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CHRISTMAS  
TOUR  
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## OVERVIEW

*Our classical Christmas tour will take you to some of the best Christmas markets in Central Europe. Explore one of the most beautiful cities in Europe, Budapest, visit Vienna where the tradition of celebrating 'Advent' is present in every corner, continue to the Salzkammergut area to see some of the most picturesque villages of Europe, later visit the glorious city of Salzburg, the medieval Czech town of Cesky Krumlov and, finally, the amazing Prague.*

DAY

**1**

### **Budapest**

Arrival at the Budapest airport. Meet and greet with your private guide/driver, transfer to the hotel and free time. Overnight in Budapest.

DAY

**2**

### **Budapest**

We start with a full day to explore the spectacular town of Budapest at Christmas time. We visit the main attractions such as Buda Castle, Parliament, Citadel, Andrassy Avenue, etc. In the afternoon, stroll down the main Christmas market at Vorosmarty Square. The stalls offer a variety of Hungarian foods, mulled wine and shots of traditional Hungarian palinka. Overnight in Budapest.

DAY

**3**

### **Budapest – Bratislava – Vienna**

Morning departure from Budapest towards Vienna with a stop in Bratislava to visit the old town and to explore the Christmas market between the City Hall and St. Martins Cathedral in the Slovakian capital. In the late afternoon we continue to Vienna with evening arrival in the Austrian capital. Overnight in Vienna.

DAY

**4**

### **Vienna**

Full day dedicated to exploring the imperial city of Europe. Vienna is famous for having one of the most beautiful Christmas markets in the world. Walk around St. Stephen's Cathedral towards Graben street and through Hofburg towards City Hall where the Viennese Christmas market is held. Overnight in Vienna.

DAY

**5**

### **Vienna – Melk – Linz**

We start the day driving towards the Benedictine Melk Abbey. The abbey contains the tomb of Saint Coloman of Stockerau and the remains of several members of the House of Babenberg. We then continue to Linz. Its baroque scenery adds to the magic of the Christmas markets where you can try the traditional Linzer Torte or do some Christmas shopping. Overnight in Linz.

DAY

**6**

### **Linz – Hallstatt – St. Wolfgang**

In the morning we continue to the Salzkammergut region. It is known for its numerous lakes, surrounded by mountains. The main must-sees are definitely Hallstatt, the oldest and the most photographed village in Austria, and St. Wolfgang, known for an amazing Christmas market by the lake where visitors can experience some fascinating traditions. Overnight in St. Wolfgang.

DAY

**7**

### **St. Wolfgang – Salzburg**

After breakfast we drive to Salzburg, today fully under UNESCO protection. Visit of Mirabell Palace and its gardens, Salzburg Residenz, fortress above the old town and birthplace of W.A. Mozart. Salzburg is another location with plentiful of Christmas markets. Overnight in Salzburg.

DAY

8

## Salzburg – Cesky Krumlov

Our drive takes us to the medieval Cesky Krumlov. Walk through one of the most charming medieval towns located along the Vltava river and visit the second largest castle in the Czech Republic built in 13C. In the afternoon a stroll down the traditional Christmas market with lots of good things to eat, Christmas concerts and a live nativity scene. Overnight in Cesky Krumlov.

DAY

9

## Cesky Krumlov – Karlovy Vary – Prague

In the morning we head towards the popular spa town of Karlovy Vary (Carlsbad) which was founded around 1350 by Charles IV. Time to walk through the town, enjoy some fresh spa wafers, and, of course, shop for Christmas goods and goodies. In the evening drive towards Prague for an overnight.

DAY

10

## Prague

Full day to explore Prague. We visit Hradčany Castle, former residence of the Bohemian kings, the St. Vitus Cathedral, the old town square with its Astronomical Clock and admire the many spires and bridges from the Castle Hill. At leisure you can take a romantic walk across the illuminated Charles Bridge, shop for crystal, try Czech beer or soak up the Christmas atmosphere. Overnight in Prague.

DAY

11

## Prague

After breakfast, drive to the airport in Prague and end of our services.

### HIGHLIGHTS

*Spectacular Budapest at Christmas time  
Exploring the imperial city of Europe – Vienna  
Lakes of the Salzkammergut region  
Traditional Christmas market in Cesky Krumlov  
Christmas atmosphere in Prague*

## PRICES OF CHRISTMAS TOUR

PRICE OF CHRISTMAS TOUR (PRICE PER PERSON)

PEOPLE	IN HOTELS 3*	IN HOTELS 4*	BOUTIQUE AND HOTELS 5*
2	4.390,00€	4.790,00€	ON REQUEST
4	2.840,00€	3.190,00€	ON REQUEST
6	2.210,00€	2.540,00€	ON REQUEST
8	1.990,00€	2.290,00€	ON REQUEST

## PRICE INCLUDES

- Accommodation in double room with breakfast in selected hotels
- Private guide/driver along the whole tour
- Rent of a private car/van for the time of the tour with all expenses (fuel, parkings, insurance...)
- Local guides in Budapest, Bratislava, Vienna, Salzburg, Cesky Krumlov, Prague
- Entrance fees to Schonbrunn Palace, Mathias Church in Budapest, Melk abbey, citadel in Salzburg, Golden Lane, Prague Castle, etc.
- Organisation of the programme
- VAT

## PRICE DOES NOT INCLUDE

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- Airfares
- Meals and drinks not described in the program
- Personal expenses of any kind (phone calls, laundry, minibar, room service...)
- Travel personal insurance
- Tips

Date: on request (all year)