

Malta-Sicily-Italy Tracing Paul's Last Journey

LL INCLUSIVE \$6,300 P/Person Single Rooms \$1500

13 Days May April 7-19, 2024 Led by Rev. Lance Richards and Rev. Ann Spears.

Round trip from Houston (IAH) \$6300 Per Person All Inclusive

Day 1 – 7 April, Sunday

FLIGHT TO MALTA

Depart the U.S. to Malta International Airport.

Day 2 – 8 April. Monday

MALTA ARRIVAL

On arrival:

The Grand Harbour -

A private Cruise sailing in a traditional "dghajsa" and a splendid relaxing way to appreciate Valetta's fine buildings and skyline. <u>Dinner & Overnight in VALLETTA</u>

Day 3 – 9 April, Tuesday,

PAUL'S MALTA

St. Paul's Bay -

To the north of the Island and stop where the 'two seas meet' and location of Paul's shipwreck.

Mdina-Rabat -

A visit to the CATHEDRAL OF MDINA (known as the silent city). Then to St. PAUL'S CHURCH and grotto. <u>Dinner & Overnight in VALLETTA</u>

Day 4 – 10 April, Wednesday

GOZO ISLAND

A short ferry sail then visits to: **The Temples of Ġgantija/** a megalithic temple complex older than the pyramids.

The Citadel/ built on the site of an early Stone Age settlement. The Cathedral/ Baroque style and dedicated to Mary, mother of Jesus. Dinner & Overnight in VALLETTA

Day 5 – 11 April, Thursday

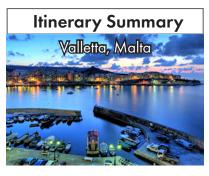
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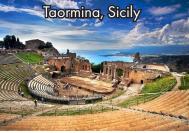
The 'Malta Experience' – 7,000 years of Maltese history. To the airport for the short 45 minute flight from Malta to CATANIA in Sicily -<u>Dinner and Overnight In SYRACUSE.</u>

Day 6 – 12 April, Friday

St. PAUL'S SICILY

Syracuse Archaeological Site/Roman Amphitheatre/ Greek Theatre/Temple of Apollo/ "Dionysus' Ear"/ (very similar to the "Siq" at Petra). Dinner and Overnight in SYRACUSE











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St. PAUL'S SICILY

Syracuse Old Town – A guided walking tour of the little Ortigia island (the heart of the town) Free time for leisure to explore the Old Town area. Dinner and Overnight in SYRACUSE

Day 8 – 14 April, Sunday

SICILY

Mount Etna/ see the volcano - the highest an active in Europe. **Taormina/** time to browse in the quaint hillside town.

Dinner & Overnight in SYRACUSE

Day 9 – 15 April, Monday

SICILY/AGRIGENTO

A day trip to the '**Valley of the Temples**' and this major impressive site in central Sicily - a UNESCO WORLD HERITAGE SITE. Dinner and Overnight in PALERMO

Day 10 – 16 April, Tuesday

POMPEII/POZZUOLI/ROME

Morning short flight to Naples and visit impressive POM-PEII. Then to Paul's arrival port of POZZOULI before taking the Appian Way to Rome. Dinner & Overnight in ROME.

Day 11 – 17 April, Wednesday

PAUL'S ROME

The Appian Way/ a walk on a preserved section. The Colosseum/ the huge structure of Imperial Rome. The Forum/ Rome's main ancient market place. The Underground Church/ a 4th-century basilica converted out of the home of a Roman nobleman. The Mamertine Prison/ associated with the crucifixion

of Peter. Dinner & Overnight in ROME.

Day 12 - 18 April, Thursday

ROME

THE MORNING

The Vatican/ a 'City State' containing the famous Sistine Chapel and St. Peters' Basilica. **Basilica of St. Paul/** founded by the Constantine over the burial place of Saul of Tarsus. THE AFTERNOON

Free to visit places of personal interest. Dinner & Overnight in ROME

Day 13 – 19 April, Friday

RETURN FLIGHT

To Rome airport for the return flight to the U.S.