

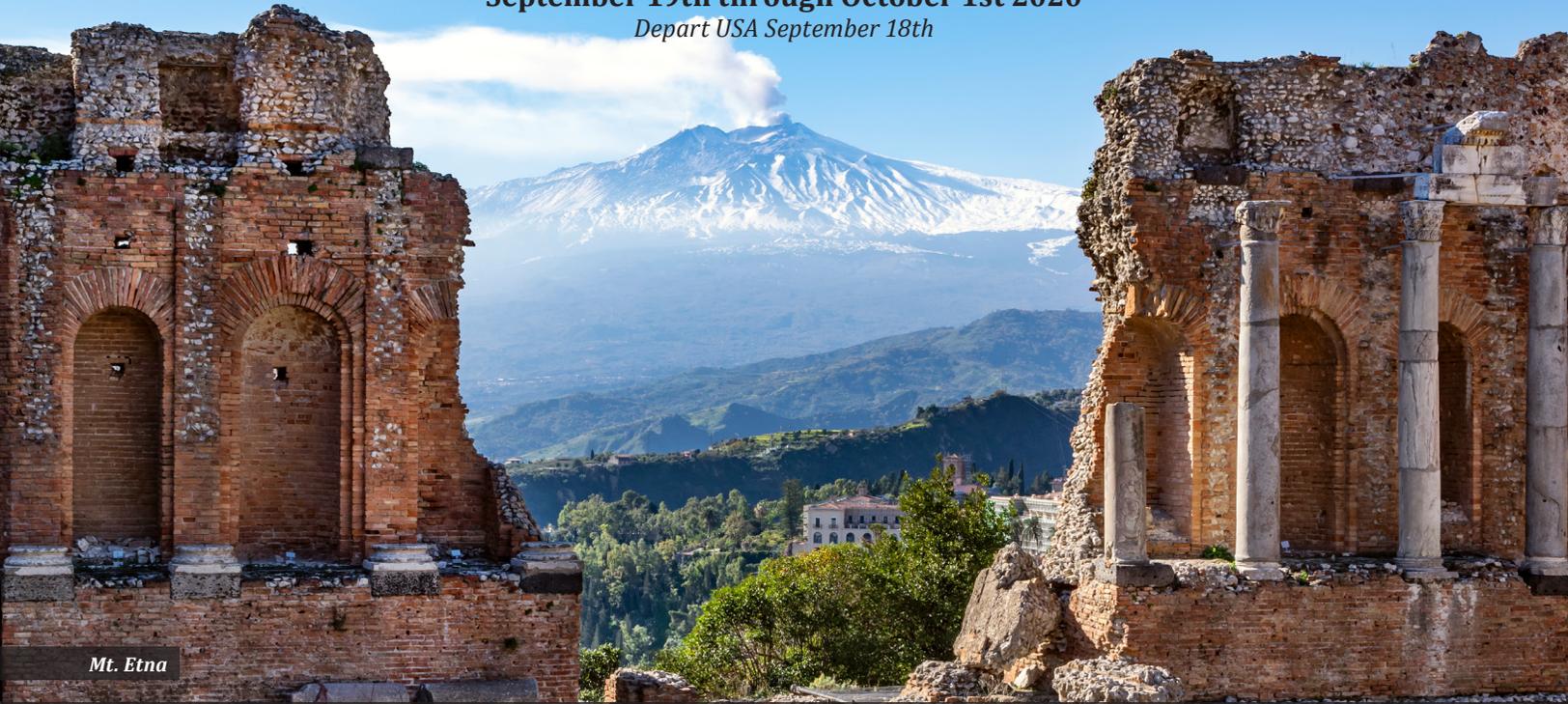
A TOUR OF SICILY

WITH CAVALIERE RIO VITALE

13 DAYS Traveling around this infamous island known for its cuisine and beauty!

September 19th through October 1st 2020

Depart USA September 18th



Mt. Etna

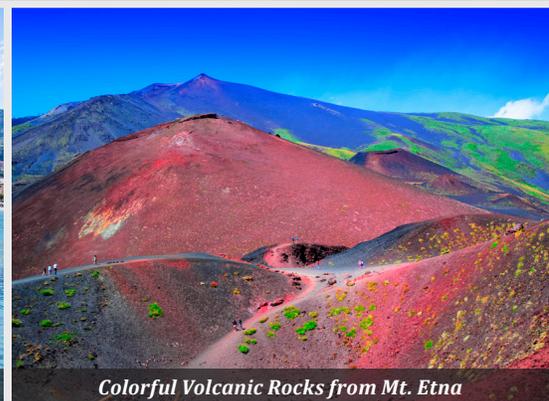
Join St. Louis native and “The Hill” ambassador Rio Vitale on a magnificent tour around Sicily, brought to you by Wherever Tours. Discover the many treasures that this historic island holds. Experience breathtaking views from the many coastlines. Stand in awe next to ancient artifacts and wonders. Be immersed in the Sicilian culture and savor the food and drink specialties for which it’s known. Expect no shortage of amazement while on this tour, a perfect blend of leisure and adventure are in store.



Traditional Ceramics of Erice, Sicily



Harbor in Cefalu



Colorful Volcanic Rocks from Mt. Etna

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Palermo Skyline



Monreale Cathedral



Erice



Trapani



Valley of the Temples

Day 1 Palermo

Hotel Wagner in Palermo or similar

Saturday – September 19th, 2020

Arrive at Palermo airport and be greeted with a Wherever Tours guide. A private transfer from the airport to the hotel will be available with scheduled departures*. A welcome reception with typical Sicilian appetizers will take place today. Relax and enjoy the fantastic hotel during the first night in Sicily.

Day 2 Palermo

Hotel Wagner in Palermo or similar

Sunday - September 20th, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

After breakfast explore the capital of Sicily, rich with ancient buildings, cathedrals, and gardens. Palermo has many hidden treasures such as the impressive Monreale Cathedral, an example of Norman Architectural style with over 2 tons of gold mosaics. In the afternoon, enjoy free time to explore the local shops and colorful food markets. Taste the local cuisine this evening, especially known for the fresh seafood with plenty of wine.

Day 3 Erice, Trapani

Crystal Hotel in Trapani or similar

Monday – September 21st, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

After breakfast, travel by coach along the magnificent northern coastline of the Tyrrhenian Sea to Trapani. On the way, stop in the mountaintop town of Erice with its breathtaking views. In the afternoon arrive in Trapani, known for its saline salt flats and the beautiful Cathedral of San Lorenzo. Tonight, enjoy more local food and wines produced on the west coast of Sicily.

Day 4 Trapani

Crystal Hotel in Trapani or similar

Tuesday – September 22nd, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch

After breakfast visit Segesta, one of the most well-preserved Greek Sicilian temples. Enjoy a food and wine tour this afternoon and discover one of the most prestigious wine cellars in the Marsala area. Have an evening at leisure.

Day 5 Agrigento

Hotel Dioscuri in Agrigento or similar

Wednesday - September 23rd, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

This morning travel by coach along from western coast to the southern coast. Arrive in Agrigento, located on the coast of the Mediterranean Sea. A local guide will highlight the important ancient treasures on a walk along the Valley of the Temples, dating back to the fifth century BC. Tonight, enjoy a tasty dinner with wine.

Day 6 Siracusa, Noto, Ragusa Ibla

Hotel Mediterraneo in Ragusa or similar

Thursday - September 24th, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

After breakfast travel by coach to the eastern coast of Sicily, destination Siracusa. Also known as the town of Archimedes, Siracusa is known for the beautiful island area of Ortigia. A local guide will introduce the amazing history and sights of this beautiful town. Stop in the town of Noto this afternoon, a gem of baroque architecture. Arrive in Ragusa Ibla, the beautiful southern section of the city, which encompasses more baroque period influences. Enjoy dinner featuring local cuisine and wines.

Day 7 Ragusa Ibla

Hotel Mediterraneo in Ragusa or similar

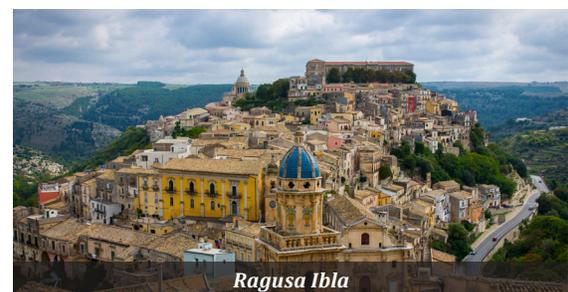
Friday - September 25th, 2020

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

Enjoy free time to independently explore the beautiful landscapes or the baroque architecture of the area. An optional experience to explore more hidden treasure of the area may be available.



Syracuse



Ragusa Ibla

Cancellation policies will be provided at or before the time of booking. Itineraries, hotels and restaurants are subject to change due to certain circumstances. Any substitutions will be of equal or greater value. Weather conditions are beyond our control.

3 Nights in Palermo, 2 Nights in Trapani, 1 Night in Agrigento, 2 Nights in Ragusa Ibla, 3 Nights in Giardini Naxos, 1 Night in Cefalu

Day 8 Mt. Etna, Zafferana, Giardini Naxos

Saturday – September 26th, 2020

Hotel Sant' Alphio in Naxos or similar

Includes: Breakfast, Lunch

Visit the highest active volcano in Europe, Mt. Etna. Then stop in the town of Zafferana and visit a local roscicceria to learn how to make the famous arancini rice balls. Indulge in some exquisite cannoli among other local foods and wine. This afternoon head to the hotel in Giardini Naxos, just south of Taormina and have a relaxing evening.



Zafferana

Day 9 Taormina, Giardini Naxos

Sunday – September 27th, 2020

Hotel Sant' Alphio in Giardini Naxos or similar

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

After breakfast, a short drive to the small village of Taormina. There will be plenty of time to explore all the colorful streets and shops overlooking the Mediterranean Sea from the eastern coast. This evening dinner back at the hotel.



Taormina

Day 10 Taormina, Giardini Naxos

Monday – September 28th, 2020

Hotel Sant' Alphio in Giardini Naxos or similar

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

Prepare for a surprise this morning and discover a hidden treasure of Sicily. After the surprise enjoy the rest of the day at leisure. The tour guide may assist in recommendations and attractions to go visit including beaches, Catania market or one of the towns the Godfather was filmed in. Enjoy a Sicilian style dinner this evening with Corvo di Salaparuta wine.

Day 11 Milazzo

Tuesday – September 29th, 2020

Eolian Milazzo Hotel in Milazzo or similar

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

After breakfast, continue the tour of Sicily by arriving in Milazzo, a town located on a small peninsula in the northeast corner of the island. Embark on a day cruise touring the Aeolie Islands featuring small active volcanos and amazing views. Enjoy a nice dinner in Milazzo.



Sicilian Village

Day 12 Cefalù, Palermo

Wednesday – September 30th, 2020

Hotel Wagner in Palermo or similar

Includes: Breakfast, Dinner

Travel by coach to Cefalù for an incredible tour of Sicily finale. In this beautiful resort town, there is plenty to explore with its rich ancient history including the Norman cathedral and gorgeous northern shoreline. Enjoy a "last supper" meal hosted by a local family with amazing music, food, wine and stunning views.

Day 13 Palermo airport

Thursday – October 1st, 2020

Includes: Breakfast

Today, say "arrivederci" to Sicily. After breakfast, transfer from the hotel to the Palermo airport for departure.

INCLUDED

- **Thirteen (13) / Twelve (12) Nights Days in Italy**
- **12 Breakfasts, 9 Dinners and 2 Lunches**
- **Overnight stays in 4 star hotels or equivalent**
- **Airport and land transfers between scheduled destinations listed on the itinerary (in Italy)***
- **All Gratuities and Portage (in Italy)**

**Transfers to and from airports are contingent on booking your flights through Wherever Tours and being part of the designated flight group the transfers have been arranged for arriving on day one. Additional expenses may apply if you need to arrange for a separate transfer. Transfers to and from your domestic airport are not included.*



Aeolie Islands



Cefalù



Palermo

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TOUR MAP



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Estimated Airfare **\$1,248**

Estimated Airfare **\$1,200**

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Estimated Airfare **\$1,200**

Estimated Tour Total **\$5,133**

Estimated Tour Total **\$4,936**

Estimated Tour Total **\$6,033**

Estimated Tour Total **\$5,801**

Estimated Optional Trip Insurance **\$315**

Estimated Optional Trip Insurance **\$303**

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