



LAKE MAGGIORE: LAKE LANDSCAPES AND GREENMOUNTAIN SIDES



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Piemonte - Verbano-Cusio-Ossola - Stresa

TRATTATIVA RISERVATA

1° Day: ARRIVAL AT LAKE MAGGIORE

Bus trip to Italy. Hotel accommodation. Dinner and overnight.

2° Day: CENTOVALLI-TRAIN AND SWITZERLAND

After breakfast depart with a guide for the excursion to Centovalli. Departure from Domodossola by train, you will see picturesque landscapes, dominated by forests, wild mountains, streams and waterfalls. Surrounded by nature, this route offers breathtaking views. After the Viguzzo Valley, the blue train crosses the Swiss Area of Centovalli to Locarno. Situated on the northern side of Lake Maggiore, Locarno is the warmest city of Switzerland. Then Bus trip to Lavertezzo, where the symbol for the Verzasca Valley is the famous "Ponte dei due Salti" the two arch bridge. (Optional) Start at the bridge with a walk between floodplains and mountains with imposing trees reaching down forest, and past cascading waterfalls. The hike also leads past an old wolf trap. You will pass Suspension bridges and narrow villages with stone roofs, always surrounded from the charming majestic mountains. Follow the course of the "Sentierone", the Tenore runs through out the Verzasca to Sonogno. Return to the hotel. Dinner and overnight.

3° Day: THE BORROMEAN ISLANDS

After breakfast depart from Baveno for a visit to the Borromean Islands, Open-air museum. The Isola Bella with the Palazzo Borromeo, Isola Madre with its rich vegetation and Isola dei Pescatori, which is, as the name suggests, a typical fishing village. The tour ends with a stop in Stresa, Queen-town of Lake Maggiore, in a panoramic position between the green slopes of Mottarone situated near some of the most beautiful villas of the lake. Return to the hotel. Dinner and overnight.

4° Day: MILAN

After breakfast, drive to Milan, and meet the city guide. You see the famous Milan Cathedral with the magnificent Cathedral Square and the Opera house La Scala, and many other treasures. Then you have free time to visit the city. Return to the hotel. Dinner and overnight.

5° Day: DEPARTURE

After breakfast departure for your home destination.

