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Tour of 8 days / 7 nights

DAY 1 - SOFIA

Arrival in Sofia, you will meet your local guide. Transfer to your hotel and installation. Sightseeing tour by coach: discover the Bulgarian capital, Saint-Nedelya Cathedral, Banya Bashi mosque, the synagogue, the Orthodox cathedral, Saint-Georges rotunda and the Presidential Palace. Folkloric dinner and traditional dance. Accommodation.

DAY 2 - SOFIA / RILA MONASTERY / PLOVDIV

Departure to Rila mountains: you will visit the famous Orthodox monastery, the oldest and biggest of the country. It was built in the XIVth Century and accommodates rare paintings, a thousand of manuscripts, antique books and masterpieces of wood carving. Lunch. Road to Plovdiv, one of the most ancient cities of Europe. Discover the cultural and historical heritage such as the Roman Odeon, the Roman Forum and the Stadium. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 3 - PLOVDIV / KAZANLAK / VELIKO TARNAVO

Road to Kazanlak, in the Roses valley, area known for its rose oil and beauty products made from rose. You will do a panoramic tour of the city and after you will take the road to Shipka Col. Visit Etara Museum. It's a museum-village where you will meet craftsmen. Continue to Veliko Tarvano. Dinner and accommodation.

DAY 4 - VELIKO TARNAVO / BUCAREST

Discover the medieval capital of Bulgaria: Veliko Tarvano. This city has more than 5000 years of history. Discover the city center, from the Tsaravets fortress to Saint-Demetrios church. Free time to enjoy the city. Lunch. In the afternoon, you will take the road to Bucarest, capital of Romania and the sixth biggest capital in the European Union. Panoramic tour where you will discover Kiseleff boulevard, Victory Square with the Romanian Government HQ, Roman Square and Unirii Square. Free time in the city center. Dinner in the famous restaurant "Caru'cu bere" where you will enjoy music and traditional dance. Accommodation.

DAY 5 - BUCAREST / SIBIU

Road to Transylvania, you will admire wonderful landscapes. Stop to visit Cozia Monastery built in the XIVth Century. Lunch. Then, continue to the pleasant city of Sibiu. This city has been designated as the Culture European Capital in 2007. City tour: the Grand Place, its church, the Town Hall, Bruckenthal Palace, Pont des menteurs, Petite Place and Place Huet. Dinner and accommodation.

JOUR 6 – SIBIU / BIERTAN / SIGHISOARA / BRASOV

Transylvania is an area famous for its castles, legends and fortified churches. You will travel around charming villages to Biertan where you will have a stop to visit the biggest fortified church built by Saxons. Lunch in Sighisoara, the home of Dracula. City tour. The city has been colonised by the German in the XIIIth Century and has one of the unique medieval fortress still inhabited. You will see the Clock Tower, the Church and the House of Dracula . Continue to Brasov. Dinner and accommodation.

JOUR 7 - BRASOV / BRAN / BRASOV

Start your day by visiting the most famous castle in Europe: the castle of Dracula. The castle was built in the XIVth Century by the Saxons and used as customs between Transylvania and Valachie. Lunch. City tour of Brasov, also called "Crown of Transylvania". Discover Black church, the biggest baroque religious building between Vienne and Istanbul, former Hall Town and first Romanian school. Free time in the city. Dinner and accommodation.

JOUR 8 - BRAVO / SINIAI / BUCAREST

Before leaving Romania, visit of one of the most beautiful castles in the world, Peles castle. This castle was built at the end of the XIXth Century by the German King Carol I and served as secondary residence for the Royal Family until 1947. Now, the castle turned into a museum where you can find furniture, decorations and exceptional paintings. Transfer to Bucarest airport.



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