

D Tours & Travel LLC presents...

# Peaks of Europe: The Alps to The Dolomites

with Optional 2-Night Venice Post Tour Extension

**July 25 – August 6, 2025**

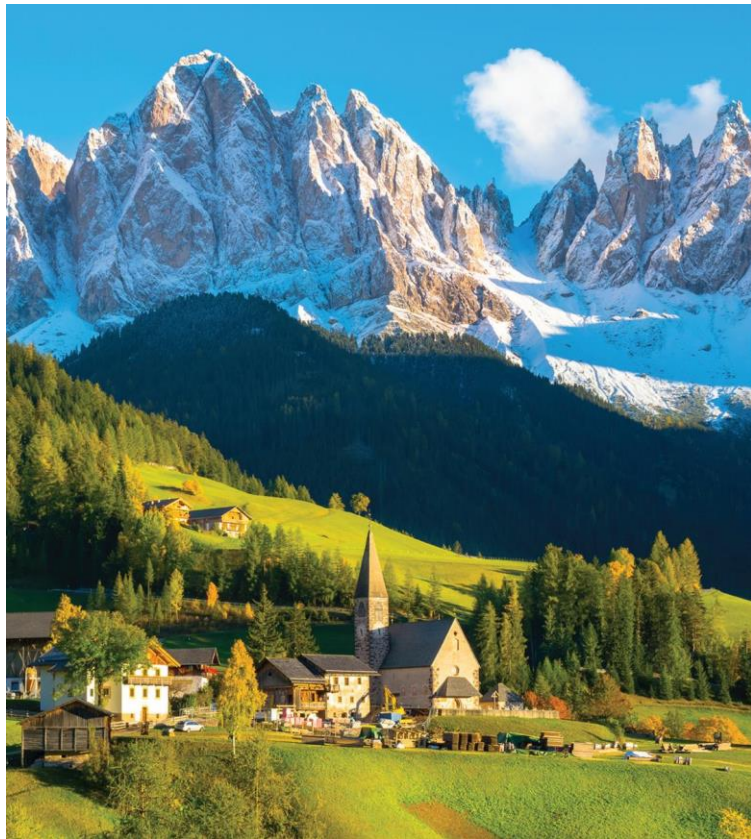


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**Small Group Travel** rewards travelers with new perspectives. With just 12-24 passengers, these are the personal adventures that today's cultural explorers dream of.

**13 Days • 19 Meals:** 11 Breakfasts, 3 Lunches, 5 Dinners

**HIGHLIGHTS...** Chamonix, Annecy, Mont Blanc, Choice on Tour: Aiguille Du Midi Cable Car or Tramway du Mont Blanc, GoldenPass Train, Gstaad, Jungfrau, Lucerne, Alpine Walks & Nature Experiences, Innsbruck, Dolomites, Cortina, Prosecco Region, Venetian Villa Stay

#### ITINERARY AT A GLANCE

Day 1	Overnight Flight
Days 2 – 4	Lykke Slow Hotel & Spa, Chamonix
Day 5	Golf Hotel Les Hauts de Gstaad , Gstaad
Days 6, 7	Sunstar Alpine Hotel Grindelwald, Grindelwald
Days 8, 9	Seelos Hotel - NIKO Hotels, Seefeld, Tyrol
Days 10, 11	Hotel Ander , Brunico
Day 12	Hotel Villa Condulmer, Venice

*On some dates alternate hotels may be used.*

**Day 1: Friday, July 25, 2025 Overnight Flight** Postcard-perfect vistas and storybook villages. Rolling hills and the crisp scent of fresh mountain air. There is nothing in this world quite like the Alps. You're on your way to explore Europe's iconic peaks and valleys on an invigorating journey through France, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Austria and Italy.

**Day 2: Saturday, July 26, 2025 Chamonix, France** Say *bonjour* to Chamonix – the perennial ski-hub nestled at the foot of Mont Blanc. Take the afternoon to wander the pedestrian-friendly streets of this quaint town steeped in hundreds of years of history. Tonight, join with new friends and toast to the beginning of your alpine adventure. (D)

**Day 3: Sunday, July 27, 2025 Chamonix - Annecy - Chamonix** Journey to one of France's most picturesque cities, Annecy – often called the “Venice of the Alps” due to its storybook charm. Join a local guide on a walking tour through an old medieval town featuring canals, crisscrossing bridges, and pastel colored houses. Take advantage of some free time to explore the town's vibrant outdoor market. This afternoon, we return to Chamonix where the rest of the evening is yours to enjoy at leisure. (B)

**Day 4: Monday, July 28, 2025 Chamonix** Today, decide how to explore the legendary Mont Blanc – the birthplace of mountaineering – because **it's your choice!** Ascend the Aiguille du Midi by cable car to an elevation of over 12,600 feet (3,842 meters).\* This is the closest you can get to the summit of Europe's tallest peak -**OR-** relax aboard the Tramway du Mont Blanc rack-railway taking in its vintage charm and the impressive views from the Eagle's Nest, located 7,782 feet above sea level (2,372 meters). This afternoon, enjoy a stroll through the woods in the bottom of the valley. (B)

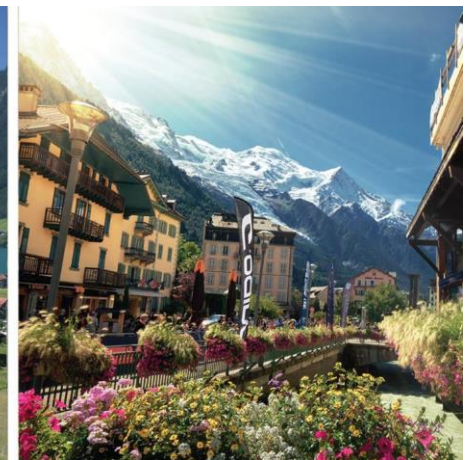
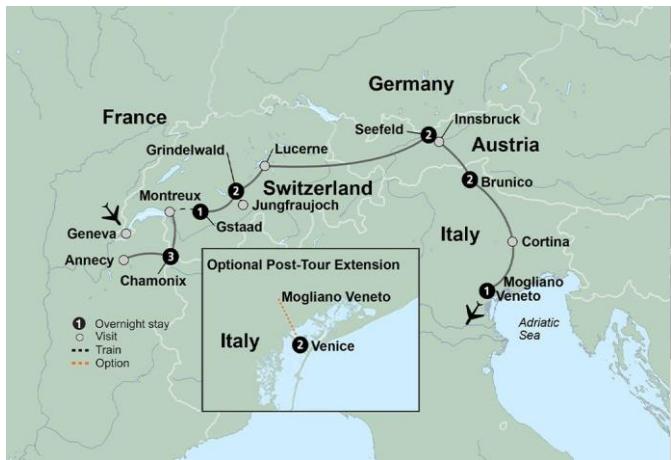
**Day 5: Tuesday, July 29, 2025 Chamonix - Gstaad, Switzerland** Bid Chamonix and France *adieu* and set out for Switzerland. During today's **Impact Moment**, learn all about the pups of Barryland, a local foundation that promotes and protects the heritage of the St. Bernard, the official dog of Switzerland. An afternoon train ride on the GoldenPass whisks you through the pastoral Swiss landscape en route to Gstaad. Check in to your hotel before relaxing over dinner. (B, D)

**Day 6: Wednesday, July 30, 2025 Gstaad - Grindelwald** Travel through the alpine meadows of the Bernese Oberland, an area renowned for its cheese production. Visit an artisanal creamery producing *raclette* cheese and taste the local produce during brunch on the farm. This afternoon, head on to Grindelwald, nestled at the base of legendary Mount Eiger. Settle in for a 2-night stay in this charming alpine village. This evening is at leisure. (B, L)

**Day 7: Thursday, July 31, 2025 Grindelwald - Jungfrauoch - Grindelwald** A short cogwheel train ride brings you to Jungfrauoch (UNESCO), known as the “Top of Europe.” Take your time to explore this eternal winter wonderland with impressive views of the imposing triple peaks of Eiger, Mönch, and Jungfrau. Wander the frosty halls of the Ice Palace to see works of icy art carved by local artists or stand next to the Swiss flag to capture your time above it all. Tonight is yours to do as you please. (B)

**Day 8: Friday, August 1, 2025 Grindelwald - Lucerne - Seefeld, Austria** Before departing Switzerland, spend some time to learn for yourself why the lakeside city of Lucerne is considered one of the most beautiful cities in Switzerland. Make your way through Liechtenstein, the only country to lie entirely within the Alps on your way to Austria. This evening is yours to relax and to get to know your home in Seefeld for the next 2 nights. (B, D)

**Day 9: Saturday, August 2, 2025 Seefeld** This morning explore the idyllic town of Seefeld in a horse-drawn carriage, pausing to take in the unspoiled beauty of the Tyrolean mountains and forests. Enjoy a free afternoon or elect to cross into Germany on an optional tour of Oberammergau, the world-renowned home of the Passion Play. This Bavarian village of traditionally painted houses comes together every 10 years\*\* to perform a marathon 10-hour folk theatre rendition of the Passion in thanksgiving for escaping the plague of 1633. After visiting the theatre site and



## Per Person Rates\*:

**Double \$7,499; Single \$8,399**

**Included in Price:** Round Trip Group Transportation to/from Lambert St Louis Intl, Round Trip Air from Lambert St Louis Intl, Air Taxes and Fees/Surcharges, Hotel Transfers

**Not included in price:** Cancellation Waiver and Insurance of \$549 per person

### Upgrade your in-flight experience with Elite Airfare

Additional rate of: Premium Economy \$1,590; Business Class \$4,190

• \* Elite Air pricing (Premium Economy, Business Class or First class) is valid until 8 months prior to departure, after which rates are subject to change and will be quoted based upon availability.

† Refer to the reservation form to choose your upgrade option

\* *All Rates are Per Person and are subject to change*

**IMPORTANT CONDITIONS:** Your price is guaranteed once deposit is received and booking confirmed by Collette. Your price is not subject to increase after the deposit is received and booking confirmed, except for charges resulting from increases in government-imposed taxes or fees. (See registration form for consent.)

town, indulge in homemade Tyrolean cuisine at a local restaurant before returning to Seefeld. (B)

**Day 10: Sunday, August 3, 2025 Seefeld - Innsbruck - Brunico, Italy** Take in the scenery of the spectacular Bavarian Alps en route to enchanting Innsbruck. Walk the charming streets, discover the historic old town, and take in landmarks such as the Golden Roof. Depart Austria for Italy to witness the unique jagged limestone peaks of the Dolomites. Arrive in Brunico, a historic town dating back to the 1200s, and your home for the next two nights. (B, D)

**Day 11: Monday, August 4, 2025 Brunico - Dolomites - Brunico** Journey into the Dolomites (UNESCO) mountain range and discover natural beauty and local traditions. During a walk in the Val Badia valley, learn about the centuries old Ladin culture. Stop at a nearby *maso* – an alpine farm – for a taste of local Ladin fare. After lunch, a cable car ride brings you to Rifugio Lagazuoi\*\*\* for a feast of stunning views of the Dolomites. The evening is yours to explore Brunico as you wish. (B, L)

**Day 12: Tuesday, August 5, 2025 Brunico - Cortina - Mogliano Veneto** Discover the charm of Cortina, a ski town encircled by the scenic backdrop of sky-skimming Dolomite peaks. The rolling hills of Italy's Prosecco region bring you to a local vineyard where you'll taste the region's sparkling specialty. This evening, explore the frescoed halls and grounds of your historic countryside villa before you gather for dinner and toast to new friends, fond memories, and unforgettable scenery. (B, L, D)

**Day 13: Wednesday, August 6, 2025 Mogliano Veneto - Tour Ends** Your alpine adventure comes to a close today. (B)

### Experience It! Aiguille du Midi

Ascending to a breathtaking 3,842 meters, the Aiguille du Midi is the closest you can get to the summit of Mont Blanc without hiking or climbing. Departing from the French town of Chamonix, a cable car delivers you to the peak of Aiguille du Midi in less than 30 minutes, where a complex of exhibits, restaurants, and an elevator to the very top await. Walk around the peak via "the pipe" to take in views of the French, Swiss, and Italian Alps. Feeling adventurous? "Step into the void" at the Aiguille du Midi skywalk and marvel at the soaring alpine peaks around you and the 3,000 feet (1,000 meters) of open air below your feet.

## EXTEND YOUR VACATION WITH

### Optional 3 Days 2-Night Venice Post Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$899.00 USD double, \$1,199.00 USD single, land only

**For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit**  
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1295357>



**PLEASE NOTE:**

**The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3.** This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal. A moderately paced two-and-a-half-hour walking tour, covering several miles, hills, and uneven surfaces, is no problem for you. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing into and out of various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.). You can climb three flights of stairs easily and handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. Expect some longer days with early mornings or late nights balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. This level is not a fit for travelers who require mobility assistance devices.

**Travel with an average of 19 people (maximum of 24).**

For your comfort, we recommend bringing comfortable, waterproof walking shoes.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

\*In addition to the high altitude, the Aiguille du Midi choice requires the ability to negotiate 200 steps up/down at the altitude of over 12,600 feet (3,842 meters) above sea level where oxygen levels are scarce.

This itinerary features 3 ascents above 9,500 feet (2,900 meters) which are not suitable in case of certain heart conditions. We recommend you consult your physician before booking this tour.

\*\*The next Passion Play performance will take place in the year 2030.

\*\*\*The Lagazuoi cable car is closed for annual maintenance between the 2nd weekend of April and the last weekend of May, and again between the 3rd weekend of October and the last weekend of November. During this time, you will enjoy a scenic drive of the Fassa and Badia valleys instead. The weather in the Dolomites is changeable and prone to strong winds, sudden fogs, low clouds and downpours. The average temperature in the Dolomites ranges from 41 Fahrenheit (5 Celsius) in spring and fall, to 65 Fahrenheit (18 Celsius) in summer. Temperatures can drop suddenly to below freezing point. For your comfort we recommend packing a warm fleece, scarf, hat and a pair of gloves.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability. Triple rooms are not available.

To complete your tour, we include roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your own air, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

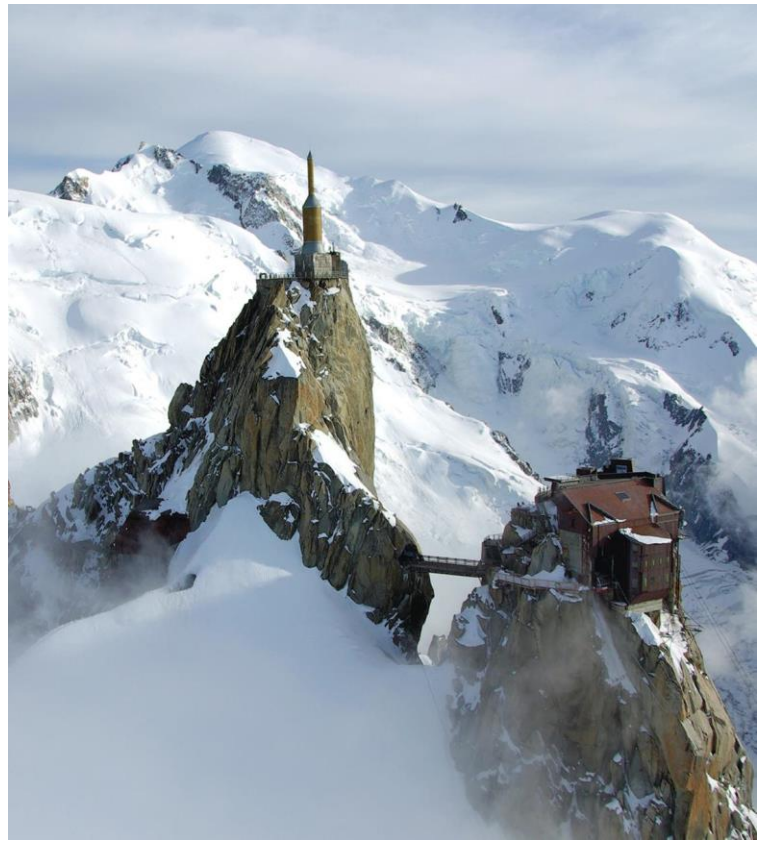
Our air passengers will arrive into Geneva airport and depart from Venice airport.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

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

**IDENTIFICATION**

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require that your passport be valid at least 6 months beyond the dates of your travel. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for



details. Visit [www.travel.state.gov](http://www.travel.state.gov) for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements. **IMPORTANT:** We recommend that travelers 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.

*Effective for travel in May 2025, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS visa waiver, for a fee, when visiting a Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit <https://www.etiasvisa.com/>*

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

**A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the seat reduction date of December 19, 2024 are based upon availability. Final payment due by April 26, 2025. Deposits are refundable up until December 26, 2024.**

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**For important reservation information visit  
<https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1295357>.  
You can also find this information on your tour documents.**



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BOOKING NUMBER: 1295357

TOUR: Peaks of Europe: The Alps to The Dolomites  
*featuring France, Switzerland, Liechtenstein, Austria,  
and Italy*

DEPARTURE DATE: July 25, 2025

GROUP NAME: D Tours & Travel LLC

### 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.

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### Seefeld

#### An Afternoon in Bavaria

**\$125 USD**

Cross into Germany for a visit to Oberammergau, the world-renowned home of the Passion Play. This Bavarian village of traditionally painted houses comes together every 10 years\* to perform a marathon 10-hour folk theatre rendition of the Passion of Christ in thanksgiving for escaping the great plague of 1633. After visiting the theatre site and town, indulge in homemade Bavarian cuisine at a local restaurant before returning to Seefeld. *Duration: Approximately 7 hours.* Please note a minimum of 8 passengers is required. Transportation is included.

## Extend your vacation with

### Optional 3 Days 2-Night Venice Post Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$899.00 USD double, \$1,199.00 USD single, land only  
2 Meals: 2 Breakfasts

#### Day 13: Mogliano Veneto - Venice

Continue your exploration of Italy with a 2-night stay in Venice, the "Queen of the Adriatic." After a motorboat transfer, meet your local guide for a walking tour of this incredible city, including the Bridge of Sighs, the Clock Tower, and St. Mark's Square. You'll also learn about the Venetian art of glassblowing during an interactive demonstration.

#### Day 14: Venice

Enjoy a day to explore Venice at your leisure. From your centrally located hotel, the city is yours to uncover. Meander amongst the historic streets, taking in the city's unique architecture and gondola-laden canals. You may choose to experience the local cuisine at a typical *bacaro*, a small wine bar where locals stop for a glass of wine – traditionally called *ombra* – and a quick bite of local tapas – that Venetians call *cicchetti*. Or take a local public waterbus ride to the nearby island of San Giorgio which offers spectacular views of St. Mark's Square and the Doge's Palace. *Today breakfast will be included.*

#### Day 15: Venice

*Say arrivederci* to Italy as your tour comes to a close. *Today breakfast will be included.*

#### Please Note:

**The overall activity level of this extension is a level 3.** This means walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal for you. You can navigate hills and uneven ground, climb into various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.), and could possibly anticipate changes in elevation. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable as is climbing 3 flights of stairs. You can handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. You can expect some longer days balanced with free time. This level is not a fit for travelers that require mobility assistance devices.

A **Hosted Extension** is great for travelers who like to spend full days exploring places on their own by foot or public transportation. A dedicated Tour Manager will not be present during this extension.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 passengers is not met to operate.

Extensions not purchased at time of deposit are subject to availability and applicable charges at time of request.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.



## Special Needs Form

Please complete this form, sign and return it to us within 14 days of receipt.

Email: [TravelOperations@collette.com](mailto:TravelOperations@collette.com)

Fax: 401.727.4745

Mail: Collette: Travel Operations  
180 Middle Street  
Pawtucket, RI 02860

### TRAVELERS NEEDING SPECIAL ASSISTANCE

You must report any disability requiring special attention to Collette at the time the reservation is made. \*Collette will make reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants. Such participants, however, should be aware that the Americans with Disabilities Act is inapplicable outside of the United States and facilities outside the United States for disabled individuals are limited. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable of and totally responsible for providing the assistance. Neither Collette nor its personnel, nor its suppliers, may physically lift or assist clients into transportation vehicles. If a traveler thinks he or she might need assistance during a trip, he or she should call Collette to determine what assistance might reasonably be given. Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining, or other routine activities. Internationally, a great deal of walking may be necessary to fully enjoy the destination. Travelers should be in good health and must be able to walk reasonable distances. In some areas, travelers may be required to walk on uneven ground, cobblestone streets or raised thresholds.

***\*To request a wheelchair accessible room on a cruise, the traveler or person sharing the room must have a recognized disability that alters a major life function and requires the use of a mobility device and the use of the accessible features provided in the wheelchair accessible stateroom. The cruise company may take appropriate action against someone who has reserved or purchased such a stateroom fraudulently. Action may include but is not limited to removal from the stateroom to a non-accessible accommodation up to denial of boarding.***

Reservation # \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_ Male or Female (circle one)

**Are you traveling with a wheelchair?** Yes No

If you answer "YES"

- Does your wheelchair collapse? Yes No

- Can you stand and climb steps to board the coach without it? Yes No
- Are you capable of lifting your own wheelchair? Yes No

If you are not capable of lifting your own wheelchair who will provide assistance?

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*This form cannot be processed without the dimensions of your wheelchair:*

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Length \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_

**Are you traveling with a walker?** Yes No

If you answer “YES”

- Does your walker collapse? Yes No

*This form cannot be processed without the dimensions of your walker:*

Height \_\_\_\_\_ Length \_\_\_\_\_ Width \_\_\_\_\_

*Tour Managers and drivers do not provide assistance lifting, pushing or carrying wheelchairs or walkers. Motorized scooters are not permitted on tour.*

**Are you requesting any hotel room accommodations?** Yes No

If “YES” Please indicate if one or more of the following is required in the washroom.

- Walk-in shower Yes No
- Grab bars Yes No
- Raised toilet seat Yes No

*Please provide any details in reference to the nature of your request.*

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Most hotel rooms that can accommodate the request will be equipped with only 1 bed.

**Do you understand and accept?** Yes No

Collette cannot guarantee the availability of such rooms as many hotels have a limited number of rooms that are equipped with the above accommodations.

**Are you traveling with an oxygen tank?** Yes No

If you answer “YES”

- You must contact the airline directly to arrange transportation of the oxygen on the plane. Oxygen requests vary by airline and location and can take up to 2 weeks to request.
- You are responsible for supplying your own electrical cords, and converters as needed.



This form must be remitted within 14 days of receipt for any special needs accommodation request.

*Collette cannot provide special individual assistance to tour members with special needs for walking, dining, or other routine activities and motorized scooters are not permitted on tour.*

The Americans with Disabilities Act only applies in the United States. Many international destinations cannot accommodate passengers' requests. Collette will make all reasonable efforts to accommodate the special needs of tour participants, but we cannot guarantee that all requests will be honored on international destinations.

Collette also regrets that it cannot provide individual assistance to a tour member with special needs for walking, dining, or other special personal needs. It is strongly recommended that persons requiring assistance be accompanied by a companion who is capable and totally responsible for the assistance.

I have read and understand the above:

**Signature:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Internal Use Only**

Reason: \_\_\_\_\_

Tour: \_\_\_\_\_ Reservation # \_\_\_\_\_

TS/Group: \_\_\_\_\_

Tour Date: \_\_\_\_\_