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Drive the great alpine roads of Europe

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TOUR ITINERARY

Host:	Martini Tours
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8 DAYS FULLY GUIDED SELF-DRIVE ALPINE TOUR

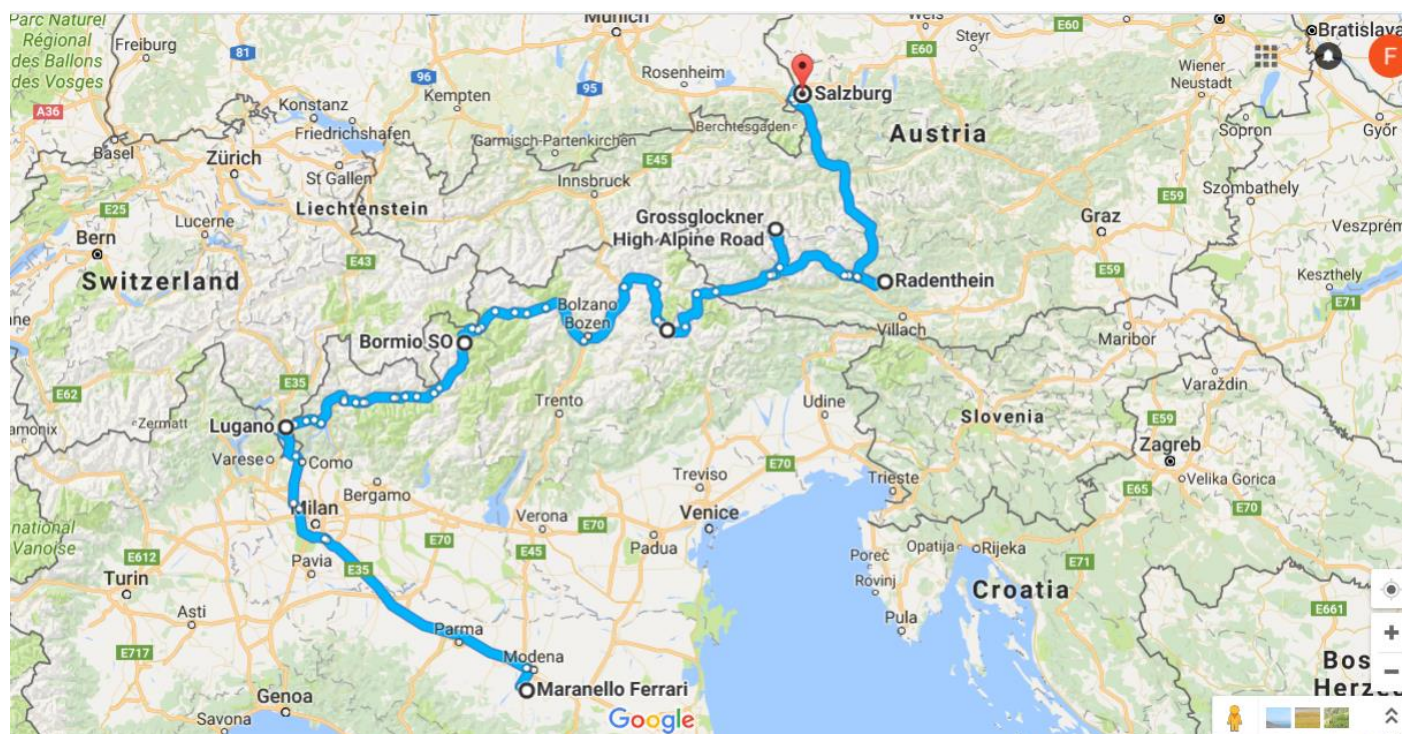
This is the perfect self-driving tour for singles; couples; or for a group of similarly minded enthusiasts. Combine the pleasure of driving some of Europe's best alpine roads; the experience of breath-taking scenery; and the cultural delights of alpine villages and towns, and you have the makings for a memorable holiday. Create some lasting shared experiences and memories that you will talk about together for years to come.

Take in all the style and cultural delights that Milan, Italy has to offer before taking the keys to your selected rental car for one of the most entertaining driving tours you will ever experience. Tour Milan and pay a visit to Maranello before we take to the road. From the home of the iconic automotive artisans of Alfa Romeo, Ferrari, Maserati and Lamborghini, we take in beautiful Lake Como before turning our eyes towards six of the most highly rated alpine roads in all of Europe. Take in the historic town of Bormio, gateway to The Stelvio Pass before taking the sweeping mountain approach to the Passo Stelvio (rated as the best driving road in the world by Jeremy Clarkson from BBC TV's Top Gear). Stop at the summit for Europe's highest bratwurst burger and drink in the view before taking in the 48 hairpins of the descent. Drive further eastwards on awesome high-country roads as you take in amazing alpine villages, scenery and vista's that will dazzle you. Continue the journey on to the Valparola Alpine Pass; Cortina D'amezzo; the Grossglockner High Alpine Road; Radenthein; the Nockalm Alpine Pass and the famous Berchtesgaden, before arriving in Austria's most beautiful city, Salzburg. Drive amazing roads, view breathtaking scenery, take many photographs, and fill your head with memories that will last forever.

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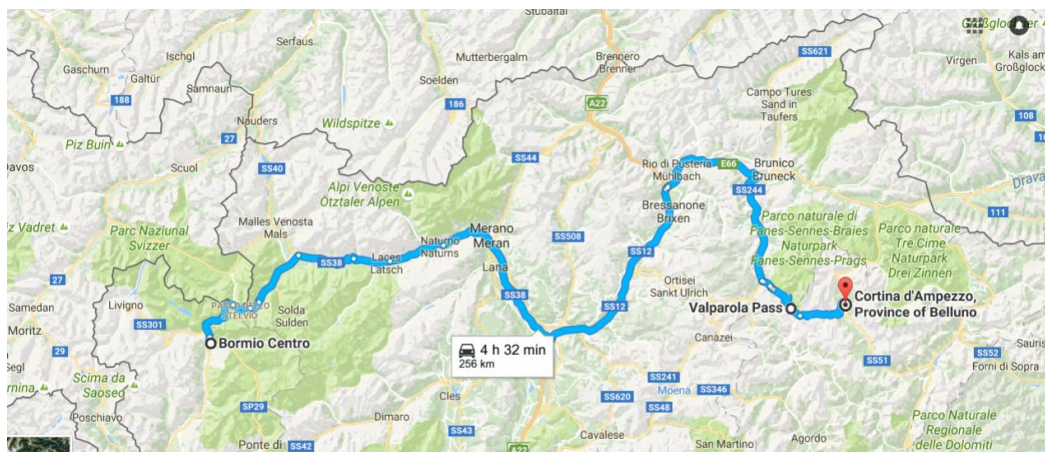
ITINERARY SUMMARY

- Day 1** Arrive Milan. Local tour.
- Day 2** Drive south from Milan to Maranello (2hrs10m), then drive north to Lake Como (3hrs20m)
- Day 3** Drive from Como to Lugano (1hr), on to Morbegno and Sondrio and the Bernini Pass to Bormio (4hr15m)
- Day 4** Drive from Bormio, across the Stelvio Pass to Bolzano(Bozen) (2hrs30m); the Valparola Pass to Cortina D'ampezzo (2hrs30m)
- Day 5** Drive from Cortina D'ampezzo to Grossglockner Alpine Pass and on to Radenthein (3hrs)
- Day 6** Drive from Radenthein over the Nockalm Road Pass (1hr) and on to Berchtesgaden (2hrs30m)
- Day 7** Drive from Berchtesgaden into Salzburg (1hr). Local tour
- Day 8** Tour concludes. Transfer to airport to depart Austria

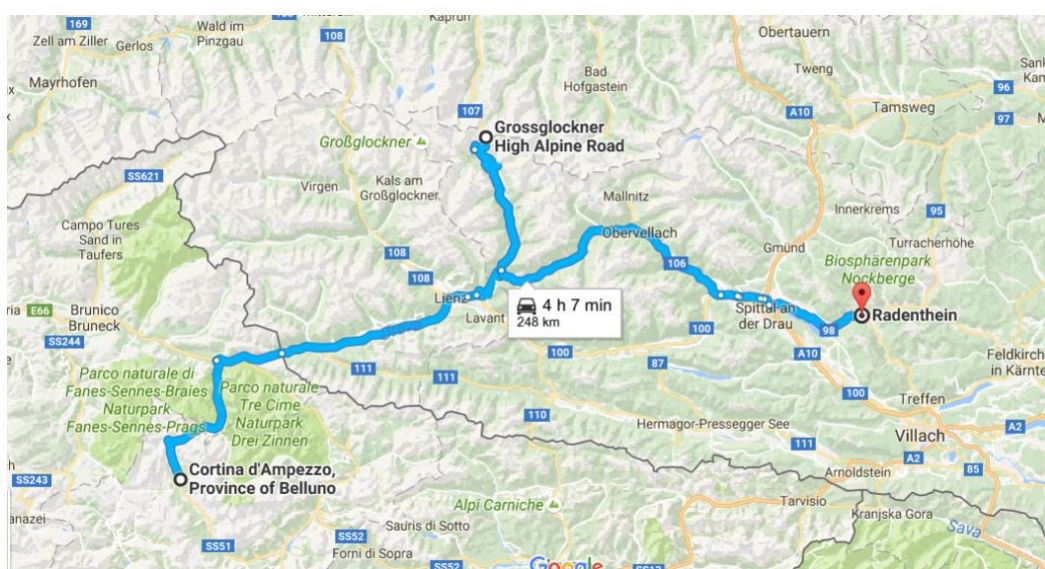
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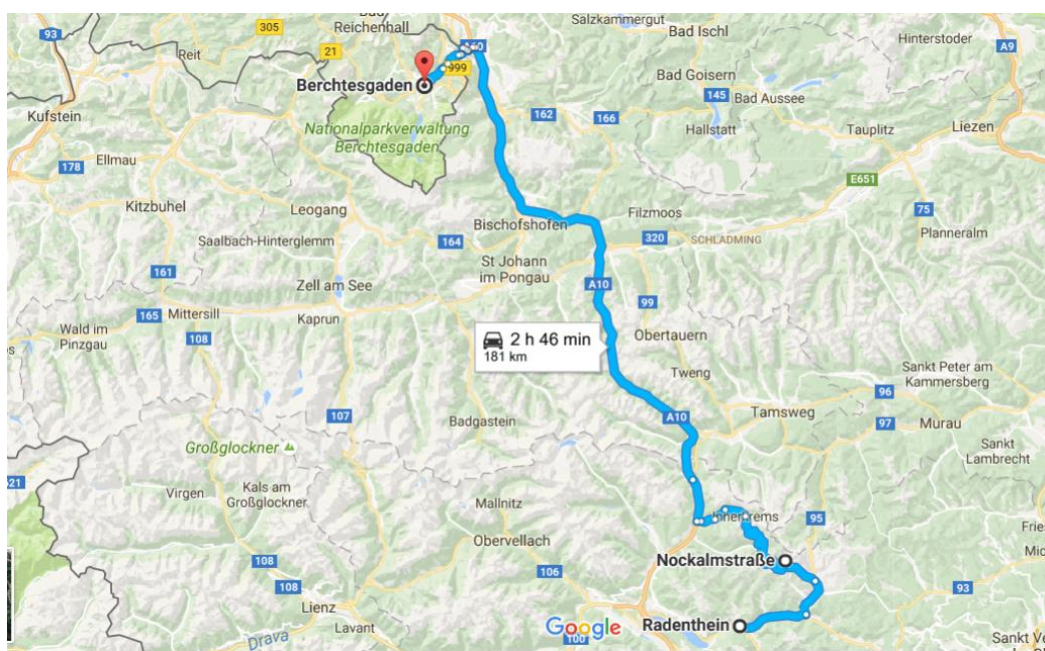
LATITUDE
GROUP TRAVEL



• Above: Day 4 - Bormio to Stelvio Pass; Valparola Pass & Cortina D'ampezzo - 256km



• Above: Day 5 – From Cortina D'ampezzo to Grossglockner Rd & Radenthein -248km



• Above: Day 6 - Radenthein to Berchtesgaden via the Nockalm Alpine Road – 181km

Depart AUSTRALIA to MILAN, ITALY

August 2017

Meet at **Melbourne Tullamarine** airport to board your flight to **Milan**.

DAY 1 MILAN, ITALY

August 2017

Morning

Arrive at **Milan airport** where you will be board your coach and travel into Milan where you will be met by your private tour guide. He/she will lead you through Milan on a personalised half day walking tour of the city.

Some highlights of this tour will include:

IL DUOMO

Milan's Duomo, or Cathedral, is the largest Gothic cathedral in the world. Construction started in 1386 but took nearly 500 years to complete. 135 spires and 3200 statues adorn the Duomo roof and you can take a lift (or climb the stairs) to the rooftop for a close-up view, as well as magnificent views of the city below. Piazza del Duomo, the square where the cathedral sits, is the hub of Milan's historic centre. Also on the square are a **statue of Vittorio Emanuele** and the **Palazzo Reale**, housing the **Duomo Museum** and **Contemporary Art Museum**.



GALLERIA VITTORIO EMANUELE II

The Galleria Vittorio Emanuele II is impressive if only for its dimensions. Formed like a Latin cross, its longer walkway measures 196 metres long and the shorter one 105.5 metres. The two iron and glass covered walkways meet at an octagonal central piazza below a grand forty-seven metre high, thirty-six metre wide glass dome. The entrance from the Piazza del Duomo is framed by a monumental triumphal arch, drawing people from the square in front of the cathedral to the arcade. The Galleria was constructed during the turbulent era of Italian unification and for its architect, the Galleria symbolized Italian unity and self-confidence, so it is no surprise that the arcade is decorated with patriotic symbols. Mosaics on the floor below the dome depict the coat of arms of Savoy and Italian cities are allegorically represented: a wolf for Rome, a lily for Florence, a bull for Turin and a white flag with a red cross for Milan.



CASTELLO SFORZESCO

Originally a Visconti fortress, this iconic red brick castle was later home to the mighty Sforza dynasty, who ruled Renaissance Milan. The castle's defences were designed by the multi-talented da Vinci. Napoleon later drained the moat and removed the drawbridges. Today, it houses seven specialised museums, which gather together intriguing fragments of Milan's cultural and civic history, including Michelangelo's final work, the *Rondanini Pietà*, now housed beautifully in the frescoed hall of the castle's Ospedale Spagnolo (Spanish Hospital).



Lunch today is self-catered

Afternoon

MUSEO ENZO FERRARI

The space dedicated to Enzo Ferrari, rather than a museum in the traditional sense of the word, is a fascinating, exciting event that manages to combine truly unique elements: in the futuristic 2,500 m² pillar-free hall visitors can get close and personal with the many cars exhibited, but also experience a show that – through an immersive biopic screened using 19 projectors – tells Enzo Ferrari's incredible life story, spanning 90 years, taking them through his various incarnations: from the child who discovered racing at the beginning of 1900 to the pilot, from the manager of Scuderia Ferrari through to the manufacturer with so many triumphs to his credit.

The counter-piece to this injection of pure emotion is the Museo dei Motori Ferrari, housed in the painstakingly renovated workshop where Enzo's father used to work: a history within the history that enables visitors to understand why Ferraris are such unique cars.

It is also possible to visit some of the rooms of the house where Enzo was born in 1898.



MUSEO ALFA ROMEO



Alfa Romeo has only recently reopened its official museum, located in Milan, Italy, to the public. The museum closed in 2009 following the decommissioning of an adjacent plant and a relocation of the brand's headquarters. However, as part of Alfa Romeo's global relaunch, the doors are now once again open.

The museum's official title is La macchina del tempo - Museo storico Alfa Romeo, and is home to the most significant pieces making up the brand's storied history. In addition to the 69 vehicles on display, there are numerous images and videos plus interactive and immersive experiences, all split over three spacious floors.

From the very first A.L.F.A. car, the 24 HP, to the legendary Mille Miglia winners such as the 6C 1750 Gran Sport driven by Tazio Nuvolari, the 8C coach built by Touring and the 159 raced in the earliest seasons of Formula One by the likes of Juan Manuel Fangio. For those not up to date with their motorsport history, Giuseppe Farina won the inaugural season of F1 back in 1950 driving an Alfa Romeo 158.

Later this afternoon, check into your Milan accommodation

Evening

Dinner is included tonight at a restaurant to be advised.

Overnight in **Milan**

DAY 2 MILAN to MARANELLO and LAKE COMO**August 2017****Morning Breakfast is at your accommodation**

After breakfast, we collect our rental vehicles and commence our drive from **Milan** (2 hours). Before we head to **Lake Como**, we will travel south through **Parma** to **Maranello**, to take in the home of the Prancing Horse.

MUSEO FERRARI

“Live the Dream” is the claim that welcomes visitors, promising an immersive, unique experience. The Museo Ferrari in Maranello focuses on Ferrari’s present and future, whilst remaining deeply rooted in the Prancing Horse’s extraordinary history. A permanent exhibition dedicated to Formula 1 and the World Championship, complete with cars and a “pit stop wall” where visitors can gain an understanding of telemetry and pilots’ in-race driving behavior, is

flanked by five rooms that host themed exhibitions with wide-ranging appeal. There are many other visitor amenities besides: a cinema with looped showings of themed films, semi-professional Formula 1 simulators, and a photographic set to allow you to take a personalised photo souvenir of yourself in a Ferrari at the end of your visit.

Lunch today is self catered**Afternoon Drive to Lake Como (3 hours). Upon arrival spend the afternoon exploring this beautiful lakeside town.****COMO**

The walled town of Como has a good historic centre and lively squares with nice cafes. Como is easy to walk around. The town revolves around its lakefront promenade and the adjacent Piazza Cavour, from which you can follow the short Via Plinio to **Piazza del Duomo**. Bookending the harbour are the beautiful gardens of **Villa Olmo** on the west and the funicular to **Brunate** (720m above Como for hiking trails and beautiful views of the lake and the Alps).



The 14th-century façade of Como's **Duomo** cathedral is pure Gothic, a marble face highlighted by detailed stone carving and statues around a rose window, edged with delicate carved pinnacles. It isn't until you enter that you'll see why this church is hailed as Italy's finest example of the 14th-century transition from Gothic to Renaissance styles. Also near the cathedral is **Museo Archeologico** – the museums of archaeology and history. The first is filled with an exceptional collection of artefacts unearthed in local excavations that offer glimpses into the lives of the earliest human settlements.



Later this afternoon check into your accommodation.

Evening **Dinner is included tonight at a restaurant to be advised.**

Overnight in **Lake Como**

DAY 3 LAKE COMO to LUGANO and BORMIO

August 2017

Morning **Breakfast is at your accommodation**

After breakfast, we begin by packing our cars and then we commence our alpine drive, heading first to **Lugano** in Switzerland, then crossing back into Italy to visit **Morbegno**; (1hr30) and **Sondrio** (30m), before crossing back into Switzerland to drive the **Bernina Pass** (1hr30). We finish the day back in Italy with an overnight stop in the 15th century town of Bormio, Italy (1hr30).

LUGANO.

The beautiful lake is the star attraction. You could explore Lugano's old town, which rises from the three squares that surround its **Palazzo Civico** (town hall). A wide terrace opens out in front of the church of **San Lorenzo**, Lugano's cathedral. Originally Romanesque, it was enlarged in the 13th and 14th centuries and altered extensively in the 17th and 18th centuries, but it retains the beautiful medieval frescoes in its otherwise mainly Baroque interior. You can descend through the winding streets of the old town or follow stairways that connect between parallel streets to make your way more directly to the lakefront.



MORBEGNO

Morbegno, nestled at the foot of the mountain along the banks of the Bitto River, conserves the oldest palaces with their frescoed walls and pretty wrought iron balconies, in its narrow streets. Pay a visit to the **Malacrida Palace**, an 18th century noble's mansion which stands out in the ancient district of Scimicà, in the upper part of the old town. Its exquisite frescoes in the great hall and the magnificent view over the town from its beautiful Italian garden are well worth seeing.



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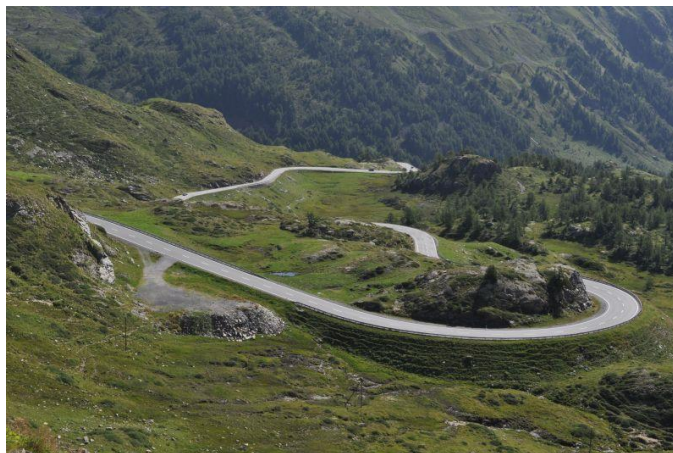
Sondrio is a town in the heart of the Alps with a population of approximately 22,000 inhabitants. A crossroad of art and culture, the city extends into a valley with beautiful views. The surrounding areas of the town are known for their terraced vineyards and many of Italy's famous wines come from this region. As Sondrio is a very small town, moving around the city is fairly easy. The best place to visit in the town is the historic centre which can be easily explored on foot.



Lunch today is self catered

BERNINA PASS

The Bernina Pass (Switzerland) rises to 2328m in height. It connects the famous resort town of St. Moritz in the Engadin valley with the Italian-speaking Val Poschiavo, which ends in the Italian town of Tirano in Valtellina. The pass lies a few kilometres east of Piz Bernina. The highest pass through the Swiss Alps, the Bernina Pass between Switzerland and Italy is one of the most beautiful routes in Europe. The winding highway through mountain peaks can be lined with snow as late as June. The crisp blue mountain lakes on the Bernina Pass are the watersheds of the Alps, with waters heading west to the Rhine and south to the River Po in Italy. Snow on the road over the pass can often be experienced as early as October, but more likely to stay on the ground from the beginning of November.



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BORMIO

Located in the centre of the upper Valtellina valley, Bormio is a popular winter sports resort. It was the site of the Alpine World Ski Championships in 1985 and 2005, and annually hosts the Alpine Ski World Cup. In addition to its reputation as a ski resort, the town is noted for the presence of several hot springs that



have been tapped to provide water to three thermal baths. Spend the afternoon taking in the local flavour. Visit the **Chiesa di Santo Spirito**. Plain from the outside, this 11th Century deconsecrated church is decorated with beautiful internal frescos. The **Museo Civico di Bormio** offers an interesting trip through the folklore and everyday life of the ancient mountain village. The rich collection is housed in eighteen rooms of the main building, including the Great Hall of Honour once decorated with stucco. Among the frescoes, austere portraits of nobles, elegant furnishings and sacred objects, ancient tools and utensils show the diversity of typical alpine culture.

Evening

Dinner is included tonight

Overnight in Bormio

DAY 4

BORMIO to CORTINA D'AMPEZZO

August 2017

Morning

Breakfast is at your accommodation

Check out of your accommodation and pack your car for today's epic **6 hour drive** commencing in Bormio. Today you will traverse some of Europe's most amazing alpine roads, including the **Stelvio Pass**; **The Great Dolomites Road**; and the **Valparola Pass** before arriving in **Cortina D'ampezzo**. Start the day with an ascent of **The Stelvio Pass**. You take the southern approach to the Stelvio and acclimatise to the altitude and the road, which begins to narrow and become more challenging.

THE STELVIO PASS

We head north from **Bormio** and take the Stelvio road which ascends gently up the southern face of the Pass. The road narrows and we pass through a few dark, narrow and one-way tunnels carved into the side of the mountain. At the top of the Pass you will find a small collection of shops and traders. Here is the perfect place to buy a souvenir. From the summit take some 'selfie' photographs with the twisting alpine decent in the background. Feeling peckish? Try a traditional Bratwurst and sauerkraut roll from one of the open air food retailers. Then, pause a while to drink in the view, and anticipate the challenge of the next 48 hairpin bends that will take you down the northern face of the Pass and on to **Bolzano (Bozen)** and the **Valparola Pass**.



BOLZANO (BOZEN)

The capital of Italy's northernmost region of South Tyrol, **Bolzano ('Bozen'** in German) has only been Italian since World War I, and its character remains distinctly Germanic. At the centre of the town, Piazza Walther is named for a 13th-century German minstrel. The town's most famous resident, Ötzi the Iceman, dates from 3300 BC and now rests at the South Tyrol Museum of Archaeology. The striking new building for Museion, the city's modern and contemporary art museum, opened in 2008.



THE GREAT DOLOMITES ROAD



The 'Grande Strada della Dolomiti' connects Bolzano (Bozen) and Cortina D'ampezzo. In some sections the road is very narrow and steep with hairpin bends that require great care to negotiate. A great many panoramic points and car parking areas give you breathtaking views over the Dolomites. You can see the majority of the main Dolomite peaks from **110 kilometres** of the Great Dolomites Road and you should plan to stop frequently to admire the view.

Lunch today is self catered

THE VALPAROLA PASS

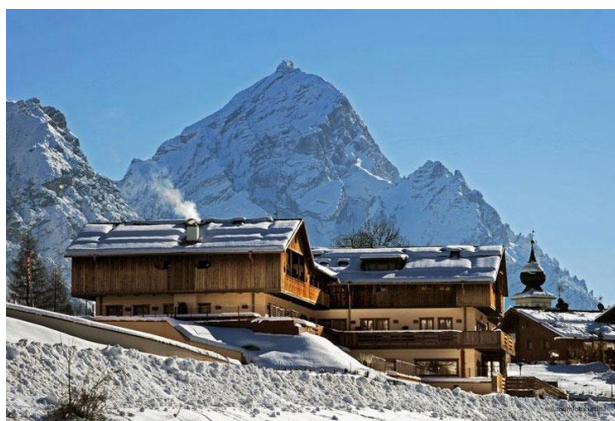
The majestic high mountain pass of **Valparola** is located in the Italian province of Belluno. It serves as the divide between the watersheds of the Piave, which flows toward the east and the Adige, which flows westward eventually merging with the Adriatic Sea. It is a picturesque area filled with awe-inspiring views and spectacular photo opportunities.



The **Valparola Pass** is also an area rich with history. Before the First World War, only one trail existed over the pass, during which time the area was the subject of several battles. There is a now a museum there that was built from a remaining WWI fort. The pass's intriguing and fascinating past coupled with the ample opportunities for outdoor activities makes it a great place to visit. From here you continue your journey to your overnight accommodation at Cortina D'ampezzo.

CORTINA D'AMPEZZO

In Cortina one can pick up next season's fashion trends just by walking down Corso Italia, the top spot for those who like to shop. The town centre offers a wealth of stores offering fashion, accessories, trinkets, sports and art goods. It is impossible not to be charmed by the numerous artisans' shops, a testimony to original Ampezzan artistic expression. Visit Via XXIX Maggio for home furnishing and artisans' shops, or stroll along Via Cesare Battisti for shops dedicated to the world of sports. With many shops, jewelers, art galleries, antique shops and much more, Cortina offers a shopping experience to suit all tastes.



Evening Check into your accommodation at **Cortina D'ampezzo**

Dinner is included this evening

Overnight at **Cortina D'ampezzo**

DAY 5 CORTINA D'AMPEZZO to RADENTHEIN

August 2017

Morning **Breakfast is at your accommodation**

Today you drive across the roof of Austria to Radenthein, taking in the famous **Grossglockner Alpine Pass Road** thru the National Park.

GROSSGLOCKNER ALPINE PASS

Today we drive on to the highly regarded **Grossglockner Road Alpine Pass**. This mountain pass road with a total of 48 km and 36 turns leads deep into the centre of Austria's largest national park with an area of 1,800 km² that extends across the provinces of Salzburg, Tyrol and Carinthia. The highest point of the mountain road is the Edelweiss Spitze located at just above **2,500m**. Several 3,000 m peaks open up to the wandering gaze, but the largest of them all is the Grossglockner. The striking mountain towers above the entire region at 3,798 m, and is at the same time the highest summit of the Alpine Republic. Visitors from all over the world flock from the Grossglockner High Alpine Road to the centre of the national park every year.



Lunch today is self catered

RADENTHEIN

It is situated in the Gegend valley of the Gurktal Alps (Nock Mountains) range of the Central Eastern Alps, north-east of **Lake Millstatt**. Radenthein borders on Millstatt in the west and Bad Kleinkirchheim in the east. The municipal area also includes the cadstral communities of Döbriach, Kaning, Laufenberg, St. Peter and Tweng. The remote forested valley was not colonized until about 1000. A chapel at villam



Radenthein was first mentioned in an 1177 deed, then part of the Millstatt Abbey estates. Since the Middle Ages it had been an iron ore and garnet mining area and the site of a finery forge, even the use of reverberatory furnaces is documented since the late 18th century. When about 1908 an extensive occurrence of magnesite was discovered and the foundation of the "Austro-American Magnesite" mining company led to a large increase in population. The municipality obtained the status of a town in 1995.

Evening

Check into your accommodation

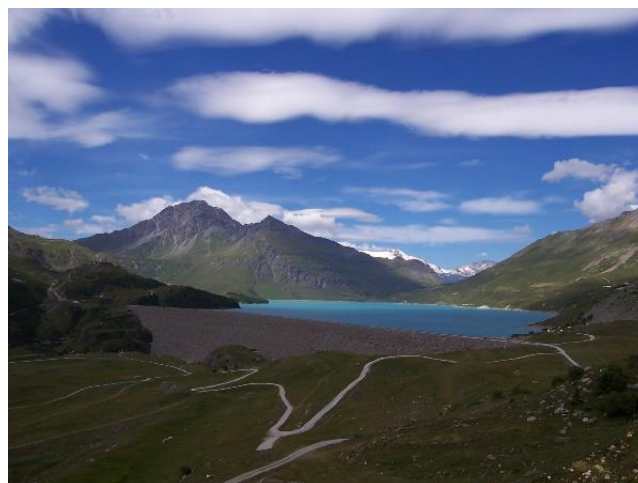
Dinner is included tonight

Overnight in Radenthein



DAY 6**RADENTHEIM to BERCHTESGADEN****August 2017****Morning Breakfast at your accommodation****RADENTHEIM to NOCKALMSTRASSE**

This lovely smooth stretch of road offers **34 kilometres and 52 glorious switchback hairpin bends** over mountains and through valleys, with its highest point at **2049m** above sea level. The Nockalmstrasse (or Nockalm Road) in Carinthia, in the Karnten region of southern Austria, is situated smack-bang in the middle of the pretty Nockberge National Park. The park's name is derived from the Nockberg mountains (or Nocken lobes, as they're known), which feature a unique rounded appearance unlike most of the jagged peaks that pepper the alpine regions of Europe. The road connects the Lieser Valley with the Upper Gurk Valley, and was opened in 1981. The surface is near perfect and the corners are well balanced, while the stretches of straight are plentiful if you choose to stretch your right leg a little. Nockalmstrasse is the sort of road you wish you could do over and over again, not just because of the technical driving aspect, or because caravans and trailers aren't allowed to use the road.

**Lunch is self-catered today****Afternoon Coach Tour up to the 'Eagles Nest', Berchtesgaden**

Kehlsteinhaus (the "Eagle's Nest") is located 1,834 m altitude above Berchtesgaden and provides a marvellous and unforgettable view over the eastern alps. It is not accessible by car. The Kehlsteinhaus was constructed as a present for Hitler on his 50th birthday, although he visited relatively few times. However, the house is interesting as a historical site because it remains with only minor alterations from its original state. At the end of the war, the famed American 101st Airborne Division took control of the house, and it was spared from the destruction suffered by other Nazi leadership buildings in Berchtesgaden, although most of the Nazi era artefacts were looted. Access is via bus.



Königsee is located 3 miles south of Berchtesgaden and is famous for the lake Königsee, which is the deepest lake in the Alps. It is surrounded by very steep mountains that rise up 2000 m above the lake level.

Evening Dinner is included this eveningOvernight in **Berchtesgaden**

DAY 7 BERCHTESGADEN to SALZBURG**August 2017****Morning Breakfast at your accommodation**

After breakfast, we prepare to make our final short drive into Salzburg (1hr). The day is free to enjoy the sights of Salzburg. We return our rental cars to the agency and prepare to enjoy one last evening together before heading our separate ways in the morning.

Lunch today is self catered

Farewell dinner is included tonight.

Overnight at **Salzburg**

**DAY 8 SALZBURG****August 2017****Morning Breakfast is at your accommodation**

The tour concludes and today you can be transferred to the airport for your flight home or for the next leg of your European holiday.

DAY 9 DAY IN TRANSIT**August 2017****DAY 10 ARRIVE HOME TO MELBOURNE****August 2017**

Arrive home at **Melbourne Airport**, proceed through immigration and collect your bags.

END OF TOUR ARRANGEMENTS**INCLUSIONS****GUIDES/TOUR DIRECTOR**

- Tour Director for the duration of the Six Summits Alpine Road Tour
- Specialist guides where indicated
- Tips and gratuities

TRANSPORTATION

- International flights (upon request) – Options can be requested and will be priced individually.
- Transfer where required and indicated in the itinerary
- Standard motor vehicles for the self-drive tour (based on mid-size sedan ie Audi A3). Options for other vehicle types are available and can be priced accordingly upon your request.

MEALS

- 7 x breakfasts included
- 7 x dinners including a special farewell dinner
- All lunches are self-catered

ACCOMMODATION

- 1 night in Milan
- 1 night in Como
- 1 night in Bormio
- 1 night in Cortina D'ampezzo
- 1 night in Radenthein
- 1 night in Berchtesgaden
- 1 nights in Salzburg

EXCLUSIONS

- **International Flights**
 - Your flights to and from Europe have not been included however we would be happy to book the best available airfares on your behalf. Group bookings attract favourable rates from most of the airlines.
- **Travel Insurance**
 - Travel insurance is compulsory for travel with Martini Tours.
 - If you incur medical expenses while overseas and you do not have travel insurance, you are personally liable for covering these costs. The Government cannot pay for medical expenses overseas, nor will your domestic private health insurance.
 - ***Travel insurance is as essential as your passport, regardless of your travel destination.***
- **Visas, passports and all travel documentation**
 - You are responsible for understanding which visas are required for this tour. You are also responsible for ensuring that your passport has a minimum of six months validity from the date of your return from this tour, or you may not be allowed to exit the country.
 - At this time Australian citizens do not require a visa to enter Italy, Switzerland, Austria or Germany.
 - You are asked to supply a photocopy of your passport photo page to Martini Tours. If you are applying for a new passport, please ensure that you do so immediately and that you supply a copy of the photo page as soon as your new passport arrives. Please advise Martini Tours if you are applying for a new passport.
 - We request a copy of the photo page of the passport to ensure accuracy in booking airline tickets (ie: that the name in your passport exactly matches the name on your airline ticket). All other passport related issues, including date of expiry, citizenship or residency remain your responsibility.
 - If you are NOT an Australian citizen, we will endeavor to assist with visa advice; however, since this information changes regularly and often rapidly, you are obliged to keep up to date with visa requirements for entry into Italy, Switzerland and Germany, well in advance of leaving for the tour. Please call the Embassies of the relevant countries or check their websites for this information.

- If you are NOT an Australian citizen, or you are NOT travelling on an Australian passport, you will need to ensure that you have the correct documentation to allow you to re-enter Australia. This is usually in your passport. Please check the dates on this documentation and ensure that it covers your return to Australia. If there is no information in your passport, or the dates are incorrect, you will need to contact Australian Immigration.
- If you are not travelling on an Australian passport and you need to renew your passport, you must ensure that you contact Australian Immigration after you have received your new passport from your country of citizenship, in order to have the correct re-entry to Australia documentation entered into this passport.
- If you are not travelling on an Australian passport and Australian Immigration gives you documentation that is not in the passport you have from your country of citizenship, please make sure that you take the original documentation with you, but also leave a copy of this at home, in case the originals get lost. This is important information and you must take care of it.
- We also advise you to take a full copy of your passport and leave it with someone you trust at home, in case your passport gets lost. Replacing your passport while away takes time, but it will take less time if you can produce a copy.

- **Personal spending money**

- Please note, where meals are not included, you will cover the cost of these meals yourselves.
- Any road tolls, parking fees, taxes or fines incurred whilst driving on this tour are the responsibility of the driver.
- Please allow adequate personal spending money for any sundry expenses such as laundry, purchases, souvenirs, drinks and snacks, etc.
- We advise you to take a small amount of money in cash and some money in an overseas debit/ATM /prepaid travel card from your bank or financial institution.

- **Mobile phone plans**

- We recommend the use of the international roaming travel plans and passes offered by Telstra and Vodaphone. Other providers offer similar plans. These offer unlimited calls (incoming and outgoing) and texts with a limited data plan. These are much more cost effective than roaming sim cards or TravelSIM cards
- We suggest you turn off your 'mobile data' prior to leaving Australia

- **Weather Information (August averages)**

- Not sure what to wear? Here is a summary of local temperatures.

LOCATION	AVERAGE DAILY LOW (C)	AVERAGE DAILY HIGH (C)
Milan	19	28
Lugano	17	26
Lake Como	18	22
Bernina Pass	8	17
Bormio	11	20
Stelvio Pass Summit	0	9
Valparola Pass	9	14
Grossglockner Alpine Road	0	5
Cortina D'ampezzo	9	15
Radenthein	12	24
Berchtesgaden Eagles Nest	3	11
Salzburg	13	24

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