

## K801 ~ BOSNIA, CROATIA & SLOVENIA

11 days from Sarajevo, Dubrovnik, Split, Plitvice Lakes, Postojna Cave, Bled, Ljubljana to Zagreb

### INCLUDED FEATURES:

- \* First class hotels, rooms with private facilities
- \* Breakfast daily and 6 dinners
- \* Airport arrival and departure transfers
- \* Touring by modern air-conditioned motor coach
- \* Professional Tour Director throughout
- \* Luggage handling
- \* Whisper technology enhanced touring
- \* Service charges and hotel taxes

### SIGHTSEEING TOURS INCLUDED:

- \* Sarajevo
- \* Split
- \* Postojna Cave
- \* Ljubljana
- \* Dubrovnik
- \* Plitvice Lakes
- \* Bled
- \* Zagreb

### ITINERARY:

#### Day 1, arrive Sarajevo, Thursday

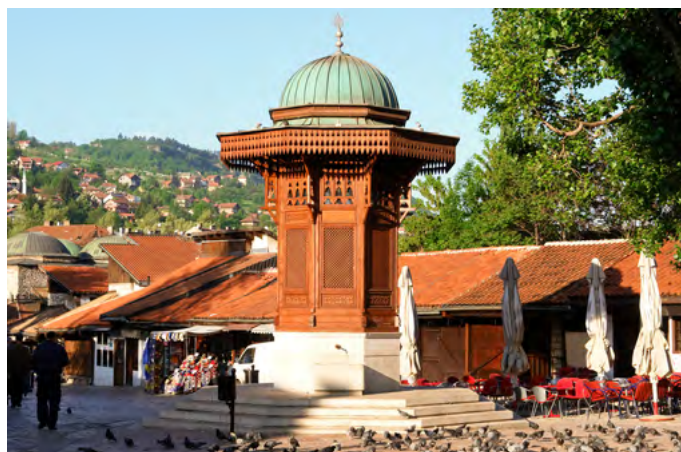
You will be met at the airport and transferred to your hotel. The balance of the day is at leisure. Tonight, join your Tour Director and fellow travelers for a Welcome Dinner. (D)

#### Day 2, in Sarajevo, Friday

Sarajevo, the capital of the Republic of Bosnia and Herzegovina, has been influenced by a number of cultures and civilizations over its long history. On your city tour, visit the Turkish Bazaar **Bas Carsija**, **Husref Bay's Mosque**, the Olympic Stadium and **Gavrilo Princip Museum**. Your afternoon and evening are free. (B)

#### Day 3, to Dubrovnik, Saturday

Drive through the gorge of the Neretva River to Mostar.



Here, see the remains of the Turkish quarter and the 16th-century stone bridge. Then travel on to Dubrovnik, with its picturesque setting on the Adriatic Sea. (B, D)

#### Day 4, in Dubrovnik, Sunday

Take a walking tour of Old Dubrovnik this morning. See the **Rector's Palace**, Bell Tower Clock, Orlando's Column, and Sponza Palace. Then on to view the Dominican Monastery and Franciscan Monastery with its **Pharmacy**, one of the oldest in the world. The rest of the day is at leisure. (B)

#### Day 5, to Split, Monday

Depart Dubrovnik and travel north along the spectacular Adriatic coast to Split. Enjoy a city tour featuring the historic inner city, built around the Roman Emperor **Diocletian's Palace**, a UNESCO World Cultural Heritage site. Plus, see the remnants of Split's Roman heritage, its Renaissance and Gothic structures, Jupiter's Temple, the Peristyle, and Cathedral. (B, D)



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### Day 6, to Trogir and Plitvice Lakes, Tuesday

Head to Trogir, the center of artistic activities. Scholars from around the world gather here to study and paint. Then turn inland and travel to spectacular **Plitvice Lakes National Park**. Have your camera ready as you take a walking tour around several of the lower lakes. Enjoy the breathtaking scenery of this natural wonder of 16 terraced lakes surrounded by thickly wooded mountains and lush vegetation. **(B, D)**

### Day 7, to Opatija, Postojna and Bled, Wednesday

Return to the coast and travel along the beautiful bay of Kvarner to the popular resort of Opatija. After some free time, head north to Postojna, home to one of the largest **caves** in Europe. Tour this fantastic subterranean world by miniature electric train. Afterward, continue to Bled, beautifully set in the Julian Alps. **(B, D)**

### Day 8, in Bled, Thursday

A sightseeing tour of Bled features the charming town, the lakeshore, and a visit to the imposing **Bled Castle**, perched on a cliff high above the lake. The balance of the day is at leisure. Perhaps join an optional excursion to the small island in the middle of the lake Bled, scenic drive through the Alpine countryside and visit Bohinj and its namesake lake. **(B)**

### Day 9, to Ljubljana and Zagreb, Friday

Travel to Ljubljana, the capital of Slovenia, and take a walking tour. See the sights of the old city center, including the picturesque open-air Central Market, Three Bridges, Baroque Town Hall, and Robba's Fountain. Then, on to Zagreb, the capital of Croatia. **(B, D)**



### Day 10, in Zagreb, Saturday

This morning, enjoy a city tour featuring the historic Upper Town, St Mark's Church, St. Catherine's Church, the **Cathedral**, Parliament, and the Government Palace. The rest of the day is free to explore the winding streets of the Old Town, relax in a café or take an optional excursion to see the countryside. **(B)**

### Day 11, depart Zagreb, Sunday

After breakfast, you will be transferred to the airport for your departure flight. **(B)**

### HOTELS:

- \* **Sarajevo:** Europe (F) / Holiday (F)
- \* **Dubrovnik:** Lacroma (F)
- \* **Split:** Atrium (F)
- \* **Plitvice:** Jezero (F)
- \* **Bled:** Park (F) / Rikli Balance Hotel (SF)
- \* **Zagreb:** Westin (DLX)

TOUR K801	
STARTING DATES:	TERMINATION DATES:
18-Apr	28-Apr
02-May	12-May
16-May	26-May
30-May	09-Jun
13-Jun	23-Jun
27-Jun	07-Jul
01-Aug	11-Aug
15-Aug	25-Aug
29-Aug	08-Sep
12-Sep	22-Sep
26-Sep	06-Oct
10-Oct	20-Oct
PRICES:	
Per person in twin:	\$2,099
Single room supplement:	\$852