



# Oberammergau Passion Play

September 13 - 22, 2010

*Experience this incredible event that occurs only once every ten years!*

## Day 1 Overnight Flight

Discover spectacular Switzerland, Austria and Bavaria and enjoy multiple night stays in three cities. First, spend a few days in Engelberg exploring the rich culture and spectacular scenery that only Switzerland can offer. Then, travel to Innsbruck to enjoy the delights of Austria and Bavaria. Conclude your tour with a visit to the Bavarian village of Oberammergau and attend their amazing and inspirational Passion Play.

## Day 2 D Engelberg, Switzerland

Relax in the beautiful mountainside resort nestled at the foot of **Mt. Titlis** and explore the stone streets of picturesque Engelberg as white peaked mountains beckon in the distance. This evening, get to know your fellow travelers and we gather for a celebration and welcome dinner.

## Day 3 B, D Bern, Switzerland

Enjoy a pristine morning in the mountains as we travel to the capital of Switzerland, delightful **Bern**. Take in the panoramic views on an extensive and informative **Sightseeing Tour** and learn the history of the language as well as key words and phrases to help you communicate with the locals. Use your new language skills as we visit the **Bundeshaus** (the Swiss Parliament), the **Rose Gardens** and a famous skyline fixture, the unforgettable **Gothic Cathedral**. Learn why bears are so revered in the beguiling city with an informative and exciting trip to the **Bear Pit**. Tonight, dine on a traditional Swiss cheese fondue dinner in a local restaurant.

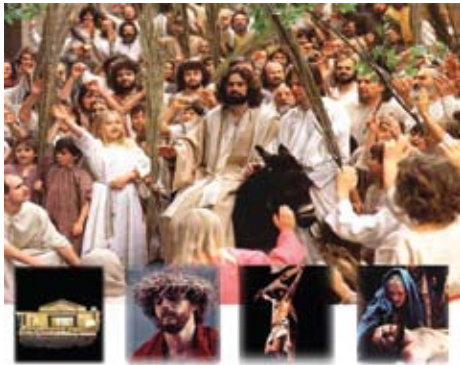


## Day 4 B Lucerne, Switzerland

Today, travel to beautiful **Lucerne** and see the land known as the "Swiss Paradise on the Lake". Enjoy a leisurely-paced **Alstadt (Old Town) Walking Tour** and explore the hidden treasures of this exotic city. In addition to its natural wonder and tranquility, Lucerne has more than 800 years of history, medieval treasures like the covered **Chapel Bridge** and the famous **Water Tower** that has served as a prison, watchtower and treasury. Tour the Renaissance-style **Town Hall**, the baroque **Jesuit Church** and the breathtaking tribute to the heroic Swiss Guard, the **Lion Monument**.

## Day 5 B, D Innsbruck, Austria

Say goodbye to the sweeping vistas of lovely Switzerland as we cross the border into Austria and the striking Olympic city of **Innsbruck**, the "Capitol of the Tyrol." Listen as our local guide conducts an informative and scenic **City Tour** highlighting the popular thoroughfare, **Maria Theresienstrasse**. Tour the **Hofburg Museum**, once the seat of Habsburg princes and the amazing **Golden Roof**, all set against the glorious backdrop of the Austrian Alps. This evening, join your fellow travelers for a delicious dinner featuring local specialties.



## Day 6 B, D Salzburg, Austria

Travel through the picturesque Austrian countryside to **Salzburg**, a classic European city filled with beautiful gardens and amazing architecture. Upon arrival, enjoy a leisurely **Walking Tour** featuring **Mirabell Gardens**, as seen in the "Sound of Music" and **Mozart's Birthplace**, the quaint **Getreide-**



**gasse**. The afternoon is yours to explore and the day concludes with a lovely dinner in the historic city center

at the centuries-old **St. Peters Restaurant**. Austria's oldest; it boasts impressive diners such as **Columbus** and **Charlemagne!**

## Day 7 B Innsbruck, Austria

Today is yours to explore **at leisure** some of what the amazing city of Innsbruck has to offer. You may wish to stroll through Old Town and browse the quaint shops and stores or perhaps venture into one of the city's many interesting museums. Breathe in the crisp alpine air, enjoy coffee in an open-air café and enjoy the many delights of this charming city.

## Day 8 B, D Oberammergau, Germany

Fairy tales come to life today with a picture stop at Bavaria's most famous castle, **Neuschwanstein**, to learn the history of this awe-inspiring place and be transported back to a much different time. Next visit the breathtaking **Wies Church**, proclaimed a World Heritage site, before proceeding to Oberammergau. Upon arrival, enjoy a brief **City Tour** to help you understand this unique place and learn its amazing history.

## Day 9 B, L, D Oberammergau, Germany

Enjoy a leisurely morning exploring on your own. In the afternoon, witness an awe-inspiring spectacle whose original performance dates back to 1634, the amazing **Passion Play**. During the Thirty Year War, the village of Oberammergau was spared the Black Plague and for this reason, the villagers vowed that every ten years they would give a play to honor the life of Christ. The native performers grow their beards a year in advance and the intricate and realistic costumes are made by local townspeople. During intermission, enjoy a fantastic farewell dinner celebrating the end of a wonderful, exciting and memorable trip.



## Day 10 B Home

Board a flight for home today and bask in the memories of an unforgettable trip highlighting some of the best of what Europe has to offer.

### Wichita & OKC Departures (Airfare NOT included in these fares)

**\$3349 - PER PERSON DOUBLE**

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**\$500 DEPOSIT PER PERSON**

(NON-REFUNDABLE AFTER JULY 1, 2008)

(ADDITIONAL \$1,000 DUE SEPT 1, 2009)

#### INCLUDED:

Deluxe Motorcoach Transportation  
Quality Accommodations & Luggage Handling  
Collette & Village Tours Directors  
Admissions Listed & 15 Meals

Optional Cancellation Insurance Available  
Final Payment Due 120 days before departure  
Airfare will be available by January 1, 2010