HIGHLIGHTS OF ITALY

12 Days: March 20 - 31, 2017

visiting

Venice • Florence • Siena • Assisi
Sorrento Area • Amalfi Coast • Rome

hosted by

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$3179 from New York

(Air/land tour price is $2549 plus $630 government taxes/airline surcharges)
YOUR DAY-TO-DAY ITINERARY

MON, MAR 20 – NEW YORK/ACROSS THE ATLANTIC
Depart New York today on board your overnight transatlantic jet flight to Venice, arriving the following day. Enroute enjoy dinner followed by a full-length movie.

TUE, MAR 21 – ARRIVE VENICE
Your exciting adventure begins as you arrive in Venice. Transfer to your hotel. Balance of the day at leisure. (D)

WED, MAR 22 – VENICE
Start your day with a sightseeing tour of Venice, built on 118 small islands lying some four kilometers from the mainland. Venetian highways are made of water and numerous, picturesque bridges link the islands. Highlights include St. Mark’s Square, the Byzantine Basilica San Marco, the Palace of the Doges and the Bridge of Sighs. Leisure time this afternoon for shopping, exploring or relaxing at an outdoor trattoria. (B,D)

THU, MAR 23 – VENICE/PISA/FLORENCE
Today’s drive takes you through the serene Tuscan countryside to Pisa, where you will view the famous Leaning Tower. Continue to Florence, the cradle of Renaissance Art and former stronghold of the infamous Medici family. From Botticelli to Da Vinci, the city is unsurpassed in art treasures and the glory of its history. Continue to your hotel for overnight. (B,D)

Dear Alumni/ae and Friends of Milligan,

This is it! The trip you’ve been asking for! Imagine the heart of the Humanities Tour you always wanted to go on! Imagine a walk through ancient history, a survey of European art and architecture, and a reliving of Christian history, all rolled into one amazing adventure. Imagine three of the most fascinating cities on earth—Venice, Florence, and Rome—with plenty of other stops in between!

Take a look at the itinerary. We begin in Venice, riding water buses, water taxis, and gondolas to places like St. Mark’s Square, the Byzantine Basilica San Marco, and the Doges Palace. Next we stop at Pisa with its Leaning Tower and its equally interesting church and baptistery. On to Florence and the flowering of the Renaissance, where David, Michelangelo’s masterpiece, awaits, along with the artwork of many others. We won’t miss the great churches, beautiful piazas, and unforgettable gelato either.

Next we stop in serene Siena on our way to an overnight in Assisi, a city “beautiful for situation” and renowned for the Basilica of Saint Francis. Then on to Sorrento and the lovely Amalfi coast before a stop in historic and haunting Pompeii. The climax of the trip is Rome, a combination of bustling modern capital, seat of classical culture, and center of Christian faith and artistic expression.

So this is it! The trip you’ve been asking for! We guarantee interesting and congenial traveling companions and great service by our tour company Nawas. We stay in first class/select hotels and have buffet breakfast daily. Most dinners are included but we will have plenty of opportunities to experience the local cuisine at street-side vendors and trattorias. There’s a great mix of guided tours and free time in each city for shopping and further exploration. We’ll be looking for your reservation form and deposit soon.

Hoping you can join us,

Lee and Pat Magness and Bill and Edwina Greer

TOUR FEATURES
- Round trip airfare from New York.
- $630 Government taxes/airline surcharges.
- Accommodations at First Class/Select hotels.
- Most meals.
- Services of a professional tour escort.
- Comprehensive sightseeing throughout.
- Admission fees, porterage and hotel service charges.
- $100,000 Automatic Flight insurance.*

*Subject to policy terms and limitations.
**FRI, MAR 24 – FLORENCE**

Your morning sightseeing tour takes you to the Piazza della Signoria where the Neptune Fountain stands, the Santa Croce Church, and the Baptistry with its renowned “Gates of Paradise” doors. Be sure to look for Giotto’s Bell Tower! To top it all, see Michelangelo’s original statue of David at the Academia. On to Piazzale Michelangelo for a panoramic view of the city and the Arno Valley. In your free afternoon, you may shop along the famous Ponte Vecchio or explore other Florentine delights. *(B,D)*

**SAT, MAR 25 – FLORENCE/SIENA/ASSISI**

Depart Florence this morning and drive to mystical Siena, a showplace of Italian Gothic with roots planted back to the Middle Ages. Enjoy free time before continuing through the province of Umbria to Assisi, birthplace of St. Francis. Born in 1182 as Giovanni di Bernardone, the legacy of St. Francis influenced religion and culture of the world. Your afternoon walking tour includes the Basilica of St. Francis, still surrounded today by ancient walls, the Church of St. Clare and Santa Maria degli Angeli with its “thornless rose bush.” *(B,D)*

**SUN, MAR 26 – ASSISI/SORRENTO AREA**

Travel south today through the well-tilled fields and orchards of the Neapolitan countryside to the cliff-top town of Sorrento. Overnight in the Sorrento area. *(B,D)*

**MON, MAR 27 – SORRENTO/AMALFI COASTLINE/SORRENTO**

Today’s scenery is breathtaking as you travel along the magnificent Amalfi coastline. Sheer cliffs and hillsides, olive, lemon and orange trees and spectacular views of the Mediterranean make this one of Italy’s greatest treasures. Return to Sorrento where you will see a wood carving display (Intarsia). Free time to stroll about or shop for fine linens and ceramics. *(B,D)*

**TUE, MAR 28 – SORRENTO/POMPEII/ROME**

Depart this morning for Pompeii, a city destroyed by the eruption of Mt. Vesuvius in the year 79 A.D. Visit the excavations where the life of 20 centuries ago comes alive with its incredibly preserved temples, baths, theaters and many dwellings.

Follow the Autostrada del Sole speedway across Roman countryside enroute to the unforgettable and Eternal City of Rome. Located in the center of the Region of Lazio, Rome is a reflection of every era. The wonders of Rome surround you . . . a world of art, history and culture that has been attracting visitors since the beginning of Western civilization. *(B,D)*

**WED, MAR 29 – ROME**

Your sightseeing tour this morning takes you to Vatican City. See the wonderful art treasures in the Vatican Museum and Gallery. View Michelangelo’s magnificent frescoes in the Sistine Chapel including the famous Last Judgment and The Creation of Man. This afternoon tour the remnants of “Ancient” Rome. Visit the Colosseum that once held 50,000 spectators, and see romantic Trevi Fountain. *(B)*

**THU, MAR 30 – ROME**

Enjoy a full day at leisure in fascinating Rome. You may venture to some of the city’s 400 churches, shop along the Via Veneto, people watch around the famous Spanish Steps, or relax at a trattoria . . . the day is entirely yours to explore the city on your own. *(B)*

**FRI, MAR 31 – ROME/NEW YORK**

Bid farewell to Rome as you transfer to the airport and board your return flight back to New York, arriving the same day. *(B)*

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**A word about NAWAS . . .**

**NAWAS INTERNATIONAL** has pioneered Christian Tours to the far corners of the world for over 67 years. We offer you the essential ingredients for a successful tour.

**EXPERIENCE:** There is no substitute for 67 years of planning tours. Our contacts, guides, knowledge of the area, and background guarantee you the highest quality service at affordable prices.

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GENERAL CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT: Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of $400 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Final payment, which shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions, is due at Nawas Travel 100 days prior to departure date. Nawas accepts Visa, Mastercard and American Express for balance/final payments only. Credit cards are not accepted for deposits or initial balances. Initial balance includes a built-in discount of 3% for payments made by cash or check. There is no discount on credit card sales. Credit card charges will only be accepted to the travel agency within 30 days prior to the date. Credit card charges cannot be accepted over the telephone. Tour members who want to use a credit card for final payment and who send in their deposit at least 10 days prior to travel at the time final payment is due for further information.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: A U.S.A passport valid for at least 6 months after the return date of the trip is required to travel to England. A visa may be required. Entrance fees and the services of local English speaking guides or tour leaders will be charged on all deviations in addition to any applicable due to additional costs as imposed by a supplier or government. Flights: Automatic one hundred thousand dollars flight insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed passenger, subject to policy terms and limitations. Deviations: All deviation requests from the group will be charged on all deviations in addition to any extra airborne that may be incurred. Air deviations are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines.

BAGGAGE: Airlines may now charge baggage fees for checked luggage on international/domestic flights based on the weight and/ or number of pieces of luggage, the weight allowance and baggage dimensions may also vary by airfare from the USA to the final destination and vice versa in private motorcoach. Nawas Travel reserves the right to charge for baggage that checked luggage in economy class not exceed 50 lbs with a combined length, width and height of 62 inches. Nawas Travel reserves the right to impose surcharges for baggage policies regarding baggage are subject to change at any time without prior notice. It is the responsibility of each traveler to ensure that they have the correct luggage and baggage information, regulations and compliance. Please refer to your electronic airline ticket receipt once received for airline baggage policy. Nawas Travel will endeavor to provide additional fees imposed by air carriers regarding baggage. Due to space limitations on Nawas motorcoaches, Nawas can only provide a carry-on luggage bag for each person with a total weight of 45 pounds (which fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of you). Wheeled carry-on bags are not permitted due to limited motorcoach capacity. Nawas Travel accepts no responsibility for loss or damage to the tour members baggage or personal belongings at any time. Baggage insurance is recommended and is available upon written request.

TRAVELERS REQUIRING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE: Disabled travelers requiring special care or medical attention may be accommodated on a case-by-case basis. A physically able companion must accompany any person who needs special assistance. Tour directors, guides, drivers of tours and other independent suppliers are not responsible for any denial of services to the disabled participant by air, rail, motorcoach, ships, hotels, restaurants or other suppliers. Nawas is not responsible for any act, omission or event during the tour program, including cancellation policies, cannot be altered based on any occurrence whatsoever and/or by any delays in the itinerary, or the acts and omissions of any IATA/ARC air carrier, cruise ship, railroad, motor coach, hotels, restaurants or any other person or reason whatsoever or by any delays or changes in the itinerary. Nawas makes every effort to accommodate all travelers.
12 DAYS HIGHLIGHTS OF ITALY
RESERVATION FORM

Please read the all-inclusive tour features and conditions. Then complete this handy form. Book early!

MAKE CHECK PAYABLE TO:
NAWAS INTERNATIONAL TRAVEL

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Accommodation Desired:
☐ double room sharing with..........................................
☐ single room ($795 extra per person)

Enclosed is my check for $..........................as deposit
($400 per person) for.............................................person(s)

Passenger #1:
Clearly print your full name(last/first/middle) as it appears on your passport

Name: Last..............................................................
   First...........................................................................
   Middle.......................................................................
   Gender: Please check ☐ Male ☐ Female

Address....................................................................................................
   City.....................................................State..................Zip......................
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   Date of Issue..............................................Date Expires.............................
       (day/month/year)         (day/month/year)

Date of Birth
   MONTH □          DAY □          YEAR □

Place of Birth........................................Country of Citizenship..............
   (city/state)

Signature Passenger # 1

Date

Signature Passenger # 2

Date

PLEASE INCLUDE A CLEAR PHOTOCOPY OF YOUR PASSPORT WITH THIS RESERVATION FORM

This reservation form serves as your acceptance of the policies, terms and conditions as outlined in the General Conditions of this brochure.

I understand that the all-inclusive tour I am purchasing is subject to supplemental price increases that may be imposed after the date of purchase. Post-purchase price increases may be applied due to additional costs imposed by a supplier or government. I acknowledge that I may be charged additional sums by Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to offset increased fees, taxes, airline imposed international surcharges, fluctuations in foreign exchange markets or any combination thereof along with any other items as outlined on the General Conditions.

I hereby consent to any post-purchase price increases and authorize Nawas International Travel Service, Inc. to bill me for such additional amounts.

______________________________  ______________________________
Signature Passenger # 1  Date

______________________________  ______________________________
Signature Passenger # 2  Date
GENERAL CONDITIONS

RESERVATIONS, DEPOSITS AND FINAL PAYMENT: Reservations may be secured upon payment of a deposit of $400 per person. No reservation is considered firm until deposit has been received. Initial deposit shall be deemed to be an acceptance of all the terms of our General Conditions. Space is limited and offered on a first-come, first-served basis. Final payment is due at Nawas Travel 100 days prior to departure date.

Nawas accepts Visa, Mastercard and American Express for balance/final payments only. Credit cards are not accepted for the payment of any charges. A $15 non-refundable fee per person will be charged on all deviations in addition to any extra airfare that may be incurred. Air deviations are subject to availability and restrictions as imposed by the airlines.

BAGGAGE: Airlines may now charge baggage fees for checked luggage on international/domestic flights based on the carrier’s International Air Transport Association (IATA) weight and dimensional requirements. The weight and dimensional requirements vary by airline and must be checked on the airline’s website or by contacting your travel agent. Nawas reserves the right to make changes in the published baggage policy based on the policies and requirements of the specific airline. Nawas cannot guarantee that checked luggage in economy class will exceed 50 lbs. with a combined length, width and height of 62 inches. Nawas recommends for all flights that each passenger carry-on a carry-on bag with total dimensions of 40 inches or less that fits in the overhead bin or underneath the seat in front of you. Overweight bags may be assessed a fee by the airline. Nawas cannot guarantee that checked luggage will arrive at your final destination with your group in the same order as your check-in. Nawas cannot guarantee that checked luggage will be delivered to your hotel with your group in the same order as your check-in. Nawas cannot guarantee that checked luggage will be delivered to your hotel in the same condition as it was at the departure airport.

Travelers shall be responsible for the costs of any additional baggage fees (maximum weight 50 lbs.) are included in the tour price. Airline baggage fees (if any) are not included in the tour price.

TRAVEL DOCUMENTS: A U.S. passport valid for at least 6 months after the return date of the trip is required to travel. It is the sole responsibility of the traveler to check with their airline, government, visa office or insurance company to ensure that all required visas/ travel documents for each country to be visited on their tour and for re-entry into the U.S. are valid. Visa fees (if any) are not included in the tour price.

THE TOUR PRICE INCLUDES:

AIR TRANSPORTATION: By any IATA/ARC air carrier or other scheduled jet carrier, in economy class, with flights and/or routings as may be required. Nawas is based on non-refundable bulk group fares. Cancellations made after air tickets have been issued are subject to full penalties as imposed by the airlines. Nawas strongly recommends that all group members retain both their ticket receipts and boarding passes as copies of same cannot be provided. Airline tickets must bear your first, middle and last name as it appears on your passport. Seat assignments for group air arrangements are made at the discretion of the airlines. Nawas will endeavor to fulfill seat requests, but cannot guarantee the airline will honor these requests. Nawas cannot guarantee specific seat assignments, nor will they guarantee that a request to check in at a particular area of the airport will be honored. Your airline ticket must be presented at the airport for use. Nawas is not responsible for and will not provide any refund for portions of trips missed due to canceled, rescheduled or delayed flights by any carrier.

TAXES/AIRLINE SURCHARGES: U.S. department taxes, overseas airport taxes, overseas local government taxes, security and other miscellaneous fees, and international departure facility fees (if any) are included (taxes/surcharges current estimate as of March 1, 2016 is $630 per person). Future price increases may be applied (maximum weight 50 lbs.).

SIGHTSEEING: As specified in the itinerary using motorcoach, sightseeing tours, and/or other convenient means as may be required. Entrance fees and the services of local English speaking guides or tour managers are included.

SERVICES INCURRED:

SERVICE CHARGES, TAXES AND PORTERAGE: Service charges and taxes normally included in bills, government taxes on hotel bills in effect on March 1, 2016, (excluding tipping) are included in the tour price. Nawas reserves the right to charge guests a $15 non-refundable fee per person for the use of a porter/purchaser. Future price increases may be applied due to additional costs as imposed by a supplier or destination.

FLIGHT INSURANCE: Automatic one hundred thousand dollars flight insurance policy for each Nawas-ticketed passenger, subject to policy terms and limitations.

DEVIATIONS: All deviation requests from the group itinerary must be received at Nawas in writing no later than 180 days prior to departure. A $150 non-refundable fee per person will be charged on all deviations in addition to any

Please note that healthcare/medical costs outside the U.S.A. are not covered by Medicare and many private medical insurance plans. Please consult with your health insurance supplier to obtain the necessary health/medical insurance coverage. The carrier reserves the right to increase the cost of the tour consistent with normal increases and international surcharges as imposed by the air carriers, cruise ships, hotels, restaurants or other suppliers. Nawas reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary, programs and the sequence of the itinerary, or whenever in Nawas’ sole judgment as conditions warrant, or if Nawas reserves the right to make changes in the published itinerary, programs and the sequence of the itinerary, or whenever in Nawas’ sole judgment as conditions warrant, or if

(state the laws of the state of Connecticut will apply. *California Residents: Please read the enclosed California resident Travelers Protection Act information required by the Sellers of Travel Act before booking.

Exclusive jurisdiction and venue for any and all disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by Nawas shall be in the state court sitting in Fairfield County, Connecticut, and you expressly agree not to challenge the jurisdiction or venue of such court, or to assert that such court is not a convenient forum. All disputes arising under, in connection with, or related to these General Conditions or the provision of services by Nawas shall be decided by the laws of the State of Connecticut, without regard to its conflicts of law provisions. Payment of deposit by participants constitutes acceptance of the terms and conditions of these General Conditions. The venue for any dispute is Fairfield County, Connecticut. The laws of the state of Connecticut will apply.

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