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8 Day Slovenia Small Group Tour

Ljubljana

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DAY 1

Destination	Ljubljana
Meals included	
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Radisson Blu Plaza Ljubljana, or similar

Welcome to Ljubljana! Upon arrival to the airport, you will be transferred to the starting point hotel. Later on, meet your tour director, fellow travellers and get to know the details of your tour ahead. The rest of the day is free for you to explore Ljubljana at leisure.

DAY 2

Destination	Ljubljana
Meals included	Breakfast
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Radisson Blu Plaza Ljubljana, or similar

Start your day with a visit this colorful capital, Ljubljana. Your guide will take you around and show you the most important attractions, such as Preseren's square, triple bridge, fish market, the town hall and many others. To wrap up the tour, you will also take funicular up to the castle hill to learn more about Ljubljana and Slovenia's history whilst admiring amazing views from the top. The rest of the afternoon will be free at leisure, to enjoy city at your own pace.

DAY 3

Destination	Ljubljana 🚗 Maribor 🚗 Ljubljana
Meals included	Breakfast
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Radisson Blu Plaza Ljubljana, or similar

Drive to Maribor and beginning with sightseeing of Maribor, second biggest city in Slovenia, known as the city with the oldest grapevine in the world which is more than 400 years. The guide will take you through the old town by the river, where you will stop in one of restaurants for lunch. Some free time and then continue to Ptuj, the oldest city in Slovenia. It was the Romans who left a very strong mark here, with their gravestones, temples and roads. Back then the city was known as Poetovio. Later on, drive back to Ljubljana for the night.

DAY 4

Destination	Ljubljana 🚗 Predjama Castle 🚗 Postojna Cave 🚗 Slovenia Seaside
Meals included	Breakfast
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Casa Rosa, or similar

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Today your adventure will continue underground, more precisely, Karst underground. Your first stop - Predjama, amazing Renaissance fortress, built within a cave, a very different kind of castle you may be familiar with. Even Guinness book of records listed it as the biggest castle ever built inside a rock. Later, enter the queen of caves – Postojna cave, the only cave in the world with a train in it. The cave offers a unique experience of the underworld. After a breath-taking walk underground, enjoy free time for lunch. In the afternoon we drive to Slovenian seaside. Accommodation is at one of the comfortable seaside resorts - settle in, and enjoy free time to relax at the beach!

DAY 5

Destination	Slovenia Seaside 🚗 Piran 🚗 Koper 🚗 Slovenia Seaside
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Casa Rosa, or similar

In the morning we take a guided tour of the small boutique town of Piran. This Slovenian jewel used to be part of Venetian republic, so today the city's architecture reminds a lot of Venice and it is one of the most adorable cities in the world. After free time for coffee by the sea, you will visit Koper, a Slovenian coastal town that once used to be an island. Its medieval streets are just perfect for an afternoon wandering at leisure.

DAY 6

Destination	Slovenia Seaside 🚗 Lipica Stud Farm 🚗 Soca Valley 🚗 Kobarid 🚗 Julian Alps
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Rikli Balance, or similar

After a delicious breakfast, drive back to the Karst region, to learn about a very unique horse breed: Lipizzaner. These horses, which were bred for Habsburg monarchy, are famous for being born black and turning white as they grow up. We later continue to the emerald valley of Soca.

The valley of Soca used to be part of the well-known Isonzo front in WWI. We will visit the WWI museum and, after lunch, we drive to the Julian Alps region where magical views and pristine nature is waiting for you!

DAY 7

Destination	Julian Alps 🚗 Bled 🚗 Bohinj 🚗 Julian Alps
Meals included	Breakfast, Lunch, Dinner
Hotel	4 ★ Hotel Rikli Balance, or similar

Time for an Alpine fairy tale! With immense natural beauty, Bled and its surroundings magnificent lake, rank amongst

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the most beautiful alpine resorts of the world. Amazing castle on the cliff offers stunning views of the region, while an island in the middle of the lake can be visited by a traditional boat called “pletna”. After lunch, continue to the largest alpine lake in Slovenia – lake Bohinj. You will take a funicular up to the top of Mt Vogel, where your breath will be taken away by unforgettable views of Triglav National Park. Enjoy free time to admire this natural beauty and relax by the lake's shore. In the evening, join you group for a farewell dinner to share memorable moments of the tour and plan new ones.

DAY 8

Destination	Bohinj 🚌 Ljubljana
Meals included	Breakfast
Accommodation	N/A

After one last delicious breakfast, enjoy free time until it's time for you to depart. At the appropriate time, your included transfer will take you to the airport in time to board your ongoing flight.

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Inclusions

WHAT'S INCLUDED

- Incredible sightseeing including in-depth exploration of Ljubljana, Maribor, Ptuj, Piran, Koper, Soca Valley, Bled, Bohing Lake & Postonja Cake
- Small group tour of up to 20 travellers only
- English speaking Tour Leader throughout
- 7 nights accommodation lovely 4 star accommodation
- Breakfast daily, 3 lunches & 1 dinner
- Arrival and departure airport transfers
- Tourist Tax

SIGHTSEEING HIGHLIGHTS

- Explore Ljubljana, the picturesque capital of Slovenia as you ride on funicular to the uphill castle
- Discover Postojna cave on a guided tour
- Ride on a Pletna boat on the crystal - clear waters of Lake Bled
- Go wine tasting at Maribor, where you will find the oldest grapevine in the world

Fine Print

FREE DATE CHANGE PROTECTION

Book now, change later with our Free Flexible Date Change. Change your date free of charge for any COVID-19 related reason up to 35 days prior to departure. Date change must be requested prior to 35 days before your original selected departure. Once inside 35 days of departure, date changes may not be permitted. Date changes are subject to availability and any difference in price between the old and new date collected at the time of amendment.

The Free Flexible Date Change option does not cover cost incurred for components not fulfilled by Inspiring Vacations or in the event extra services have been booked with Inspiring Vacations outside of the standard package, including but not limited to airfares, pre/post accommodation or insurance.

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BOOK WITH CONFIDENCE

Inspiring Vacations has been globally recognised and awarded for its handling of COVID-19 during the pandemic. The safety and wellbeing of our guests is our highest concern during this time of uncertainty, and we are continuously monitoring the evolving COVID-19 situation.

We have adopted the advice of the WHO to ensure all customers can travel with the knowledge of how to travel safely and with confidence.

Australian owned and operated with 100% Australian Customer Service support

We are proudly 100% Australian owned and operated, with our head office located in Melbourne, Victoria. When you make your booking, you will receive dedicated and ongoing support from our team of travel professionals throughout your booking, up until you are due to depart.

Cooling off period

If you change your mind within 7 days of making your booking online, you can request a refund of your initial deposit payment as part of our cooling off period. Once your purchase date falls outside of the 7 day period, our standard terms and conditions will apply.

Please ensure that any request to cancel your booking is received via email to support@inspiringvacations.com, including the reason for cancellation.



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HOW TO BOOK & PAYMENTS

Deposit & Payments

- Please follow the 'book now' prompts to view the deposit amount
- A second installment will be due 28 days after your initial deposit of 30% of the package cost per person
- You will then be invoiced for final payment 90 days prior to departure

Booking Process

- 'Sign Up' first by entering your email and creating a password
- Then select the red 'Book now' tab of the tour you have selected
- Select your Departure Date, Number of Passengers, Room Configuration, any Upgrade Options, and enter any Special Requests
- Click the red 'Proceed to Secure Checkout' tab
- Enter your credit card or PayPal details to secure your deposit/payment
- Once your order is complete, you will be prompted to complete a Booking Form so that we can fulfil your booking
- Your booking is on request and will be confirmed by Inspiring Vacations once all components of your package have been secured with our partners, please see below for further information

Booking On Request

- Your Inspiring Vacations package is made up of multiple components and travel partners. Once your booking is made and passenger details form submitted, we will begin to confirm all of your arrangements. Please note, this process can take several business days to complete
- Once all elements have been confirmed we will send you an email confirmation, if we are unable to confirm we will provide you with alternative dates or offer a full refund of your deposit or re-credit your account if a travel credit was used
- Please **DO NOT** book any additional services, such as flights, until we have confirmed your Inspiring Vacations package in writing. Inspiring Vacations will not be liable for any fees or charges incurred to change or cancel components not booked by Inspiring Vacations should your selected package be unavailable

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

COVID-19

Due to COVID there maybe disruptions to standard operating schedules of particular components of this itinerary. Should a component be effected a substitute will be confirmed prior to departure.

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Fitness Requirements

While the tour itinerary should give you some guidance and overview to the expected requirements, to determine if this tour is right for you we categorise each of our tours in terms of their intensity.

These guidelines are to ensure that each tour group is conducted as expected and to ensure the overall satisfaction of all Inspiring Vacations customers. As a general rule, portorage is not included, therefore at all times you are expected to handle your own luggage where help may not be available.

Accommodation

The accommodation listed is subject to change. Any changes will be of an equal or higher standard.

Single Supplement

Select 'book now' and choose 1 passenger to show the single supplement for this tour.

Triple Share

Not Available

Travel Insurance

Travel insurance is required to protect yourself against the unexpected.

Tour Documentation

Final documentation including, e-tickets and cruise details, will be provided approximately 30 days prior to travel.

Group Size

Minimum 1, maximum 20 travellers

Tour Type - Fully Escorted

This tour is fully escorted by an expert English-speaking guide who will accompany you throughout the tour.

Children

Children must share a room with parents at all times and are charged the same price as adults.

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EXCLUSIONS

- Flights
- Personal expenses
- Optional activities
- Anything not mentioned in the itinerary
- Travel insurance (highly recommended)
- Tipping/Gratuities

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