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#### Enrollment in and payment of your deposit for the tour, constitutes your acceptance of the conditions and statement of responsibility.

INCLUDED IN PRICE: 1) Round trip airfare per brochure, deluxe motor coaches, Superior Tourist/First class hotels throughout & 3 star accommodations in Oberammergau/Ettal Village, guided sightseeing, entrance fees to sites visited, breakfast & dinner daily, plus dinner at Oberammergau Village; 2) Taxes and fuel charges totaling \$590.26 USD comprised of \$259.86 for fuel charges (subject to increase by airline up to 30 days prior to departure) and \$330.40 for taxes (including federal inspection fees for the U.S. Customs and Immigrations; international air transportation tax; agricultural tax; other per person taxes imposed by government entities; airport taxes and fees including the September 11th Security fee up to \$10 per person, passenger facility charges up to \$18 per person, federal domestic flight segment fees up to \$3.50 per segment and U.S. and International arrival and departure, and other government imposed fees up to \$300 per person); 3) Gratuities of \$175 for tour guide or cruise director, local host, driver, local guides, and/or ships' crew; gratuities on ferries, and cruise ships

NOT INCLUDED IN PRICE: Not included in your package are passports, visas, vaccinations, laundry, lunches, telephone, mini-bar, alcohol, other beverages, and food outside of the contracted tour operator menu as presented at a hotel or restaurant (these extra items will be billed to you before leaving the hotel, or restaurant), airport transfers on non-qualifying flights, porterage at airports, travel insurance, excess baggage fees, any fees or fuel surcharges imposed by the airlines after the date you register for your trip, and all other items not specifically mentioned. PAYMENT: A full deposit of \$500 per person is required at time of registration. A second deposit of \$500 per person is required within 14 days of initial registration. A third deposit of \$500 per person is required no later than 180 days prior to departure. Final payment must be made in the form of a check (credit cards are only accepted for initial deposit, any remaining payments must be in check form), and is due no later than **120-days prior to departure.** Registrations received after 120-days prior to departure must be accompanied by full payment. There may be a late fee of \$195 for all payments or new registrations received 110-90 days prior to departure. All tour prices are based on a minimum group size of 40 passengers per bus for prices to be valid. If group size is 39-26 travelers, a \$195 per person supplement to price may apply. If group size is less than 26 travelers, a per person supplement to price will be determined. If group size is less than 12 travelers the tour may be cancelled due to lack of participation. If final (full) payment is not received by *imagine* Tours and Travel, LLC (hereafter

## referred to as *imagine*) 90-days prior to departure, you will be automatically cancelled

from the tour and your deposit of \$1500 will be forfeited. *imagine* reserves the right to add a surcharge if the dollar declines by more than 2.5% against the Euro based on foreign exchange rates in effect on 5/3/17 (Pricing based on exchange of the Euro to US Dollar on this date at conversion of 1.10 exchange). All payments are required in US Funds

ACCOMMODATIONS: Price is based on double occupancy (two persons sharing a room) When available, single rooms are often smaller than doubles. While *imagine* will try to match roommates, we cannot quarantee one will be available. Roommates may be assigned as late as 35 days prior to departure. If one is not available or if you request a single room, there will be a single room supplement charge: \$1095 for basic itinerary. ITINERARY and CHANGES: Because airlines often change flight schedules after brochures are printed. *imagine* reserves the right to shorten or lengthen the itinerary accordingly. You will be notified in writing when possible. If itinerary changes necessitate extra overnights, you will be charged \$195 per night/per person (single rooms \$225/ night). Meals for extra nights are not included. Any changes and/or deviations from the program and/or departure city listed by the passenger must be provided in writing to *imagine* no later than 120-days prior to departure and any extra costs incurred will be billed to the passenger. All deviations are subject to a standard fee of \$150 plus any applicable airline fees. All tours are final at 90-days prior to departure. No changes and/or additions may be made to the tour after that time

LAND ONLY: Land Only price is \$4654 per person, price does not include ANY flights. Land Only passengers may be responsible for transfers and/or additional overnights incurred by booking their own flights. We recommend you purchase a ticket which can be changed without large penalties, as the group's flights may change. Passengers changing from the regular tour to Land Only after 120 days prior to departure will be charged a fee of \$150 per person.

AIRLINE TICKETS: In order to keep prices low, imagine does not guarantee you will be on the most direct flights to your final destination. *imagine* also does not guarantee the group will be on the same flights. Flight routings are chosen by the airlines and not *imagine*. Airline tickets cannot be changed or refunded once issued. Air

transportation to/from your destination will be economy class aboard IATA and ARC carriers utilizing APEX or SUPER APEX non-refundable, non-amendable tickets for

groups of 10 or more flying together for entire itinerary. *imagine* is unable to use individual frequent flyer points to upgrade or accept them as partial payment for air transportation. Deviations by the passenger, from the group's scheduled flights, could result in different routings/air carriers.

VISAS: Applicable visas will be obtained by *imagine* for U.S. and Canadian Citizens

only. All passengers who do not carry U.S. or Canadian Passports will be responsible for obtaining visas to the countries they are visiting. *imagine* is not responsible for non-U.S. & Canadian Passport holders.

FLIGHT TIMES: All flight times are subject to change by the airlines without advance notice. *imagine* is not responsible for such changes or delays and does not reimburse expenses resulting from such delays. If making your own flight arrangements to a departure city or any other portion of your trip, we recommend you purchase a ticket which can be changed without large penalties. Passengers are responsible for reconfirming their flights with the airline 24 hours prior to departure.

CANCELLATION FEES: If the tour is cancelled due to lack of participation, there will be a charge of \$150 deducted from the amount refunded to each passenger for administrative fees plus any airline penalties if applicable. Any passenger cancelling from day of registration to 180 days prior to departure will be charged a \$500 non-refundable administrative fee per person plus any airline penalties, if applicable. You will also be charged a single room fee if your cancellation forces your roommate into a single room. The following charges also apply: 179-155 days = \$1000; 154-91 days = \$1500; 90-75 days = 75% of total cost; 74 days to day of departure = 100% of total cost. All Cancellations must be received in writing. On or after the day of departure there is no refund for any services not used. We strongly recommend you purchase travel insurance (please see

the box below). **PASSPORT:** Each passenger is responsible for making sure that they have a valid passport that has an expiration date at least six months after the date of return from their trip. A

copy of your valid passport must be submitted to our office by 120 days prior to departure. STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY: *imagine* and its associated companies agree to provide the itinerary described in this brochure. This represents the entire agreement between the passenger and his agent, the travel agent, the tour host, and the tour operator. All prices, itineraries and schedules are subject to regulations and changes by acts of government, international agreement, and airline tariff adjustments, rules, and

regulations. *imagine* reserves the right to refuse or revoke travel to anyone who is, in the sole judgment of *imagine*, incapable of group travel. Except for the willful negligence of its direct employees, the tour operator assumes no liability or responsibility for any injuries, inconveniences, illness, irregularity, or incidental damages caused by circumstances beyond the control of the tour operator or by any person or reason whatsoever, including but not limited to events such as strikes, revolts, wars, natural disasters, closures of airports or hotel, default or omission of any common or private carrier, or the fault, negligence, or omission of and by any third party providing services or facilities related to or included in this tour or any part thereof, or in arranging for the same, or the acts or omissions of the travel agent or the tour host

**RELEASE OF LIABILITY:** By traveling on this tour you affirm that you are fit to participate in this tour and accept all risks to your safety and health. All travel involves risks, and travel to some countries, including Israel, involves a heightened risk to your health and safety, including risks from terrorism, criminal acts, and illness. You understand and freely accept these risks, and you generally and specifically release and hold harmless *imagine* and their officers, agents and employees from any liability and any claims for (i) any physical, mental, emotional or other injuries whatsoever that you may sustain related to this tour; (ii) delays, damages, illness, injuries or death, or for the loss of or damage to property, from any cause (including negligence) and however occurring; and (iii) any accident, illness, injury, damage, sickness, loss of personal property, delay, or other Injury or claim of any kind related to or arising from strikes, armed conflicts, social or labor unrest or strikes/work stoppages, war or acts of war, terrorism or terrorist acts, acts of God, mechanical or construction failures or difficulties, diseases, local laws or acts of local or government authorities, criminal acts, weather or climatic conditions, volcanic eruption, earthquake, disruption of advertised schedules, refusal of visas, or any other causes beyond their direct control. ENROLLMENT IN AND PAYMENT FOR THE TOUR, CONSTITUTES YOUR ACCEPTANCE OF THE CONDITIONS AND STATEMENT OF RESPONSIBILITY. The conditions become a binding contract when your enrollment and payment are received and accepted by imagine. Florida law will be applicable to any dispute which arises out of/or concerns regarding this brochure or your tour. imagine Tours & Travel, LLC., is registered with the State of Florida as a Seller of Travel. Registration

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# **Imperial Splendor** Including Oberammergau Passion play 12-Day Tour of Czech Republic, Hungary, Austria & Germany

Hosted by: Pastor Dudley Rutherford Travel Dates: June 1-12, 2020

## \$5499 per person from Los Angeles, CA

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## THE PROMISE

In 1633 the Black Plague rampaged through Europe, killing thousands. For months, the small village of Oberammergau managed to keep the dreaded disease at bay, mainly because of its remote location in the Bavarian Alps. Eventually the epidemic struck the nearby town of Ettal. The people of Oberammergau, however, controlled the spread of the disease by keeping close watch and preventing strangers from entering their village. Alas, late one evening, a villager who had been away, homesick for his family, strolled back into the town unknowingly brought the plague to his people. Within a few months, 84 villagers had died.

In July of 1633 the survivors gathered and made a solemn oath to God: if He spared them from further deaths, they would perform every ten years a day-long play depicting Jesus' death and Resurrection. According to the story passed down through the generations, God heard them and there were no more deaths. In 1634, the townspeople performed their Passion Play for the first time. Eventually their vow was adopted by their children and their descendants. To this day, the villagers of Oberammergau have kept their promise virtually unbroken.



## DAY 1 – MONDAY, JUNE 1: DEPART U.S.A. TO PRAGUE

Tour members depart the U.S.A. on our flight to Europe. After boarding, we will be served meals according to the airline's schedule.

#### DAY 2 – TUESDAY, JUNE 2: PRAGUE

Upon arrival in Prague, we are met by our tour guide and board our motor coach. We drive into the Old Town to catch a first glimpse of the capital of the Czech Republic. We learn about its history and stroll though the quarter. In the evening we enjoy our welcome dinner at famous Plzenska restaurace Obecni dum, which is situated in the basement of the Municipal house, a very beautiful and impressive Art Nouveau building. Overnight is in Prague.

#### DAY 3 - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 3: PRAGUE

In the morning we tour the well-known and largest ancient castle in the

world "Hradschin" and visit St. Vitus Cathedral, St. George Basilica and Old Royal Palace. We stroll through the famous Golden Lane down to Lesser Town, a beautiful Baroque quarter which clusters around the foot of Prague Castle. In the afternoon, we have free time to explore the streets and places of Prague, visit one of the museums (not included), shop, or just enjoy life in one of the famous café houses. For dinner, we come together at the hotel and overnight is in Prague.

#### DAY 4 - THURSDAY, JUNE 4: BRATISLAVA, BUDAPEST

After breakfast, we leave the Czech Republic and enter Slovakia, where our next stop is in Bratislava. The charming old town is the place to start admiring Bratislava. On our own, we stroll narrow pedestrian streets of pastel-colored 18th-century buildings or relax in one of the many sidewalk cafes under the watchful gaze of the city castle, which harks back to medieval times. Then we continue to Budapest, the capital and biggest city in Hungary. After check-in we enjoy a dinner and Gypsy Music. Overnight is in Budapest.

#### DAY 5 - FRIDAY, JUNE 5: BUDAPEST

We start our day with a sightseeing tour. We pass the most important sites such as Heroes square, Andrassy Avenue, the Opera House, Castle

district, and Parliament building. Then we have a short transfer to the picturesque artists' village Szentendre. In the afternoon, we have free time to discover the quarter, stroll through the city or go shopping. After dinner at the hotel, we board a cruise on the Danube to see Budapest by night.

#### DAY 6 - SATURDAY, JUNE 6: VIENNA

Following breakfast, we board our coach to drive to Vienna. In the afternoon, we take a guided tour exploring the lovely city center of Vienna. Along the famous Ringstraße you will see the State Opera House, Hofburg, Art and Natural History Museum, Parliament, City Hall and National Theatre. Then we make a stop at Stephansdom (St Stephen's Cathedral) and the Sacher Café, famous for its Sacher Torte chocolate cake. The colorfully decorated Hundertwasser House, the Hofburg and the famous Spanish Riding School are not only architectural highlights but also interesting for their history. After dinner at the hotel, we have the option to experience the famous atmosphere of Vienna in one of the café houses or to take a ride with the typical Fiaker carriage to see Vienna by night (not included). Overnight is in Vienna.

### DAY 7 - SUNDAY, JUNE 7: VIENNA

This morning, we have the opportunity to discover some highlights of Vienna on our own. There is an endless number of attractions to see. For example, you can



## **INCLUDED FEATURES:**

- Round-trip transatlantic flights via regularly scheduled airlines with beverages and meals served per the airline schedule.
- Hotel accommodations in First Class or Superior Tourist All local taxes for included services; VAT tax; hotel services rooms with private bath/shower. Oberammergau Area charges; baggage handling of one suitcase on tour. accommodations are in private homes, small Pensions, or • Guaranteed Tickets at the World Famous Passion Play in guest houses.
- Oberammergau (386 Years of Grand Tradition). Meals include: daily continental breakfast, dinners nightly; in Oberammergau breakfast, set menu for dinner.

visit the magnificent showrooms of Schönbrunn Palace, Empress Sisi's former summer residence. In the afternoon, we transfer to worldrenowned Vienna Prater. Here we can take a ride on the Ferris wheel to overview the city (not included). Then we continue to the Heurigen area, where we have dinner at a typical restaurant with live music. We return to Vienna for overnight.

#### DAY 8 - MONDAY, JUNE 8: VIENNA-HINTERBRÜHL, SALZBURG

Our first stop today is the Seegrotte in Hinterbrühl, is situated on our way to Salzburg. We tour the grotto and take a boat ride on the underground lake. Then we continue our tour through the stunning Austrian Alps and lakes to reach the great city of Salzburg. After check-in, we have free time and in the evening we enjoy dinner and overnight at our hotel in Salzburg.

#### DAY 9 – TUESDAY, JUNE 9: SALZBURG

This day is dedicated to discover the city of Salzburg. In the home of Wolfgang Amadeus Mozart, we get an overview of the most popular sites and some of the original filming locations of the film "The Sound of Music". We see the Carillon, Salzburg Cathedral, Franciscan Church, Mozart Square, Hofstallgasse, Hohensalzburg Fortress, St. Peter's Abbey, and the baroque-styled Mirabell Palace and Gardens. We also have an inside visit of Mozart's Birth House. The house in which the great composer was born in 1756 is now one of the most frequently-visited museums in the world. In the afternoon, we take a ride by funicular to visit Hohensalzburg Fortress. We explore the area and enjoy the great view over Salzburg. Dinner and overnight are in our hotel in Salzburg.

### DAY 10 - WEDNESDAY, JUNE 10: LINDERHOF CASTLE, ETTAL/OBERAMMERGAU

After breakfast, we head to Germany. Our first stop is Linderhof Castle, which is located in the secluded Graswang valley. Of the three palaces that King Ludwig II actually had built, Linderhof Palace is the most inspired. A triumph of splendor and extravagance is waiting for us. Afterwards, we see the most famous and most visited castle in Germany for a photo-stop outside, Neuschwanstein Castle, perched high up on a mountain in the beautiful landscape of the Alps. The shimmering white towers of the castle among the clouds are instantly recognizable to many and the inspiration for Walt Disney's castles. Then we make our way to a small, picturesque village in the Alps which is also known all over the world: Oberammergau, the "Passion Play village with heart". We check-in at our hotel, which is in the area of Ettal/Oberammergau.

### DAY 11 - THURSDAY, JUNE 11: OBERAMMERGAU: THE PASSION PLAY

Oberammergau is not only known for its World Famous Passion Play, but also for its woodcarving craft and for its colorful and attractive frescoes known as Lüftlmalereien. In the morning if time permits, we will explore the lovely village, the museum, the parish church and a woodcarving workshop. Then we take our seats at the Passion Play Theater for the early afternoon performance. All the actors, musicians, and singers as well as the backstage staff are either born in Oberammergau or been residents for more than 20 years. Between the different scenes of the life of Jesus Christ we can admire "living pictures" – scenes from the Bible presented as still life. After 2.5 hours it is time for a dinner break, which is waiting for us in a local restaurant. After dinner, we have the opportunity to stroll around in the village and to do some shopping. Later this evening, the second part of the play starts and will end at approximately 11:00 pm. We go back to our hotel in Oberammergau for overnight after the play.

## DAY 12 - FRIDAY, JUNE 12: DEPART MUNICH, ARRIVE IN U.S.A.

\*While we do our very best at making sure all items listed in your itin-We transfer this morning to Munich International Airport for our flight erary are included, there are times when conditions beyond our control back to the U.S.A. and arrive home the same day, the end of a affect your program/itinerary, including but not limited to air carrier wonderful tour! changes, delays, weather, political climate, time constraints, or changes by your tour leader and tour guide.

- All transfers and touring by deluxe motor coach with English speaking escort throughout.
- Sightseeing of all major points of interest listed in the itinerary including entrance fees.

