# SKOPJE TO DUBROVNIK

# **Deluxe Private Escorted Tour**

April 1 - October 31, 2025- Departure any day

**20 days / 19 nights:** 2 nights in Skopje, 2 nights in Ohrid, 2 nights in Tirana, 2 nights in Budva 2 nights in Mostar, 2 nights in Sarajevo, 2 nights in Split, 2 nights in Korcula, 2 nights in Dubrovnik, 1 night in Cavtat

| Skopje Hotel                       | Ohrid Hotel  | Tirana Hotel  | Budva Hotel                        | Mostar Hotel            |
|------------------------------------|--|---|------------------------------------|-------------------------|
| Alexandar Square<br>Boutique Hotel | Hotel Alexandria                                       | The Plaza Hotel                                     | Hotel Budva                        | Pellegrino Hotel Mostar |
| Sarajevo Hotel                     | Split Hotel  | Korcula Hotel                                       | Dubrovnik Hotel                    | Cavtat Hotel            |
| Hotel Europe                       | Atrium Hotel Split                                     | Hotel Lesic Dimitri Palace                          | Villa Dubrovnik                    | Hotel Croatia           |
| Meals                              | Tours  | Transportation                                      | Transfer                           | Also includes           |
| Breakfast daily in each city.      | Professional English speaking driver-guide throughout. | All transportation and boat trips as per itinerary. | All transfers as per<br>itinerary. | Tax & service charge    |
| 1 lunch                            | Museum entrance fees                                   |   |                                    |                         |
| 7 dinners                          | included.  |   |                                    |                         |

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| Rates US\$ Per person      | Twin     | Single   |
|----------------------------|----------|----------|
| April 1 - October 31, 2025 | \$15,830 | \$29,120 |

 $^{\ast}$  If 4 people traveling together (2 twin rooms), then \$500 per peron discount applies.







**DELUXE PRIVATE ESCORTED TOUR 2025** 

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# Day 1.

Arrive at Skopje airport and transfer to your hotel. Overnight in Skopje. **(B)** 

# Day 2.

Visit the first railway station in the Balkans, the

statue of Mother Teresa, Stone Bridge, church of St. Spas, Fortress Kale, Monastery of St. Pantelejmon in the village of Gorno Nerezi, which was built in the 12th century. Optional Lunch in a local restaurant. Later, visit the Church of St. Andreja Matka. Optional dinner in a local restaurant with folk music. Overnight in Skopje. **(B)** 

## Day 3.

After breakfast, **drive west to Mavrovo**. Take a walking tour of Mavrovo National Park. Near the park, you'll visit the famous village of Galichnik, which lies in the heart of Mount Bistra. Enjoy some free time before leaving for Ohrid. Overnight in Ohrid. **(B)** 

# Day 4.

After breakfast, **your tour in Ohrid** will show you all the main Sights. It ends with a walk through Ohrid's marketplace. Later, drive to the Monastery of St. Naum. After a short walking tour, we will have lunch at one of the many restaurants with a lovely view of the lake. Overnight in Ohrid. **(B)** 

## Day. 5

Drive to the town of Struga and drive to the Albanian Border. Stopover in Elbasan to visit "Skampa"- an ancient Castle from the 15th century. **Continue to the city of Berat, part of UNESCO World Heritage**, which is known as "the city of one thousand windows".Drive to Tirana and overnight there. **(B) Day 6.** 

Start your Tirana city tour, visiting all the major sights. Later, **drive to the city of Kruja**. On the way we will stop to visit a family house, where we can meet with the locals and try our traditional spirit -Raki. Headback to Tirana. Overnight in Tirana.

# DAY BY DAY ITINERARY

#### Day 7.

After breakfast, we'll drive to Lezha, where you'll visit the Memorial of Skanderbeg. **Proceed to Shkodra for an afternoon visit of the "Rozafa" fortress.** 

Continue to Montenegro through and then proceed to Budva through Petrovac and St.Stefan island. Overnight in Budva. **(B)** 

# Day 8.

After breakfast, **drive to Cetinje**, the historical and cultural capital of Montenegro. Here you'll see all the major sights. Continue to Njegusi, where you'll visit our friend's smoke house to learn about the prosciutto making process. **Later, drive to picturesque Kotor** and relax in one of their charming cafés or restaurants. Later, head back to Budva and overnight there. **(B)** 

#### Day 9.

After breakfast, the journey takes us to Trebinje. We head towards Mostar via Stolac and Ljubinje. Despite the many challenges of its turbulent past, the town aspires to maintain the coexistence of all the people that live here. With its Muslim, Catholic, Orthodox and Jewish shrines, Mostar is the only truly multiethnic town in this area. **Overnight in Mostar. (B)** Day 10.

Drive to one of the most-visited pilgrimage centers in all of Europe – Medjugorje. For believers, the most compelling site here is the **Mount of Appearance** where Virgin Mary is reported to have appeared to children in 1981 for the first time. Overnight in Mostar. **(B)** 

#### Day 11.

After breakfast, leave Herzegovina and **head to the heart of Bosnia to Sarajevo**. A tour of this amazing city gives you a chance to explore the iconic capital of Bosnia and Herzegovina. Overnight in Sarajevo. **(B) Day 12.** 

Full day tour of Sarajevo, visiting all the major sights. Overnight in Sarajevo. **(B)** 

#### Day 13.

Drive from Sarajevo to Split- through Jablanica and Blidinje Park. Sightseeing on route. **Arrive to Split** 

# and overnight there. (B)

## Day 14.

Full day **sightseeing tour of Split** including all the major sights. Overnight in Split. **(B)** 

# Day 15.

After breakfast, we **take the ferry to Korcula Is**land and explore the town. Overnight in Korcula. **(B)** Day 16.

#### Day 1

We take a tour to learn more about the island. We'll **take a boat trip** to one of the islets just off the coast of Korcula. Overnight in Korcula. **(B)** 

# Day 17.

After breakfast, we will **continue to Dubrovnik**. The town is beautiful, well-preserved, full of history and culture. Your private tour continues to the mountain of Srdj, with breathtaking view of the Old City Overnight in Dubrovnik. **(B)** 

#### Day 18.

After breakfast, take a **boat trip to Elaphite Islands**. This archipelago of a dozen islands located northwest of Dubrovnik is well-worth a visit. Only three islands -Kolocep, Lopud, and Sipan - are inhabited. All islands, except Sipan, are car-free. Islands are tiny with just one or two settlements, beautiful un-spoiled nature, gorgeous sandy and pebble beaches, and a slow pace of life. Overnight in Dubrovnik. **(B) Day 19.** 

After breakfast, Drive to Cavtat, the tiny coastal town of Cavtat is known for its Mediterranean vegetation, unspoiled waters, and diverse architecture. Overnight at your Hotel Cavtat . **(B)** 

### Day 20.

After breakfast, transfer to Dubrovnik airport. (B)



# **TERMS & CONDITIONS**

#### PRICES, TARIFFS AND EXCHANGE RATES:

\* The rates quoted in this brochure are based on tariffs and foreign exchange rates effective as of November 15th, 2024, and are subject to change without notice.

### TAXES, SERVICE CHARGES:

\* Most tours and package prices include government and local taxes, and service charges as specified in the itinerary.

\* In some cities in Europe, local city or resort taxes apply, which are not included in the package price (even if it says tax included) and are payable at the spot.

#### NOT INCLUDED IN THE TOUR PRICE:

\* Tour prices do not include charges for passports, visas and meals not specified in the itinerary. \* Personal and accident insurance, beverages, telephone calls, all items of personal nature or any

service not specifically mentioned as "included" in the brochure.

\* Having a valid passport and visa is the responsibility of each individual traveler.

\* Gratuities are NOT included.

\* Entrance fees are NOT included in the price of private sightseeing tours (or in private transfers) except when specified as an "included item".

\* Luggage handling is NOT included in transfer rates, packages, or tour rates, unless otherwise specified.

\* Transfers are NOT included with packages and tours, unless otherwise specified.

\* Train tickets do not include seat assignment except where specified as "included" item. Train seat assignments may be arranged for an extra charge.

#### DEPOSIT AND PAYMENTS

All bookings require a minimum 15% deposit at the time of the reservation. The deposit amount is nonrefundable.

With certain packages and tours, a higher deposit may apply.

Nonrefundable airline tickets, hotels and or rail tickets require advance payment beyond and above the initial deposit.

\* Full payment is due 45 days prior to departure for any package, tour, or hotel reservation.

\* Reservations made within 45 days; full payment is due within 2 days of booking.

\* Reservations made within 14 days prior to departure from the U.S. or Canada: full payment and late booking fee is due at the time of booking.

 \* Airline tickets, rail tickets and cultural program tickets require payment at the time of confirmation.
\* Tradesco Tours accepts Travel Agent's company check, Visa, MasterCard, Discover Card and American Express as payment for services.

\* Documents for any services will be released only once full payment has been received.

Please note: if full payment is not received by the due date, reservations may be cancelled.

LATE BOOKING FEE: If your reservation is made within 14 days of US departure date, then a \$30 processing fee will be charged, any special delivery expenses are additional.

Canadian reservations are subject to an additional courier fee.

THEATRE TICKETS: Confirmed theatre tickets are nonrefundable and not exchangeable.

All theatres reserve the right to change their published program without notice.

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\* If a reservation is cancelled 45 days (or more) prior to departure, your cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers.

### Between 20 - 45 days

\* Cancellation of an ESCORTED TOUR within 45 days, there will be no refund.

\* Cancellation of an individual tour, hosted tour, hotel package - the cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit, plus an additional \$250 per Person, plus 1 night hotel charge in each city, plus the price of any cultural program tickets, airline tickets or rail tickets, which have been already purchased and issued plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers. **Between 10 - 20 days** 

\*Cancellation of an individual tour, hosted tour, hotel package - the cancellation fee is your nonrefundable deposit, plus an additional \$ 350 per Person plus 2 nights hotel charge in each city, the price of any cultural program tickets, airline tickets or rail tickets, which have been already purchased and issued plus all revocable charges made by airlines, hotels, land operators and other suppliers. **Within 10 days** 

\*Cancellation within 10 days prior or "no show" are subject to the full cost of the package, tour or hotel reservation. \* There is no refund for any unused portion of a tour or package.

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a tour at any time before and during the tour. Travelers are advised that itineraries cannot be altered, however Tradesco has the right to book other hotels within the same or upgraded category than stated in this brochure even if the travel documents have already been issued.

Tradesco is not responsible for any delay, accident, or cancellation of flight or train. Regarding excess baggage and weight, please see the carrier or your travel agent for regulations. Once an air ticket is issued it is nonrefundable and not changeable.

RAIL TICKETS AND RAIL PASSES: Any refund is subject to a 20% cancellation chargeplus supplement fees.

Refund requests must be made in writing within 30 days of cancellation. The written request must include necessary information and the unused voucher, ticket or other documents to process the request. Once travel has commenced, there will be no refunds for unused portions of travel. Please allow a minimum of 4 weeks to process refunds.

PRICES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE. In the event of a price increase, the client will be subject to the increase unless the reservation is paid in full. Any changes made to a reservation for which the price has been guaranteed will result in the booking being re-priced at the prices in effect at the time the change is made.

**TRAVEL DOCUMENTS:** Please check all airline tickets and travel vouchers carefully and notify us if you see any discrepancy. Please re-confirm all airline flight numbers and times with the carrier 24 hours prior to the departure.

FARES AND SCHEDULES ARE SUBJECT TO CHANGE WITHOUT NOTICE. ALTHOUGH EVERY EFFORT HAS BEEN MADE TO CHARGE THE CORRECT FARES AND PROVIDE THE CORRECT SCHEDULES BEFORE THE PARTICIPANT'S DEPARTURE, NEITHER FARES NOR SCHEDULES ARE GUARANTEED.

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