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## CLASSIC EUROPEAN WITH THE GLACIER EXPRESS

11 DAYS / 10 NIGHTS | **ROME – MILAN – ST. MORITZ – GLACIER EXPRESS – ZERMATT – MONTREUX – PARIS**



### Price Includes:

- Eurail Global Pass - 5 days in 2 months - 1<sup>st</sup> class
- 1<sup>st</sup> Class Seat reservations for: Rome to Milan, Tirano to St. Moritz on board the Bernina Express, St. Moritz to Zermatt on board the Glacier Express, Lausanne to Paris (TGV)
- **2 nights** accommodation in selected hotels in standard rooms with private facilities and breakfast daily: **Rome, Zermatt, Montreux and Paris**
- **1 night** accommodation in selected hotels in standard rooms with private facilities and breakfast daily: **Milan and St. Moritz**
- 3-course lunch on board the Glacier Express train
- Dinner when in Rome eat with a Roman
- Dinner when in Montreux eat with a local
- Transfer from Rome Airport/Rail station to your hotel in Rome
- Transfer from your hotel in Paris to Paris Airport/ Rail station
- Service charges, taxes and VAT

Please note: Some hotels may charge additional city taxes, these are to be paid locally.

### Special note:

Packaged price does not include seat reservations on trains other than specified in price includes above.

### OPTIONAL EXTRAS:

- Independent Gornergrat excursion from Zermatt
- Independent Matterhorn Glacier Paradise excursion from Zermatt
- Chocolate train from Montreux
- Independent Rochers-de-Naye excursion from Montreux
- Upgrade to Superior 4\*- or 5\* hotels
- Some hotels may charge a local city tax, this is to be paid for locally
- Any additional meals unless specified in the itinerary



Trevi Fountain, Rome

### Day 1 | Rome

Arrive in Rome by own arrangements. Transfer to your hotel. Optional: Why not take a city tour in the afternoon to get an overview of this fascinating city? Rome is not only the capital of the state, but also home to the Vatican City in the middle of the city. This is where the spiritual leader of the Catholic Church, the Pope, lives and works. Speaking of God: You love ice cream? In the Gelateria Giolitti over 100 different varieties of ice cream await you – simply divine. Overnight in Rome.

### Day 2 | Rome

Explore «the Eternal City» at your leisure. In Rome, you cannot help but deal with the history of the city. Vatican, Roman Forum, the Trevi Fountain, everywhere the eyes are pampered with history and art. Speaking of pampering: Browse through the lively markets and enjoy an aperitif in Trastevere, the nightlife district of the locals. You will love it, promise! Then meet for dinner with a local - "when in Rome eat with a Roman" (this can be booked for day 1 instead). Overnight in Rome. (B,D)



Milan

### Day 3 | Rome to Milan

Depart Rome and travel by train to Milan. Milan is well known for shopping and cultural highlights such as the Cathedral or Leonardo Da Vinci's world-famous image «The Last Supper». Overnight in Milan. (B)

### Day 4 | Milan to St. Moritz

Depart Milan and travel by train to Tirano. Here you will board the famous **Bernina Express** train of the Rhaetian Railway, your journey will take you along the UNESCO World heritage route to St. Moritz. Overnight in St. Moritz. (B)

### Day 5 | St. Moritz to Zermatt

Travel from St. Moritz to Zermatt on board the amazing **Glacier Express**, which is one of the greatest train journeys in the world. The 8-hour railway journey will take you over 291 bridges, through 91 tunnels and across the Oberalp Pass at 2'033 metres in altitude. Travel in comfort through the unspoiled natural beauty whilst enjoying a 3-course lunch served in your seat, excludes any beverages. Overnight in Zermatt. (B,L)

### Day 6 | Zermatt

Day at Leisure in Zermatt. We suggest an excursion by cogwheel railway up the the Gornergrat where you will have a superb panoramic view of the Matterhorn, Mont Blanc and other snow-capped peaks rising to above 4000 m. Or opt for the Matterhorn Glacier Paradise with the highest aerial cableway and summit station at 3883 m. Overnight in Zermatt. (B)

### Day 7 | Zermatt to Montreux

Depart Zermatt and travel by train through the beautiful valley of Valais to Montreux. Rest of the day is at your leisure. We suggest a visit of the terraced vineyards of Lavaux listed as a World Heritage Site and famous for being one of the best-known wine-growing areas in Switzerland. Put a perfect end to the day by tasting one or two glasses of wine at the Vinorama. Then meet for dinner with a local (this can be booked for Day 8 instead). Overnight in Montreux. (B,D)

### Day 8 | Montreux

Day at Leisure in Montreux. Optional: Why not take the train to the Geneva. Geneva is the headquarters of Europe's United Nations and the Red Cross, it's a global hub for diplomacy and banking. Or you could explore Lake Geneva, which is a crescent-shaped lake shared between France and Switzerland, and overlooked by the Alps. Overnight in Montreux. (B)



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