

FROM THE PORT OF LA SPEZIA

The Cinque Terre



DURATION

10 hr



TOUR DIFFICULTY

EASY MEDIUM HARD

Your driver will pick you up directly at your cruise ship for a tour ideal for those looking for a different experience on their shore excursion from the port of Livorno. The aura of isolation that has surrounded the small ancient coastal villages known as the “Cinque Terre”, together with their dramatic coastal scenery, has made this unique area of Italy an ever more important attraction for visitors. Built in ancient times by people seeking refuge from the invading barbarians, lying between the mountains and the sea, the people for centuries endured an isolated life. The five villages were only reached by the outside world about one hundred years ago, when the railway line was built.

At Riomaggiore, the first stop, your guide will escort you on a walk along the easy “lovers walk” trail that affords magnificent views of the coastline. The path permits a view of the Ligurian Sea which plummets below the majestic Apennine Mountains that ring the five villages as well as affording incredible views of the coastline. From there your driver will transport you to explore Manarola, the most photogenic of the five villages with its myriad of narrow alleys and pretty pastel colored buildings that form the squares.

After lunch at a trattoria overlooking the Ligurian sea you’ll take a shared boat tour along the coastline to Vernazza, another enchanting village with its meandering narrow alleys and splendid vistas. Your final destination is Corniglia, a medieval hamlet that rests on a hilltop above the sea where you will enjoy some of the finest views of the Cinque Terre and indulge in wine tastings of some of its celebrated wines that have been produced here since Roman times.





Highlights Of Your Excursion

- English-speaking driver and private vehicle.
- Licensed Expert English-speaking guide.
- Tour of the villages of the Cinque Terre:
Riomaggiore, Vernazza, Manarola and Corniglia.
- Easy optional walk along the famous coastal footpath between Riomaggiore and Manarola.
- Shared boat ride along the Coastline between Manarola and Vernazza. Fees are included.
- Lunch at a local selected trattoria.
- Wine Tasting in Corniglia before departure.



IMPORTANT NOTE:



- * Booking must be made 72 hours prior to the excursion.
- * Group size availability: 1-7 people.
- * For larger groups, please contact us.

OTHER INFORMATION



- This La Spezia shore excursion to Cinque Terre departs from and returns to your cruise ship.
- This is a Private Tour.
- This tour is not fully accessible for wheelchair users or people with walking disabilities. However, please contact us directly and we will be able to take you on alternative routes suitable for you.
- Public boats operate subject to weather conditions and along the Cinque Terre until about the 3rd week of October. When boats are not operative transfer between towns will be train or by minivan.
- There is a dress code for churches and basilicas. Shoulders and knees must be covered; shorts, miniskirts and sleeveless shirts are not permitted. It is recommended that you not take large bags or backpacks on tours that include churches as storage accommodations are not always available.
- The Via Dell'Amore is only partially open to the public due to a mud slide that has most of the trail inaccessible. In the meantime, transfer from Riomaggiore to Manarola will be made in your private vehicle.
- Please refer to our website for our Cancellation Policy.

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