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Friuli - based in two hotels

LANGOBARDS AND THE COUNT OF GORICIA.

Starting point for this bicycle holiday is Prepotto (Prapotno in Slovenian). It is a commune in the Province of Udine in the Italian region Friuli-Venezia, located about 50 km northwest of Trieste and about 20 km east of Udine, on the border with Slovenia. It is a small picturesque town with old houses and winding alleys. For winegrowers and wine lovers this well-known village is an El Dorado, a place with beautiful vineyards where you can taste some of the world finest wine.

Carrying on your trip you will arrive to the multilingual border area of Italy and Slovenia, in Gorizia (Görz in German, Gorica in Slovenian). In World War I, the city and the surrounding area were the scene of the 12 battles of Isonzo.

Medium



8 Days / 7 Nights



Self-guided Tour

To the online version



Itinerary

DAY

1

Arrival in Prepotto

DAY

2

Round trip Prepotto – Cividale del Friuli – Udine

| approx. 30 - 60 km

On the first day, you have the possibility to choose between two round trips, a shorter one and a longer one. The shorter tour leads to Cividale del Friuli, the medieval town of the Langobards. The historical center of the town is dominated by Piazza Duomo and Palazzo Pretorio, where you can have a rest.

The longer tour in addition leads you to the university city of Udine. You can visit the Dome, as well as the Loggia del Lionello, in the ground floor of the town hall.

DAY

3

Round trip to Slovenia and to Brda

| approx. 45 - 65 km

This day takes you across the border to Slovenia and to Brda, meeting point of three cultures (Slavic, Romanic and Germanic). The Brda is well known mainly because of the winegrowing but also for its castles and white churches which are situated mostly on hills.

DAY

4

Round trip to the castles of the Gorizia

| approx. 40 - 45 km

The Gorizia Hills (Collio in Italian) became well known due to its good wine, but it offers a lot for history lovers too. Today you cycle to the castles of the Collio, among which you can discover the castle Rocca Bernarda. This castle was a fief of the patriarchy of Aquileia and had been given as a present to the city of Cividale. This city left it to the Roman family Capiferro in the 15th century. Afterwards it was sold several times to different owners and finally to the family Perusini. The beautiful castle in the style of the 16th century is situated in the midst of extensive parks, on a hill surrounded by vineyards. Thanks to the dedication and the competence of Gaetano Perusini the cultivation of the "Picolit" grapes started, which have gained worldwide renown over the years.

DAY
5*Prepotto – Cormons d'Isonzo – Gradisca*

approx. 35 km or approx. 45 km (variant via Gorizia)

Today you leave Prepotto and cycle to Cormons, the cultural and economic center of the Gorizia Hills (Collio). The main square of Cormons invites you to take a break and enjoy a glass of wine. Continue to Gradisca, a little village near the Slovenian border. Here we recommend to visit the Palazzo dei Provveditori in the old town with its Enoteca Regionale, where you should let the day fade away while enjoying the fine local wine. Overnight stay in Gradisca d'Isonzo.

DAY
6*Round trip to Aquileia*

approx. 40 km or 75 km

This bicycle journey takes you to the formerly biggest city of the Roman Empire. Today the remnants of this settlement are still to be seen. Discover the secrets of the Roman city of Aquileia, the so-called "Second Rome"; Roman ruined cities, ancient churches. It is worth visiting the Aquileia Cathedral, which interior has a mosaic pavement from the 4th century.

DAY
7*Gradisca d'Isonzo - Trieste*

approx. 40 km

On the last day of the cycle holiday there will await you Trieste, the former Habsburg city. On the first part of the route, following a breathtaking coastal, the Karst Plateau accompanies you along the Adriatic Sea. Before you enter in the old seaport and commercial town of Trieste, the Castle of Miramare invites you for a visit. By train you return to Gradisca.

DAY
8*Departure or extension*

Tour character

The route runs on bicycle paths and along side roads without traffic from the vineyards of the Collio to the Adriatic Coast.



Prices and events

Place of arrival: Prepotto

	Season 1 11.04.2021 10.10.2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday	Season 2 12.04.2021 - 18.06.2021 12.09.2021 - 09.10.2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday	Season 3 19.06.2021 - 11.09.2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday
Friuli based in two hotels, 8 days, IT-FRRPG-08X			
Base price	49900	59900	66400
Surcharge single room	16900	16900	16900

Category: Agriturismo Tinello San Urbano in Prepotto and 4****-Hotel Franz in Gradisca

Additional nights

Place of arrival: Prepotto

	Season 1 Apr 11, 2021 Oct 10, 2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday	Season 2 Apr 12, 2021 - Jun 18, 2021 Sep 12, 2021 - Oct 9, 2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday	Season 3 Jun 19, 2021 - Sep 11, 2021 Arrival Tuesday, Sunday
Prepotto			
Double room p.P.	4900	4900	4900
Surcharge single room	1500	1500	1500
Gradisca			
Double room p.P.	5900	5900	5900
Surcharge single room	1500	1500	1500

Our rental bikes

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21-gear unisex	7900
21-gear gents	7900
Rental Bike PLUS	11900
Electric bike	16900

Prices per person in EUR

Services and infos

Services

Included:

- Accommodation as already mentioned
- Breakfast buffet or extensive breakfast
- Half board: mind. three course dinner
- Luggage transfer between the hotels
- Well-developed route
- Detailed travel documents 1x per room (GE, EN, IT with route maps, route description, local attractions, important telephone numbers)
- 1 Journey by train Trieste – Sagrado (incl. bike)
- GPS-tracks available
- Service-hotline

Optional extras:

- Return transfer by mini bus from Gradisca to Prepotto every Tuesday and Sunday, costs € 60 flat rate for up to 8 persons incl. your bike, reservation is necessary

Infos

Arrival / Parking / Departure:

- Cormons train station, by public bus from Udine to Prepotto
- Trieste, Venice and Ljubljana airport.
- Parking at the hotel

Things to note:

- Tourist tax, if due, is not included in the price!
- Further important information according to the package travel law can be found [here!](#)

Contact & booking

Do you still have questions about the tour? We are happy to help and look forward to your inquiry.



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