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# **CROACIA** Splic, Makarska, Dubrovnik April 21- April 30, 2022

### Day I Departure

Depart for Croatia, with its stunning walled cities, delicious local cuisine, and an extraordinarily beautiful coastline, Croatia impresses and dazzles visitors.

### Day 2 – 4 Split, Croatia

Arrive in Split and check into our hotel. Gather at our hotel where you will meet the group and our tour manager. Time for exploration with our tour manager and an included meal on our first night. Experience the authentic Adriatic lifestyle in Split, the largest city along the sea's coast and see its highlights on your guided tour. Explore the Old Town's nooks and crannies, step inside Diocletian's Palace (a Unesco World Heritage Site) and one of the world's most impressive Roman monuments, see some of the historic city gates, the waterfront promenade, and some of the best Roman ruins this side of Italy. A maze of narrow alleys is home to fashionable boutiques and galleries, and wonderfully atmospheric cafés. Enjoy free time, sample local cuisine, or head in nearly any direction on a day trip and uncover somewhere new and amazing. The things to see in Croatia outside of Split could be other cities, national parks, or Adriatic island getaways.



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# Day 5 - 6 Makarska, Croatia

Makarska is a beautiful small coastal city in the southern part of the Dalmatian region located under the beautiful mountain of Biokovo. Our guided tour includes the picturesque old town of Makarska, discover the historic town center, small romantic alleys and squares, including the famous square Kacicev Trg with the church St. Mark. In the local market regional delicacies are available as well as fresh fruits and vegetables. The picturesque harbor promenade of Makarska is beautiful and absolutely worth seeing. Along the promenade are numerous cozy restaurants and cafes where you can enjoy typical dishes, the lively hustle and bustle and an amazing view of the harbor and the sea. During your free time there are many activities and excursions available for the visitor, including hikes in Biokovo Nature Park or Osejava Forest Park, island hopping to Hvar and/or Brac, or an excursion to Medugorje, one of the most famous Catholic pilgrimage sites.

## Day 7 - 9 Dubrovnik, Croatia

Transfer to Dubrovnik via Ston. Ston is a small fortified town well known for it's medieval walls. Time for lunch in this historic town well known for oyster production as well as for the centuries long production of sea salt. Sample local wines in a scheduled wine tasting. Continue to Dubrovnik, also known as the "Pearl of the Adriatic" and where we have a guided tour. Dubrovnik was added to the UNESCO list of World Heritage Sites in recognition of its outstanding medieval architecture and fortified old town. Highlights include the ornate Onofrio's Fountain, the Franciscan Monastery (home to one of the oldest functioning pharmacies in Europe and an impressive 14th-century Gothic cloister), the Church of Saint Blaise and Orlando's Column. Dubrovnik was chosen as one of the main filming locations for "Game of Thrones" and fans might recognize several scene locations. In your free time, for a spectacular view, hop on the Dubrovnik Cable Car for an incredible 4 minute ride to the peak of the city on top of Mount Srd.View the Old Town and beyond from up high. Enjoy your free time sampling local cuisine, shopping, soaking up the incredible old world atmosphere or taking one of the many and varied day trips from Dubrovnik.

# Day 10 Return to U.S.

Depart for the U.S. taking with you the treasured memories of our adventure in Croatia and the Adriatic Riviera.

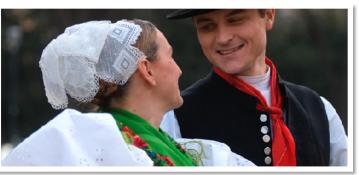


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# **CROATIA** \$3,595.00\* - Land Only

Hotels, point-to-point transportation while in Croatia,\*\* all breakfasts, 3 evening meals, entry fees and/or transportation for included tours **Rolando Steigleder - European Tour Manager** 

# This trip is limited to 25 adult participants.

\*discounted price for payment with check or cash \*\*starts at first hotel and ends at last

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