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## Optional 4 Days 3-Night Journey to Rome Post Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$2,020.00 CAD double, \$2,280.00 CAD single, land & air inclusive

4 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 1 Dinner

### Day 11: Athens - Rome, Italy - Extension Begins

Early this morning,\* travel from Athens on an inspirational journey to Rome and experience fascinating religious sites connected to the life of Paul the Apostle, recalling both his first and second visits to the city. Pause for a moment of reflection in the Abbey of Tre Fontane (Three Fountains), built on the believed site of Paul's martyrdom. At the nearby Basilica of St. Paul Outside the Walls, meditate on the Apostle's tomb. Then, visit the Mamertine Prison, where Paul was arrested, bound in chains and executed. After settling into your hotel in the late afternoon, join your fellow travellers for a welcome dinner featuring regional delicacies. Today, dinner will be included.

### Day 12: Rome

The day is yours to explore more of the Eternal City. Perhaps you will join an optional tour of the Vatican Museums\*\* and St. Peter's Basilica, taking in world-renowned wonders such as the Sistine Chapel and Michelangelo's mural of The Last Judgment. This optional tour concludes with a visit to St. Peter's Basilica, one of the largest religious buildings in the world; pause for a moment of reflection by the Confessio, the sunken area directly in front of the tomb of the Apostle which is dedicated to the Confession of faith by Peter that led to his martyrdom. Take time to reflect before an evening at leisure. Perhaps you will join an optional dinner in a popular restaurant, where you'll indulge in a hearty meal accompanied by wine and local entertainment. Today, breakfast will be included.

### Day 13: Rome

Begin your day exploring one of Rome's sixty Catacombs. It was in these underground tunnels that early Christians hid and buried their dead. The afternoon is yours to explore more of the Eternal City. Consider strolling through the Borghese Gardens for views of the city's skyline or meander through Rome's bohemian Trastevere district. Perhaps you'll venture back to the Vatican to join the Papal Blessing, traditionally held on Sundays.\*\*\* Today, breakfast will be included.

### Day 14: Rome - Depart for Home

Your extension comes to a close today. Say, arriveerci to Rome as you head to the airport for your flight home. Today breakfast will be included.

### Please Note:

The space on this extension is limited and will be available on a first-come, first-served basis. Applicable charges may apply at the time of request.

**Fully-guided** extensions are perfect for travellers who want the complete experience of a new destination and local experiences. Travellers will have a dedicated guide throughout this entire extension.

**\*\*Depending on the day of the week you travel**, you may be in Rome on Sunday, allowing you to attend the Papal Blessing in St. Peter's Square. The Papal Blessing is sometimes unavailable due to the Pope's travel schedule. You don't need to make a reservation.

**\*\*\*The optional tour to the Vatican Museums** may operate on a different day on select departures due to the availability of reservations and closure on Sundays and holidays. Dates and times are subject to change based on the availability of reservations.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 passengers is not met to operate.

**\*Due to tour scheduling, flights should arrive in Rome by 10:30 a.m.** The flight between Athens and Rome is separate from the land price of your extension.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at the time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

**The overall activity level of this extension is level 3.** This means walking and standing for longer periods (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and possibly anticipate elevation changes. Walking four miles daily is as doable as climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some longer days balanced with free time. This level is not a fit for travellers who require mobility assistance devices.

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