

Nature and Flavours of the Marche: 8 days journey through trails and tastings

8 Days Tour From **€979**

Day 1

Welcome to the Marche!

Arrival at Ancona Airport, transfer to the hotel for check-in and dinner.

Day 2

Full-day excursion to Monte San Bartolo.

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide at the hotel and depart for the Monte San Bartolo excursion. Departure from Baia Vallugola near Gabicce Monte. Continue to the “Roof of the World,” then proceed to the village of Castel di Mezzo, and finally reach the village of Fiorenzuola di Focara (the route can be extended by about 1 hour if starting from Gabicce Mare).

Distance: approximately 10 km

Elevation gain: 200 meters

Difficulty: Easy

Duration: approximately 2 hours and 30'

At the end of the hike, enjoy a wine and oil tasting with a snack in San Giovanni in Marignano (one of the oldest family-owned businesses in Italy, established in 1385). Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 3

Full-day excursion to Gola del Furlo.

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide and depart for the Gola del Furlo excursion. A famous trail that divides the ancient Via Flaminia into two parts. The trekking route takes place within the nature reserve.

Distance: approximately 11 km

Elevation gain: 450 meters

Difficulty: Medium

Duration: approximately 3 hours

At the end of the hike, enjoy a truffle tasting at Borgo Acqualagna. Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 4

Full-day excursion to Monte Conero.

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide and depart for the Monte Conero excursion. Monte Conero is one of the “jewels” of the Marche, a promontory on the Adriatic Sea in the middle of the region, in the province of Ancona. It is famous for its crystal-clear waters and beautiful beaches

Distance: approximately 10 km

Elevation gain: 400 meters

Difficulty: Medium

Duration: approximately 4 hours

At the end of the hike, enjoy a pasta tasting at an agricultural estate in Terre Roveresche. Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 5

Full-day excursion to Cagli – Monte Petrano*

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide and depart for the Cagli – Monte Petrano excursion. The mountain is part of the municipality of Cagli in the province of Pesaro and Urbino. Nearby is La Rocchetta, with an elevation of 1162 meters above sea level. Monte Petrano refers to the entire mountain complex, including La Rocchetta.

Distance: approximately 12 km

Elevation gain: 450 meters

Difficulty: Medium

Duration: approximately 4 hours

At the end of the hike, enjoy a ham tasting at a butcher shop near Cagli. Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 6

Full-day excursion to Monte Nerone

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide and depart for the Monte Nerone excursion. Monte Nerone in the province of Pesaro and Urbino reaches an elevation of 1525 meters. The area is home to a rare pair of golden eagles and several breweries.

Distance: approximately 8 km

Elevation gain: 385 meters

Difficulty: Easy

Duration: approximately 3 hours

At the end of the hike, enjoy a beer tasting at a brewery. Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 7

Full-day excursion to Monti delle Cesane

After breakfast, meet the professional hiking guide and depart for the Monti delle Cesane excursion. The Cesane Mountains lie between the towns of Urbino and Fossombrone, not far from the Furlo Gorge. It consists of a series of mountains with a maximum elevation of 648 meters, stretching over a length of 15 to 20 km, forming a large green area for tourists and visitors. The area is of significant scenic value and is almost entirely covered by tall forests.

Distance: approximately 11 km

Elevation gain: 535 meters

Difficulty: Medium

Duration: approximately 3 hours

At the end of the hike, enjoy an oil tasting in Monteciccardo. Return to the hotel for dinner.

Day 8

Goodbye Marche!

After breakfast, transfer to Ancona Airport.

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