

Passionate About Oberammergau!

Here are a selection of the rail tours including a performance at Oberammergau in 2022 running from May through to September 2022 - for full details of the itinerary along with dates and availability or to look at other options please call us on **01213 573 866** and we will be happy to help!

ESCORTED RAIL TOURS TO OBERAMMERGAU

The village of Oberammergau is most famous as the location of the renowned Passion Play for the last 376 years. Once every ten years, this unassuming village in the heart of the Bavarian Alps hosts this event, which draws in hundreds of thousands of visitors. The moving reenactment of Christ's suffering, known as the Passion Play, is a five-hour epic - a tragedy of death and the promise of life. During the 17th century, Oberammergau,



like much of Europe, was afflicted with the 'Black Death'. As the town's population dwindled, the local government vowed they would perform the 'Play of the Suffering, Death and Resurrection of Our Lord Jesus Christ' every ten years if God spared them from the plague ravaging the region.

Oberammergau by Train

We have three different holiday itineraries visiting the Passion Play in 2022, where we combine Oberammergau with beautiful Lake Garda, Bavaria and the Austrian Alps. However, with every place on our tours in 2010 selling out far in advance of the first performance date, if you are planning to see the Passion Play in 2022 with us, it is vital you book as soon as possible.

Oberammergau & Austrian Alps

Hidden amongst the low hills of Bavaria, the Oberammergau Passion Play is a once-in-a-decade performance of astonishing scope. Enjoy this incredible spectacle on this memorable tour which not only takes in the play, but also the spectacular beauty of the crisp Austrian Alps.

Highlights: Zell am See, The Pinzgaubahn, Krimml Waterfalls, Grosslockner High Alpine Road, Oberammeragau, Top tier tickets to the Passion Play Performance





What's Included: 1st & Standard Class Rail, Journey on The Pinzgaubahn Railway, 4* Hotel Accommodation, Breakfast Every Day, Evening Meals, 7 nights' hotel accommodation, Top Category Tickets to The Passion Play Performance

Exciting excursions and free time to explore: Top tier tickets to a performance of the Oberammergau Passion Play: Journey on the narrow-gauge Pinzgaubahn: Visit to the spectacular Krimml Waterfalls: Excursion to Hohe Tauern National Park: Journey on the Grossglockner High Alpine Road: Free time in Heiligenblut

Departures: May 2022 - Sept 2022. 8 Days from £2,595.00pp

Oberammergau & Lake Garda

Combining the impressive splendour of Italy with the immense theatrical spectacle that is the German village of Oberammergau's Passion Play, this tour is one of natural scenery, thespian spectacle and European charm.

Highlights: Desenzano, Sirmione, Verona, Oberammergau, The Passion Play Performance, Stunning 4-Star Accommodation

What's Included: 1st & Standard Class Rail, Eurostar Standard



Premier, Eurostar Meal, 4* Hotel Accommodation, Breakfast Every Day, Selected Evening Meals, 7 nights' hotel accommodation, Top Category Ticket to The Passion Play Performance

Exciting excursions and free time to explore: Top tier tickets to a performance of the Oberammergau Passion Play: Cruise on Lake Garda to Isola del Garda: Guided city tour of Verona: Wine tasting experience in Verona: At leisure in Desenzano

Departures: May 2022 - Sept 2022. 8 Days from £2,295.00pp

OBERAMMERGAU & THE CASTLES AND LAKES OF BAVARIA 2022

FANTASTIC SPECTACLE ALONG WITH THE FAIRY TALE BEAUTY OF BAVARIA

One of most iconic Passion Plays in the world, performed over one summer every decade, the Oberammergau Passion Play is a magnificent sight to behold. Take in this fantastic spectacle along with the fairytale beauty of Bavaria, with its mysterious castles and forbidden forests.

Highlights: Füssen, The Zugspitze Railway, Neuschwanstein Castle, Hohenschwangau Castle, The Oberammergau Passion Play, St Mang's Abbey



What's Included: 1st & Standard Class Rail, Eurostar Standard Premier, The Zugspitze Railway, 4* Hotel Accommodation, 7 nights' hotel accommodation, Top Category Tickets to The Passion Play Performance

Exciting excursions and free time to explore: Top category tickets to a performance of the Oberammergau Passion Play, Excursions to the fairy tale castles of Neuschwanstein and Hohenschwangau, Journey on the Zugspitze Railway to the summit of the Zugspitze, Time at leisure to explore Füssen and the beautiful Bavarian countryside



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