



The Best of Sicily

7 Nights

01 April 2016 – 30 September 2016



Summary

Discover Sicily one of the pearls of Southern Italy. Nature seems to have endowed all its wonders to this land: mountains, hills and above all the sea, with its incredible colors and its crystal-clear water. You can visit Etna, the greatest active volcano in Europe, you can also explore the wonderful places on the island on a horse's back or riding a mountain bike. Sicily is an unforgettable summer destination don't miss it!

Wild Discovery Advantages

- A proven expertise in organizing successful
- Experienced and knowledgeable staff
- High quality service & strong commitment to customer satisfaction
- Permanent assistance from Wild Discovery Head Office at any moment
- Attention to details that make the difference

Overview

Dates: Departure every Sunday
Interest: Family- Couples-Group
Level of Comfort: 3
Minimum # of passengers: 2
Maximum # of passengers: 20

Information about the destination

- **Currency:** Euro
- **Language:** Italian
- **Dialing Code:** 39
- **Banks & currency exchange:** Currency can be exchanged at major banks, exchange offices or authorized hotels

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Day 1 Sunday: Arrival – Palermo

Upon arrival to Palermo, meet and transfer to hotel
Dinner and overnight in the hotel

Day 2 Monday: Palermo – Monreale – Mondello – Palermo

In the morning enjoy a half day guided tour of Palermo visiting:
The royal palace, the Palatina chapel and the cathedral
Visit Monreale famous for its cathedral with byzantine mosaics
Optional excursion: Monte Pellegrino:
View of the city, its mountains, ocean and the sanctuary of saint Rosalia
Continue to the small fishing village Mondello, with 1 hour free time
Return to Palermo

Day 3 Tuesday: Palermo – Erice – Trapani - Selinunte – Palermo

Depart from Palermo to Erice visiting the medieval town on the summit of Monte San Giuliano
Admire from here the Norman castle and the cathedral
Stop at a bakery shop to taste the typical almond pastry of Erice
On to Trapani the ancient Drepanum, with its medieval district
In the afternoon visit of the archaeological park of Selinunte:
The ruins of the temples and the Greek acropolis
Drive back to Palermo

Day 4 Wednesday: Palermo – Agrigento – Piazza Armerina – Taormina Mare

Visit to Agrigento and a guided tour of the temples valley visiting: the temple of Juno, temple of Concordia, temple of Hercules, temple of Castor & Pollux
Continue to Piazza Armerina in the afternoon including a short break
To have a tasting of typical Sicilian food.
Hereafter you will visit the "Villa Romana del Casale", famous for the most beautiful Collection of late-Roman mosaics and later also the city with its cathedral
Continue to Taormina beach

Day 5 Thursday: Taormina Mare – Etna – Taormina

In the morning, enjoy an excursion to Mt. Etna and reach the "Silvestri Craters"
In the afternoon, visit of Taormina, situated on a rocky plateau on the slopes of the steeply dropping Monte Tauro
Possibility to visit the Greek-Roman theatre

Day 6 Friday: Taormina Mare – Noto – Syracuse – Taormina

Today enjoy a full day excursion starting with Noto, to discover the beautiful baroque in Sicily
On to Syracuse, one of the most interesting archaeological sites
Guided tour at the archaeological park, the Roman amphitheatre,
The Greek theatre, the ear of Dionysus, the cave of the Cordari,
Island of Ortigia, the most ancient nucleus of the city with its stunning cathedral
Return to Taormina

Day 7 Saturday: Taormina Mare

Free day at leisure



Day 8 Sunday: Taormina – Castelbuono – Tindari – Cefalu’ – Palermo

In the morning departure to Castelbuono
Continue to Cefalu’ to visit this lovely medieval town
Depart to Palermo
Transfer to international airport for departure flight

Selected hotels

Nights	Regions	4* hotels
3	Palermo	Astoria Palace 4* or similar
4	Taormina Area	Hotel Complesso Antares Olimpo Terrazze Caesar Palace

Prices Include

Round trip ticket to Palermo (economy class)
Round trip transfer: airport – hotel – airport
7-night accommodation at hotel
Meals: half board
All transfers in air conditioned motor coach
English speaking local guides
Half day guided tour of Palermo
Full day visiting Erice and the archaeological park of Selinunte
Full day visit to Agrigento with guided tour of the Temples Valley & Villa Romana Del Casale
Full day excursion to Mt. Etna & Greek Roman theatre
Full day excursion Noto, Syracuse & Island of Ortigia
Half day at Castelbuono, Cefalu and Palermo
Assistance of our representative in Italy

Prices Exclude

Airport taxes
Fuel surcharge
DIP surcharge \$ 5 / ticket
Visa fees
Travel insurance
Extras at hotels

Starting price per person in US\$

Hotels	Double
4*hotels	1735
• Prices may change without prior notice and subject to availability at time of booking	

Flight Schedule

From	To	Flight No	Departure	Arrival
Beirut	Istanbul	TK 829	04:00	05:55
Istanbul	Palermo	TK 1393	06:55	08:10
Palermo	Istanbul	TK 1394	09:10	12:15
Istanbul	Beirut	TK 826	22:50	00:40

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