

# TAILOR MADE JOURNEY Bavaria, Switzerland and North Italian Lakes

## INCLUDED WITH EVERY LUXURY TAILOR MADE JOURNEY

- One-of-a-Kind Itinerary Designed for You
- Luxury Accommodations
- O Exclusive Insider-Access Opportunities and Inspiring Sightseeing
- O English-Speaking Local Guides
- O Airport Meet and Private Transfers
- Full Breakfast Daily
- Entrance Fees and Taxes
- O 24/7 Buongiorno Travel On-Call Support

## DAY1 ARRIVE IN MUNICH, GERMANY

Arrive at Munich airport where you will be greeted by your Guardian Angel and transferred to your hotel by private vehicle.

Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten Kempinski Munich
Meals:

#### DAY 2 MUNICH | THE CAPITAL OF BAVARIA

Known by the locals as "the village of a million", Munich is a city best discovered on foot. Accompany your guide through the pedestrian-friendly streets, visiting numerous fantastic shops, markets and always busy beer halls such as the famous Hofbräuhaus. In the very center of the city is Marienplatz, a large open square where you can find the Old and New Town Halls (Rathaus). The second is a magnificent neo-Gothic building containing the famous Glockenspiel, a bell clock that reenact two stories from Munich history. Nearby, Frauenkirche, Munich's Gothic cathedral, has twin towers covered with domes instead of towers and has become the landmark of the city. Hotel Vier Jahreszeiten Kempinski Munich

#### DAY3 LINDAU | QUAINT ISLAND STREETS

Depart from Munich for Switzerland this morning and take a walking tour of Lindau to explore this historic island town. Enjoy strolling its narrow streets and see the sculpted wells and romantic inner courtyards. You may want to visit the Peterskirche, one of the oldest lakeside churches, a modest contrast to the luxuriant Baroque architecture found elsewhere in the city. After lunch at leisure, continue to Lucerne, arriving late in the afternoon.

Hotel des Balances Meals: Breakfast

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#### DAY4 LUCERNE, SWITZERLAND | LAKESIDE BEAUTY

The coastal city of Lucerne is one of Switzerland's most scenic landscapes and attracts visitors from all over the country and the world. Visit one of the oldest chocolate shops in the city, enjoy a cheese sampling, and take a break in a bakery. Enjoy the local ginger lebkuchen and pear strudel birnenweggen located by the river, where you can lose yourself while watching the swans glide in the clear turquoise waters. Soak up the atmosphere of the city during a walking tour with your local guide.

## YOUR JOURNEY



Visit the Altes Rathaus (Old Town Hall) along the way; Hofkirche, the first part of a monastery founded in 750; The Lion Monument; and the famous Glacier Gardens. Hotel des Balances

Meals: Breakfast

## DAY5 LUGANO | LAKESIDE VILLAGE

Go to Lake Como, stopping at Lugano, where you join your guide while taking a pleasant walk in the city. Before going to the historical city center, you may want to watch the city from the surrounding hills. Wander the streets lined with attractive restaurants and shops, and see the charming lakeside parks. Head to Santa Maria degli Angioli to see the famous Renaissance fresco created by Bernardino Luini. You can also see the frescoes of Chiesa San Rocco. Continue to Tremezzo and your hotel on the shores of Lake Como.

Grand Hotel Tremezzo Meals: Breakfast

#### DAY6 COMO LAKE, ITALY | SPECIAL JOURNEY

Take a comfortable private boat tour with your guide on Lake Como, Europe's deepest lake and a scenic landscape surrounded by beautiful villas and gardens. Stop at the stunning Villa Balbianello, one of the most stunning villas in the world. It descends from the mountains to the shore of the lake and serves as a venue in a Star Wars movie and A Month by the Lake starring Vanessa Redgrave and Uma Thurman. Allied Generals also used this villa during World War II. Next, visit the delightful village of Bellagio, an ancient sanctuary for the nobility of Lombardy.

Meals: Breakfast

## DAY7 COMO LAKE | FREE TIME DAY

Enjoy today in your free time, enjoy the beauty of the lake and your hotel freely as you wish; or take advantage of optional excursions available on request and for an additional fee.

Grand Hotel Tremezzo Meals: Breakfast

#### DAY8 O DEPART LAKE COMO

After breakfast, transfer to Milan Malpensa Airport for your departure flight. Meals: Breakfast