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Join Pastor Doug Warburton on a Spectacular

Hidden Treasures of Southern Italy

10 Days – Naples to Bari, Italy • October 11–20, 2026

$2969* per person



Although Italy is full of wondrous gems across "the boot," some of its greatest treasures are hidden closer to its heel. In the Apulia region, known for its centuries-old farmland, whitewashed towns, and miles of scenic coastline, the water is bluer, the produce is fresher, and the pace is delightfully slower. This Undiscovered tour of Southern Italy invites you to kick back and live la dolce vita as you travel from heel to ankle, vineyard to grove, and clifftop to cave. From colorful Naples to the stunning 90-million-year-old caves of Castellana, you will experience Southern Italy's hottest sights—and coolest.

Magic Cruises & Tours, your local travel experts, and **Globus** have packed everything you need for the perfect vacation—from hand-selected hotels and dining to the friendly expertise of Globus Tour Directors and Local Guides (with headsets to hear every word), to seamless transportation between destinations and VIP access to the world's most iconic sites! Touring by private, first-class, air-conditioned motorcoach with free Wi-Fi.



We invite you to review the details in this brochure and contact MAGIC to secure your reservations. Space is limited, so join Pastor Doug Warburton and book today!

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See the next page for more details including the day-to-day itinerary!

DAY-TO-DAY ITINERARY

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Day 1 - Sunday, October 11, 2026

Depart from home and fly overnight to Naples, Italy.



Day 2 - Monday, October 12, 2026
Arrive in Naples, Italy

Welcome to Naples! At 6 pm, meet your Tour Director and travelling companions for a Welcome Dinner at your hotel. (Dinner)



Day 3 - Tuesday, October 13, 2026
Naples, Italy

Spend your day your way in Naples. Your Southern Italian adventure begins with an orientation drive of Naples, a vibrant city oozing in character and culture. Explore more of the city with your choice of included Globus Choice excursions.



Naples Hidden Gems: Discover more of Naples on a walking tour featuring the Piazza del Gesù Nuovo with its Baroque masterpiece namesake church, the historical street Spaccanapoli, dividing the old town in two, and the Santa Chiara Monastery complex including a visit to the stunning cloisters decorated with hand-painted majolica tiles.



Spanish Quarters Sights & Bites: Explore an authentic showcase of Neapolitan culture in the Spanish Quarter. Your Local Guide shares stories on a walk along the maze of narrow streets lined with traditional ground-floor dwellings. Look for the collection of iconic murals on Vico Totó and be treated to Naples' beloved sfogliatella, delicate layers of pastry wrapping a decadent ricotta filling. Enjoy free time this afternoon and evening. (Breakfast)



Day 4 - Wednesday, October 14, 2026
Naples–Matera

Hidden Gem. Drive into the hilly region of Basilicata to reach Matera, one of the oldest towns in the world. Join a Local Guide on a fascinating walk to see the historic center with its complex of "Sassi" houses built into the local caves and visit one of the Casa Grotta (house caves). Enjoy free time in the late afternoon and evening. 174 mi / 280km (Breakfast/Dinner)

TOUR HIGHLIGHT – Historic Spot. Matera is a city like no other, entirely carved out of the rocky slopes of a mountain in the Basilicata region and has been extended over millennia. Explore with a Local Guide to reveal the secrets of this unique city that also served as the setting for many famous films, including Mel Gibson's "The Passion of Christ" and the James Bond 007 film, "No Time to Die."



Day 5 – Thursday, October 15, 2026
Matera–Manduria–Lecce

Cultivating Culture. A scenic drive into Apulia, the charismatic region with the longest coastline, that forms the heel of Italy's "boot". Enjoy an interesting visit to the Primitivo Wine Museum to learn about the local production, followed by a tasting. Continue to Lecce for free time. 106 mi / 170km

LOCAL FAVORITE - Local Tastes. Wine holds a significant cultural and historical importance in Italy, making it one of the world's leading wine-producing countries. The Italian wine culture is deeply intertwined with the country's regional diversity. The Primitivo grape is the primary grape variety cultivated in the

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Special Features Included in this Tour:

- Guided city drive in Naples
- Globus Choice excursions in Naples – included in your tour with your choice of a guided walk through the vibrant Spanish Quarter plus a complementary sfogliatella pastry, or a guided walk to see highlights of Naples including a visit to the Santa Chiara Monastery
- Guided walking tour of Matera features
  a visit to a Casa Grotta (cave house)
- [LF] Primitivo wine museum visit plus tasting
- Guided walking tour in Lecce includes Duomo and Santa Croce Basilica
- Visit Ostuni
- Guided walking tour in Alberobello includes a visit to a Trullo (traditional stone conical-roof hut)
- [LF] Guided visit to the Castellana Grotte underground cave system
- Guided walking tour in Bari features the Old Town and San Nicola's Church
- [LF] Local specialty cooking demonstration
- Local olive oil tasting

World Heritage Sites...

are designated by the United Nations Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) for having cultural, historical, scientific or other form of significance. The sites are judged to contain cultural and natural heritage around the world considered to be of outstanding value to humanity. **The following UNESCO World Heritage Sites** can be seen or visited on this vacation:

- Historic Centre of Naples
- The Trulli of Alberobello
- The Sassi of Matera (See only)

Manduria region, and it is known for producing robust and full-bodied red wines with rich fruit flavors. Its name derives from the tendency of the grape to mature early. (Breakfast/Dinner)



Day 6 - Friday, October 16, 2026
Lecce

Sweet Strolls in Apulia. This morning, discover why Lecce is often referred to as the "Florence of the South" when you follow your Local Guide for a walking tour of Lecce's beautiful historic center, rich in Baroque architecture. Visit the Duomo with its distinctive bell tower and the Basilica of Santa Croce that took over 200 years to complete Enjoy free time this afternoon and evening, time to browse at leisure and sample some of the region's delicious specialties.

TOUR HIGHLIGHT – Cultural Gem. Stroll around Lecce to take in the vibrant and bustling atmosphere. Wander the narrow streets of golden sandstone looking for hidden Piazzas, or, relax in a wine bar and indulge in a glass of local rosé and views of the carved baroque churches the city has to offer around each corner. (Breakfast)



Day 7, - Saturday, October 17, 2026
Lecce–Ostuni–Alberobello Area

Stone Houses. Visit Ostuni, a stunning white hilltop town. Explore the charming streets and admire the views before savoring an olive oil tasting and light lunch of local specialties. Once in Alberobello, join your Local Guide for a walking tour through the Trulli-lined streets, including an interior visit of a Trullo (traditional conical-roof house) to discover how people live there.

TOUR HIGHLIGHT – Art & Architecture. The iconic round houses (Trulli) date back hundreds of years. These Trulli, constructed of dry stone and cone-shaped roofs, include the oldest structures built in the 16th century and were used as grain storage or residences. Made without cement in the masonry techniques of the day, these whitewashed homes were easily disassembled to avoid property taxes when the collectors came calling! Today, you can stroll the streets lined with Trulli houses to see their conical rooftops decorated with symbols such as a cross, heart, astronomical symbol, or the evil eye. 75 mi / 120km (Breakfast, Lunch)



Day 8 - Sunday, October 18, 2026
Alberobello Area: Excursion to Castellana Grotte

Stalactites & Stalagmites, A short drive this morning to Castellana Grotte. Descend underground for a fascinating guided visit and walk through some of the most suggestive caves. Return to the hotel and enjoy free time this afternoon and evening.
31 mi / 50 km

TOUR HIGHLIGHT – Historic Spot. The Grotte di Castellana is one of the largest cave systems in Italy, stretching for over two miles. The underground tunnels are a natural marvel with stunning geological formations illuminated in a rainbow of hues as the sun moves through the sky. (Breakfast/Dinner)



Day 9 - Monday, October 19, 2026
Alberobello Area: Excursion to Bari

Old Town and Old Saint Nicholas. Drive to the vibrant port city of Bari and meet your Local Guide for a walking tour of Bari Vecchia, the city's oldest district, including a visit to the Basilica of San Nicola. Later, enjoy a cooking demonstration of local specialties, followed by a farewell dinner at a local restaurant.
81 mi / 130km

TOUR HIGHLIGHT – Culture & Tradition. Bari combines historical charm with modern amenities, culinary tradition, and cultural attractions. The city's markets, such as the Mercato Coperto, o!er a vibrant showcase of fresh local produce and culinary delights. A major point of interest is the Basilica di San Nicola that holds the relics of Saint Nicholas who was the inspiration for the modern-day Santa Claus. (Breakfast/Dinner)



Day 10 - Tuesday, October 20, 2026
Alberobello Area

Your vacation ends with breakfast this morning. Safe travels home and enjoy your memories!

Extra nights in **Naples** before the start of the tour can be added for $156 per person (double occupancy). Ask MAGIC for details.

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ACCOMMODATIONS

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Hand-picked Accommodations

Globus has vetted and hand-selected the best hotels around the world with location, comfort, and style in mind. Enjoy first-class hotels in each destination, and check in with the confidence that they've already checked everything out for your comfort and convenience.

Hidden Treasures of Southern Italy Hotels Include:



Naples - Starhotel Terminus

The Starhotels Terminus is a romantic 4-star hotel in the historic centre of Naples, near the train station and the bustling Piazza Garibaldi. The panoramic terrace on the 7th floor overlooks the Bay of Naples, making it the perfect setting for romantic evenings. Amenities include on-site restaurant offering both international and typical Neapolitan cuisine, a bar/lounge for light snacks and exquisite cocktails, free WiFi, cable/satellite and more.



Matera - Hotel Del Campo

Set in a former 18th century aristocratic residence with beautiful ancient gardens, this charming 4-star hotel is located just outside the centre of Matera within easy reach of the Sassi UNESCO site. The hotel restaurant serves delicious local specialties in the historic dining room together with an extensive choice of traditional wines from Basilicata. Amenities include large rooms, swimming pool, air conditioning, and free WiFi.



Lecca - Hilton Garden Inn

Set in the heart of the Salentine Peninsula, this contemporary hotel is just a short distance from the stunning attractions of Lecce's historic city center. Guests enjoy comfortable rooms, free WiFi, fitness center, beauty & spa facility and a seasonal rooftop outdoor swimming pool with views of the city skyline. A full-service restaurant offers inspired Italian cuisine in a contemporary and refined atmosphere.



Alberobello Area - Grand Hotel D'Aragona

Located close to some of Apulia's most important attractions like Alberobello, Polignano a Mare and Ostuni, this hotel is a great choice for exploring the region. All its air-conditioned rooms have flat-screen/satellite TV and mini-bar. Other amenities include an elegant restaurant serving local dishes and two swimming pools. Free Wi-Fi access is available in public areas.

Note: Hotels subject to change. Hotel properties will be confirmed 30 days prior to departure.

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Space Is Limited, So Book Early For The Best Choice Of Accommodations

10 Days – $2969 per person* | Single Occupancy $3399 (on request)

Your vacation includes breakfast each day, one lunch and three dinners!

Secure your reservations now with a non-refundable deposit of only $250 per person.

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