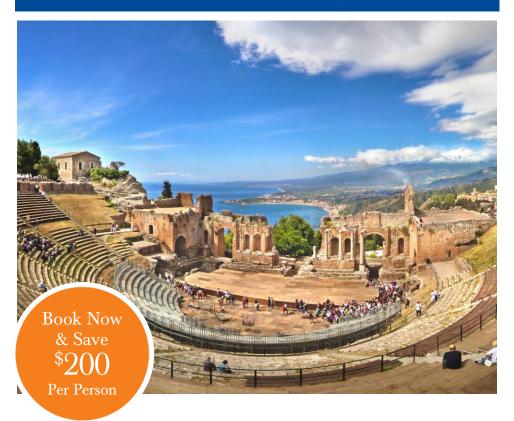
East Lyme Senior Center & Lymes' Senior Center presents...

Southern Italy & Sicily

featuring Taormina, Matera, Alberobello and the Amalfi Coast

October 29 – November 9, 2019



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Collette's Flagship: Collette's tours open the door to a world of amazing destinations. Marvel at must-see sights, sample regional cuisine, stay in centrally located hotels and connect with new and captivating cultures. These itineraries offer an inspiring and easy way to experience the world, where an expert guide takes care of all the details.







Collette Experiences

- Be amazed by the Greek Theatre in Taormina.
- Sample fine wine during a vineyard tour.
- Journey to "Sassi di Matera," the ancient town known for its cave dwellings.

Must-See Inclusions

- Marvel at the Valley of the Temples, a UNESCO World Heritage site.
- Venture to the breathtaking Amalfi Coast.
- Experience the excavated ruins of Pompeii at the foothills of Mount Vesuvius.

Culinary Inclusions

- Wine is included with every meal.
- Indulge in a delicious regional dinner inside a winery's "agriturismo" restaurant.
- Sample some local specialties at a familyowned limoncello factory.

Highlights: Palermo, Monreale, Agrigento, Valley of the Temples, Giardini Naxos, Taormina, Catania, Choice on Tour, Mt. Etna Volcano, Matera, Alberobello, Amalfi Coast, Sorrento, Pompeii

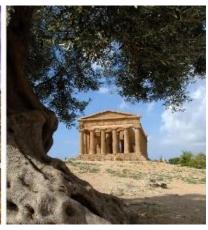
Day 1: Tuesday, October 29, 2019 Overnight Flight The hidden treasures of Southern Italy and Sicily are yours to explore, for it is here that you'll find breathtaking scenery, historic cities, centuries-old hilltop villages and wonderful cuisine.

Day 2: Wednesday, October 30, 2019 Palermo, Sicily - Tour Begins Your tour opens in Palermo, the capital of Sicily. Tonight, join your fellow travelers for a welcome dinner featuring authentic Sicilian cuisine. (D)

Day 3: Thursday, October 31, 2019 Palermo - Monreale - Palermo

Acquaint yourself with Palermo on a tour of its lovely squares - the Quattro Canti, Piazza Pretoria and Piazza Bellini - and discover an exotic mix of Moorish, Norman and Spanish Baroque architecture along the way. See the Palace of the Normans, La Martorana church, and the cathedral that houses the Imperial Crown of Constance of Aragon. In the nearby town of Monreale, visit the 12thcentury cathedral with its dazzling interior of multicolored marbles, paintings, mosaics and cloisters. Enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure to peruse the city's shops and museums, or simply take some time to relax. (B)





Day 4: Friday, November 1, 2019
Palermo - Agrigento - Giardini Naxos
Travel over the countryside's rolling
hills, past peaceful farmland toward
the town of Agrigento. Explore one of
the most important archaeological
sites in the world, the stunning Valley
of the Temples (UNESCO), where
you'll get an up-close view of the
temples of Juno, Concordia, Hercules
and Jupiter. Continue on to Giardini
Naxos – the "garden of Sicily" – for
your 3-night stay. (B, D)

Day 5: Saturday, November 2, 2019 Giardini Naxos - Taormina - Giardini Naxos Set out for beautiful Taormina with its charming atmosphere, historic monuments and flowering gardens. Alongside an expert local guide, see Corso Umberto and the bountiful public gardens and marvel at the city's well-preserved Greek Theatre. Enjoy free time to relax or independently explore. (B)

Day 6: Sunday, November 3, 2019 Giardini Naxos - Catania - Mt. Etna -Giardini Naxos Journey to vibrant Catania where it's your choice! Join a local guide to visit the cathedral and view other iconic sights of this historic Baroque city (UNESCO); then witness the daily spectacle of bartering for fresh fish and produce at the local market **-OR-** explore the Museo dello Sbarco (Allied Landing Museum), an emotionally moving museum that's dedicated to the Allied troops who landed on the southern coast in 1943. Later, **gather to discover the impressive Mt. Etna Volcano National Park** where a local expert introduces you to the park's spectacular landscapes sculpted by nature. Return to Giardini Naxos for the evening. (*B*)

Day 7: Monday, November 4, 2019 Giardini Naxos - Matera Venture to Messina for a short ferry ride to Villa San Giovanni on Italy's mainland. Pass through the unspoiled, beautiful region of Calabria into the Basilicata region. Make a stop at one of the area's local wineries where you'll join an expert on a walk through the cellars and vineyards before sampling wines during a special tasting. Linger over regional cuisine at dinner tonight in the winery's own "agriturismo" restaurant. (B, D)

Day 8: Tuesday, November 5, 2019 Matera - Alberobello - Matera Explore the "Sassi di Matera," an ancient settlement of carved cave dwellings. A local guide shares the history of the site and reasons why it has recently caught the eye of many film producers. Continue to a local shop for a chance to sample some regional produce. Enjoy free time in Matera to browse the boutiques or taste the local cuisine before heading to the mystical town of Alberobello. Marvel at some of the town's most uniquely built homes (UNESCO) known as trulli, and their distinct, cone-shaped roofs. (B, D)

Day 9: Wednesday, November 6, 2019 Matera - Salerno - Sorrento Peninsula Travel towards one of the most breathtaking areas of Italy: Campania and the Bay of Naples. Stop in Salerno, where you'll have the chance to explore the historic city center independently. Remember to take a moment to gaze at Salerno's impressive cathedral, considered to be the most beautiful medieval church in all of Italy. Arrive at the Sorrento Peninsula in the late afternoon, then sit back and take in the views of this magical place. (B, D)

Day 10: Thursday, November 7, 2019 Sorrento - Amalfi Coast Drive - Amalfi - Minori - Sorrento Peninsula Savor time this morning in the lovely seaside resort town of Sorrento. Then begin your adventure traversing the breathtaking Amalfi Coast. Stop in the charming town of Amalfi and spend time exploring its striking provincial beauty before heading to Minori. Use this opportunity to sample regional specialties at a family-owned limoncello factory. Later, sit down for a traditional Italian afternoon break at a local café and pastry shop. Enjoy an evening at leisure. (*B*)

Day 11: Friday, November 8, 2019
Sorrento Peninsula - Pompeii - Rome
Drive along the Bay of Naples to the
excavated ruins of Pompeii, nestled at
the foothills of Mount Vesuvius. A
local guide gives you an in-depth view
of this remarkable archaeologic site,
where you'll become immersed in
history as you explore the preserved
buildings of this 2,000 year-old
Roman town. Later, travel to Rome to
celebrate the end of your journey with
a delightful farewell dinner. (B, D)

Day 12: Saturday, November 9, 2019 Rome - Tour Ends Your tour comes to a close today. (B)

Itinerary at a glance						
Day 1	Overnight Flight					
Days 2, 3	Hotel Federico II Central Palace, Palermo					
Days 4 – 6	Hellenia Yachting Hotel, Giardini Naxos					
Days 7, 8	MH Matera Hotel, Matera					
Days 9, 10	Hotel Michelangelo, Sorrento					
Day 11	A.Roma Lifestyle Hotel, Rome					
On some dates alternate hotels may be used.						

Experience It! The Valley of the Temples

Travel to the Valley of the Temples, in Agrigento, Sicily, where you'll see some of the best preserved ruins of ancient Greece. Among the countryside full of blooming almond trees are wonderful ruins of the temples that, in the course of time, kept intact their architectural magnificence. Seven major temples are found in this valley. The temples have a Doric style, with six majestic columns on the front side, except for the Temple of Olympian Zeus. The most impressive is the Temple of Concordia, built in 440 B.C. It is nearly perfectly preserved and has continued to be used over time. At night the illuminated temple is a sight to behold. Come see why the Greeks chose this site on a cliff a few miles from the ocean. Experience the beautiful ocean view and the soft, cool breezes.

Please Note:

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require a minimum of 6 months passport validity from date of return home. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements. IMPORTANT: We recommend that our clients traveling abroad take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis.

Included breakfasts are buffet breakfasts.

Most shops and businesses in Italy are closed on Sundays and on national/religious holidays.

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers.

Please note that all transfers will leave at prescheduled times.

This tour includes moderate physical activity. The itinerary blends some longer days with shorter days and more leisure time. Walking tours, as well as walking slightly longer distances, up stairs or on uneven walking surfaces, should be expected.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until checkin at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

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BOOKING NUMBER: 917301

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DEPARTURE DATE: October 29, 2019

Available Options

Personalize your tour by adding an optional activity below. Our recommended options have been carefully chosen to help enhance your individual experience. Complete the provided Prepaid Options Form to reserve your options.

Availability is limited and reservations are on a first come, first serve basis. Payment must be received no later than 15 days prior to departure. Prices are subject to change.

Children under the age of 18 MUST be accompanied by an adult.

Palermo

Visit Cefalu and a Local Farm

\$85 USD

This afternoon, set off for the stunning seaside town of Cefalù on Sicily's northern coast. Stroll the charming medieval streets with a local guide and visit its magnificent cathedrals that showcase popular Norman architecture. Next, journey to a family-owned farm picturesquely set in the mountains. Meet the owners and discover what a typical day on a Sicilian farm is like during a private tour of the property, where you learn about its traditional products. Later, sit back and relax as a chef prepares local specialties for you featuring the farm's own products and secret recipes. Then, sit down to a hearty dinner – Italian-style, complete with wine of course! *Duration: Approximately 6 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Catania

A Walk in Old World Sicily

\$45 USD

The movies come to life before your eyes in charming Savoca, Sicily. This historic hill-top village was one of the filming locations for the classic 1972 movie "The Godfather." It is where Al Pacino's character Michael Corleone fell in love with a young Sicilian girl. This remarkable village was founded in 1134 and even today, remains untouched. Your tour will take you through its quaint alleyways to the historic Bar Vitelli, where Michael asks for Apollonia's hand in marriage from her father. You will also see the church built in the 14th century where the wedding of Michael and Apollonia was filmed, the Chiesa di Santa Lucia or Chiesa di San Nicolò. Savoca is considered to be one of the most beautiful "borgos" (small villages) in Italy. This journey through the past is sure to give you the feeling of being in old-world Sicily and should not be missed. *Duration: Approximately 2 hours.* Please note a minimum of 10 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

Giardini Naxos

The Flavors of Sicily

\$85 USD

Linger over an exquisite four-course meal while traditional Sicilian melodies fill the air. Join us on your free evening for an unforgettable dinner at a popular local restaurant. Your evening begins with a typical Italian antipasto and continues with a variety of local specialties and fine Sicilian wines. Delight in the lively music performed by talented local musicians who are sure to have you clapping and singing along. Sit back and savor the flavors of Sicily during a fun-filled evening with true Italian ambiance and local cuisine. *Duration: Approximately 2.5 hours.* Please note a minimum of 15 passengers is required. Transportation is included.



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