Krakow Hampton by Hilton, Warsaw

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### Tour Activity Level ① ② ③ ④ ⑤ See page 32 for details







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This trip requires a passport.



# Greece: In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle

Follow along on one of the world's most epic journeys

#### Start Early

Add an extra day in Athens.

Begin your journey rested and relaxed with an extra night in this historical city.

Call for details.

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Paul the Apostle, the prolific writer of the New Testament letters, was one of the first Christian missionaries. Trace his journey through the ancient cities and pastoral countryside of Greece and Turkey.

Day 2: Athens, Greece - Tour Begins
Your tour begins in Athens, Greece's lively capital. This
evening, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner
in Athens' historic district – the Plaka – a lively historic
neighborhood nestled at the foot of the Acropolis. Feast
on local cuisine and enjoy fine wine in a traditional
taverna while Greek entertainment creates a wonderful
ambiance around you. (D)

Day 3: Athens - Lavrion (Embarkation) - Mykonos Embark on a wonderful 3-night cruise to the Greek Islands and Turkey. Breakfast, lunch and dinner are served daily while on board. Mykonos, the whitewashed jewel of the Cyclades Islands, is your first stop. This charming, mountainous island is known for the hundreds of tiny chapels, whitewashed buildings and beautiful windmills that dot its landscape. Don't miss Mykonos Town, where mazes of narrow streets link the whitewashed buildings and traditional life continues

amidst the bustling activity. Enjoy free time to explore this island paradise. (B, L, D)

Day 4: Kusadasi, Turkey - Patmos,
Greece Visit the Turkish port of Kusadasi for an included excursion to the ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site, where Paul the Apostle spent three years during his ministry and where its inhabitants were the recipients of Paul's famous epistle. Visit the House of Mary, where she is said to have spent her last days. A visit to the ruins includes the Agora, the great theater, and the stadium where chariot races took place and gladiatorial combats were held. It is said that Paul himself fought here against wild beasts. Continue your cruise to Patmos, the "Jerusalem of the Aegean." Visit the Monastery of John and the Cave of the Apocalypse where John the Evangelist, inspired by God, wrote the Book of Revelation during his exile. (B, L, D)

Day 5: Heraklion (Crete) - Santorini
Arrive early this morning in Heraklion, Crete. Time
is allowed for an optional excursion to Knossos, one
of the most extraordinary archaeological sites in the
western world and the center of the 4000 B.C. Minoan
civilization. Explore the site and visit the world-famous
Knossos Archaeological Museum. Later, arrive on the
fabled island of Santorini, known as the "Black Pearl
of the Aegean." Visit the breathtaking Oia Village,
perched on the caldera rim. Then, enjoy free time to visit
the clifftop village of Fira for one of the world's most
breathtaking panoramas. (B, L, D)

Day 6: Lavrion - Disembark Cruise Ship - Thessaloniki After an early morning disembarkation, travel north. Make a picture stop at Thermopylae, famous for its heroic defense by Leonidas and his courageous Spartans against the Persian army. Your day ends in Thessaloniki, Greece's second largest city. Founded in 315 B.C., Thessaloniki



was an early center for Christianity; it is where Paul visited and preached during the winters of A.D. 49-50 and wrote two epistles to the ancient Thessalonians. **Visit the Museum of Byzantine Culture**, one of the finest museums in the world devoted to Byzantine art and civilization with an impressive collection of many Byzantine and early Christian frescoes, icons and artifacts. (B. D)

**Day 7: Thessaloniki - Kavala - Philippi - Thessaloniki** Travel to the coastal town of Kavala where Paul, accompanied by Silas, Luke and Timothy, first set foot on European soil. In nearby Philippi, Paul delivered his first sermon in Europe, planting the seeds





of Christianity. Join a local expert for a guided tour of this historic town featuring the archaeological site and monuments spanning the Ancient, Roman and Byzantine eras. See the dungeon where Paul was held prisoner and the site where he baptized Lydia, the first Christian in Europe. (B)

#### Day 8: Thessaloniki - Meteora

- Kalambaka Proceed through the fertile Thessalian Valley - the breadbasket of Greece - to spectacular Meteora, a UNESCO World Heritage site. These dark, sandstone pinnacles rise abruptly from the plain of Thessaly, with six historic monasteries perched upon their peaks. Beginning in the 10th century, hermits, monks and ascetics sought solitude and spiritual solace in these dramatic crags. Visit two amazing Meteora monasteries which are renowned for their intricate construction and exquisite Byzantine art. Overnight in Kalambaka. (B, D)

Day 9: Kalambaka - Delphi Travel through scenic mountain terrain to Delphi, one of the most moving sites of the ancient world. Once considered the "navel of the world," Delphi is nestled on the slopes

of Mount Parnassus in a landscape of unparalleled beauty and majesty. Pilgrims once came from all over the ancient world to consult its mysterious oracle. A guided tour takes you along the Sacred Way to see the Doric Temple and the Sanctuary of Apollo, the Treasuries, and the intriguing Archaeological Museum with its staggering collection of ancient artifacts including the 5th-century bronzed Charioteer. (B, D)

Day 10: Delphi - Corinth -**Athens** Travel to Corinth where Paul wrote two epistles, lived and preached for two years. Explore ancient Corinth on a quided tour featuring the Agora, where Paul's trial by Gallio took place, and the Bema, where Paul was brought before the tribunal, as recorded in the Acts of the Apostles. In Athens, see the hill of Areopagus (Mars Hill) – where Paul delivered his famous "Men of Athens" speech – and visit the incomparable Acropolis. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner celebrating the end of a marvelous trip. (B, D)

Day 11: Athens - Tour Ends (B)

#### Dates & Prices March - April 2017 Double September 6, 13, 20, 27 \$2658 \$2658 March 8, 15, 29 \$2209 October 4 April 5, 12, 19. 26 \$2259 October 11 18 25 \$2608 March 7, 14 \$2558 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2018 tour departures. April 4, 11, 18, 25 \$2608 Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation. May 2017 - April 2018 Double (+) \$500 Single Room Supplement May 3, 17 \$2608 Triple Room Reduction (-) \$30 \$2608 June 7 Rates are land only, per person. Call about additional dates \$2608 July 5

#### Greece: In the Footsteps of Paul the Apostle 11 Days from \$2558

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Visit the Museum of Byzantine Culture, one of the finest museums of Byzantine art.
- See the cave on Patmos where John, inspired by God, wrote the Book of Revelation.
- Stop at two monasteries in Meteora and learn about the resident monks.
- See Mars Hill where Paul delivered his "Men of Athens" speech.
- · Visit the House of Mary, where she is said to have spent her
- A guided tour takes you along the Sacred Way to see the Doric Temple and the Sanctuary of Apollo.

#### **Must-See Inclusions**

- Visit the ruins of Ephesus, a UNESCO World Heritage site
- Travel to the coastal town of Kavala, where Paul first set foot on European soil.
- Explore the site and visit the world-famous Knossos Archaeological Museum.
- Visit the breathtaking Oia Village, perched on the calder rim on the island of Santorini.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 20 meals included: 9 breakfasts 3 lunches 8 dinners
- Feast on local cuisine and enjoy fine wine in a traditional taverna.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 1 Overnight Flight

Day 2 Crowne Plaza Athens City Center, Athens

Days 3 - 5 Olympia, Celestyal Cruises Capsis Hotel, Thessaloniki Days 6, 7 Famissi Hotel, Kalambaka Day 8

Domotel Anemolia Mountain Resort, Arachova Day 9

Day 10 Holiday Inn Attica, Athens

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### **Tour Activity Level**









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This trip requires a passport. Port taxes and fees of \$109 - \$110 USD (subject to change without advance notice), guoted at time of booking, per person are included in the land only tour cost. Single cabins, if confirmed, are higher. Gratuities for the cruise portion of your tour are not included in the land only price. At the time of booking, \$40 USD per guest will be collected to cover service charges (gratuities). You will not be asked to pay any additional service charges (gratuities). Cruise ships have a limited quantity of cabins available in each cabin category. We will make every effort to accommodate your cabin category preference at the time of booking. If the cabin category preferred is not available, the next closest category available will be offered and a surcharge may apply. Rates are based on Inside Cabins. Call for rates for Outside Cabins. Port of embarkation/disembarkation can be either Piraeus or Lavrion. Check your final travel documents for the correct listing. In Mykonos Island, roundtrip transfers by bus to/from the ship to/from Mykonos Town are included in the land price. Due to flight schedules, a pre or post night may be required at an additional cost. Prior to full payment for the program, the cruise line reserves the right to impose a supplemental fuel charge. Should this occur, you will be notified of the additional charges. Your cruise ship provides a "blanket visa" when visiting Ephesus, Turkey. There is no need for you to buy a Turkish visa as long as you travel with the group to/from Ephesus.



# Israel: A Journey of Faith

Embark on an inclusive faith-based journey into the past

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Travel to the Holy Land on an inspirational journey that visits some of the most ancient sites in the world.

**Day 2: Tel Aviv, Israel - Tour Begins** Your tour begins in Tel Aviv, a bustling city brimming with culture and history, situated on the Israeli Mediterranean coastline. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner. (D)

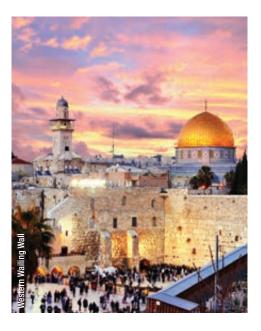
Day 3: Tel Aviv - Jaffa - Caesarea - Acre - Nazareth - Cana - Tiberias Journey to the ancient port city of Jaffa for a leisurely stroll through the winding alleys of the historic area. Visit the Roman Agueduct and Theatre at Caesarea, a center of the early Christians where Cornelius became the first Gentile convert to the new covenant (Acts 10) by St. Peter; and where Paul was imprisoned before being taken to Rome for trial (Acts 23). Stop in Acre, an ancient crusader city and UNESCO World Heritage site. In Nazareth, Jesus' boyhood home (Matthew 2:23), visit the Church of the Annunciation and the place where Joseph's home and workshop were as well as the site of the fresh water spring used by the Holy Family. Your day continues with a visit to Cana, the site of Our Lord's first miracle. Arrive in Tiberias for a 2-night stay. (B, D)

Day 4: Sea of Galilee - Capernaum - Golan Heights - Caesarea Philippi - Tiberias Cross the waters of the Sea of Galilee aboard a replica of the boat in which Jesus would have sailed. Travel to the Mount of Beatitudes where Jesus preached the "Sermon on the Mount" (Matthew 5-7).

Nearby Tabgha is the traditional location for the calling of the disciples and the feeding of the five thousand. Visit the Church of the Fish and the Loaves (Luke 9:10-17). In Capernaum, Jesus performed many miracles and it was the center of Jesus' ministry in Galilee. Visit the synagogue that stands on the site where Jesus taught and reflect on his teaching and preaching of the gospel of the kingdom (Matthew 4:13, 23). Visit the Chapel of the Primacy where Peter professed his devotion to the risen Christ (John 21) on three occasions. Get a taste of the local flavor when you enjoy lunch at a communal settlement, known as a kibbutz, in the Golan Heights. Visit Caesarea Philippi, where Jesus traveled with His disciples and near where Peter made his great confession to Jesus, "Thou art the Christ, the Son of the living God" (Matthew 16:16). Your day ends at the River Jordan at the Yardenit Baptismal site. (B. L. D)

Day 5: Tiberias - Tel Megiddo Bethlehem - Jerusalem Visit Tel Megiddo
(Armageddon), the site of the final battle before the
coming of the Messiah. In Bethlehem, the birthplace
of Jesus (Luke 2), enter the Church of the Nativity,
the oldest continuously functioning church in the
world. View the cave where Jesus was born. Stop at
Shepherds' Field, where the angels appeared on that
first Christmas night, spreading good tidings of great joy
for all the people. Later, arrive in one of the holiest cities
in the world, Jerusalem. (B, D)

**Day 6: Jerusalem - Mount Zion - Ein Karem** Your time in Jerusalem begins with a visit to the Mount of Olives. Afterwards, visit the Church of the Pater Noster, built on the traditional site where Christ taught the Lord's Prayer; its name refers to the "Our



Father" prayer. Continue to the Church of All Nations, built over the rock on which Our Lord prayed the night before He was crucified. Nearby is the Tomb of the Virgin Mary and the Garden of Gethsemane, the site of Christ's betrayal by Judas. Travel to Mount Zion and stand in the Upper Room, near the traditional site of the Last Supper (Mark 14). Then, continue to Ein Karem, the birthplace of John the Baptist and the place to which Mary traveled to share her good news with Elizabeth. (B, D)

**Day 7: Jerusalem** Today you are free to explore the city on your own. Perhaps you'll choose to take an optional excursion to the Dead Sea to discover where







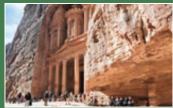
the Dead Sea Scrolls were found; visit Masada; and perhaps even float on the salty waters of the Dead Sea. (B, D)



Day 8: Jerusalem Your day begins at St. Stephen's Gate where St. Stephen, the first Christian martyr, was stoned to death. Continue to the Church of St. Anne, marking the place where the parents of the Blessed Mother lived. Visit the nearby Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the paralytic. Then, follow the Via Dolorosa, the Way of the Cross, walked by Our Lord on the way to His crucifixion; pass by the Ecce Homo Arch, the site where Pontius Pilate presented Our Lord to the crowds. Next, visit the Western Wall of the Temple before stopping at the Garden Tomb, the possible site of the garden of Joseph of Arimathea and site of the resurrection of Jesus. Enjoy a farewell dinner with your fellow travelers to celebrate the end of this unforgettable and holy experience. (B, D)

Day 9: Jerusalem - Tour Ends

# Extend Your Tour



**EXPLORE MORE. Extend your tour** with 4 nights in Jordan. Set out to explore the wonders of Jordan, including the stone-carved city of Petra. Call for details.

Dates & Prices			
January - April 2017 January 11 February 1, 15 March 27 April 19 Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2018 Departures prior to this date will vary. Please of		October 11, 18 November 13, 27 January 10 January 31 February 14 March 21 Aoril 18	\$2249 \$2249 \$1999 \$2249 \$2249 \$2249
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#### Israel: A Journey of Faith 9 Days from \$1999

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Stroll through the winding alleys of historic Jaffa.
- Visit Capernaum, the center of Jesus' ministry in Galilee.
- Stop at Shepherds' Field, where the angels appeared Christmas night.
- · Explore the Garden of Gethsemane, the site of Christ's betrayal
- Visit the Pools of Bethesda, where Jesus healed the paralytic.

#### **Must-See Inclusions**

- Discover the ancient cities of Nazareth and Bethlehem.
- Travel to Tel Megiddo, site of the final battle before the coming of the Messiah.
- Stand in the Upper Room, the traditional site of the Last Supper.
- Follow the Via Dolorosa, walked by Our Lord on the way to his
- See Ecce Homo Arch where Pontius Pilate presented Jesus.
- Stop at the Garden Tomb, possible site of the resurrection of Jesus.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 15 meals included: 7 breakfasts 1 lunch 7 dinners
- Get a taste of the local flavor when you enjoy lunch at a kibbutz.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 1 Overnight Flight

Day 2 Kfar Maccabiah Hotel, Ramat Gan, Tel Aviv Days 3, 4 Leonardo Tiberias Hotel, Tiberias Days 5 - 8 Leonardo Jerusalem Hotel, Jerusalem

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### **Tour Activity Level** See page 32 for details







#### **Personalize Your Journey**

Purchase air and receive private home to airport sedan service and airport transfers.

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On Tour Options: Visit gocollette.com to learn more.

This trip requires a passport. Our passengers will depart from Tel Aviv airport and all of our transfers will depart from Jerusalem for Tel Aviv airport. Due to flight schedules, you may require a very early morning departure from the hotel on the last day (Day 9). Travel distance from Jerusalem to Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion airport is approximately 1.5 hours (depending upon traffic conditions). Due to security checks, it is recommended that you arrive at Ben Gurion airport 3 hours prior to departure.



## On the Trail of Martin Luther

An epic journey delving into the history of the Reformation

**Day 1: Overnight Flight** Embark on an inspirational journey through Germany that follows the epic trail blazed by Martin Luther, marking the 500th anniversary of the day of the Reformation.

**Day 2: Mainz, Germany - Tour Begins**Your tour opens in the enchanting city of Mainz, a medieval town located on the banks of the Rhine River.
Tonight, meet your fellow travelers during a welcome dinner. (D)

Day 3: Mainz - Worms - Mainz Begin your day with a visit to the Gutenberg Museum where you can see a copy of Gutenberg's masterpiece — the 42-line Bible. Enjoy free time to explore the town before traveling to Worms. It was in Worms that the Imperial Diet (Assembly) passed judgment on Luther after his refusal to recant. Come to know the sites significant to Luther's story during a guided walking



tour of the city. Take a moment at the Cathedral where Luther presented his case; see Trinity Church; and visit monuments dedicated to Luther and other important Reformation figures. (B)

Day 4: Mainz - Erfurt Today you travel to Erfurt which Martin Luther himself referred to as the "City of Towers," no doubt due to its numerous steeples. Arriving in Erfurt, embark on a walking tour of the city, passing over Merchants' Bridge on your way to the Augustinian monastery. Enjoy a tour of the monastery, where Luther lived and studied as a monk from 1505 to 1512. After your tour, you are invited to a prayer service in St. Augustine's church inside the monastery. (B, D)

Day 5: Erfurt - Eisenach - Wartburg
Castle - Erfurt
This morning we travel to Eisenach to explore another central town in Luther's life. Your tour of the area begins with a visit to Wartburg Castle, where Luther translated the Bible. Step into what is now "Luther's Room," where Luther lived during the many months he spent at the castle. Our next stop is at the Bachhaus Eisenach to enjoy a musical performance played on various historical instruments dating back to Bach's time. Next, join a local guide for a walking tour of the town. You will see the Lutherhaus Eisenach, where Luther resided as a child, and St. George's Church, where he was a choir boy. Enjoy time to explore independently. Return to Erfurt in the late afternoon. (B)

**Day 6: Erfurt - Eisleben - Dresden** Begin your day with a visit to Eisleben, the site of Luther's birth and death. Delve into his life as we visit the museum inside the home where he was born; St. Peter and Paul Church where he was baptized; and St. Andrews Church

where he performed his final sermons. Next, continue on to Dresden, your home for the next two nights. **This evening, get a true taste of the region when dining in a local cellar restaurant.** (B, D)

**Day 7: Dresden** This morning, join a local guide for a tour of this historical city. See the old town square, the royal residence castle and the Frauenkirche (Church of Our Lady). Enjoy ample time to explore this lovely town on the banks of the River Elbe. (B)

Day 8: Dresden - Leipzig - Wittenberg

This morning, travel to Leipzig, a city touched by musical greatness. Discover the city's interesting history during a guided tour featuring St. Thomas Church where the boys' choir has been performing for over 800 years. Martin Luther preached here and its former cantor was the famed composer — Johann Sebastian Bach. Next, travel to Wittenberg where you will have an afternoon service inside one of the local churches remaining from the time of the Reformation. Tonight, discover the tastes

of the region with a tour of a local brewery including a

tasting, followed by dinner. (B, D)

Day 9: Wittenberg Set out on a guided tour of Wittenberg. Your first stop is the former Wittenberg University where Luther served as a professor of theology. Next, explore his family home on the grounds; today it is a fascinating museum housing his writings and other artifacts from the Reformation. Travel back in time as you discover its seemingly untouched rooms used by Luther. Continue to the oldest structure in the city, St. Mary's Church, where Luther preached, was married, and where his children were baptized. See the Castle Church, the location where the famous 95 Theses were posted, launching







the Reformation. Have time to explore or to reflect at Luther's tomb. Then it is on to discover the Renaissance-style home of Philipp Melanchthon, Luther's scholarly confidant who aided him significantly in communicating his revolutionary theology. Next, you are in for a special treat! Join a local family in their home to sip coffee and discuss life in Germany, both today and during Communist times. (B)

#### Day 10: Wittenberg - Berlin

Depart this morning for Berlin. Embark on a comprehensive tour featuring Brandenburg

Gate, Charlottenburg Palace, Kaiser Wilhelm Memorial Church, Schöneberg City Hall, Kurfürstendamm and the Reichstag Building. Finally, pass through the area that was once "Checkpoint Charlie," and see what remains of the Berlin Wall. Tonight, gather with your fellow travelers for a farewell dinner. (B, D)

Day 11: Berlin - Tour Ends Your journey comes to a close. Depart with new perspectives, a strengthened faith and treasured memories. (B)



Dates & Prices			
March – April 2017 March 15 April 19	<b>Double</b> \$2149 \$2199	August 9, 16, 23 September 6, 13, 20, 27 October 4, 11, 18, 23, 25	\$2249 \$2299 \$2299
Itinerary featured is for May 2017 - April 2018 tour departures.  Departures prior to this date will vary. Please confirm at time of reservation.		January 10, 31 March 7, 14 April 4, 11	\$2049 \$2049 \$2099
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#### On the Trail of Martin Luther 11 Days from \$2049

#### **Cultural Experiences**

- Travel to Worms where Luther refused to recant and the Imperial Diet (Assembly) declared him an outlaw.
- Enjoy a guided tour of Eisleben site of Luther's birth and death including a visit inside the home where he was born.
- Join a church service in one of the Luther churches in Wittenberg.
- Enjoy a tour and prayer service in Erfurt's Augustinian monastery, where Luther studied.
- Take in a medieval musical performance inside the Bachhaus Eisenach.
- · Join a local family in their home to discuss life in Germany.

#### **Must-See Inclusions**

- Visit the Gutenberg Museum and see the famed Gutenberg Bible.
- Visit Wartburg Castle, the place where Luther translated the New Testament into German while in hiding.
- Discover St. Thomas Church where Martin Luther preached and Johann Sebastian Bach was a cantor.
- See Wittenberg's St. Mary's Church, where Luther preached, was married, and where his children were baptized.
- Explore Leipzig and take a guided tour featuring St. Thomas Church where the boys' choir has been performing for over 800 years.

#### **Culinary Inclusions**

- 14 meals included: 9 breakfasts 5 dinners
- Get a true taste of the region at a local cellar restaurant in Dresden.

#### **Accommodations**

Day 1 Days 2, 3 Overnight Flight Park Inn Hotel, Mainz

Radisson Hotel or Ramada Hotel, Erfurt Days 4, 5

Swissotel, Dresden Days 6, 7

Luther Hotel or Acron Hotel, Wittenberg Days 8, 9

Intercontinental Hotel, Berlin

On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

#### Tour Activity Level 1 2 3 4 5







Day 10

#### **Personalize Your Journey**

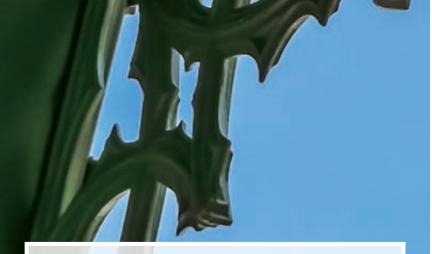
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Upgrade your in-flight experience with Elite Airfare. Call for details.

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This trip requires a passport.





# Join us... On the Trail of Martin Luther

2017 marks half a millennium from when Luther set the Reformation in motion on October 31, 1517 and nailed his Theses to the door of the Castle Church in Wittenberg, Germany. You'll follow in the footsteps of Martin Luther and connect with the places where he lived, studied, worked and preached. This epic journey takes you across Germany and deep into the history of the Reformation.

#### **Additional Highlights:**

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- Travel to Worms where Luther refused to recant and the Imperial Diet (Assembly) declared him an "outlaw."
- Visit Wartburg Castle, the place where Luther translated the New Testament into German while in hiding.
- Enjoy a guided tour of Eisleben site of Luther's birth and death – including a visit inside the home where he was born.
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- Join a church service in one of the Luther churches in Wittenberg.











#### Frequently Asked Questions

#### Accommodations

#### What is the difference between a twin room and a double room?

In certain countries, hotel rooms tend to be smaller than U.S. standard accommodations. A double room is designed to accommodate two people, but may not have two separate beds. A twin bedded room has two separate beds of any size, and is the type most commonly utilized.

What size is a triple room? A triple room is the same size as a twin bedded room and beds will accommodate three people, but we cannot guarantee that there will be three separate beds. If there are only two beds, a rollaway may be requested but cannot be guaranteed due to size of room and fire codes. Please inquire at time of reservation.

Can my children travel on tour? Children over the age of 5 may travel on a Collette tour accompanied by an adult. Child land rates are valid for ages 5-12, sharing a room with two full-paying adults.

Are single and triple rooms always available? On many tours, triple and single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Be advised that single rooms are often smaller.

When can I check into my hotel? Normal check-in time is late afternoon in most locations. Due to early arrival times into some cities, rooms may not always be available for immediate check-in.

#### Air

Can Collette book our airline reservations? Collette is happy to assist you in accommodating your flight needs. Due to tour scheduling and limited availability, you are strongly encouraged to take advantage of Collette's air packages. We are not responsible for air arrangements you have made on your own. On occasion, it is necessary to change tour dates. In this case, we can only protect air reservations booked through Collette. For all air reservations, it is strongly recommended to reconfirm flights before departure, in the event that the airline has an unexpected schedule change. We cannot assume responsibility for schedule changes, routings or flight cancellations involving the airlines. Not all airlines offer pre-assigned seats. Some charge a fee for seats which will be at the guests' expense. Where pre-assigned seats are not offered, the guests must contact the airline directly to arrange seat assignments.

#### Attractions & Sightseeing

Are attractions always available? Access to some attractions or Collette Foundation sites may be affected by the observance of holidays, weather conditions or other circumstances. As a result, the days and order of sightseeing may change to best utilize your time on tour. Boat rides are weather permitting. Some attractions may not be available during the "off-season" months. When attractions are unavailable, other similar attractions will be substituted. Wildlife sightings are not guaranteed.

Is there a lot of walking on tour? We pride ourselves on bringing travelers the very best experiences a destination offers. Our itineraries include many activities and may consist of walking on uneven terrain or significant walking at times. Some of the most unique sightseeing can mean accessing locations that restrict motorcoaches, especially in historic areas. Some hotels/lodges in remote locations may not have elevators. For your comfort, we recommend bringing walking shoes. Review each tour's "Tour Activity Level" and "Tour Pacing" for details.

Can you tell me more about the safaris? In order to most fully experience the wildlife, you will be traveling by custom-built safari vehicle which requires climbing in and out frequently and sometimes travels on bumpy roads. To experience Africa fully, we recommend that all travelers be in reasonably good health and prepare properly.

**How can I plan for shore landings?** Special clothing is required for the shore landings (Antarctica, Galapagos); please refer to your predeparture documents for important details.

Are all theater performances suitable for children? Some theater performances may be unsuitable for children – consult your tour manager.

#### Documentation

**Do I need a passport?** Government-issued identification is required for all air travel. A valid passport is required for all trips outside the USA. All passengers should check with the appropriate foreign consulate for entry and validity requirements. We recommend that your passport has six months validity, and at least 3 blank pages. Passports and visas are the responsibility of each client.

International Borders Any child under age 16 (traveling without a parent or legal guardian to Canada) must have written permission from a parent or legal guardian.

Please be advised that if you have been convicted of an offense, or have committed a criminal act that is an offense under the laws where it occurred and would be an offense in Canada, you may be inadmissible into Canada. You will need to apply for a Minister's Permit of Approval of Rehabilitation at a Canadian Consulate. All other travelers should contact the appropriate consulate for entry requirements in other international destinations.

In South Africa, children are required to have a passport as well as additional documentation to travel with you into and out of the country. Please consult the South African Embassy for the current specific requirements related to your travel dates.

If traveling internationally with a child under the age of 18, please check directly with the airline for the legal documentation that is required. It is the sole responsibility of the guest to procure the proper documentation to travel and many requirements vary by airline and destination. Collette will not be responsible for costs incurred for missed flights or canceled tours where a guest fails to secure proper documentation.

#### **Extending Your Stay**

Can I extend my tour to see more of a region? Yes! You may enhance your tour by purchasing either an extension or pre/post hotel stays, offered on select tours. Extensions may be "hosted" rather than escorted. When hosted, passengers will be greeted upon arrival by a local tour manager who will provide all included services and be available on-call during the duration of the extension. A minimum number of passengers may be required to operate some extensions. Extensions not purchased at time of deposit are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

Collette also offers pre and post hotel nights before and/or after a tour for you to explore the destination independently. Should you purchase additional nights, please be advised that your tour manager will not be available during this time.

#### **Extras**

What is not included in the tour price? The land price does not include air travel, airline fees, airport or departure taxes, transfers, visas, customary end-of-trip gratuities for your Tour Manager, driver, local guides, hotel housekeepers, cruise ship waitstaff, and any incidental charges.

#### Late Bookings

**Do you accept late bookings?** Tour sales normally close 7 days prior to departure. All late bookings are on request and must be guaranteed with a credit card if within 60 days of departure date.

#### On-Tour Experience

Where do I meet my Tour Manager? Your tour will begin at your first hotel. The Tour Manager will make contact with you at the hotel and will provide details relating to your tour. The hotel's address and phone number will be included in your documents.

Can I prepurchase optional excursions/activities? Yes, the majority of optional excursions and activities are available for advance purchase for applicable tours provided that you make your options purchase prior to 15 days of the tour departure. Collette makes it convenient to reserve presold options by visiting our website for a full listing of activities and excursions or when your reservation is made with our reservations staff. In addition, there are benefits to prepurchasing options including a price guarantee once your tour is paid in full. So, while the cost of an optional activity may change from the time you book your tour, once payment is received in full, your preselected options are guaranteed by Collette at their original price. Although you can still purchase options while on tour, reserving them ahead of time ensures you a spot in the event that the activity sells out. Collette will provide a refund if you cancel a presold option prior to tour departure. Any presold options canceled while on tour are nonrefundable.

#### Revisions/Changes

**Would my tour date ever be changed?** While it is unlikely, Collette does reserve the right to cancel a tour prior to departure. Should this happen, Collette will make every effort to put you on another departure date. If an alternate cannot be found, a full refund will be made. Air booked through Collette will be protected. We cannot be held responsible for penalties incurred if you have secured your own air.

Can I make changes to my reservation? Should you decide to change your reservation after initial booking, a handling fee of \$25 per transaction will be charged. A change of tour date, tour itinerary or passenger name, within the guidelines of the cancellation policy, will be treated as a cancellation and regular cancellation fees may apply. Revisions to air tickets are subject to the rules and regulations of the airline. See our Cancellation Policy for more details.

#### **Tour Pacing**

How can I be best prepared for the pacing and physical requirements on a Collette tour? Tour pacing varies by itinerary, and each destination's sightseeing and activities are unique. Pacing is subject to personal interpretation. At Collette, we do include the best a destination has to offer, enhancing your overall tour experience. For overnight pacing of a tour, please refer to the "Accommodations" section on each tour page and on the tour map. These describe the number of nights you will stay in each hotel during your tour. The day-by-day descriptions will provide additional detail about the number of activities included in each day. The Tour Activity Level Ranking is featured on each tour itinerary in a circle. The definition of each activity level is listed here. If you have additional questions regarding a specific tour, please inquire at time of reservation. For your comfort, we recommend packing comfortable walking shoes so you can fully enjoy every aspect of your tour.

Level 1: At a very leisurely pace, this tour involves minimal physical activity, such as climbing some stairs, boarding a motorcoach, and walking from the hotel reception area to hotel rooms and dining areas.

Level 2: This tour requires average physical activity. You should be in good health, able to climb stairs and walk reasonable distances, possibly over uneven ground and cobblestoned streets.

**Level 3:** This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces should be expected.

**Level 4:** To truly experience the program and destination, you need to be able to participate in physical activities such as longer walking tours, walking over uneven terrain, climbing stairs and periods of standing. Some of the touring days may be longer, with select included activities occurring later in the evening.

Level 5: This tour is very active, requiring participants to be physically fit to fully enjoy all the experiences. This itinerary has more strenuous activities which may include such things as: extensive walking tours, transfers over uneven and dusty terrain, high altitudes, early morning departures, late night activities, or extreme temperatures. All conditions do not apply to all days, so please read the itinerary carefully and speak to one of our travel counselors to determine if this tour is right for you. We recommend this program to individuals who are physically fit. Unfortunately, this tour is not appropriate for individuals who use either walkers or wheelchairs. If this trip is not ideally suited for you, our travel counselors can help determine the perfect trip for you.

#### Transfers

Are airport and hotel transfers available? Roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers are provided for all passengers who purchase airfare through Collette. These transfers do not apply to pre- and post-night stays. Passengers who do not purchase airfare through Collette can purchase transfers (for the first and last day of the tour) at an additional cost of \$100 per person, roundtrip. Some restrictions may apply. All transfers leave at prescheduled times.

Are airport transfers available for pre/post hotel stays? All passengers who purchase pre and post hotel nights through Collette may also purchase transfers to/from the airport and the pre or post hotel. Please inquire at time of booking.

What is Roundtrip Home to Airport Sedan Service? It's your ticket to and from the airport. This service is available for all air-inclusive tour bookings. This personalized service is included in many U.S. cities within a 50 mile radius from more than 90 airport gateways.\* Service is available between 51 and 75 miles for a small fee. Not valid on group travel.

\*One transfer per room booking. Additional stops are not permitted on route.

#### Travel Loyalt

What is Travel Loyalty by Collette or TLC? It allows you to automatically receive a \$150 travel credit for each trip you take.† It's our way of saying thank you for making us your #1 choice in guided travel. Be sure to enroll in TLC to take advantage of this benefit.

†Full credit is valid for your next tour when you travel within 12 months of the original trip. \$100 of the credit remains valid for travel within 13-24 months, and the entire credit expires 24 months after the original trip.

### Reservation Information

#### **Land Rates**

Land rates are per person, double occupancy. Availability of departures at the prices noted in the brochure is limited. For current prices, please see our website. Government taxes and fees are additional. Land rates are guaranteed at time of deposit.

#### **Payments**

#### Land Package Deposit

- A \$250 non-refundable deposit is due with your land only reservation.
- For Antarctica and Cruises only reservations, a non-refundable \$500 deposit is required. An additional \$1,000 is due 180 days prior to departure for Antarctica.

#### Air Inclusive Package Deposit

- A \$500 non-refundable deposit is due with your air inclusive reservation. If you
  purchase our Travel Protection Plan, the air inclusive deposit required is only \$250
  plus the cost of the Travel Protection Plan.
- For Antarctica and Cruise air inclusive reservations, a non-refundable \$750 deposit is required. If you purchase our Travel Protection Plan, the air inclusive deposit required is only \$500 plus the cost of the Travel Protection Plan. An additional \$1,000 is due 180 days prior to departure for Antarctica.

#### Instant Purchase Air

 If you have selected Instant Purchase Air, the deposit required is the full cost of the airfare plus a \$500 deposit (or \$250 with the Travel Protection Plan), all of which is non-refundable

Should you decide to purchase our per-person Travel Protection Plan, you must do so at the time of booking. Payment of this Plan includes the Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver which protects you from penalties in the event you have to cancel your entire tour package for any reason up to the day prior to departure (see Part A for more details). If you originally purchased nonrefundable airline tickets, Part B of the Travel Protection Plan may provide a refund for the airline tickets, taxes, or fees in the event of a cancellation for a covered reason (see Part B for more details). The balance is due 60 days before departure on all tours, except cruises. The balance is due 120 days before departure for cruises. Payment may be made by charging to clients' Mastercard, Visa, American Express, or Discover (card imprint and signature required) or by sending a check or money order. All land rates are guaranteed upon deposit. Payment may also be made online at https://reservations.gocollette.com/payment.aspx

#### TRAVEL PROFESSIONALS PLEASE CONTACT:

Collette: 1-800-611-3361

#### PLEASE SEND PAYMENTS TO:

Collette Travel Service, 162 Middle Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860

Attn: Accounts Receivable

#### **Revision Fees**

A handling fee of \$25.00 per transaction will be assessed for any change or revision made to a reservation. A change of departure date within 11 months of departure will be treated as a cancellation, and cancellation charges will apply.

#### **Cancellation Charges**

Cancellations of confirmed bookings and transfers to new travel dates both result in penalties and fees assessed by travel suppliers. If you need to transfer or cancel for any reason prior to tour departure, the following cancellation fees will be assessed on your land or cruise product. Air is 100% nonrefundable once paid in full. If canceled prior to being paid in full, the following cancellation fees will also apply to air.

- More than 60 days prior to departure: a nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 60 16 days prior to departure: 30% of land or cruise price
- 15 1 day prior to departure: 50% of land or cruise price
- Day of departure and after: 100% of land or cruise price

#### Exceptions:

#### Ocean Cruises:

- More than 90 days prior to departure, a nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 90 61 days prior to departure: 35% of land or cruise price
- 60 31 days prior to departure: 60% of land or cruise price
- 30 0 days prior to departure: 100% of land or cruise price

#### River Cruises: including Europe, Russia, Egypt and China

- More than 90 days prior to departure, a nonrefundable deposit will be retained.
- 90 61 days prior to departure: 50% of land or cruise price
- 60 31 days prior to departure: 85% of land or cruise price
- 30 0 days prior to departure: 100% of land or cruise price

#### Galapagos & Antarctica:

- More than 120 days prior to departure: nonrefundable deposits will be retained.
- 120 90 days prior to departure: 60% of land or cruise price
- 89 0 days prior to departure: 100% of land or cruise price
- \* Instant Purchase air and its associated taxes, fees and surcharges are 100% nonrefundable at time of reservation.

Upon cancellation of transportation or travel services where you, the customer, are not at fault and have not canceled in violation of the terms and conditions above, you will be refunded 100%.

#### **Airfare**

For your convenience, we offer airfare for purchase with all tour packages. If you purchase an air-inclusive program, your airfare will be quoted inclusive of all fuel, taxes and fees. Your rates are subject to change until paid in full. Seats are limited and may not be available on every flight or departure date.

Instant Purchase Nonrefundable Airfare includes roundtrip airport/hotel transfers (excluding pre- or post-days and extensions). Instant Purchase nonrefundable airfare requires full payment at the time of booking. If you purchase the Travel Protection Plan, the Instant Purchase nonrefundable airfare may be covered, if you cancel your trip for a covered reason (see Part B for more details). Tickets will be issued immediately and once issued are nonrefundable, and may only be changed for a fee up to \$300 plus any difference in airfare for travel in the following 12 months; specific fees and policies may vary by airline. These tickets include an administration fee and roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers, of which both hold no airline reissue value. Once issued, there can be no fluctuation in price due to an increase in government taxes or in airline fuel surcharges. Therefore, any such fees or airport-to-hotel transfers are not refundable under any circumstances.

#### Aircraft Cabin Disinsection Disclaimer

Some countries may require aircraft cabin insecticide treatment for inbound foreign flights. Information about aircraft disinsection requirements and a list of countries requiring such disinsection are available online at http://www.dot.gov/office-policy/aviation-policy/aircraft-disinsection-requirements.

#### **Travelers Needing Special Assistance**

You must report any disability requiring special attention to Collette at the time the reservation is made.\* Collette will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. Such participants, however, should be aware that the Americans with Disabilities Act is inapplicable outside of the United States and facilities outside the United States for disabled individuals are limited. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance. Neither Collette nor its personnel, nor its suppliers, may physically lift or assist clients into transportation vehicles. If a traveler thinks he or she might need assistance during a trip, he or she should call Collette to determine what assistance might reasonably be given. Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining or other routine activities.

\*To request a wheelchair accessible room on a cruise, the traveler or person sharing the room must have a recognized disability that alters a major life function and requires the use of a mobility device and the use of the accessible features provided in the wheelchair accessible stateroom.

#### **Holiday and Museum Closures**

Museum visits and personal shopping time may be disrupted due to unforeseen circumstances or many religious, state and local holidays observed throughout the world.

#### **Motorcoach Washrooms**

Most motorcoaches used on our tours are equipped with washrooms except safari vehicles, exotic locations, and some of our Explorations tours. These are typically for emergency use, as we make plenty of comfort stops, allowing you the opportunity to use public restrooms and/or stretch your legs.

#### **Maps and Photos**

Maps shown on tour pages are current at the time of printing and may not reflect actual tour routing should the tour change. Photos shown on tour pages are reflective of the area(s) visited, but may not be included in the actual tour itinerary.

#### **Baggage Disclaimer**

Although every effort is made to handle passengers' luggage as carefully as possible, Collette is not responsible for and does not assume liability or accept claims for loss of or damage to luggage due to breakage, theft or wear and tear through hotel and group carrier handling. It is recommended for your own self-interest and protection that you have adequate insurance to cover these eventualities. Check with your sales agent for low-cost insurance to cover these risks.

#### **Checked Baggage Charges:**

Some airlines may impose additional charges if you choose to check any baggage. Please contact your airline or refer to its website for detailed information regarding your airline's checked baggage policies. Please be advised there is a \$25 USD/CAD charge (per piece) for checked baggage on most transborder flights between U.S. & Canada. This is a fee levied by the airlines, not Collette, and may be subject to change.

#### Explanation of Responsibilities and Tour Conditions for Collette

Each client is responsible for proper documentation and inoculations that may be required and/or recommended to participate on tour. Please contact your local travel clinic or personal physician for specific details on the destinations you are traveling to and from. Any person reserving or purchasing any Collette product published in this brochure accepts the condition that Collette reserves to itself the exclusive right to change or cancel itineraries, hotels, and other tour components whenever it is deemed necessary. If this occurs, every effort will be made to offer alternate dates and/or programs. Published times on itineraries are as accurate as possible but subject to change due to traffic, weather, mechanical and any other conditions beyond Collette's control that prevent Collette from operating as scheduled. Collette expressly disclaims any liability for any damages that may be incurred for any changes, cancellations or delays on any itinerary on any Collette tour.

All rates on foreign tours are subject to fluctuations of currency and may be changed when necessary without advance notice prior to deposit.

All rates published are per person as indicated and are based on double occupancy when only one rate is shown. Reservations will be accepted subject to availability at the time of request and will be considered confirmed only upon receipt of a minimum deposit. Child land rates are available and are valid for ages 5-12, sharing a room with two full-paying adults.

Collette does not accept liability in the case of any passenger being denied boarding by any airline carrier due to the carrier's overbooking of a flight. All cancellation charges, fees and refunds for any tour within this brochure are in effect as of the effective date as indicated below and supersede any other previously printed policies relating to these same charges.

#### **GENERAL DISCLAIMER**

Neither Collette Travel Service, Inc., its affiliated entities and its and their employees, shareholders, officers, directors, successors, agents, and assigns (collectively "Collette"), own or operate any person or entity which is to or does provide goods or services for these trips. Collette does not maintain control or operate the personnel, equipment, or operations of these suppliers it uses and as such Collette assumes no responsibility for and cannot be held liable for any personal injury, death, property damage or other loss, accident, delay, inconvenience, or irregularity which may be occasioned by reason of (1) any wrongful, negligent, willful or unauthorized acts or omissions on the part of any of the suppliers or other employees or agents, (2) any defect in or failure of any vehicle, equipment, or instrument owned, operated or otherwise used by any of these suppliers, or (3) any wrongful, willful or negligent act or omission on the part of any other party not under the supervision and control of Collette.

Client shall indemnify and hold harmless Collette Travel Service, Inc., its affiliated entities and its and their employees, agents, shareholders, officers, successors and assigns (collectively "Collette"), from all suits, actions, losses, damages, claims or liability for any personal injury, death, property damage or other loss, accident, delay, inconvenience or irregularity which is occasioned by any negligent acts or omissions of Collette arising out of any goods or services provided for this or these trips.

Additionally, responsibility is not accepted for losses or expenses due to sickness, lack of appropriate medical facilities or practitioners, weather, strikes, theft or other criminal acts, war, terrorism, computer problems, or other such causes. All services and accommodations are subject to the laws of the country in which they are provided. Collette reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary whenever, in their sole judgment, conditions warrant, or if Collette deems it necessary for the comfort, convenience, or safety of the tour. Collette reserves the right to withdraw any tour announced. Collette reserves the right to decline to accept any person as a member of the tour, or to require any participant to withdraw from the tour at any time, when such action is determined by the Tour Manager to be in the best interests of the health, safety, and general welfare of the tour group or of the individual participant. Neither does Collette accept liability for any carrier's cancellation penalty incurred by the purchase of a nonrefundable airline or other ticket to the tour departure city and return or otherwise. Baggage and personal effects are the sole responsibility of the owner at all times.

Participants may be photographed for the promotional purposes of Collette. Payment of the deposit to Collette constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions.

#### ARBITRATION

I agree that any dispute concerning, relating, or referring to this contract, the brochure or any other literature concerning my trip, or the trip itself, shall be resolved exclusively by binding arbitration according to the then existing rules of the American Arbitration Association in the State of Rhode Island. Such proceedings will be governed by and in accordance with substantive Rhode Island law. The arbitrator and not any federal, state, or local court or agency shall have exclusive authority to resolve any dispute relating to the interpretation, applicability, enforceability, conscionability, or formation of this contract, including but not limited to any claim that all or any part of this contract is void or voidable.

#### FORUM SELECTION

This Agreement shall be governed and interpreted pursuant to the laws of the State of Rhode Island by mutual agreement of the parties hereto and the Federal and State Courts in Rhode Island shall have exclusive and sole jurisdiction over any dispute, controversy or suit arising relative to this Agreement.

#### **Consumer Protection Plans**

Collette is a member of the following organizations: the National Tour Association, the United States Tour Operators Association, the Alliance of Canadian Travel Associations, the Travel Industry Council of Ontario, and the Association of British Travel Agents. Some of these associations operate a consumer protection plan to cover deposits placed with any tour operator member.

Collette is proud to be a member of USTOA (United States Tour Operators Association), an association that represents the tour operator industry. The USTOA logo on our brochures signifies that Collette is a member in good standing and is backed by their \$1 Million Travelers Assistance Program. Collette, as an Active Member of USTOA, is required to post \$1 million with USTOA to be used to reimburse, in accordance with the terms and conditions of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program, the advance payments of Collette customers in the unlikely event of Collette's bankruptcy, insolvency or cessation of business. Further, you should understand that the \$1 million posted by Collette may be sufficient to provide only a partial recovery of the advance payments received by Collette. Complete details of the USTOA Travelers Assistance Program may be obtained by email to information@ustoa.com or by visiting their website at www.USTOA.com.

Collette is pleased to give this additional protection to our clients.







#### **Collette's Travel Protection Plan**

Part A Waiver Only provided by Collette Travel Service, Inc.: Payment of a per person Travel Protection Plan fee guarantees a full refund of all payments (including deposit), except the Travel Protection Plan fee itself, made to Collette for travel arrangements in case of cancellation of your travel plans for any reason prior to the day of departure. The Travel Protection Plan fee with air only covers airline tickets you have purchased from Collette.

Exception: If you originally purchased nonrefundable airline tickets, the Travel Protection Plan does not provide a refund for the airline tickets, taxes or fees, in the event of a cancellation. This air ticket may be covered by Collette's Travel Protection Plan under Part B, if you cancel your trip for covered reasons (see Part B for more details).

Collette's Travel Protection Plan protects you from penalties in the event you have a need to cancel your entire inclusive tour package up to the day prior to departure. The Travel Protection Plan does not indemnify you from penalties if you choose to cancel partial tour components or air. If you choose to partially cancel your tour, you will be responsible for a revision fee as well as any penalties that are incurred at the time of the cancellation.

Collette's Travel Protection Plan does not cover any single supplement charges which arise from an individual's traveling companion electing to cancel for any reason prior to departure. In this case, the single supplement will be deducted from the refund of the person who cancels. (However, the Part B Benefits referenced below include a single supplement benefit of \$1,000 for certain covered reasons, as detailed in Part B.) Division of this charge between the two passengers involved is solely their responsibility. If insufficient funds are deducted from the canceling client, the traveling client will be charged the remaining portion of the single supplement.

Payment of the Travel Protection Plan Fee (if chosen) must be received by Collette with your deposit. The fee is nontransferable and valid for each applicant only.

Collette can assume no responsibility for and cannot be held liable for any wrongful, negligent or unauthorized acts or omissions of any travel agent or travel agency other than that of Collette Travel Service, Inc. itself, and its own employees.

#### Where to Present Part A Claims

To request a refund under the Travel Protection Plan, please call Collette and send any unused airline tickets to:

Collette

ATTN: Customer Service Department

162 Middle Street, Pawtucket, RI 02860

If cancellation occurs prior to departure, contact the Collette Reservations Department. When a client cancels prior to departure, any refunds are processed through the booking agent.

Following is an outline of the Services and Insurance Plan Benefits provided.

#### PART A - Benefits Provided By Collette:

Pre-departure Cancellation Fee Waiver up to Trip Cost

The Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver is provided by Collette and is not an insurance benefit underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company.

Part B Insurance Benefits provided by United States Fire Insurance Company: On tour, insurance benefits are provided if you: must interrupt your trip or return home early for a covered reason; incur medical expenses for a covered sickness or injury; need medical assistance or evacuation; suffer a baggage loss or delay of more than 24 hours; or are delayed on tour for 12 hours or more for a covered reason.

SCHEDULE OF BENEFITS	MAXIMUM BENEFIT AMOUNT	
Trip Cancellation	Amount Purchased*	
Trip Interruption	150% of Trip Cost	
Single Supplement	\$1,000	
<ul> <li>Missed Connection</li> </ul>	\$1,500	
<ul> <li>Travel Delay (Up of \$100 per Day)</li> </ul>	\$1,500	
<ul> <li>Medical Expense/Emergency Evacuation</li> </ul>		
Accident & Sickness Medical Expense	\$25,000	
Emergency Evacuation & Repatriation	\$50,000	
<ul> <li>Accidental Death &amp; Dismemberment</li> </ul>	\$25,000	
<ul> <li>Baggage and Personal Effects</li> </ul>	\$1,500	
Baggage Delay	\$200	

\*This benefit is only applicable to Instant Purchase (nonrefundable) air tickets and does not cover any other land, air or water travel arrangements.

#### PART B Insurance Benefit Exclusions & Limitations

1. suicide, attempted suicide or any intentionally self-inflicted injury of You, a Traveling Companion, Family Member or Business Partner booked to travel with You, while sane or insane; 2. an act of declared or undeclared war; 3. participating in maneuvers or training exercises of an armed service, except while participating in weekend or summer training for the reserve forces of the United States, including the National Guard; 4. riding or driving in races, or speed or endurance competitions or events;

5. mountaineering (engaging in the sport of scaling mountains generally requiring the use of picks, ropes, or other special equipment); 6. participating as a professional in a stunt, athletic or sporting event or competition; 7. participating in skydiving or parachuting except parasailing, hang gliding, bungee cord jumping, extreme skiing, skiing outside marked trails or heli-skiing, any race, speed contests, spelunking or caving, or scuba diving if the depth exceeds 120 feet (40 meters) or if You are not certified to dive and a dive master is not present during the dive; 8. piloting or learning to pilot or acting as a member of the crew of any aircraft; 9. being Intoxicated as defined herein, or under the influence of any controlled substance unless as administered or prescribed by a Legally Qualified Physician; 10. the commission of or attempt to commit a felony or being engaged in an illegal occupation; 11. normal childbirth or pregnancy (except Complications of Pregnancy) or voluntarily induced abortion; 12. dental treatment (except as coverage is otherwise specifically provided herein); 13. due to a Pre-Existing Condition, as defined in the Plan. The Pre-Existing Condition Limitation does not apply to the Emergency Medical Evacuation or Return of Remains coverage; 14. any amount paid or payable under any Worker's Compensation, Disability Benefit or similar law: 15, a loss or damage caused by detention, confiscation or destruction by customs; 16. Elective Treatment and Procedures; 17. medical treatment during or arising from a Trip undertaken for the purpose or intent of securing medical treatment; 18. failure of any tour operator, Common Carrier, or other travel supplier, person or agency to provide the bargained-for travel arrangements for reasons other than Bankruptcy or Default; 19. a mental or nervous condition, unless hospitalized for that condition while the Plan is in effect for You; or 20. a loss that results from a Sickness, Injury, disease or other condition, event or circumstance which occurs at a time when the Plan is not in effect for You.

#### Non-Insurance Services

One Call 24-Hour Assistance Services Global Xpi Medical Records Services Included Included

**INFORMATION YOU NEED TO KNOW:** Benefits on this page are described on a general basis only. There are certain restrictions, exclusions and limitations that apply to all insurance coverages. This advertisement does not constitute or form any part of the Plan Description or any other contract of any kind. Plan benefits, limits and provisions may vary by state jurisdiction. To review full plan details online, go to: www.tripmate.com/wpF430C.

**The Part B Insurance Benefits are underwritten by:** United States Fire Insurance Company, 5 Christopher Way, 3rd Flr, Eatontown, NJ 07724 under Policy Form Series TP210.

**Non-Insurance Services:** are not insurance benefits underwritten by United States Fire Insurance Company. One Call 24-Hour Assistance Services are provided by: One Call Worldwide Travel Services Network, Inc. and Global Xpi Medical Records Services are provided by Trip Mate.

For inquiries regarding the Plan: Trip Mate, Inc. (in CA & UT, dba Trip Mate Insurance Agency) 9225 Ward Parkway, Suite 200, Kansas City, MO 64114, 1-800-888-7292.

#### Collette's Travel Protection Plan Pricing (per person)

Land Only Clients:

- \$70 adult/\$70 child for all domestic escorted tours under 6 days
- \$200 adult/\$100 child for all domestic escorted tours of 6 days or more
- \$250 adult/\$125 child for all international tours (except cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours)
- \$300 adult/\$150 child for all cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours

When purchasing pre- and post-night accommodations, including optional extensions, the number of days will be added to the total number of tour days, and may subsequently alter your Travel Protection Plan fees. Please confirm with your reservation agent at time of booking.

Air-Inclusive Clients (Collette Flex Airfare is purchased through Collette)

- \$100 adult/child for all domestic tours under 6 days
- \$240 adult/child for all domestic tours of 6 days or more
- \$280 adult/child for all international tours (except cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours)
- \$350 adult/child for all cruises, Canadian Rockies train tours, Australia, New Zealand, Africa, South Africa & Egypt tours

Collette's Travel Protection Plan can only be purchased by individuals who have purchased Collette Flex Airfare or Instant Purchase nonrefundable air through Collette. Instant Purchase air and its associated taxes, fees and surcharges require full payment at time of reservation and are 100% nonrefundable. This air ticket may be covered by Collette's Travel Protection Plan under Part B if you cancel your trip for covered reasons. Tickets may only be changed for a fee up to \$300 plus any difference in airfare for travel in the following 12 months; specific fees and policies may vary by airline.

For reservations, seek out the expert advice of your travel professional.

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