

## COLOSSEUM NIGHT TOUR - WALKS OF ITALY

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 18, 7:30 PM

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- Enter the Colosseum at night to access special areas usually closed to the public.
- Visit the Colosseum underground, walk the arena floor & admire the silence of general access areas.
- Explore the underground and arena floor with only your guide and a maximum of 23 other people.

### VISIT THE COLOSSEUM AFTER THE GATES HAVE CLOSED

Enjoy a rare experience of the Colosseum, visiting at night to explore special access areas after the crowds have left. Some 5 million people visit the Colosseum every year but you'll see it like no one else.

Enjoy that exclusivity as your guide regales you with hair-raising tales of the Colosseum's bloody past. In the darkness of night, those stories feel even more spine-tingling than usual, and with the amphitheater almost empty, you'll find it easier to hear and interact with your guide. As well as being especially evocative, the Colosseum at night is cooler and much more comfortable.

### SEE HOW GLADIATORS LIVED IN THE COLOSSEUM UNDERGROUND

Your guide will lead you on an exclusive visit down into the underground, where animals and gladiators awaited their turn to fight. The underground may only be visited on pre-booked tours with a limited number of participants, so this is a rare opportunity! Combined with our later entrance time, this makes our Colosseum Night Tour the most exclusive Colosseum visit available – as well as the most enjoyable.

Next you'll experience your own 'Gladiator' moment on the arena floor. You'll travel with an official Colosseum guard who will unlock a special gate, swinging it open to reveal that iconic walkway onto the floor. Walk in the footsteps of gladiators as you step out on to the arena floor and scream "Are you not entertained?" into the empty amphitheater (if you so please). This is the most incredible vantage point in the Colosseum so take your time to soak it up.

### JOURNEY THROUGH ANCIENT ROME IN SMALL GROUPS OF 24 OR FEWER.

An added bonus of our Colosseum Night Tour is a visit to Piazza Venezia, seeing the building that represents new Rome and new Italy, by far one of the most beautiful buildings to be seen at night. From here you will walk up to the Capitoline Hill, with its magnificent square designed by Michelangelo (Piazza del Campidoglio). From a vantage point overlooking the Roman Forum, your guide will tell you tales from the empire, whose reach you won't believe.

Seeing the Colosseum may be an opportunity that only comes once in a lifetime - but seeing it this way definitely is! Perfect for families, for those who don't like the heat of day, and for visitors who want a different experience, our VIP Colosseum Night tour is one of our most atmospheric experiences. High demand and limited availability often mean this tour sells out months in advance though so book now to secure your place!

### SITES VISITED

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- Colosseum in lights (exterior and interior)
- Colosseum underground & arena floor
- Roman Forum overlook
- Piazza Venezia
- Vittorio Emanuele II Monument
- Mussolini's balcony and imperial thoroughfare
- The Capitoline Hill (piazza del Campidoglio) and via Dei Fori Imperiali

### INCLUDED

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- Special access to visit the Colosseum Underground and Arena Floor at night
- Expert Walks of Italy tour guide
- Small groups of 24 people or fewer
- Headsets