



Discovering Sicilian roots

Tour in Sicily living emotions of ancient traditions, discovering interesting little town and staying in touch with local community, being involved in edutainment workshops.

DAY 1

Arrival at the airport and transfer to our agriturismo, a rural accommodation an ancient Sicilian Baglio of the 19th century. Day free. Dinner and overnight in agriturismo.

DAY 2



Breakfast in agriturismo. Meeting with our tour leader and start of tour in Sicily discovering ancient Sicilian roots of our ancestors.

At first we live a popular pilgrimage trekking along the coastline of Cofano Mountain reaching “Chapel of crucifix” adorned by little palm, where citizens of Custonaci, Bonagia, used to have a pilgrimage every year last Wednesday of March. So we proceed in direction of an ancient cave where citizens used to live in the houses built inside and today it hosts a museum of ancient traditions. Here we will see old craftsmen that work marble and the main phases of production of ricotta cheese. From September to December possibility to arrange a olive oil workshop using an ancient stone mill and olive press. Lunch inside the cave and in the



afternoon we visit an ancient little town popular for Holy Mary of Custonaci. Before returning in agriturismo, visit of another beautiful little town: San Vito lo Capo with its sandy beach. Return in agriturismo for dinner and overnight.

DAY 3



Breakfast in agriturismo.

On board of our coach bus we reach Castellamare del Golfo visiting its little town feeling as a member of a crib. We will have a walking tour along the narrow street of this town visiting castle and churches.

So we continue our tour in direction of Scopello visiting its downtown concentrated in the square with its ancient Sicilian Baglio and going in direction of the coast to see a

well-known place for Tuna Fishing surrounded by Faraglioni unusual rocks formations. Lunch in an ancient bakery tasting the typical “Sicilian Pane cunzato”.

In the afternoon we will entry in the nature reserve of Zingaro with the possibility to enjoy a sea bath in its uncontaminated beaches. On the way back visit of Buseto Palizzolo little town popular for an interesting workshop of production of Ericini carpet. Return in agriturismo for dinner and overnight.



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DAY 4

Breakfast in agriturismo.

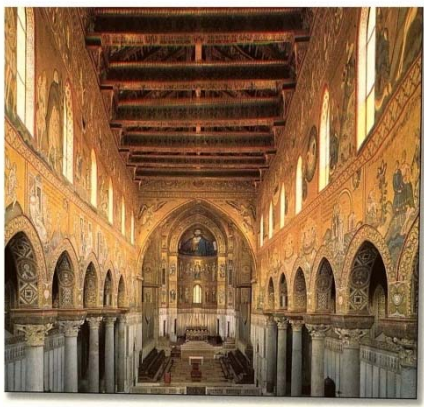
Today we visit Sicilian hinterland appreciating wild valley of Belice with its little town full of history

First stop in Segesta, archaeological sites interesting for its temple and theatre, before continuing tour in direction of an ancient medieval town: Salemi. This town present a conical layout and we will feel to stay in a labyrinth discovering castle, churches and ancient building. So we proceed in direction of Santa Ninfa welcomed in an ancient Sicilian Baglio seeing the phases of production of Santa



Ninfa sausages before tasting it. Lunch in this baglio, tasting all the typical food, appetizers and dishes of Belice valley as Vastedda cheese, Black Bread of Castelvetrano. In the afternoon we discover Partanna appreciating its castles before returning to agriturismo for dinner and overnight.

DAY 5



Breakfast in agriturismo. Meeting with our tour leader and departure by coach to **Palermo**. Here, we will visit typical markets as Ballarò, Vucciria, and interesting churches and buildings that belong to the Muslim –Norman heritage (Church Martorana, Church San Giovanni degli Eremiti, Palazzo dei Normanni). Lunch in an ancient Sicilian fast food tasting all the typical gastronomy food as arancine, sfincione, panino con le panelle, panino ca meusa. In the afternoon we continue our cultural tour reaching Monreale appreciating its cloisters and mosaics preserved in the church. Return to our hotel for dinner and overnight.

DAY 6

Breakfast in agriturismo.



On board of our coach bus we reach Trapani, having a relaxing tour in its downtown combining shopping and cultural visit, before going in direction of the salt route, discovering an ancient windmill, salt pans and having a lunch break surrounded by local women that interweave leaves of dwarf palms and decorate Saint Joseph's breads. After lunch we visit Erice medieval town surrounded by defense walls that protect ancient castles, churches and beautiful buildings. Walking along the narrow



streets, we will have a peaceful sweet tasting in an ancient pastry shop of Erice, that produce almond sweet respecting nun's traditions. Return in agriturismo for dinner and overnight.



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DAY 7



Breakfast in agriturismo.

Today we discover beautiful island of Mozia surrounded by windmill. Once there we have an archaeological trekking discovering Phoenician ruins as cothon , tophet, mosaics and a museum where are preserved interesting findings as marble statue of Young Man of Mozia.

Lunch in a winery in Marsala tasting typical wine of Sicily and in the afternoon visit of Marsala downtown combining shopping to culture tour.

Return in agriturismo for dinner and overnight.



DAY 8

Breakfast in agriturismo.

Transfer to airport.

PRICE PER PERSON PER GROUP MIN 20 PEOPLE: €850,00 IN DOUBLE ROOM

Services included:

- 7 nights in agriturismo 3 stars half board beverage included
- Lunches and tasting as program
- Coach bus for all the tour
- Guide for archaeological and cultural sites
- Tour leader
- Insurance

Services not included

- Flight
- Entrance to museum/archaeological sites
- Everything not mentioned above



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