

West University Senior Center presents

# Rome & the Country Roads of Tuscany

9 Days

**March 16, 2021**



## HIGHLIGHTS

- 5 Nights in Tuscany- Montecatini-Terme
- 2 Nights in Rome
- Siena Walking Tour
- San Gimignano Visit
- Florence City Tour
- Academy Gallery- Statue of David
- Leaning Tower of Pisa
- Pisa's Piazza Dei Miracoli
- Lucca Visit
- Assisi Tour
- Rome City Tour
- St. Peter's Basilica
- Tuscany Winery Visit & Tasting
- Roman Farewell Dinner
- Day of Leisure in Tuscany

**Booking Discount - Save \$200 per couple!\***

## Contact Information

Premier World Discovery • Attn: West University Senior Center  
2615 - 190th Street, Suite 200 • Redondo Beach, CA 90278  
877.953.8687 • [reservations@premierworlddiscovery.com](mailto:reservations@premierworlddiscovery.com)  
[www.westutx.gov/parks](http://www.westutx.gov/parks)

Booking #140145 (Web Code)

# Rome & the Country Roads of Tuscany

## DAY 1: OVERNIGHT FLIGHT TO EUROPE/ITALY

Today board your overnight flight to Europe.

## DAY 2: ARRIVE ITALY!

Arrive in Florence, meet your Tour Director and transfer to your hotel in the Tuscan resort and spa town of **Montecatini Terme** for a 5-night stay. This evening enjoy a **Welcome Dinner** of Tuscan favorites and locally produced wine with your fellow travelers.

 (D) Overnight: **Montecatini Terme**

## DAY 3: LUCCA, PISA & TUSCAN WINERY

Travel to **Lucca** to explore the Old Town filled with quaint shops and Gothic palaces. Lucca's great era was in the Gothic time just before the Renaissance, and the city contains stunning architecture from that period. Later visit one of the most famous cities in Italy, **Pisa**. Here you will stroll into the Piazza Dei Miracoli to see the **Duomo**, the historic Baptistry and the famous **Leaning Tower of Pisa**. The tower is 180 feet high and no less than 13 feet off of the perpendicular; an amazing sight to see. Later stop for a **Tuscan Winery Visit & Tasting** experience where you will learn about and sample a selection of local wines while enjoying stunning views of the vineyards. Continue through the lush countryside back to your Montecatini Terme hotel.

 (B) Overnight: **Montecatini Terme**

## DAY 4: FLORENCE

Today enjoy a **Florence City Tour** featuring a visit to the Academy Gallery to see Michelangelo's original Statue of David, a truly awesome sight. Then view the Cathedral to see Giotto's Belltower and Baptistry with its impressive 'Gates of Paradise'. These buildings demonstrate the traditions of Florentine art and architecture from the Middle Ages to the Renaissance. Also see the open air museum of Piazza Della Signoria & Santa Croce, which houses the tombs of Michelangelo and Galileo. The insightful walking tour also features a stroll across the famous Ponte Vecchio Bridge lined with shops. Later explore this beautiful city on your own, shop for gold jewelry & leather items and enjoy an outdoor cafe. Return to Montecatini Terme and enjoy dinner with your fellow travelers.

 (B,D) Overnight: **Montecatini Terme**

## DAY 5: MONTECATINI TERME AT LEISURE

Today enjoy an entire day at leisure. Maybe stroll along quaint pedestrian streets and cafes located in the Montecatini Terme town center. Perhaps shop at some of the specialty boutiques or have lunch at one of the many restaurants. An optional tour will be available to picturesque Portofino on the Italian Riviera.

 (B) Overnight: **Montecatini Terme**

## DAY 6: SIENA & SAN GIMIGNANO

This morning travel to Siena, the heart of Tuscany. Enjoy a **Siena Walking Tour** as you stroll the medieval streets to the dramatic Campo, scene of the annual Palio horse race. Also see the town's famous black and white striped cathedral and enjoy some time at leisure. Later travel to the famous hilltop town of **San Gimignano**. The town is one of the most picturesque of Italy's perfectly preserved medieval towns with medieval towers, built in the 12th century. Join your Tour Director and fellow passengers on stroll through the quaint streets and visit Piazza della Cisterna, one of Italy's most beautiful town squares. Enjoy the scenic return to Montecatini Terme for an

evening at leisure. Relax at your hotel or step out to a local restaurant and enjoy the wonderful tastes of Tuscany.

 (B) Overnight: **Montecatini Terme**

## DAY 7: MONTECATINI TERME - ASSISI - ROME

Today travel south and into the Umbrian countryside to the beautiful hilltop town of Assisi. During your **Assisi Walking Tour** visit both the upper and lower parts of the great Basilica of St. Francis. Everything is in some way associated with St. Francis, who was born here in 1182. Later travel to Rome & check in for a 2 night stay. The 'Eternal City' is the capital and largest city in Italy. Rome, as a center of power, culture and religion, has exerted a huge influence over the world in its roughly 2800 years of existence.

 (B) Overnight: **Rome**

## DAY 8: ROME

Today enjoy a **Rome City Tour** and enjoy some of the highlights of Ancient Rome. See the Colosseum, The Arch of Constantine, Circus Maximus, Piazza Venezia, and the Pantheon. Later visit St. Peter's Basilica in Vatican City, the papal enclave within the city of Rome. Enjoy the afternoon at leisure to explore the 'Eternal City' on your own. Enjoy a cappuccino or perhaps visit the Treasures of the Vatican Museum, home to Michelangelo's impressive Sistine Chapel. This evening enjoy a **Roman Farewell Dinner** featuring great wine and entertainment.

 (B,D) Overnight: **Rome**

## DAY 9: FLIGHT HOME

Fly home with wonderful memories of Rome & Tuscany.

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## ACCOMMODATIONS

7 Nights Accommodations

- 5 Nights - Hotel Adua or Hotel Puccini, Montecatini Terme, Italy
- 2 Nights - Hotel President, Smooth Hotel Rome West or Church Palace Hotel, Rome, Italy

On some dates alternate hotels may be used

## Tour Activity Level

Easy **1** **2** **3** **4** Active

## INCLUSIONS

- Roundtrip Airfare - IAH
- Int'l Air Departure Taxes/Fuel
- 10 Meals:
  - 7-Breakfasts & 3-Dinners
- Professional Tour Director
- Motorcoach Transportation
- Hotel Transfers
- Admissions per Itinerary
- Sightseeing per Itinerary
- Baggage Handling at Hotels

<b>TOUR RATES</b>	Booking Discount*:	\$3695 pp double
	Regular Rate:	\$3795 pp double
	Single Supplement:	+\$650

\*See Reservation Info for Booking Discount details

# PREMIER WORLD DISCOVERY RESERVATION FORM (INTERNATIONAL)

## Reservation Form

Rome & the Country Roads of Tuscany  
 March 16, 2021  
 Booking #140145 (Web Code)

Make Checks Payable to: Premier World Discovery

## Contact Information/Mail Reservation Form to:

Premier World Discovery • Attn: West University Senior Center  
 2615 - 190th Street, Suite 200 • Redondo Beach, CA 90278  
 877.953.8687 • reservations@premierworlddiscovery.com  
 www.westutx.gov/parks

Enclosed please find a deposit in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$500 per person) to secure reservations for \_\_\_\_\_ # of people.

Premier's Travel Protection Plan (TPP):  Yes, I (we) wish to purchase travel protection (TPP)  No, I (we) decline travel protection (TPP)

Enclosed please find payment in the amount of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (\$355 per person) to secure the Premier's Travel Protection Plan (TPP).

Total Payment \$ \_\_\_\_\_

RT AIR GATEWAY \_\_\_\_\_ ROOMMATE'S RT AIR GATEWAY \_\_\_\_\_  
 see flyer page 2 for included group RT air gateway/departure city, additional charges apply for other RT air gateways

To avoid change fees, submit full Passport names (first/mid/last) exactly as they appear on Passports

Passport Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender  M  F

Roommate's Passport Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ Gender  M  F

Passport #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Issuance \_\_\_\_\_

Roommate's Passport #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp Date (MM/DD/YY) \_\_\_\_\_ Country of Issuance \_\_\_\_\_

Your Address \_\_\_\_\_  Check if Roommate's address is the same

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ ZIP \_\_\_\_\_ Tel # \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Mbl # \_\_\_\_\_

Emergency Contact/Tel# \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Name (if paying by credit card) \_\_\_\_\_



Amount to be charged \$ \_\_\_\_\_ Credit card #: \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date: \_\_\_\_\_ CVV#: \_\_\_\_\_

Cardholder Billing Address:  Check if address is the same as above \_\_\_\_\_

Signature Required (for credit card use & acceptance of terms\*): \_\_\_\_\_ Today's Date: \_\_\_\_\_

\*I (We) agree to pay according to the credit card issuer agreement. I understand and accept the cancellation fees/policy and other terms.

### DEPOSIT & FINAL PAYMENT

Deposit of \$500 per person is due with Reservation Form to secure reservations. Final Payment Due Date is 75 days prior to departure.

#### \*BOOKING DISCOUNT

Make your Final Payment by check prior to the Final Payment Due Date & receive \$200 per couple/\$100 per person Booking Discount!

- Initial Deposit can be made by check or credit card to be eligible.
- Payments after Initial Deposit are considered part of Final Payment & must be made by check.

#### ONLINE BOOKING OPTION

Save time, postage & secure your seat for this group departure. Simply type <https://res.premierworlddiscovery.com> into your web browser & use the Booking Number (Web Code) from this flyer to make your Deposit online in just a few minutes. No need to submit a Reservation Form if booking online.

### PREMIER'S TRAVEL PROTECTION PLAN (TPP) \$355 per person

The Pre-Departure Cancellation Fee Waiver (Part A - I & II) is provided by Premier World Discovery (PWD) and is not an insurance benefit. The Post Departure Travel Insurance Plan (Part B) is provided by USI Affinity Travel Insurance Services (USI).

#### Part A - Cancellation Waiver provided by PWD

**I. Trip Cancellation Waiver (TCW)** - Guarantees full refund on all payments, except the TPP Fee itself in case of cancellation up to the time and date of departure due to the passenger's personal illness or death of a member of the immediate family; or, if the passenger must return early due to the passenger's personal illness or death of a member of the immediate family, a refund for the unused land services. Medical/official documentation required.

**II. Premier "Any Reason" Cancellation Waiver (ARCW)** - Reimburses 75% of the cancellation fees in the form of a future travel credit certificate (FTCC) valid for 1 year, if you cancel more than 48 hours prior to scheduled departure for any reason not eligible for cash refund under the TCW (Part A - I). FTCC is non-transferable, may not be redeemed for cash and does not include any credit for the TPP Fee. The TPP Fee (if chosen) is refundable until 180 days prior to departure & cannot be added after Final Payment. The TPP does not cover any single supplement charges due to an individual's traveling companion cancelling prior to departure. The TPP is non-transferable and valid for each applicant only. The TPP does not cover any services such as airline tickets not purchased through PWD. Cancellations, Claims & Inquiries under Part A will be administered by PWD. Certain Exclusions and Restrictions apply.

**Part B - Post Departure Travel Insurance Plan provided by USI**  
 Includes coverage for: Trip Interruption (\$1,000); Trip Delay (\$100/Day-Max \$500); Baggage & Personal Effects (\$2,000); Baggage Delay (\$500); Emergency Accident/Sickness Medical Expense (\$30,000); Emergency Evacuation/Repatriation (\$150,000); Accidental Death & Dismemberment (\$25,000); Emergency Travel Assistance (24/7). Claims & Inquiries under Part B will be administered by USI.

For full Part A and Part B policy details visit: [premierworlddiscovery.com/TPP](http://premierworlddiscovery.com/TPP)

### CANCELLATION FEES

Cancellations not covered by the Travel Protection Plan (TPP) or if the TPP is not purchased, are subject to the following per person fees:

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|---|-----------------------------|
| - Cancel more than 180 days prior to departure:       | Full Refund                 |
| - Cancel 179-75 days prior to departure:              | Deposit or TPP* is Retained |
| - Cancel 74-45 days prior to departure:               | 25% of total price          |
| - Cancel 44-15 days prior to departure:               | 50% of total price          |
| - Cancel 14 days or less prior to departure/no shows: | No refunds                  |

\*If purchased with Initial Deposit

### RESPONSIBILITY

Premier World Tours LLC dba Premier World Discovery (hereafter PWD), whose vouchers are used by respective agents for the passenger in all matters pertaining to hotel accommodations, sightseeing tours and transportation, hold themselves free of responsibility for any damages occasioned from any cause whatsoever. PWD will not be responsible for any damages or inconvenience caused by late arrivals, departures and change of schedule or other conditions nor will they be responsible for any act, omission, or event during the time the passenger is not on board their conveyance. The passage contract in use by the airline concerned, when issued, shall constitute the sole contract between the airline and the purchaser of this tour/cruise, and/or passenger. PWD does not hold any responsibility for the conduct of any of its members, hotel, motorcoach, cruise line, train, airline or other personnel. PWD reserves the right to decline to accept or retain any person as a member of a tour/cruise at its discretion. PWD &/or its Tour Director retain the right to require any participant to withdraw from a tour/cruise at any time, if determined to be in the best interests of health, safety & general welfare of the tour/cruise group or of the individual participant. Arbitration - I/We agree, any and all disputes concerning this contract or any other material concerning the trip, or the trip itself must be resolved exclusively pursuant to binding arbitration in the state of California, pursuant to the then current rules of the American Arbitration Association. Payment of the deposit for this tour/cruise constitutes acceptance of these terms and conditions. CST #2048841-40

### IMPORTANT CONDITIONS/NOTES

- A valid US passport is required for this tour and is the responsibility of each passenger. Passports should be valid for up to six (6) months beyond the travel dates. All names must be submitted to Premier exactly as they appear on passenger passports.
- Itinerary and hotels are subject to change.

### AIR NOTE

Air Schedules may not be available until Final Trip Documentation is received. Air seats are assigned by the airline and sometimes not assigned until the day of travel. Air seat changes can only be attempted upon receipt of e-tickets and Final Trip Documentation at which time availability may be limited. If specific seat assignments or airline choice is extremely important to your reservation, we recommend you book land only and make your own air reservations. Please make this adjustment to land only/own air at time of tour reservation.

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## 2021 International Tour Confirmation Letter

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2615 - 190th Street . Suite 200 . Redondo Beach, CA 90278

**Customer Support Team & Reservations**  
Toll Free 877.953.8687

**Today's Date: February 6, 2020**

**Departure Date: March 16, 2021** **Booking #140145** (Web Code)

**Tour Name: Rome & the Country Roads of Tuscany**

**Group Information:** West University Senior Center  
6104 Auden Street  
West University Place, TX 77005

**ONLINE BOOKING OPTION**

Save yourself time by having your group members utilize our new **ONLINE BOOKING OPTION**. All the reservations get credited and booked into your group. Details below.

**Group Contact:** Toby Brooks  
**Phone:** (713) 662-5897  
**Email:** tbrooks@westutx.gov

**Deposit & Due Date:** \$500 per person due 6 months prior to departure

**Final Payment Due Date:** 75 days prior to departure

**Departure Air Gateway:** IAH

**Seats Held\*:** 10

\*Seats will be reduced to Reservations & Deposits received by PWD on the Deposit Due Date.

**Tour Rates**

**Commission**

\$2145 per person double - Land Only	<b>10%</b>
\$1050 RT Air Package (Commissionable) - Roundtrip Airfare*	<b>10%</b>
\$500 RT Air Package (Non-Comm) - Int'l Air Taxes/Fees/Fuel & Hotel Transfers*	-
\$100 Group Add-On for Fundraiser	-
<b>\$3795 Flyer Sell At Rate (per person double)</b>	-
\$650 single supplement	<b>10%</b>
\$30 per person triple reduction (see Notes)	<b>10%</b>
\$355 Optional Travel Protection Plan (TPP)	-

**\*\*Booking Discount (BD) - \$100 per person**

\*\*Make your **Final Payment by check** prior to the Final Payment Due Date & receive \$200 per couple/\$100 per person Booking Discount! Initial Deposit can be made by check or credit card to be eligible. Payments after Initial Deposit are considered part of Final Payment & must be made by check. BD is non-transferable & is taken off at Final Payment.

Own Air Booking Discount \$50 pp – The Booking Discount for passengers making their own air arrangements is \$50 pp.

**\*RT Air Package (Own Air Reduction)** includes Roundtrip Airfare, Int'l Air Departure Taxes/Fees/Fuel Charges & Hotel Transfers. Passengers requesting OWN Air must do so in writing to PWD 6 months prior to Departure Date. Services for passengers making their OWN Air arrangements begin at the first hotel and end at the last hotel unless Hotel Transfers are purchased. RT Air Package is subject to change until paid in full.

Hotel Transfers for Own Air Passengers - \$100 per person Roundtrip/\$50 one way

Day of Arrival/Day of Departure - Time Constraints apply for own air pax looking to purchase RT Transfers

**Hometown Transfers: Hometown Transfers are included with 10 or more full paying passengers**

Hometown Transfers are included from one-location within 100 miles of air gateway listed above. If your group hometown transfer is 101-150 miles from the gateway city a \$120 per passenger supplement is necessary. If your group hometown transfer is 151-200 miles from the gateway city a \$180 per passenger supplement is necessary. Hometown Transfers over 200 miles must be quoted separately.

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## TERMS

### Credit Cards

PWD accepts Visa, Mastercard, Discover and American Express for credit card payments. We must get a signature on the reservation form or PWD credit card charge form for initial credit card charges. We can also accept a letter of authorization with the cardholder signature and the amount to be charged. Credit cards taken over the phone must be accompanied by the 3 digit security code from the back of the card. For final payments using the same card as the initial deposit, authorization to PWD can be taken via phone or email by the Group Contact or Passenger. **PWD does not accept group leader/single source credit card payments for full or partial group final payments.** Credit cards for final payments need to be in the name of a traveling passenger. PWD cannot take overpayments for services not being rendered by PWD via credit card such as own air. PWD cannot accept credit card payments in excess of what is due to PWD other than commission due to group/agency. The amount in total PWD can charge on a passenger credit card for a group booking cannot exceed the amount due to Premier for the group booking (other than commission). Credit card payments cannot exceed the Flyer Sell At package amount or PWD provided package of the traveling passenger and his/her roommate(s). PWD can accept group leader/single source credit cards for deposits.

### Air Deviations & Gateway Changes

Any Air Deviation, Gateway Change or Own Air Arrangement must be submitted to PWD Reservations Dept in writing (email/letter/Res Form) 6 months prior to departure. Any Air Deviation involving dates of travel other than regular scheduled group travel dates will incur a \$150 per person air supplement for International Trips/\$75 per person air supplements for US/Canada. Any passenger requesting a different gateway (Gateway Change) from the group will not incur an air supplement but will be subject to air rate increases or reductions based on the Gateway. Passengers requesting Own Air will get the RT Air package reduction. One-way air, Triangular air or air involving stopovers is not permitted with PWD group air contracts (offer Own air reduction). Business Class or First Class Upgrades are not permitted with PWD group air contracts.

### OWN Air Arrangements

PWD is scheduled to book air arrangements for your group unless noted otherwise on page 1. Any passenger or group change to OWN Air must be submitted to PWD in writing 6 months prior to Departure Date. Group change to OWN Air must be reviewed by Inventory Manager to see if PWD has non-refundable air deposits out, change may not be necessary or penalties may apply.

**Late Bookings** (after Final Payment due date) are subject to air and hotel availability, and are normally subject to air supplements.

**Replacement Bookings – Name Changes are not possible.** Each Passenger Cancellation is processed independently of any new Passenger Booking.

### Triple Rates

Triple room rate reduction is based on a standard double room with 2 beds. **Triple rates do NOT include a third rollaway bed.** Room configurations vary greatly Internationally.

### Passport & DOB Information

A valid passport is required for this tour and is the responsibility of each passenger. Passports should be valid for up to six (6) months beyond the travel dates. All names must be submitted to Premier exactly as they appear on passenger passports. Dates of Birth (DOB's) are required with reservation for air travel. Copies of passports are required for some programs. Additional forms maybe necessary based on the destination. Travel Visas, when applicable, are the responsibility of the individual passenger. Please see the Flyer back for destination specific information.

**Cancellations** not covered by the Travel Protection Plan or passengers opting not to purchase the Travel Protection Plan are subject to the per person Cancellation Fees as described below. The Travel Protection Plan can be added prior to the final payment due date. The Travel Protection Plan cannot be added after the final payment due date other than for new Reservations.

### Cancellation Policy & Fees:

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Cancel 74 - 45 days prior to departure - 25% of total price

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**RT Air Package is subject to change until tour is paid in full.**

Name mistakes or corrections are subject to air change and/or re-ticketing fees.

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**Please send payments to:**

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