

TOUR 2019

TENTATIVE PLAN

**HUNGARY
SLOVAKIA
CZECH REPUBLIC**

**May 18 – May 27
2019**

updated offer of April 11th, 2018



2 NIGHTS IN BUDAPEST, HUNGARY

+

3 NIGHTS IN BRATISLAVA, SLOVAKIA

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4 NIGHTS IN PRAGUE, CZECH REPUBLIC



Prague

Bratislava

Vienna

Budapest

DAY 1

Saturday, May 18th

BUDAPEST



Arrival in Budapest Airport

Meet your coach and Tour Manager

Transfer to your hotel

Check in to hotel **LION'S GARDEN******

<http://www.lions-garden-hotel-budapest.com/>

Afternoon at leisure

Dinner in a local restaurant

Budapest is the capital and largest city in Hungary. Budapest is also thought of as one of the largest cities in the European Union. It is the country's main political, cultural, commercial, industrial, and transportation hub- sometimes described as the primate city of Hungary.

Budapest is thought of as one of the most beautiful cities in Europe. Budapest's extensive World Heritage Sites include the banks of the Danube, the Buda Castle Quarter, Andrassy Avenue, Heroes' Square and the Millennium Underground Railway - the second-oldest metro line in the world. Budapest has around 80 geothermal springs, the world's largest thermal water cave system, the second largest synagogue, and the third largest Parliament building. The city attracts about 4.4 million tourists a year, making it the 25th most popular city in the world, and the 6th in Europe.

DAY 2

Sunday, May 19th

BUDAPEST



Breakfast at your hotel

Morning guided tour of Budapest with licensed English-speaking guide(s)
(max 3 hours on foot, max 30 pax per one guide)

Entrance to Matthias Church and Fishermen Bastion

Lunch independent

Afternoon rehearsal and

CONCERT # 1 - MOM Culture Institute in Budapest

Traditional Hungarian dinner with Gipsy music and Folklore Show



DAY 3

Monday, May 20th

BRATISLAVA



Breakfast at your hotel

Check out and depart for Slovakia

Lunch independent

Arrival in Bratislava

Check in to hotel **SOREA******

www.sorea.sk/en/bratislava/hotel-sorea-regia

Afternoon at leisure

Dinner in a local restaurant

Bratislava, the capital of Slovakia, is the cultural, political and economic centre of the country. The history of the city has been strongly influenced by people of different nations and religions; it was the capital of the Kingdom of Hungary, a part of the larger Habsburg Monarchy territories and it has been home to many Slovak, Hungarian and German historical figures.

The charming old town is the place to start appreciating Bratislava. Stroll narrow pedestrian streets of pastel-coloured 18th-century buildings or sample the myriad sidewalk cafes under the watchful gaze of the city castle, which harks back to medieval times. The new town boasts intriguing socialist-era architecture, and one of Eastern Europe's most spectacular modern art spaces. Contrasts like this are all part of Bratislava's allure.

DAY 4

Tuesday, May 21st

BRATISLAVA



Breakfast at your hotel

Morning guided tour of Bratislava with licensed English-speaking guide(s)
(max 3 hours on foot, no entrance included, max 30 pax per one guide)

Lunch independent

Afternoon rehearsal and

CONCERT #2 in Slovak Radio Hall in Bratislava

Dinner in a local restaurant



DAY 5

Wednesday, May 22nd

VIENNA



Breakfast at your hotel

Full day visit to Vienna

Guided tour of Vienna with licensed English-speaking guide(s)
(max 3 hours on bus, no entrance included, max 30 pax per one bus)

Lunch independent

Afternoon at leisure in Vienna

Dinner in a local restaurant

Return to Bratislava

Vienna is the capital and largest city of Austria. It is also the cultural, political and economic centre of the country. Apart from being regarded as the City of Music because of its musical legacy, Vienna is also said to be "The City of Dreams" because it was home to the world's first psycho-analyst – Sigmund Freud. The city's roots lie in early Celtic and Roman settlements that transformed into a Medieval and Baroque city, the capital of the Austro-Hungarian Empire. It is well known for having played an essential role as a leading European music centre, from the great age of Viennese Classicism through the early part of the 20th century. The historic centre of Vienna is rich in architectural ensembles, including Baroque castles and gardens, and the late-19th-century Ringstrasse lined with grand buildings, monuments and parks.

DAY 6

Thursday, May 23rd

Telč / PRAGUE



Breakfast at your hotel

Check out and depart for Prague

En route visit to Telč

Lunch independent

Free time in Telč

Continue to Prague

Check in to your hotel **NH Hotel Prague ******

www.nhprague.com

Dinner in a local restaurant

Telč is a town in southern Moravia. Besides the monumental Renaissance chateau, the most significant sight is the town square with well-conserved Renaissance and Baroque houses with high gables and arcades. Since 1992 all of this has been a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

DAY 7

Friday, May 24th

PRAGUE



Breakfast at your hotel

Morning guided tour of Prague with licensed English-speaking guide(s)
(max 4 hours on foot, no entrance included, max 30 pax per one guide)

Lunch independent

Afternoon at leisure

Vltava River Cruise

Prague is the capital and largest city of the Czech Republic. Prague is also known as the historical capital of Bohemia.

Prague has been a political, cultural, and economic center of central Europe, waxing and waning fortunes during its 1,100-year existence. Prague was founded during the Romanesque period and was flourishing by the Gothic and Renaissance eras. Prague was not only the capital of the Czech state, but also the seat of two Holy Roman Emperors.

Prague is home to a number of famous cultural attractions including: the Prague Castle, the Charles Bridge, Old Town Square with the Prague astronomical clock, the Jewish Quarter, Petřín hill or Vyšehrad. Since 1992 the extensive historic centre of Prague has been included in the UNESCO list of World Heritage Sites.

DAY 8

Saturday, May 25th

Český Krumlov / Karlovy Vary



Breakfast at your hotel

Full day trip to Cesky Krumlov (Southern Bohemia) or Karlovy Vary (Western Bohemia)

Lunch independent

Dinner independent

Return to Prague

Český Krumlov is a small city in the South Bohemian Region of the Czech Republic. This is also the town where the Český Krumlov Castle is located. Old Český Krumlov is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

Český Krumlov Castle is unusually large for a town of Krumlov's size. Within the Czech Republic it is the second largest following the Hradčany castle complex of Prague. Inside its grounds are a large rococo garden, an extensive bridge over a deep gap in the rock upon which the castle is built, and the castle itself. The castle consists of many defined parts dating from different periods of time.

Karlovy Vary, meaning "Charles' Bath" was named after Charles IV, King of Bohemia and Holy Roman Emperor, who founded the city in 1370. It is famous for its hot springs and its colorful and whimsical architecture. For these reasons, it was a popular tourist destination in the 18th century with guests including Beethoven, Wagner, Brahms, Emperor Franz Josef I, Tolstoy, Marx and many others. Medicine Colonnades, complete Spa Procedures, Becherovka Liquor, Wafers and handcrafted Crystal wares are the main symbols of this city. Every July, thousands of film lovers and celebrities gather here for the famous Karlovy Vary International Film Festival.

DAY 9

Sunday, May 26th

PRAGUE



Breakfast at your hotel

Morning at leisure

Lunch independent

Afternoon rehearsal

CONCERT in Spanish Hall of Prague Castle with Prague Castle Police Band

Farewell dinner in a local restaurant



DAY 8

DEPARTURE

Breakfast at your hotel

Check out and depart for Prague Airport

Depart for home

Concerts included in this itinerary are suggestions only, actual concert venues can only be confirmed when the tour comes under contract
