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## HOTELS:

### Milan

#### **Hotel Cavour**

Via FrateBenefratelli, 21  
20121 - Milano

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Tel : (+39) 02 620 001

[www.hotelcavourmilan.com](http://www.hotelcavourmilan.com)

### Verona

#### **Hotel Giberti**

Via Gian Matteo Giberti, 7  
37122 Verona

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Tel: (+39) 045 800 6900

[www.hotelgiberti.it](http://www.hotelgiberti.it)

## VENICE OPTION

### Venice

#### **Hotel La Fenice et des Artistes**

S. Marco, 1936  
30124 Venezia

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Tel: (+39) 041 523 2333

[www.fenicehotels.com](http://www.fenicehotels.com)

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**Day 1**

**Tuesday, 21<sup>st</sup> June**

arrive in Milan

Check into the **\*\*\*\* Hotel CAVOUR.**

This hotel has 113 rooms and is at the 12<sup>th</sup> century Porta Nuova city gate.

It is 5 minutes' walk from the Fashion Houses, La Scala, and the Duomo.



**Dinner** at a local restaurant.

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**Day 2**

**Wednesday, 22nd June**

**Milan**

Independent explorations of Milan – ideally including the most comprehensive opera museum in the world at La Scala.



**Dinner and Opera chat** at a local restaurant

**8:00 pm** **TEATRO ALLA SCALA** Verdi's "ATTILA"  
with **Leo Nucci**

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Day 4

Thursday, 23rd June

Milan

Independent explorations of Milan continue, ideally including the CASA DI RIPOSO – the retirement home for musicians, founded by Verdi – and where he is buried.



Dinner and Opera Chat at a nearby restaurant.

8:00 pm

**OPERA : Gounod's "ROMEO ET JULIETTE"**  
Featuring **RUSSELL BRAUN** as Mercutio  
Conducted by **YANNICK NEZET-SEGUIN**

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Day 4

Friday, 24th June

Milan to Verona

Check out of the hotel.

Board our coach for the hour-and-a-half drive to the charming town of **BRESCIA**, home of many of Italy's finest violin makers.



**Lunch** in Brescia.

Continue to Verona.

Check into the \* \* \* \* **Hotel Giberti**,  
just a 5 minutes' walk from the Arena.

**9:15 OPERA: Verdi's "LA TRAVIATA"**  
**Starring SONDRA RADVANOVSKY as Violetta**

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Day 5

Saturday, 25th June

Verona

Independent explorations of the old city of Verona.



*“Juliet Capulet’s balcony”*

**Dinner and Opera Chat**

**9:15 OPERA: Opening night: Rossini’s “IL BARBIERE DI SIVIGLIA”**

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Day 6

Sunday, 26th June

Verona

Independent explorations of the old city of Verona.



Dinner and Opera Chat

**9:15 OPERA: Verdi's "AIDA"**

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**Day 7**

**Monday, 27th June**

fly home

Check out of the hotel

Either transfer to the airport for **return to North America.**

Or ... come on to our **VENICE OPTIONAL EXTENSION**

Board our coach for the **transfer to Venice via VICENZA.**

Visit the **Teatro Olimpico** inaugurated in **1585.**



**Lunch** in Vicenza.

Continue to Venice.

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Day 8

Tuesday, 28th June

Venice



Group dinner at a special local trattoria

7:00 pm

**OPERA : Wagner's "DAS RHEINGOLD"  
Conducted by Jeffrey Tate**

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Day 9

Wednesday, 29th June

Venice



**Group Farewell dinner at a special local trattoria**

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Day 10

Thursday, 30th June

Venice

Independent flights home





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or contact

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