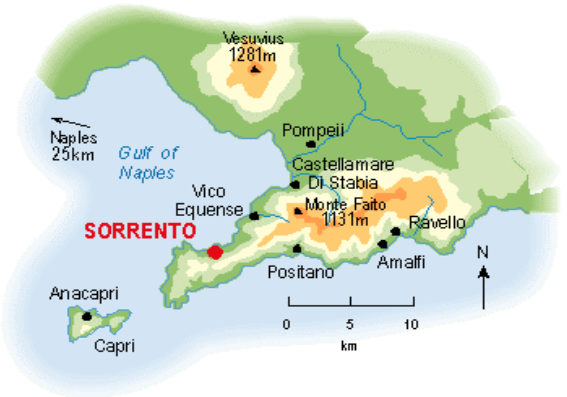


ITALY – SORRENTO & THE AMALFI COAST

8-day / 7-night centre-based – one-hotel - group guided walking tours



- Excellent walks and stunning coastal scenery
- World-famous sightseeing at Pompei and Herculaneum
- Visit the enchanting island of Capri

This is undoubtedly one of our most frequently requested walking destinations. A place where you can enjoy great coastal walking and visits to world-famous historic sights on a combined easy **Walking and Sightseeing** holiday on Italy's Sorrento Peninsula. This is an area famous for its incomparable beauty and gentle climate.

Our guided walks follow the coastal path to colourful fishing villages such as **Positano and Amalfi** and inland paths through woodland, vineyards and lemon groves. The remarkably well-preserved buried cities of **Pompeii** and **Herculaneum** are just a short train journey away and offer a fascinating insight into Roman life. We also spend a day exploring the enchanting island of **Capri**. Sorrento is a popular coastal resort with plenty of shops and amenities. Excellent transport links make this an ideal base to explore the whole peninsula.

Our centre-based or one-hotel walking holidays offer a choice of two guided walks each day – usually an easier walk or a more challenging option. There is also a free-day midweek for you to relax or join-in a sightseeing itinerary (allow Euro 30 for admissions to places of interest).

Cost: AU\$1315 per person (twin share) Single room supplement AU\$290

Departures: 14th, 21st, 28th April, 5th, 12th, 19th May, 1st, 8th, 15th, 22nd, 29th September, 6th, 13th October 2012

Tour includes: 7-nights in comfortable hotel room with ensuite bathrooms where available, 7-breakfasts, 7-evening meals, experienced walks leader, 5-guided walks and a free-day midweek.

Not Included: Airport transfers from Naples (these can be pre-booked at extra cost – we recommend you take these - please ask for details when booking), meals & drinks not mentioned & personal expenses.



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HOTEL CARAVEL: Franco Corcione and his friendly staff will make you very welcome at their four-star hotel, located in the pleasant residential district of Sant'Agnello, five minutes' walk from the coast. There are 90-bedrooms with en-suite bathrooms, many rooms have a balcony. Facilities include an open plan lounge, bar and restaurant, an outdoor swimming pool, pleasant gardens and a terrace.



Suggested itinerary:

Day 1: Arrive at the hotel mid afternoon for a briefing & dinner

Day 2: Explore Sorrento before walking to St Agata and descending through groves of lemons and olives.

Day 3: Take a full day excursion to Vesuvius and the remarkable buried city of Herculaneum.

Day 4: Follow a superb high-level path above the coast before descending to the chic resort of Positano.

Day 5: Free day - perhaps take the train to Pompei or Naples.

Day 6: Discover the magical island of Capri, visit Emperor Tiberius' villa, absorbing the magnificent coastline.

Day 7: Soak up the endless sea views on a walk to Point Campanella at the tip of the peninsula.

Day 8: Tour departs after breakfast

Please Note: The above program should give you a good feel for the walks at this resort but is subject to change. For those considering a 2-week walking holiday alternate walks are offered on the second week – ask for details.

Each year we listen carefully to the views of our guests and make improvements to our walking programmes. Further information will be sent to you prior to your holiday; however, the final selection of walks during each week will be made by your walking leaders.

Local transport to and from walks: Local transport is not included in the cost of your holiday. Please allow Euro 95 (approx \$200) per week for transport during the week, excluding your free day (payable locally).

Footpath information



Easier Walks: 5 to 12km on good, but sometimes steep, paths. @ 100m to 300m of ascent.



Harder Walks: 7 to 15km with some long steep ascents and descents, sometimes on stone steps. @ 100m to 550m of ascent.

Similar centre-based walking holidays are available in many other areas or Italy including the Cinque Terre, Umbria, Dolomites, Lake Garda & Tuscany. Walks are also offered in most countries of Europe & the UK.

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